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LAW DEPARTMENT.

Statement and Return of Moneys Received by ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the Month of September, 1878, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Section 3, Part II., Chapter IV., Title IV., Revised Statutes; and Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and paid into the City Treasury.

DATE.	ESTATE OF	COMMISSIONS AND INTERSTATE ESTATES.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Sept. 30, 1878.	William Taylor.....	\$3 19	
	Bridget Hunt.....	4 10	
	Norman Tibbetts.....	22 37	
	John Gruber.....	40 10	
	Dominique S. Roberts.....	9 92	
	Sarah Clark.....	2 32	
	Josiah Jones.....	10 54	
	Esther Dillins.....	3 63	
	Carlo Haumfen.....	50 82	
	David Cumming.....	6 03	
	Susan Brown.....	3 64	
	James Robson.....	6 79	
	Mary Walton Wayne.....	15 92	
	Catharine Stoeckle.....	8 49	
	George Emmert.....	17 00	
	William Perry.....	4,658 77	
	Frank C. Cline.....	30 37	
	Peter Haller.....	8 09	
			\$4,902 09

ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN,
Public Administrator, etc.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, SEPTEMBER 16 TO 21, 1878.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during the week ending September 14, 1878: Males, 40; females, 17. On file.
List of 37 prisoners to be discharged from September 23 to 29, 1878. Transmitted to the Prison Association.
From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 11 patients received during week ending September 14, 1878. Referred to Examining Clerk.
From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending September 14, 1878, \$261. On file.
From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 9 patients received during week ending September 14, 1878. Referred to Examining Clerk.

Appointments.

- September 16. Mary L. Merritt, Nurse, Infants' Hospital.
18. John Mangum, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
Jane Norton, Laundress, New York City Asylum for Insane.
19. Charles E. Christie, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
20. William Gorman, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
John D. Carroll, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
21. Annie McLaren, Keeper of Females, Workhouse.
Mary Ryan, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

Resignations.

- September 16. Mary Shandley, Laundress, New York City Asylum for Insane.
Sarah Stack, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

Dismissals.

- September 16. Bessie Knapp, Nurse, Infants' Hospital.
18. Isaac Lowen, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
20. John Kelly, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
L. S. Mabie, Clerk, Workhouse.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, September 24, 1878.

The Board of Health met this day.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on work performed by Disinfecting Corps; on application for permits; on slaughter-houses; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on sanitary condition of Marine Court Chambers; on soap manufacture at 142 West Seventeenth street; on premises 78 Grand street; on certain street pavements, etc.
From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly and monthly report.
From the Register of Records: Weekly mortality statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstract of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report on deaths from contagious diseases; weekly report on attendance of clerks; application to change record of death of James T. Roberts to Michael Fitzpatrick was received, and, on motion, denied.

Communications from other Departments.

From the Department of Finance: Weekly statement of the Comptroller.
From the Common Council: Transmitting preamble and resolution requesting the cleansing of the street gutters with Croton water.

Permits Granted.

To deposit ashes and street sweepings, free from garbage, on vacant lots at northwest corner Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.
To deposit ashes and street sweepings, free from garbage, on vacant lots west side of Second avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets.
To bring fresh beef fat from Johnson avenue, Williamsburgh, to slaughter-house at East Forty-fifth street and East river.

Permits Denied.

To keep 1 cow at 312 West Sixteenth street.
To keep 25 fowls at 5 Avenue C.
To keep chickens in a coop at 112 Avenue B.

Bills.

S. O. Vanderpoel.....	\$30 00	Pay-roll, Commissioners, officers, and employees.....	\$9,064 86
J. E. Colville.....	23 00	Pay-roll, officers and employees, Riverside Hospital.....	579 11
D. Appleton & Co.....	14 00		
Clark & Wilkins.....	172 50		
Pay-roll, Fruit Inspectors.....	1,200 00		

Reports Referred to other Departments.

To Department of Public Works: On public hydrant at northwest corner Ninth avenue and Seventy-first street; on street pavement southeast corner Fourth avenue and Forty-second street; at Fifty-sixth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues; and in Tenth avenue, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets.
To Department of Public Parks: On bridge across Tibbits Creek, at Kingsbridge.
To Department of Docks: On float in Harlem river beneath Harlem Bridge, at termination of Third avenue.
To Board of Aldermen: On vacant lots north side Seventy-sixth street, 200 feet east of Third avenue; 112 and 114 East Eighty-second street; and sidewalks in Eighty-ninth street; between Lexington and Fourth avenues.
From Department of Education: Respecting defective sewerage of Public School No. 75, in Seventieth street, near Third avenue.

Communications Received.

From Surgeon-General of Marine Hospital Service: Abstract of sanitary reports.
From the Trustees of the N. Y. Turn Verein Society: In respect to sanitary condition of public school at Nos. 15 and 17 East Third street.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of this Department for the month of September, 1878, when approved by the Finance Committee, shall be duly signed by the President and Secretary, and forwarded to the Comptroller for payment.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 78 Grand street, New York City, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair,

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 78 Grand street be required to vacate said building on or before October 4, 1878, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of said building, and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to correct the record of death of George Robinson, who died September 13, 1877, as follows:

Resident in city 12 years instead of 15 years, the same being a clerical error.

Resolved, That the services of the following named inspectors of fruit be and are hereby dispensed with from and after September 30, as the funds for this purpose have become exhausted:

Bryan Morrissey,	States Barton,
John J. Delaney	Jas. S. Murray,
Geo. W. Isaacs,	John Waters, Jr.,
Ed. Falconer,	Thos. J. Hanley,
Chas. McCoy,	Thos. Flynn,
Amos W. Gay,	Andrew McCarthy.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of three thousand dollars from the Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Contagious Diseases to the Fund for Disinfection.

Resolved, That John C. Duffy be and is hereby appointed an Assistant Sanitary Inspector with salary at the rate of \$75 per month.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending September 21, 1878:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,932, as follows, viz.: 1 public building, 749 tenement houses, 169 private dwellings, 103 other dwellings, 24 manufactories and workshops, 25 stores and warehouses, 47 stables, 53 slaughter-houses, 10 fat-rendering establishments, 1 lime kiln, 6 manure dumps, 1 garbage dump, 1 public sewer, 7 fertilizing works, 42 sunken and vacant lots, 1 gut cleaning establishment, 1 stock yard, 1 dangerous bridge, 66 yards, courts, and areas, 71 cellars and basements, 91 waste pipes and drains, 218 privies and water-closets, 112 streets, gutters, and sidewalks, 2 dangerous stairways, 7 smoky chimneys, 4 piggeries, 1 cesspool, 39 other nuisances, together with 74 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.

The number of Inspectors reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 799.

During the past week 165 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 104 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the port.

111 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy-sinks.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 22 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 21 houses, 21 privy-vaults, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

One case of yellow fever was removed to hospital at Quarantine, and 3 cases of typhoid removed to Riverside Hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

The Special Disinfecting Corps have disinfected 3,362 privies and water closets, 177 yards, courts, and areas, 304 cellars and basements, 295 garbage boxes, and 133¼ miles of street gutters.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending September 21, 1878:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.	Yellow Fever.
September 14....	0	18	34	1	1	16	0	0
September 21....	0	29	25	3	6	24	0	1

Deaths reported during the week ending September 21, 1878.

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.	Top.	Not stated.
474	60	264	138	6	4	..	3	115	158	77	45	9	..	..	..	470	4	..	53	105	44	272

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

Births* reported during the week ending September 21, 1878.

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.				
491	485	6	245	246	280	115	71	23	1	1	390	101	

Marriages* reported during the week ending September 21, 1878.

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.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
170	166	166	4	4	91	66	77	102	..	1	2	1	129	146	33	1	1	1	..	..	7	7

* 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 21, 1878, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending September 14, 1878.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
3	Austria	7	8	5	4	2	2	1	1
5	British America .....	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..
10	England	10	14	..	..	..	..	..	..
4	France	4	1	3	4	1	1	..	..
28	Germany	93	85	193	151	51	34	16	15
87	Ireland	193	190	106	109	11	10	9	1
2	Italy .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	Poland .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	Scotland .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	Switzerland .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
306	United States	87	96	139	187	77	102	7	10
1	Unknown or not stated	14	13	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	West Indies	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
3	Other countries	11	11	18	13	12	7	..	..

Still-Births reported during the week ending September 21, 1878.

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	
36	21	15	..	36	..	7	28	1	9	26	1	..	..	1	1	4	4	5	3	18	..	..

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending September 14, 1878.

Barometer.

DATE.	SEPTEMBER.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.		
		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	8	30.253	..	30.200	..	30.185	30.213	..	30.266	0 A. M.	..	30.171	12 P. M.	..
Monday,	9	30.138	..	30.079	..	30.071	30.096	..	30.171	0 A. M.	..	30.042	0 A. M.	..
Tuesday,	10	30.011	..	29.981	..	29.963	29.985	..	30.042	0 A. M.	..	29.943	6 P. M.	..
Wednesday,	11	29.949	..	29.937	..	29.930	29.938	..	29.973	9 A. M.	..	29.899	12 P. M.	..
Thursday,	12	29.850	..	29.841	..	29.861	29.851	..	29.899	0 A. M.	..	29.822	12 P. M.	..
Friday,	13	29.700	..	29.572	..	29.687	29.653	..	29.822	0 A. M.	..	29.513	4 P. M.	..
Saturday,	14	29.873	..	29.857	..	29.902	29.877	..	29.903	12 P. M.	..	29.729	0 A. M.	..

Mean for the week..... 29.944 inches.
Maximum " at 0 A. M., September 8..... 30.266 "
Minimum " at 4 P. M., September 13..... 29.513 "
Range "753 "

Thermometers.

DATE. SEPTEMBER. *		7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.				MINIMUM.				MAX- IMUM
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.
Sunday,	8	60	57	68	64	64	61	64.0	60.7	69	4 P. M.	64	2 P. M.	59	6 A. M.	57	6 A. M.	121
Monday,	9	62	60	72	65	66	63	66.7	62.6	72	2 P. M.	65	2 P. M.	59	5 A. M.	58	5 A. M.	127
Tuesday,	10	66	63	73	69	72	68	70.3	66.7	73	5 P. M.	70	5 P. M.	65	0 A. M.	62	0 A. M.	124
Wednesday,	11	69	67	76	71	74	70	73.0	69.3	78	4 P. M.	71	1 P. M.	69	7 A. M.	67	7 A. M.	132
Thursday,	12	71	69	75	72	72	70	72.6	70.3	77	3 P. M.	72	3 P. M.	70	4 A. M.	68	4 A. M.	97
Friday,	13	77	74	77	73	70	66	74.7	71.0	79	9 A. M.	76	9 A. M.	67	12 P. M.	63	12 P. M.	115
Saturday,	14	60	57	70	62	65	60	65.0	59.6	72	6 P. M.	63	6 P. M.	60	7 A. M.	57	7 A. M.	121

Mean for the week..... 69.5 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 9 A. M., 13th..... 79. " at 9 A. M., 13th..... 76. "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 8th..... 59. " at 6 A. M., 8th..... 57. "
Range " 20. " 19. "

Wind.

DATE.	SEPTEMBER.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	8	NE	E	ESE	60	64	33	157	1/2	3/4	0	2 1/4	11 A. M.
Monday,	9	ENE	E	E	20	31	31	82	1/4	0	0	1 1/4	3.10 P. M.
Tuesday,	10	ENE	E	E	19	52	23	94	1/2	3/4	0	1 1/4	9.30 A. M.
Wednesday,	11	NE	E	ENE	33	59	42	134	1/4	1 1/4	1/4	2 1/2	11 P. M.
Thursday,	12	NE	SSE	E	67	22	23	112	3/4	0	0	1 1/4	0 A. M.
Friday,	13	SSE	SE	WSW	103	137	84	324	7	3	1/2	11 1/4	9.30 A. M.
Saturday,	14	W	SW	WSW	64	62	64	190	1/2	1	1/2	4	4.30 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,093 miles.
Maximum force " 11 1/4 pounds.

DATE.	SEPTEMBER.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.				
		FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday,	8	.426	.543	.497	82	79	83	5 Cu.	7 Cu.	3 Cir.	..	..
Monday,	9	.491	.524	.536	88	67	84	2 Cu.	1 Cu.	5 Cu.	..	..
Tuesday,	10	.536	.655	.631	84	81	80	8 Cu.	9 Cu.	7 Cu.	..	..
Wednesday,	11	.635	.691	.679	90	77	81	Hazy.	1 Cu.	5 Cu.	..	..
Thursday,	12	.682	.744	.706	90	86	90	9 Cu.	Hazy.	5 Cu.	..	..
Friday,	13	.799	.757	.586	86	82	80	7 Cu.	10	3 Cu.	..	..
Saturday,	14	.426	.449	.451	82	61	73	2 Cu.	0	0	..	..

Total amount of water for the week..... .07 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That Fourth avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets, west side, be flagged four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That boulevard lamps be put up in place of the old lamps, on posts now standing: Two in front of the Jane Street United Presbyterian Church, in Jane street, between Eighth avenue and Hudson street, and three in front of the Central M. E. Church, on west side of Seventh avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nicholas Brown to retain awning-posts and awning in front of his premises, No. 127 Roosevelt street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Mott avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Fiftieth (150th) street, from Mott avenue to Walton avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to repair the carriage-way in Fifteenth street, from Avenue B to Avenue C.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Alexander Davis to erect a barber's pole in front of his premises, No. 5 Greenwich avenue; the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 17, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Rufner to erect a barber's pole in front of his premises, No. 108 South street, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 17, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Nees to retain barber's pole in front of his premises, No. 501 Canal street; the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 17, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That William H. Waehner be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in place of Thomas J. Havey, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 17, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to report to this Board, at its next meeting, what measures, if any, he has taken to compel the elevated railroad companies to light their posts or columns standing at the several intersections of the avenues and streets through which their tracks are laid, as provided in resolution approved February 25, 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 17, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to J. Spearing to erect a sign and post on the north side of Twenty-ninth street, 20 feet East of Sixth avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, and 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 10, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 24, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John V. Hall & Brother to retain the meat-rack now in front of premises No. 518 Pearl street, 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 10, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 24, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George M. Smith to retain awning and signs on awning in front of his premises, No. 131 Sullivan street; the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 24, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to B. McGrann to retain small sign, two feet square, on iron post at outer edge of the sidewalk in front of his premises, No. 301 West Twentieth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 24, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Douglass to retain sign in front of his premises, No. 317 West street; the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 24, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

NEW YORK, June 24, 1878.

We, the Mayor, Corporation Counsel, and Commissioner of Public Works, do hereby designate *The Weekly Journal of Commerce* as one of the papers in which brief advertisements, calling attention to any contracts intended to be awarded or bonds to be sold, shall be inserted, in place and stead of the *Sunday Times and Weekly Messenger*, heretofore designated for that purpose, and which has declined such appointment or designation.

(Signed) SMITH ELY, Jr., Mayor.

(Signed) W. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

(Signed) ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,
No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, Sept. 30, 1878.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending September 28, 1878.

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.	11
No. of buildings embraced in same.	18
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings	7
Second-class dwellings	6
French flats	1
Tenement houses	1
Hotels and boarding-houses	1
First-class stores	1
Second-class stores	1
Third-class stores	1
Office buildings	1
Manufactories and workshops	1
School-houses	1
Churches	1
Public buildings	1
Stables	2
Frame buildings (in upper districts)	2
Total	18

Plans passed upon, including those previously filed	16
Approved	9
Amended and approved	4
Disapproved	2
Pending	1
Total	16

Altered Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed	18
No. of buildings embraced in same	21
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings	1
Second-class dwellings	4
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	1
School-houses	1
Churches	1
Public buildings	1
Stables	1
Frame buildings	5
Total	21

Buildings examined and plans relating thereto passed upon, including those previously filed	27
Approved	9
Amended and approved	4
Disapproved	4
Pending	10
Total	27

Special Applications.

Number filed and examinations made	14
Approved	9
Disapproved	1
Pending	4
Total	14

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT MCGINNIS,
Chief of Bureau.
JOHN J. TINDALE,
Clerk.

BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Operations for the week ending Sept. 28, 1878:	
Complaints received from outside sources	3
Violations of the law reported	6
“ “ removed	23
Unsafe buildings reported	22
“ “ made safe	22
“ “ taken down	1
Surveys held on unsafe buildings	1
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	5
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	1

Violation notices served	16
Unsafe building notices served	40

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW OWENS,
Chief of Bureau.
WILLIAM H. CLASS,
Clerk.

BUREAU OF FIRE-ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

Operations for the week ending Sept. 28, 1878:	
Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire	10
Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire	13
Arch girders tested (approved)	6
“ “ (not approved)	1
Iron beams tested (approved)	31
“ “ (not approved)	1
Iron lintels tested (approved)	1
“ “ (not approved)	1
Notices for fire-escapes, etc., served	82
Cases sent to Attorney for prosecution	7
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways	17
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways	14

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. K. HYDE,
Chief of Bureau.
VICTOR W. VOORHEES,
Clerk.

1878. Dismissals.

September 7—James J. McKee, Messenger.
“ 7—Thomas Cumisky, “
“ 7—J. J. Smith, Clerk.

Suspensions.

September 7—William H. Keyes, Messenger.
“ 7—William McNamara, Inspector.
“ 7—James E. Dobbs, Clerk.

“ 24—Alfred Nugent, Inspector.

Appointments.

September 1—John O'Donnell, Assistant Inspector Iron Work.
“ 1—James P. Winters, Messenger.
“ 1—Thomas McFadden, “
“ 1—Michael Ney Salmon, Inspector.
“ 15—William H. Keyes, Messenger.
“ 15—James E. Dobbs, Clerk.
“ 22—John G. McMurray, Inspector.
“ 24—John McCarty, Examiner of Fire Escapes.
“ 26—William McNamara, Inspector.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
SMITH ELY, Jr., Mayor; GEORGE B. VANDERPOEL, Secretary.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

Permit and License Bureau Office.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM R. ROBERTS, President Board of Aldermen;
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.
No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.
No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register; WILLIAM R. FARRELL, Deputy Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN C. CAMPBELL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau of Arrears.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

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

Bureau of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of City Revenue.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**Central Office.**

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM F. SMITH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**Central Office.**

Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.**Headquarters.**

Nos. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES K. CROES, Engineer.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

- No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging on One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Eighth avenue to Harlem river.
- No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging on One Hundred and Seventh street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.
- No. 3. Paving with trap-blocks One Hundred and Twentieth street, from First avenue to the Harlem river.
- No. 4. Sewers in Eleventh avenue between Sixtieth and Sixty-fourth streets, and in Sixty-first street, between the Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
- No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Seventy-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues.
- No. 6. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging on the north side of Twenty-second street, between Avenue A and East river.
- No. 7. Regulating, grading, curb and gutter stones and flagging, Eighty-first street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.
- No. 8. Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-second street and One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between the Sixth and Seventh avenues.
- No. 9. Sewer in Ann street, between William and Gold streets.
- No. 10. Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Seventy-sixth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.
- No. 11. Sewer in Nassau street, between Beekman and Spruce streets.

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

- No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, and to the south side of the block at the intersection of Avenue A.
- No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
- No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from First avenue to Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
- No. 4. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-fourth street, and both sides of Sixty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of the Tenth to the Eleventh avenue, commencing at the Eleventh avenue, running easterly.
- No. 5. North side of Seventy-fifth street, between the Second and Third avenues.
- No. 6. North side of Twenty-second street, from Avenue A to the East river.
- No. 7. Both sides of Eighty-first street, from the Ninth to Tenth avenue.
- No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.
- No. 9. Both sides of Ann street, from William to Gold street.
- No. 10. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.
- No. 11. Both sides Nassau street, from Beekman to Spruce street.

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

The above described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 1st day of November ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALLY,
EDWARD NORTH,
JOHN R. MUMFORD,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER OF CENTRE),
NEW YORK, October 1, 1878.

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

- No. 1—Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, between Sixth and Seventh avenues..... \$2,119 20
- No. 2—Sewer in Ann street, between William and Gold streets..... 718 20
- No. 3—Paving Lexington avenue, between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-ninth streets..... 7,290 72
- No. 4—Curb, gutter, and flagging, Seventy-sixth street, between First avenue and Avenue A..... 935 81
- No. 5—Sewer in Waverly place, between West Tenth and Charles streets..... 582 00
- No. 6—Sewer in Nassau street, between Beekman and Spruce streets..... 444 00

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1878.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 27, 1878.

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

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Patrick Ryan; aged 36 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; blue eyes; Sandy hair. Had on when admitted, brown coat, gray pants, blue vest, black hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 26, 1878.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Annie Hanna; aged 38 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair; dark eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Joseph Wells; aged 47 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; light hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, blue blouse, gray pants. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 25, 1878.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from 80 Bayard street—Unknown woman; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Had on calico jacket, white chemise, white stockings.

Unknown man from foot of Twenty-third street, North river—Aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair mixed with gray. Had on blue coat, black vest, check pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, red undershirt, blue socks, boots.

At Work house, Blackwell's Island—Michael Gerhart; aged 40 years; committed September 14, 1878. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1878.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Thomas Farrell; aged 18 years; 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high; light brown hair; hazel eyes. Had on when admitted, black coat and pants, buff vest, black hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Randall's Island Hospital—Mary McCarthy; aged 85 years; grey hair and eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 21, 1878.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Alexander Kelly; aged 28 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; dark brown hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, blue coat, gray vest, black pants, white shirt, black felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Edward Reintard; aged 28 years; 5 feet 6 1/2 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes; admitted November 13, 1875. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 20, 1878.

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

At Hart's Island Hospital—Ellen Costello; aged 65 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; one eye; dark hair, gray mixed. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 24, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1, Chapter 476, Laws of 1875, inclosed in a sealed envelope, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder and the title and number of the work, as designated in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Monday, October 7, 1878, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department, and read, for—

N. 1. PAVING One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the several intersecting streets, where required.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained on application at Room 4 City Hall.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1878.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON

Saturday, October 5, 1878, at 11 o'clock A. M.
The Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under the direction of the Superintendent of Incumbrances, by Peter Bowe, Esq., Auctioneer, on the premises, so much of the Two Story Frame Building situated in One Hundredth street, between the Boulevard and Bloomingdale road, as stands within the lines of said street.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the building entirely out of the line of the street on or before November 5, 1878, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, or the building to be resold.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 24, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder, the title and number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Monday, October 7, 1878, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department, and read, for each of the following works:

No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Fifth avenue and summit west of Fifth avenue.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in One Hundred and Second street, from Fifth avenue to the Harlem river.

No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Eighth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 5. Paving One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Second and Third avenues, with Belgian or trap-block pavement.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired can be obtained, for each class of work, at the following offices:

For Sewer, Room 21; Regulating, Grading, etc., Room 4; and Paving, Room 4, City Hall.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$6,900,000.

CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK; INTEREST AT 5 PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

REDEEMABLE, 1908. PAYABLE, 1928.

SECURED BY THE SINKING FUND.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Comptroller's Office, until Tuesday, October 8, 1878, at 2 o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, for the whole or any part of the sum of \$6,900,000 of Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, authorized by chapter 322, Laws of 1871, and issued pursuant to the provisions of chapter 383, Laws of 1878, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted August 26, 1878.

The bonds are redeemable on and after the first day of November, 1908, and payable on the first day of November, 1928, with interest at 5 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of May and November, in each year, at the office of the Comptroller, in the City of New York.

The bonds, principal and interest, will be made payable in either the gold coin or the currency of the United States, as may be desired, and bidders are requested to state distinctly in their proposals the description of bonds they desire and bid for, whether Gold Bonds or Currency Bonds.

Said stock will be issued for the redemption and cancellation of an equal amount of bonds of the Corporation, issued for local improvements, due on November 1, 1878, and its issue will therefore not increase the city debt.

The proposals may be made for Coupon Bonds of \$500 and \$1,000, and for Registered Bonds of \$500, or any multiples of this sum.

Coupon Bonds will be convertible by the holders into Registered Bonds, by the surrender thereof at the Comptroller's Office.

Proposals will state the amount of bonds desired, and the price per one hundred dollars thereof.

The law provides that "The Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law."

Payment may be made on or before November 1, 1878, and the aforesaid bonds of the Corporation due on November 1, 1878, will be received from the holders thereof whose proposals are accepted as the highest bidders, at par with accrued interest thereon, on or before that date, in payment for stock that may be awarded to them.

Interest allowed from the date of payment. Receipts will be given, for which Bonds will be delivered to the holders on and after November 1, 1878.

Each proposal should be sealed and endorsed "Proposals for Consolidated Stock of the City of New York," and inclosed in a second envelope addressed to the Comptroller.

Said stock will be awarded to the highest bidders, and the right is reserved on the part of the Comptroller to reject any or all of the bids, if in his judgment the interests of the Corporation require it.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 17, 1878.
JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.**CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York will offer for sale at public auction, on Wednesday, October 23, 1878, at noon, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the corporation of the City of New York:

Premises Nos. 9 and 11 Franklin street.

House and lot on the northeast corner of Third avenue and Eighty-fifth street.

No. 49 Leonard street, now leased at annual rent of \$800 until December 1, 1879.

Full warrantee deeds will be given to all purchasers.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be obtained at the Comptroller's office on and after the 10th of October, next.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
September 21, 1878.
JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1878, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New County Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 26 to November 1, 1878.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 10, 1878.
JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COUNTY-COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, August 16, 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 AUGUST 14, 1878.

Elton avenue, grading, from 3d to Brook avenue.

Boulevard, etc., sewers, from 6th street to 8th avenue, with branches.

10th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from 82d to 93d street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before October 15, 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 entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 9, 1877.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

THOMAS SHELLS,
THOMAS CARROLL,
GEORGE HALL,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
BERNARD BIGLIN,
Committee on Public Works

JURORS.**NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS**

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK,