

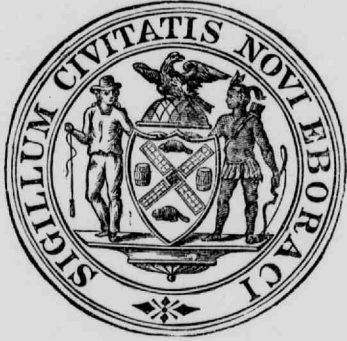
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

WEDNESDAY, December 15, 1880.

Regular meeting, 9:30 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales.

Hon. Salem H. Wales, who had been duly appointed a Commissioner of the Department of Public Parks, in the place of James F. Wenman, presented his certificate of appointment, which was ordered entered at length upon the minutes, as follows:

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1880.

I hereby certify that, in accordance with the provisions of the act, chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, I have this day, by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appointed Salem H. Wales Commissioner of Parks of the City of New York for the term of five years, in place of James F. Wenman, whose term of office has expired.

[SEAL.]

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

On motion of Commissioner Wales, Commissioner Conover was called to the chair.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following communications were received:

From Walter F. McConnell, declining the position of Assistant Engineer, to which he was appointed at the last meeting of the Board.
Accepted and ordered filed.

From P. H. Hacke, desiring to exchange swans.

Referred to the Director of the Managerie to report upon.

From Lewis Clemons in relation to the sale of animals.

Same reference.

From the Engineer of Construction, relative to repavement over street openings.

On motion of Commissioner Green, referred to the Chairman to report upon.

From R. L. Stuart, desiring permission to erect bay-windows on his proposed building.

Laid over.

From the Clerk of the Common Council, transmitting copy of an ordinance regulating the erection of telegraph poles.

Ordered filed.

From the Engineer of Construction, transmitting bill for use of a boat at Central Bridge, during repairs to same.

Referred to the Auditing Committee.

From the Mayor, desiring information in relation to resolutions of the Board of Aldermen, granting permission to erect bay-window and regulate and grade Brook avenue.

Referred to the Chairman to reply to.

From John Beattie, contractor for building piers and abutments for the Madison Avenue Bridge, desiring an extension of time in which to complete said work.

Referred to the Engineer of Construction to report upon.

From the Counsel to the Corporation, transmitting an opinion in relation to the informality in the proposal of John Slattery for laying crosswalks on Willis avenue.

Laid over.

From the Engineer of Construction, in relation to plans for work at central pier of Madison Avenue Bridge.

Ordered filed.

From the Engineer of Construction, submitting plans and specifications for the improvement of Riverside avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-eighth streets.

Laid over.

The Chairman laid before the Board a copy of the summons and complaint, and the injunction granted the Manhattan Railway Company against the Department, in the matter of the order of removal of tracks from the Battery.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

A copy of the report of a committee of the Municipal Society adverse to the use of any portion of the Central Park for the purpose of a world's fair.

Ordered filed.

Bill of James Davis for personal expenses and services.

Referred to the Auditing Committee.

The Treasurer presented the following report, which was ordered entered at length upon the minutes:

Department of Public Parks in account with Samuel Conover, Treasurer.

1880.	Cr.		
Dec. 1	By balance.....	\$383 34	
" 8	By cash received from John Lucas.....	2 79	
" 9	" " Isidor Isaac.....	8 77	
" 14	" " Chas. Rivinius.....	10 00	
" 14	" " Geo. Smith & Son.....	10 00	
" 14	" " Jos. J. Snow.....	2 56	
			\$417 46
	Dr.		
Dec. 11	To cash paid into City Treasury.....	\$383 34	
" 15	To balance.....	34 12	
			417 46

(Signed) SAMUEL CONOVER, Treasurer D. P. P.

NEW YORK, WEDNESDAY, December 15, 1880, 9:30 A. M.

Commissioner Conover, Chairman of the Auditing Committee, presented the following report:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Allen, R. H. & Co., seed.....	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	\$3 50
Adler, Jacob & Co., gloves.....	Police.....	120 00
Ackerman, Wm. G., dockage.....	Maint. 23d and 24th Wards.....	100 00
Bell, Thomas, harness repairs.....	Maint. 23d and 24th Wards.....	5 00
Conklin, W. A., medicines.....	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	17 95
Coffin, P. C., nails.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	6 00
Coogan, Wm., monuments.....	Surveying, Laying Out, etc., 23d and 24th Wards.....	196 00
Dunham, Thos. C., oil.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	2 20
Harlem Gas-light Co., gas.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	24 52
Hawes, M. E., bread.....	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	51 80
Hogan, Michael, car fares.....	Maint. 23d and 24th Wards.....	12 12
Howell, A. J., rubble stone.....	Sedgwick avenue, Maint. of.....	990 00
Keuffel & Esser, drawing materials.....	Morningside Park, Impt. of.....	50 40
Knickerbocker Ice Co., ice.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	103 30
Lawrence, B. H., blacksmithing.....	Maint. 23d and 24th Wards.....	50 75
Metropolitan Gas-light Co., gas.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	110 25
Mott, J. L., Iron Works, sundries.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	\$4 29
	Maint. 23d and 24th Wards.....	4 50
		8 79
Murphy & Nesbit, cement, lime, etc.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	34 25
New York Mutual Gas-light Co., gas.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	38 25
O'Brien, M., milk.....	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	10 50
Raynolds, C. T. & Co., soda and potash.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	2 05
Shady, James H., fish.....	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	7 20
Van Winkle, E. B., petty expenses.....	Surveying, Laying Out, etc., 23d and 24th Wards.....	\$39 64
	Making maps, etc., 23d and 24th Wards, Dept. Taxes & Ass'ts.....	43 66
		88 30
Wright, D., curry-comb and brush.....	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	4 25
		\$2,032 38

RECAPITULATION.

Maintenance Zoological Department.....	\$95 20
Labor, Maintenance, and Supplies.....	325 11
Maintenance 23d and 24th Wards.....	172 37
Surveying, Laying Out, etc., 23d and 24th Wards.....	235 64
Police.....	120 00
Sedgwick avenue, Maintenance of.....	990 00
Making Maps, 23d and 24th Wards—Department Taxes and Assessments.....	43 66
Morningside Park, Improvement of.....	50 40
	\$2,032 38

Amounting in the aggregate to the sum of two thousand and thirty-two dollars and thirty-eight cents.

(Signed) SAMUEL CONOVER, { Auditing
SMITH E. LANE, { Committee.

NEW YORK, December 14, 1880.

On motion of Commissioner Green, said report was laid over.

Commissioner Wales offered the following:

Resolved, That the meetings of this Board be hereafter open to the public.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

Commissioner Green moved that the subject of the revision of the By-laws be referred to a Special Committee of two, to be appointed by the Chairman, with instructions to report at the next meeting.

Commissioner Wales moved as an amendment that a Committee be appointed, consisting of Commissioners Green, Lane, and Conover, to consider and revise the By-laws and present a report upon the subject at an early meeting.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said amendment, and it was determined in the negative, a majority of all the members of the Board not voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Lane and Wales—2.

Noes—Commissioners Conover and Green—2.

Commissioner Wales moved that Commissioners Green and Conover be appointed a Committee to prepare and present a report to the Board upon the revision of the By-laws.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Green, and Wales—3.

No—Commissioner Lane—1.

Messrs. Henderson & Phillips, a Committee from the Board of Supervisors of the County of Westchester, appeared before the Board in relation to the condition of the bridges over the Bronx river, and stated the necessity for giving immediate attention to the same.

On motion of Commissioner Green, at 11:55 A. M., the Board adjourned to meet at 8 o'clock this evening.

Adjourned meeting, 8 P. M.

Present—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales.

Commissioner Conover in the chair.

Commissioner Wales offered the following:

Resolved, That a Committee of two be appointed, who shall be charged with the duty of inquiring into the personnel of the Department, and reporting, at as early a day as practicable, whether, at the present time, there are more persons in the employ of the Department, and drawing salary therefrom than is necessary, and report as to the competency of the several persons so employed, and whether the salaries paid such persons are in excess of those that should be paid for the services so rendered, and whether, in any instance, the salary of any person in the employ of the Department is insufficient for the services rendered, and also to make inquiry from the co-ordinate Departments of the City Government as to the rate of wages paid per diem for mechanics and laborers employed in the Departments.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

Commissioner Green moved that the Board do now proceed to elect a President.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

The Chairman appointed Commissioner Green teller.

The Board then proceeded to ballot for President, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Wales.....	1 vote.
Blank.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Wales.....	1 vote.
“ Lane.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
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For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Wales.....	1 vote.
“ Lane.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Wales.....	1 vote.
“ Lane.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President had been made.

Commissioner Green offered the following:

Resolved, That the roll of Commissioners be called, and that each Commissioner, as his name is called, give the name of the Commissioner for whom he votes for President.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the negative, a majority of all the members of the Board not voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover and Green—2.

Noes—Commissioners Lane and Wales—2.

Commissioner Green moved that the Board do now proceed to ballot for President.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

The Board then proceeded to ballot for President, the same teller acting, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Wales.....	1 vote.
“ Lane.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board continued to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President had been made.

Commissioner Green asked to be excused from acting as teller.

On motion of Commissioner Wales, Commissioner Green was so excused.

The Chairman appointed Commissioner Wales as teller.

Commissioner Green moved that the Board do now take a recess for fifteen minutes.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the negative, a majority of all the members of the Board not voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover and Green—2.

Noes—Commissioners Lane and Wales—2.

The Board then proceeded to ballot for President, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Wales.....	1 vote.
“ Lane.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board then proceeded to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board then proceeded to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board then proceeded to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
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For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board then proceeded to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President had been made.

Commissioner Green offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner who has had the highest number of votes on every ballot be and he is declared elected President of the Board.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the negative, a majority of all the members of the Board not voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover and Green—2.

Noes—Commissioners Lane and Wales—2.

The Board then proceeded to ballot for President, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board then proceeded to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board then proceeded to ballot, with the following result:

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The Chairman announcing that no choice for President having been made, the Board then proceeded to ballot, with the following result:

For Commissioner Conover.....	2 votes.
“ Lane.....	1 vote.
“ Wales.....	1 “

The Chairman announcing that no choice for President had been made.

On motion of Commissioner Green, the Treasurer was requested to report upon the resolutions adopted at a previous meeting of the Board, calling for reports relative to the occupation of Thomas F. Goodwin and the amount of money received by him, and as to the necessity for the continuation of the employment of John Curran as Inspector of Sewer-connections in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

The Treasurer reported that Thomas F. Goodwin had been in the employ of the Department since September 15, 1877, and that during such time he had been employed as stone-cutter, cleaning statues, and Inspector of Parks, and for such services had received the sum of \$3,639.50, and that, in his opinion, the duties of inspecting sewer-connections could be discharged by the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and that the services of John Curran could be dispensed with.

Commissioner Lane moved that the report of the Treasurer be received, and that the services of Thomas F. Goodwin be dispensed with, and he be discharged from the employ of the Department.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

Commissioner Conover moved that John Curran, employed as Inspector of Sewer-connections, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, be discharged from the employ of the Department.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

Commissioner Green moved that George W. Pyne be dismissed from his position as Parkkeeper and from the employ of this Department.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

Commissioner Lane moved that John Whelan be dismissed from his position as Gatekeeper and from the employ of the Department.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

Commissioner Green moved that Julius Munckwitz, Jr., employed as a skilled laborer, be discharged from the employ of the Department.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Lane, Green, and Wales—4.

No—Commissioner Lane—1.

Commissioner Green offered the following:

Resolved, That it is proposed to remove from office John Halloran, now occupying the position of Superintendent of Parks; that he be informed that the cause of his removal is inefficiency in and inability to perform the duties of his office, and that he have an opportunity to make an explanation at a meeting to be held on Saturday morning, at half-past nine o'clock.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Green, and Wales—3.

Commissioner Green offered the following:

Resolved, That it is proposed to remove from office Julius Munckwitz, now occupying the position of Superintending Architect; that he be informed that the cause of his proposed removal is the insufficiency of work to occupy his time, and that he have an opportunity to make an explanation at a meeting to be held on Saturday morning next, at half-past nine o'clock.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Conover, Green, and Wales—3.
No—Commissioner Lane—1.

The Chairman appointed Commissioners Wales and Green as a Committee of two to inquire into the personnel of the Department in accordance with the resolution adopted at this meeting.

On motion of Commissioner Green, at 9:50 o'clock P. M., the Board adjourned to meet on Saturday next, 18th instant, at 9:30 A. M.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 15, 1880.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending December 11, 1880:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.....	\$11,008 35
For penalties on Croton water rents.....	283 50
For tapping Croton pipes.....	173 50
For sewer permits.....	659 40
For vault permits.....	487 50
For restoring and repaving—"Special Fund".....	474 00
Total.....	\$13,086 25

Public Lamps.

7 new lamps lighted.
2 old lamps relighted.
1 lamp discontinued.
3 lamp-posts reset.
2 lamp-posts straightened.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending December 11, 1880, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Dec. 6	4:30 P.M.	70.	29.83	Manhattan	Empire 5 ft.....	.83	5.00	124.8	18.36	19.09
" 7	4 P.M.	74.	29.98	"	"	.84	5.00	118.8	19.50	19.30
" 8	4 P.M.	71.	30.02	"	"	.87	5.00	121.2	19.42	19.61
" 9	4:30 P.M.	73.	30.43	"	"	.85	5.00	120.0	19.20	19.20
" 10	4:30 P.M.	69.	30.46	"	"	.83	5.00	120.0	18.32	18.32
" 11	4:30 P.M.	67.	30.33	"	"	.84	5.00	121.8	18.22	18.40
									Average.	19.00
Dec. 6	6:30 P.M.	77.	29.83	Harlem.....	"	.92	5.00	121.8	18.32	18.59
" 7	6 P.M.	76.	30.03	"	"	.95	5.00	125.4	18.70	19.54
" 8	6 P.M.	67.	30.00	"	"	.95	5.00	120.0	19.23	19.23
" 9	6:30 P.M.	64.	30.39	"	"	.96	5.00	120.0	19.10	19.10
" 10	6 P.M.	60.	30.43	"	"	.92	5.00	120.6	18.08	18.17
" 11	11 A.M.	60.	30.38	"	"	.91	5.00	118.8	17.46	17.28
									Average.	18.65
Dec. 6	3:30 P.M.	68.	29.83	New York.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.82	5.00	126.0	22.28	23.39
" 7	2:30 P.M.	72.	29.98	"	"	.81	5.00	120.6	25.18	25.30
" 8	2 P.M.	69.	30.02	"	"	.83	5.00	124.8	22.36	23.25
" 9	1 P.M.	69.	30.43	"	"	.83	5.00	120.6	22.26	22.37
" 10	3 P.M.	66.	30.46	"	"	.84	5.00	124.2	21.00	21.73
" 11	3 P.M.	64.	30.33	"	"	.85	5.00	122.4	22.28	22.72
									Average.	23.12
Dec. 6	4 P.M.	69.	29.83	N. Y. Mutual..	"	.86	5.00	120.0	23.16	23.16
" 7	3 P.M.	73.	29.98	"	"	.87	5.00	121.2	24.00	24.24
" 8	3 P.M.	70.	30.02	"	"	.87	5.00	123.0	21.36	21.89
" 9	4 P.M.	73.	30.43	"	"	.88	5.00	123.6	21.36	22.02
" 10	4 P.M.	67.	30.46	"	"	.88	5.00	124.2	23.46	24.28
" 11	3:30 P.M.	65.	30.33	"	"	.90	5.00	124.8	22.64	23.54
									Average.	23.19
Dec. 6	3 P.M.	67.	29.83	Municipal.....	"	.80	5.00	118.8	25.84	25.58
" 7	2 P.M.	72.	29.98	"	"	.83	5.00	122.4	26.70	27.23
" 8	1 P.M.	68.	30.02	"	"	.83	5.00	122.4	27.02	27.56
" 9	2:30 P.M.	71.	30.43	"	"	.83	5.00	120.6	28.04	28.18
" 10	2 P.M.	65.	30.46	"	"	.84	5.00	124.8	25.66	26.68
" 11	1:30 P.M.	60.	30.33	"	"	.84	5.00	123.6	26.10	26.88
									Average.	27.02
Dec. 6	6 P.M.	76.	29.83	Metropolitan....	" No. 6	.63	5.00	126.0	21.64	22.72
" 7	5:30 P.M.	74.	30.03	"	"	.67	5.00	118.2	24.20	23.84
" 8	6:30 P.M.	68.	30.00	"	"	.68	5.00	120.6	23.18	23.29
" 9	6 P.M.	62.	30.39	"	"	.70	5.00	115.8	23.16	22.35
" 10	6:30 P.M.	61.	30.43	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	22.84	22.84
" 11	11:30 A.M.	62.	30.38	"	"	.69	5.00	115.2	24.44	23.46
									Average.	23.08

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

Permits Issued.

28 permits to tap Croton pipes.
47 permits to open streets.
26 permits to make sewer connections.
6 permits to repair sewer connections.
2 permits to construct street vaults.
59 permits to place building material on streets.

Removing Obstructions.

Stand from southeast corner Eighth avenue and Twentieth street.
Stand from southeast corner Pearl and Wall streets.
Booth from 444 Grand street.
Furniture from 410 East Eleventh street.
Furniture from 103 and 105 Washington street.
Two-story house from east side New Church street, south of Cortlandt street.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

23 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
300 linear feet of sewer cleaned.
12 linear feet of spur-pipe laid.
2 receiving-basins repaired.
2 new manhole covers put on.
15 square yards of pavement relaid.
47 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending December 11, 1880.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	5	50	3	..
In Pipe Yard foot of East Twenty-fourth street....	2	14	..	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	18	60	..	11
Repairing pavements.....	6	8	..	..
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	23	..	8
Maintenance and construction of Boulevards and Aves.	3	31	8	3
Repairing roads.....	..	11	5	2
Repaving, under chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	..	..	..	..
Total.....	37	206	16	24
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..

Appointment.

Michael Dooley, Inspector Sewers.

Removed on Completion of Work.

Robert Cunningham, Inspector Sewers. Jason Mills, Inspector Sewers.
Edward O'Shea, Inspector Sewers. George Dessoye, Inspector Regulating, etc.
John Delany, Inspector Sewers. W. F. McManus, Inspector Regulating, etc.
Martin J. Meehan, Inspector Sewers.

Requisitions on Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$23,933.44.

FRED. H. HAMLIN,
Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 14th day of December, 1880.

Present—Commissioners Nichols, Mason, and Smith, and the Comptroller.

Commissioner Smith in the chair.

The following bids for building a station-house, etc., for the Sixth Precinct were opened and read:

No. 1. N. & H. Andrews.....	\$48,250 00
No. 2. Henry Wallace.....	47,839 00
No. 3. William B. Pettit.....	52,800 00
No. 4. Isaac A. Hopper.....	42,470 00
No. 5. Gibb & O'Reilly.....	47,000 00
No. 6. Mahoney Bros. (with rock provision).....	41,360 00

Whereupon it was

Resolved, That the bid of Mahoney Bros. be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for opinion as to whether said bid is vitiated by clause inserted therein, by bidder, as to removal of rock, and that the remaining bids be referred to the Chief Clerk for report.

Adjourned.

SECOND MEETING.

DECEMBER 14, 1880.

Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason, and Smith.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Surgeon McDonald, two weeks, Surgeon Satterlee to perform duties.
Doorman Geo. C. Campell, Sanitary Co., fifteen days, without pay.

Leaves of Absence granted under Rule 564—Approved.

December 7. Patrolman John Ryan, Eighth Precinct, half day.
8. " Charles H. Pless, Twentieth Precinct, one day.
8. " John Brady, Twenty-sixth Precinct, half day.
9. " John Malloy, Thirty-second Precinct, half day.
10. " Jacob Brunner, Nineteenth Precinct, two and a half day.
11. " John Kelly, Twenty-ninth Precinct, half day.
13. " Peter Harding, Eighteenth Precinct, one and a half day.
14. " James Smith, Steamboat Squad, half day.

Parades Approved.

St. Bonaventura Society, December 8. Funeral.
Metamora Tribe, I. O. R. M., December 9. Funeral.
Cosmopolitan Lodge, K. of H., December 12. Funeral.
Florence Association, December 14. Funeral.
German Scheutzen Bund, December 11. Serenade Parade.
J. C. Johnson Light Guard, December 25. Target parade.
Young Thomas Light Guard, December 25. Target parade.
Hamilton Light Guard, December 25. Target parade.

Masked Ball Allowed.

Semansky Association, at Pythagoras Hall, January 7, 1881.
Report of the Superintendent, relative to enforcement of the Excise Law on 12th inst., was ordered on file.

Death Reported.

Patrolman John Cox, Steamboat Squad, at 1 A. M., 12th inst.
Application of Captain Tynan, Fourth Precinct, for detail of Patrolman Michael Leahy, to special duty, was referred to the Superintendent for report.
Application of George J. Murphy, for appointment as Telegraph Operator, was ordered on file.
Communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to service of writs of certiorari, mandamus, and other process, upon the Board of Police, was ordered on file.
On application of Captain Brogan, Fifteenth Precinct, it was
Resolved, That the following transfers be ordered:
Patrolman Thomas A. Moore, from Fifteenth Precinct to Fifth Precinct (detail continued).
Doorman John Fay, from Fifteenth Precinct to House Detention.

Resignations Accepted.

Patrolman William O'Neill, Fourth Precinct.
" John H. Stoker, Ninth Precinct.
Commissioner French here retired.
Commissioner Nichols in chair.
Report of the Superintendent pursuant to rule 435 (arrests by Detective Squad, November, 1880, total, 82), was ordered on file.
Report of the Board of Surgeons, on condition of Patrolman Jeremiah Hayes, Thirteenth Precinct, was ordered on file.

Weekly statements of the Comptroller (2), showing condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, were referred to the Treasurer.

The following applications for full pay while sick were referred to the Superintendent to obtain report of the Board of Surgeons, and transmit the same, with his own report, to this Board.

Precinct.		Precinct.	
Roundsmen Thomas Bell.....	10	Patrolman James Cowan.....	10
Patrolman John Shortall.....	21	Robert Corrigan.....	1
George A. Castle.....	19	John Shea.....	14

Application of A. J. Adams for return of certain property in the hands of the Property Clerk, was ordered on file.

On application of Inspector Thorne, it was Resolved, That Patrolman Charles H. Miner, Twelfth Precinct, be transferred to the Thirtieth Precinct, and his detail continued.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay to the City Chamberlain the sum of \$16.87, surplus moneys to the credit of the Department of Clothing and Equipment, per account rendered, for the month of November, 1880.—all present voting aye.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay to the Police Pension Fund the sum of \$397.81, for fines imposed during the month of November, 1880, in pursuance of section 3, chapter 389, Laws of 1878—all present voting aye.

Resolved, That Sergeant William Meakim, First Inspection District, be granted permission to receive a reward of \$50 (subject to the deduction under the rules), from the Warden of Sing Sing Prison, for capture of James Holland, an escaped convict.

Resolved, That Patrolman John McNamara, Fourteenth Precinct, be granted permission to receive a reward of \$30 (subject to the deduction under the rule) for arrest of a deserter from the United States Army.

Commissioner French here entered. Communication from the Comptroller, asking information to enable him to make suitable defense in case of Dolan vs. the Mayor, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Commissioner French here retired—Commissioner Nichols in the chair. The following applications for leave to employ counsel were granted:

Patrolman Cornelius J. McCarthy, Twenty-first Precinct.
Patrolman William Dougherty, Ninth Precinct.
Patrolman Edgar Conklin, Ninth Precinct.

Resolved, That Patrolman James Quigley, Eighteenth Precinct, be and he is hereby transferred to the Special Service Squad, for three days, for service with J. W. Barrow, No. 313 East Seventeenth street.

On reading report of the Superintendent, it was— Resolved, That Patrolman James B. Black, Twenty-second Precinct, be and he is hereby transferred to the Thirty-third Precinct.

Resolved, that the bill of George E. Smith, \$10, for Engineer's License certificate, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer, all voting aye.

Resolved, That the following bills, for account of election expenses, be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

Martin B. Brown, printing.....	\$32 05
Mary Webb, meals.....	56 50
Mary Webb, meals.....	250 00
	<u>\$344 55</u>

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was Resolved, That the proposal of Hugh Nesbitt, for painting, etc., at Fourth Precinct Station-house, for the sum of \$117, be and is hereby accepted, the same being the only bid.

On reading affidavit of J. A. Dinkey, relative to ownership of watch taken from Jane Clark, it was

Resolved, That the Property Clerk be directed to hold the watch until further orders. Commissioner French here entered.

Application of John S. Mallon, for reappointment as Patrolman, was ordered on file.

On report of the Special Committee, it was Resolved, That Rule 10 be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

1st. The regular meetings of the Board of Police shall be held on Tuesday and Friday of each week, at two o'clock p. m., unless otherwise ordered by the full Board.

2. Special meetings may be called at any time by the Chief Clerk when requested by the President, or a majority of the members, specifying the object of the meeting; and a special meeting may be held at any time when all the Commissioners are present and consent, with or without previous notice of the object of the meeting. At such special meetings no rule or regulation shall be made, repealed or changed; no officer, clerk or agent shall be dismissed, employed, or have his term extended, or his compensation diminished or increased; and no action shall be taken upon any measure or matter touching the general policy or duty of the Board or of its officers, except to refer the same to the next meeting of the Board, unless all members are present.

3. No notice shall be required for meetings referred to in section 1, but three hours' notice of special meetings shall be given personally, sent by telegraph, or left at such place as the members may severally designate.

4. The following shall be the order of business at meetings of the Board:

1. Reading of Minutes.
2. Reports.
3. Communications.
4. Resolutions and Orders—All resolutions to be in writing.
5. Unfinished business.
6. New business.

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

Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—Commissioners French, Nichols, and Mason, voting aye. Commissioner Smith not voting.

Frederick Ackerman, cleaning carpet.....	\$1 80	Law Telegraph Co., rent of telephones.....	30 00
Mary A. Baker, meals.....	391 50	B. H. Lawrence, veterinary service.....	21 00
Bradley & Co., carriage hire.....	19 25	Thomas C. Lawrence, lamp chimneys.....	1 40
George B. Brown, repairs.....	27 00	James D. Leary, coal.....	175 00
" " " ".....	24 85	" " " ".....	175 00
" " " ".....	35 30	" " " ".....	250 00
" " " ".....	13 25	" " " ".....	250 00
E. W. Bullinger, Bullinger's Guide.....	6 00	" " " ".....	250 00
James Burke, meals.....	3 00	" " " ".....	100 00
William Carlin, horseshoeing.....	35 50	" " " ".....	40 00
J. B. & J. M. Cornell, iron work.....	50 73	" " " ".....	15 00
Thomas J. Cox, expenses.....	3 00	" " " ".....	75 00
Thomas J. Cox, Jr., expenses.....	2 99	" " " ".....	75 00
William Dall, horse feed.....	25 64	" " " ".....	250 00
J. Deering, repairs.....	18 85	" " " ".....	200 00
" " " ".....	39 80	" " " ".....	150 00
" " " ".....	18 80	Francis McCabe, cartages.....	4 50
" " " ".....	15 45	A. MacIntosh, coal.....	5 75
" " " ".....	7 50	P. Malone, horseshoeing.....	19 25
" " " ".....	7 25	Miller, Morrison & Co., horse blankets.....	66 00
" " " ".....	16 27	Muller & Branich, wood.....	3 75
" " " ".....	11 25	National Stove Works, stove.....	14 50
" " " ".....	98 81	Hugh Nesbitt, painting roof.....	20 60
" " " ".....	8 40	" " " ".....	5 25
F. W. Devoe & Co., oil.....	4 94	Emery Parker, sweeping flues.....	3 50
John Doran, newspapers.....	5 18	J. E. Quackenbush & Son, hardware.....	6 31
Gas Co.—Manhattan, gas.....	647 55	L. G. Tillotson & Co., telegraph wire.....	46 49
" " " ".....	211 73	Charles Welde, lumber.....	27 28
" " " ".....	160 88	White & Co., agents, horse feed.....	24 50
" " " ".....	125 75	" " " ".....	100 94
" " " ".....	22 60	Mary Webb, meals.....	59 70
" " " ".....	33 90	" " " ".....	15 90
William H. Geer, horse feed.....	199 77	" " " ".....	29 93
" " " ".....	111 77		
C. H. Hance & Co., soap.....	25 60		
Henry Hoile, mason work.....	75 00		
Howe Bros., horseshoeing.....	42 00		
			<u>\$5,060 41</u>

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

- Patrolman Henry Shea, First Precinct, five days' pay.
" Richard Adamson, Fourth Precinct, three days' pay.
" Robert Halfpenny, Fifth Precinct, half day's pay.
" Charles H. McKenzie, Twelfth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Henry Schmitz, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Peter Leniston, Fifteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Henry H. Pellett, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
" Thomas Keeley, Twenty-second Precinct, half day's pay.
" Henry Hurlburt, Twenty-second, one day's pay.

- Patrolman Thomas Powers, Twenty-second Precinct, one day's pay.
" Patrick Prendergast, Twenty-seventh Precinct, one day's pay.
" James Grey, Twenty-seventh Precinct, three days' pay.
" Robert Ramsey, Twenty-eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
" John H. Curtin, Twenty-eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Michael Ward, Twenty-eighth Precinct, two days' pay.
" Daniel Crowley, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Lewis Connors, Twenty-ninth Precinct, three days' pay.
" William A. Smith, Thirty-third Precinct, one day's pay.
" Elijah F. Austin, Thirty-fourth Precinct, half day's pay.
" David R. Bolster, Thirty-fourth Precinct, half day's pay.

Complaints Dismissed.

Precinct.		Precinct.	
Patrolman Daniel J. Callahan.....	4	Patrolman William H. Nash.....	29
" David Crawford.....	5	" Isaac Evans.....	29
" August Alberts.....	5	" George E. Shaw.....	29
" David Cook.....	7	" Edward Fanning.....	29
" George Braisted.....	7	" Philip Mohr.....	29
" James Coughlin.....	13	" Andrew J. Thomas.....	29
" Edward Galligan.....	14	" William Kelly.....	29
" Joseph Leamy.....	18	" Lewis Connor.....	29
Sergeant Matthew Tuck.....	21	" Henry M. Orpen.....	30
Patrolman Cornelius Scully.....	27		

Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Pilot Commissioners, relative to Scow in East river for the reception of ashes from vessels, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Communication from Captain Williams on condition of Eighteenth Ward Market building, was ordered on file, and a copy to be forwarded to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, with request that the necessary steps be taken to cause immediate repairs.

Communication from J. A. Hyland, attorney for Captain John Shields—Claim for damages caused by Tug Municipal, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning for report.

Resolved, That the bill for rent of Eighteenth Ward Market to December 1, 1880, amounting to \$250, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all aye.

On recommendation of the Committee on Street Cleaning, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—Commissioners French, Nichols and Mason voting aye—Commissioner Smith not voting:

Bell Bros., spruce plank.....	\$70 00	William Young, pitch, etc.....	30 25
F. W. Devoe & Co., kerosene oil.....	24 88	" " files and rasps.....	20 00
Hicks & Bell, lard oil, etc.....	25 80	E. W. McClave & Co., pine boards.....	196 00
" " rope.....	522 49	" " spruce planks.....	14 50
James D. Leary, coal.....	15 00	" " flooring.....	35 00
" " " ".....	12 00	Isaac H. Terrell, spruce and pine boards.....	25 66
Manhattan Gas Co., coke.....	3 00		
E. W. McClave & Co., lumber.....	14 25		
Thomas Smith, unloading scows.....	38 71		
			<u>\$1,047 54</u>

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET, December 17, 1880.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq., Supervisor City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to section 44, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I hereby submit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department of the City of New York, for the three weeks ending Thursday, December 16, 1880:

Appointments—None.

Applicants for Appointment as Patrolmen.

- Martin Ryan, moulder, 503 West Forty-third street. Passed.
James Doyle, driver, 314 East Thirty-first street. Passed.
Robert Clifford, brakeman, 8 Pearl street. Passed.
Peter J. Daly, bricklayer, 321 East Tenth street. Passed.
Hugh R. Black, furniture, 186 West Fourth street. Passed.
Thomas R. Meyers, porter, 436 West Thirty-third street. Rejected.
Edward Dubois, blacksmith, 260 Water street. Passed.
William Lynch, driver, 315 East Fifty-ninth street. Rejected.
James E. Liston, produce, Yonkers, N. Y. Rejected.
Timothy J. Callaghan, teamster, 484 Cherry street. Passed.
Herbert M. Tompkins, conductor, 133 West Fifty-third street. Passed.
Frederick McCoy, clerk, 133 Mott street. Passed.
Edgar Voorhees, teamster, foot Eighty-seventh street, N. R. Passed.
George A. Wright, salesman, 415 West street. Passed.
William J. Rourke, bartender, 336 East Twentieth street. Rejected.
John Sweeney, driver, 29 Carmine street. Passed.
Seneca Rice, clerk, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Passed.
William C. Bartley, fisherman, Greenport, L. I. Passed.

Respectfully submitted,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending December 4, 1880.

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

- Timothy Daly—Summons and notice for \$499.34 served.
People, ex rel. John B. Greene, against The Board of Police Commissioners—Certiorari to review removal of relator August 2, 1880, from the Department.
In the matter of the application of Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York; John Kelly, Comptroller of said City; John J. Morris, John W. Jacobus, and Bernard Goodwin, Aldermen of said City, in the Aldermanic District consisting of the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, and Sixteenth Wards of the City of New York, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, under and pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled, "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a public market place for farmers and market gardeners in the City of New York, for the acquisition of lands for this purpose, and for the regulation and management of the same," passed May 7, 1880, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purposes prescribed in said act (Gansevoort Market).
Patrick Fulham—Summons only served.
In the matter of John Ballard, a person in indigent circumstances, who has become insane.
People, ex rel. The New York Elevated Railroad Company, vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, The Board of Aldermen, and The Board of Supervisors of the City of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's structure, on which tracks are laid, as real estate, for 1879.
People, ex rel. The New York Elevated Railroad Company, against The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, The Board of Aldermen, and The Board of Supervisors of the City of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's structure, on which tracks are laid, as real estate, for year 1880.
People, ex rel. The Metropolitan Elevated Railway Company, against the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, The Board of Aldermen, and The Board of Supervisors of the City of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's structure, on which tracks are laid, as real estate, for year 1879.
People, ex rel. The Metropolitan Elevated Railway Company, against The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, The Board of Aldermen, and The Board of Supervisors of the City of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's structure, on which tracks are laid, as real estate, for year 1880.
People, ex rel. John Johnson, against The Board of Police—Certiorari to review removal of relator, a patrolman, from the force.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT, FOR SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF N. Y.

- First National Bank of the City of New York against The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Martin T. McMahon, Collector of Taxes of the City of New York—Injunction to restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.
- The National Bank of the State of New York against The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Martin T. McMahon, Collector of Taxes of the City of New York—Injunction to restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.
- Metropolitan National Bank of New York against The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Martin T. McMahon, Collector of Taxes of the City of New York—Injunction to restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.
- The Seventh Ward National Bank of New York against The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Martin T. McMahon, Collector of Taxes of the City of New York—Injunction to restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.
- The Fulton National Bank of the City of New York against The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Martin T. McMahon, Collector of Taxes of the City of New York—Injunction to restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.
- The Union National Bank of the City of New York against The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Martin T. McMahon, Collector of Taxes of the City of New York—Injunction to restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.
- The New York National Exchange Bank against The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Martin T. McMahon, Collector of Taxes of the City of New York—Injunction to restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.
- The Tradesmen's National Bank of the City of New York against The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Martin T. McMahon, Collector of Taxes of the City of New York—Injunction to restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.

MARINE COURT.

James Quirk agst. John R. Keeling, sued as John Vail—Damages for alleged assault and battery and false imprisonment, Nov. 19, 1880.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

- Mayor v. David Tracy et al.—Order entered setting aside inquest and judgment.
- Wm. Edelsten—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff on referee's report for \$4,057.58.
- Roswell D. Hatch v. J. J. Bowes, etc.—Order for judgment on remittitur entered.
- One hundred and fifty-third street—Order entered taxing costs at \$952.06.
- In re Stephen H. Thayer—Third avenue sewer. Order entered to vacate assessment.
- In re Stephen H. Thayer—Third avenue sewer. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- In re J. Watts De Peyster—Boulevard sewer. do do
- In re Orlando B. Potter— do do do
- In re Elbert Bailey— do do do
- In re Jonas Smith— do do do
- In re Susan D. Branch—Third avenue sewer. do do
- In re Oliver P. Hubbard—One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer. do do
- In re Susan B. Branch— do do do
- In re Oliver P. Hubbard—One Hundred and Eighth street outlet sewer. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- In re Mary G. Pinckney—One Hundred and Eighth street outlet sewer. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- In re Mary G. Pinckney—One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- In re I. & S. Wormser—Boulevard sewers. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- In re Thos. J. McCahill— do do do
- In re Mary Whiteman—One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- In re Thomas Gardiner—One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- In re I. & S. Wormser—Outlet sewer in Ninety-sixth street. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- People, ex rel. National Bank of Commerce, agst. The Commissioners of Taxes, etc. (three cases). Order entered discontinuing proceedings on payment of costs and disbursements to the respondent, Gustav Callmeyer—Judgment on remittitur in favor of the city entered.
- John Fagan—Judgment of affirmance in favor of plaintiff, and for \$85.89 costs, etc., against the Mayor, etc., entered.
- Wm. J. Kennedy—Judgment of affirmance in favor of plaintiff, without costs, entered.
- John O'Brien— do do do
- David Golden— do do do
- Silas C. Herring and another (No. 1)—Order discontinuing action, without costs, entered.
- do do (No. 2)— do do do
- In re Catharine W. H. St. John—Paving Twenty-first street. Order entered to vacate assessment.
- In re James Flanagan, trustee—Eighty-eighth street sewer. Order to vacate assessment entered.
- The Peoples' Bank and another vs. The Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments of the City of New York (three cases)—Order discontinuing proceedings on payment of costs, and disbursements to the respondents entered.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

- Caspar Abt—Plaintiff examined before trial.
- Elizabeth Jones—Plaintiff examined before trial.
- Opening One Hundred and Fifty-third street—Motion made to tax costs; Court took the papers.
- John Barnett vs. the Commissioners of Charities and Correction—Tried before Justice Kelly; decision reserved.
- In re Daniel R. Kendall—One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street underground drains; decision reserved.
- In re Ralph Marsh—Regulating, etc., Ninety-sixth street. Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved.
- In re Thomas H. Walter—Fifth avenue regulating, etc. Submitted at Court of Appeals.
- In re Stephen H. Thayer—Third avenue sewer. Motion to vacate assessment submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.
- In re J. Watts De Peyster—Boulevard sewers. Motion to vacate assessment submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.
- In re Orlando B. Potter—Boulevard sewers. Motion to vacate assessment submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.
- In re Elbert Bailey—Boulevard sewers. Motion to vacate assessment submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.
- In re Jonas Smith—Fourth avenue regulating. Motion to vacate assessment submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.
- George A. Hoyt (78 actions)—Motion to consolidate actions, argued before Larremore, J. Motion granted in so far as permitting only one judgment for each assessment.
- Opening of Sixty-seventh street—Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment met and proceeded.
- John L. Brown and Hannah E. Brown, etc.—John H. Strahan examined before referee.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, NOVEMBER 29 TO DECEMBER 4, 1880.

Communications Received.

- From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending November 27, 1880: Males, 27; females, 4. On file.
- List of 36 prisoners to be discharged, from December 5 to 11, 1880. Transmitted to Prison Association.
- From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 15 patients received during week ending November 27, 1880. On file.

From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 16 patients received during week ending November 27, 1880. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending November 27, 1880, \$207. On file.

Resolutions.

- Resolved, That proposals for telegraph cables to connect New York with Blackwell's, Randall's and Ward's Islands, be invited by public advertisement in the CITY RECORD; bids to be opened December 15, 1880. Adopted.
- Resolved, That the fares on steamboats of this Department be reduced, as follows:
- To Blackwell's Island, from 30 cents to 20 cents.
 - To Ward's Island, from 40 cents to 30 cents, and to Hart's Island, from 50 cents to 40 cents.
- Resolved, That fares be charged on all steamboat passes, except when otherwise ordered. Adopted.

Appointments.

- November 29. Thomas I. Keane, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
- 30. Catharine McManus, Laundress, Branch Lunatic Asylum.
- December 1. Jane Maguire, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
- 3. John R. Surlung, Clerk and Messenger, Out-door Poor Department.
- 3. Ann Wilson, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.

Resignations.

- November 29. Michael Doheny, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
- December 1. Alice D. Leyer, Nurse, Bellevue Hospital.
- 3. George Cathcart, Clerk and Messenger, Out-door Poor Department.

G. F. BRITTON, Assistant Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John B. Haskin to place and keep bay-windows on four houses about to be erected by him on One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Pleasant avenue, such bay-windows to be not more than nine feet wide by four feet deep, and the height of the building in each case, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work 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, November 9, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, November 23, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, December 7, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John J. Coady to retain storm-door now in front of his place of business, on the northwest corner of Forty-first street and Seventh avenue, said storm-door being within the stoop-line; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, November 23, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, December 7, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That a lamp-post and lamp be placed on north side of Eighty-seventh street, as near as possible to Riverside avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1880.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction be and they are hereby requested and, so far as in the power of this Common Council, directed to take measures to furnish the customary relief to the out-door poor immediately after the advent of cold weather—say on or about the first of December—during the present and in future years.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 6, 1880, 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 M. M. Stanfield to erect in front of entrance of Victoria Hotel, on Twenty-seventh street, a wooden porch twelve feet long, twelve feet high, and four feet wide; and also in front of entrance No. 1152 Broadway, an open iron porch three feet wide and one story high, substantially as per drawings hereunto annexed, the work 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, November 30, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, December 7, 1880.

Resolved, That Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones be set, and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 30, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, December 7, 1880.

Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid across the square or open space at the junction of Sheriff and Grand streets, commencing twelve feet west of the northwesterly corner of Grand and Sheriff streets, to the sidewalk on East Broadway, as shown on the annexed diagram, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1880.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-second street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1880.

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid on First avenue, from Ninety-seventh to Ninety-ninth street, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1880.

Resolved, That Ninety-eighth street, from the west line of Fourth avenue to the east curb-line of Fifth avenue, be regulated and graded, and that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide, where not heretofore flagged, and that curb be set, where not heretofore set within the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1880.

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance to set curb and gutter stones in and flag a space four feet wide the sidewalks of Ninth avenue, from Eighty-first to One Hundred and Tenth street, approved by the Mayor October 20, 1880, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That Ninth avenue, from the centre line of Eighty-first street to the south curb-line of One Hundred and Tenth street, be regulated and graded, and that curb be set with returns to the house-line at each of the intersecting streets where not heretofore set, and that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1880.

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 December 11, 1880.

Barometer.

DATE.	DECEMBER.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday,	5	29.778	29.742	29.550	29.498	29.596	29.546	29.595	29.978	29.952	29.534	29.484
Monday,	6	29.730	29.691	29.664	29.623	29.623	29.621	29.647	29.746	29.710	29.628	29.621
Tuesday,	7	29.710	29.711	29.742	29.749	29.930	29.918	29.793	29.910	29.935	29.642	29.643
Wednesday,	8	29.924	29.933	29.722	29.737	29.950	29.973	29.882	30.044	30.048	29.904	29.938
Thursday,	9	30.202	30.244	30.186	30.206	30.238	30.259	30.236	30.248	30.284	30.044	30.048
Friday,	10	30.264	30.309	30.210	30.250	30.246	30.307	30.292	30.300	30.351	30.268	30.242
Saturday,	11	30.204	30.266	30.092	30.120	29.968	29.991	30.125	30.218	30.273	29.900	29.923

Mean for the week..... 29.938 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., December 10..... 30.351 "
Minimum " at 1 P. M., December 5..... 29.484 "
Range "867 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	DECEMBER.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	5	42	40	48	47	48	46	46.0	44.3	49	4 P. M.	47	4 P. M.
Monday,	6	43	41	42	38	31	31	38.7	36.7	47	0 A. M.	46	0 A. M.
Tuesday,	7	28	27	26	25	22	22	25.3	24.6	28	3 P. M.	26	3 P. M.
Wednesday,	8	16	16	23	21	20	20	19.6	19.0	23	2 P. M.	22	3 P. M.
Thursday,	9	13	13	21	20	17	17	17.0	16.6	22	4 P. M.	21	4 P. M.
Friday,	10	12	12	10	10	6	6	9.3	9.3	16	0 A. M.	16	0 A. M.
Saturday,	11	6	6	18	17	20	19	14.7	14.0	22	5 P. M.	20	5 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 24.3 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 5th..... 49. " at 4 P. M., 5th..... 47. "
Minimum " " at 7 A. M., 11th..... 6. " at 7 A. M., 11th..... 6. "
Range " " 43. " 41. "

Wind.

DATE.	DECEMBER.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			Distance for the Day.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			Time.
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	
Sunday,	5....	SE	NE	WSW	36	33	31	100	¼	0	0	1 5.10 P. M.
Monday,	6....	WNW	NW	N	49	59	41	149	0	½	½	11.30 P. M.
Tuesday,	7....	WNW	WNW	WNW	97	118	98	213	1	4¼	2½	11 A. M.
Wednesday,	8....	W	WSW	WNW	131	78	61	270	2½	¼	1	4¼ 0.30 A. M.
Thursday,	9....	WNW	WNW	WNW	109	65	70	244	½	½	¾	3 2 A. M.
Friday,	10....	NW	NW	NW	96	118	110	324	1½	1½	¾	5½ 10 A. M.
Saturday,	11....	NNW	WNW	W	122	54	68	244	¾	0	1¼	3¼ 2.50 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,544 miles.
Maximum force " " 6 pounds.

DATE.	DECEMBER.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.		
		FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR.	O. OVERCAST.	IC.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.		
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.			
Sunday,	5	.221	.310	.284	83	93	85	10	10	8 Cu.
Monday,	6	.231	.177	.174	83	66	100	8 Cu.	9 Cu.	7 Cu.
Tuesday,	7	.136	.123	.118	88	88	100	9 Cu.	9 Cu.	7 Cu.
Wednesday,	8	.090	.090	.108	100	73	100	10	10	0
Thursday,	9	.078	.096	.094	100	85	100	0	1 Cu. S.	0
Friday,	10	.075	.068	.057	100	100	100	0	2 Cu.	0
Saturday,	11	.057	.083	.092	100	84	85	4 Cu.	10	7 Cu.

Total amount of water for the week..... .90 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
CHARLES REILLY, First Marshal.

Permit and License Bureau Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. MORRIS, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Bureau of 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 J. 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.
ROGER 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.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORIS, Deputy Comptroller.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau of Arrears.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS 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 City Revenue.

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

Bureau of Markets.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturday, 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.
TOWNSEND COX, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

Wm. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.
Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. (Saturdays to 3 P. M.)

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN McCABE, Captain-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

No. 109 Christie street.
DREDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

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.
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street a d 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

THE CITY RECORD.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday at two o'clock P. M., at Room No. 8 City Hall.

HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS SHELLS,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
HENRY HAFEN,
BERNARD KENNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
New York, December 16, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the articles and materials below enumerated will be sold by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on Tuesday, December 28, 1880.

At Repair Shops, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street.
Lot No. 1. 1,700 lbs. Composition Castings.
" 2. 160 lbs. Lathe Trimmings.
" 3. 195 sets Hose Couplings.

At Store-house, No. 20 Eldridge street.
Lot No. 4. 1 lot Scrap Iron.
" 5. 1 lot Tire Iron.
" 6. 1 lot Iron Wire.
" 7. 10 Iron Hay Racks.
" 8. 6 Chandeliers.
" 9. 2 Hall Pendants.
" 10. 2 Steam Radiators.
" 11. 36 lengths old seamless Cotton Rubber-lined Fire Hose.
" 12. 48 lengths old rivetted Cotton Rubber-lined Fire Hose.
" 13. 52 lengths old Combination Rubber Fire Hose.
" 14. 21 pieces Linen Hose.
" 15. 9 old Combination Rubber Suctions.
" 16. 24 old Combination Hydrant Connections.
" 17. 5 Cotton Rubber-lined Hydrant Connections.
" 18. 3 Tables.
" 19. 2 Two-wheel Chemical Engine Water Tenders.
" 20. 1 Hook and Ladder Truck.
" 21. 2 Wagons.
" 22. 1 Buggy.
" 23. 1 Lot of old Rope.

The several articles, etc., may be seen at any time prior to the sale, as follows:

Lots 1 to 3 inclusive, at the Repair Shops, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street.

Lots 4 to 23 inclusive, at No. 20 Eldridge street.

The sale will begin at Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street, promptly at 10 o'clock A. M. on the day named, and will be proceeded with in the order of enumeration.

All the articles must be removed from the premises within twenty-four hours after the sale.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
New York, December 9, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials required in the proposed building and erection of an engine-house on the east side of Thomas avenue (Fordham), will be received as above, until 9 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, December 22, 1880, when they will be publicly opened and read.

No proposal will be received or considered after the hour named.

Plans and specifications and the form of contract to be entered into by the successful bidder may be seen, and blank proposals will be furnished on application at these headquarters.

Two responsible sureties will be required with each proposal, who must each justify thereon, prior to its presentation, in not less than one-half the amount thereof.

Proposals must be addressed on the envelope "To the Board of Commissioners," with the indorsement "Proposals for building and erecting Engine-house on Thomas avenue," and the name of the bidder.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
New York, November 7, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of the Board.

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

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, modify, or vacate assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:

First. As to all assessments confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1880.

Second. As to all assessments confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for local improvements theretofore completed, and as to any assessment for local improvements known as Morningside avenues, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment complained of, the date of confirmation of the same, the property affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner the objections thereto, showing that the assessment was unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated New York, July 13, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

GEORGE H. ANDREWS, Commissioner under said Act.

DANIEL LORD, Jr., Commissioner under said Act.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.
New York, December 17, 1880.

PROPOSALS FOR 5,000 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 24th day of December, 1880, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for 5,000 tons Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality; each ton to consist of two thousand pounds, to be well screened, and delivered in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time, south of Eighty-sixth street, after the 1st day of January, 1881, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time, and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, December 16, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Fourth Precinct Station-house—Unknown woman; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair; dark eyes. Had on black skirt, dark calico dress, white chemise, gray petticoat, black shawl, red woolen stockings, laced garters.

Unknown man, from foot of Chambers street, North river—Aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; long white hair; mustache and full beard; blue eyes. Had on black pilot jacket, black diagonal pants, dark striped shirt, white cotton flannel shirt, black vest, rubber boots, gray felt hat.

Unknown man, from St. Vincent's Hospital—Aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair and mustache; dark eyes. No clothing.

Unknown man, from Bellevue Hospital—Aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; light brown hair, mustache, and chin whiskers; blue eyes. Had on black cloth overcoat, black diagonal vest and pants, brown cardigan jacket, striped calico shirt, white knit undershirt, brown cotton socks, gaiters.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Whalen; aged 46 years; 6 feet 1 inch high; brown hair and eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED MILK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING, during the year 1881, for the various Institutions under the charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, Condensed Cow's Milk, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of the 24th day of December, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bill or Estimate for furnishing Condensed Cow's Milk," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department. The entire quantity required to

be delivered during the year will be about two hundred and twenty-five thousand (225,000) quarts.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Dated New York, December 11, 1880.

TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

POULTRY, To be delivered during the year 1881 (except for Thanksgiving and Christmas days, consisting of Fowls, Ducks, Turkeys, and Chickens, say about 600 pounds per week; to be delivered in quantities as required, at Bellevue Hospital and at Twenty-sixth street Dock, East river, at or before 6.45 A. M. of every day, Sundays excepted; the various descriptions of poultry, etc., to be dressed and of good quality, and the prices for each to be named separately—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., Friday, the 24th day of December, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of twenty-five thousand dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH MEATS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Fresh Meat which will be required, during the year 1881, for the various institutions under the charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of the 24th day of December, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for furnishing Fresh Meat," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department. The entire quantity required to

be delivered during the year will be about two hundred and twenty-five thousand (225,000) quarts.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of twenty-five thousand dollars.

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

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TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING, during the year 1881, fresh fish for the various institutions under the charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of the 24th day of December, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for furnishing Fresh Fish," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars.

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

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TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH MEATS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Fresh Meat which will be required, during the year 1881, for the various institutions under the charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of the 24th day of December, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for furnishing Fresh Meat," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
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TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH MEATS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Fresh Meat which will be required, during the year 1881, for the various institutions under the charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of the 24th day of December, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for furnishing Fresh Meat," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department. The entire quantity required to

be delivered during the year will be about two hundred and twenty-five thousand (225,000) quarts.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars.

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TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING, during the year 1881, fresh fish for the various institutions under the charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of the 24th day of December, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for furnishing Fresh Fish," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the

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PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY. TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS FOR 3,435 POUNDS TURKEYS,
10,495 pounds Chickens.

To be of good quality as to age and condition, and subject to careful inspection, and all delivered on Friday, 24th December, before six o'clock, A. M.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Wednesday, December 22, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate" for Poultry, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on the 24th of December, before 6 o'clock A. M., after the date of the contract.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract.

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

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

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

Dated, New York, December 10, 1880.
TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 10, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the following described property of this Department will be sold at public auction by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on Tuesday, December 21, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, foot of East Seventeenth street, East river, viz.:

Old rope.
Old iron.
Seven wagon wheels.
Twelve lamp frames.
Two blacksmith's bellows.
Scow No. 1.
Scow No. 12.
One donkey pump.
By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 39, 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, Room No. 39, 300 Mulberry street, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, iron, rope, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, boots, shoes, trunks and contents, revolvers, canton flannels, corks, cigars, etc.; also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1880.

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)

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the bulkhead line, Harlem river, in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Rufus F. Andrews, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 317 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of January, 1881, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after said 3d day of January, 1881, and for that purpose will be in attendance at said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 3d day of January, 1881.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being within the following described lines, viz.:

Commencing at a point on the easterly side of Fifth avenue, distant one hundred feet and eleven inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighth street, and running thence easterly and always at one hundred feet and eleven inches from the southerly side of One Hundred and Eighth street to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to a point which would be a continuation of a line parallel to One Hundred and Eighth street, and distant one hundred feet and eleven inches northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence westerly, along said line parallel to One Hundred and Eighth street, and distant always one hundred feet and eleven inches from the northerly side thereof to the easterly side of Fifth avenue; thence southerly along the easterly side of Fifth avenue to the place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the avenues, streets and roads within said boundaries.

Fourth.—That our report hereon will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, as a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of January, 1881, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 22, 1880.
RUFUS F. ANDREWS,
CHARLES H. HASWELL,
ALLEN J. CUMING,
Commissioners.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAJOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 1, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE DOG Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, which was designated on the ninth day of June, 1880, as the place of reception for dogs captured pursuant to the ordinance approved June 1, 1877, will be closed on November 2, 1880, and all authority given by me to capture dogs pursuant to said ordinance will cease on that date.

EDWARD COOPER,
Mayor.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 4, 1880.

BLOOMINGDALE ROAD CLOSING.

The property affected is embraced within the following boundary, viz.: From the north side of 59th street to the south side of 139th street, and from 8th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before February 6, 1881, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 4, 1880.

12th avenue regulating, grading, curb, guttering, and flagging, between 130th and 133d streets.
43d street sewer, between 1st avenue and East river.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 125th and 126th streets.
Front street sewer, between Dover and Roosevelt streets.
52d street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.
115th street basin, northwest corner Avenue A.
77th street fencing vacant lots, between 4th and 5th avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 6, 1881, 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.
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Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, Dec. 4, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED NOV. 27, 1880.

as follows:
70th street, flagging, south side, between Madison and 5th avenues.
40th street, paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.
106th street, regulating and grading, between 4th and Madison avenues.
81st street, regulating, grading, etc., between 8th and 9th avenues.
10th avenue, crosswalks, at 152d street.
Lexington avenue, crosswalks, north and south sides of 125th street.
5th and Madison avenues, fencing vacant lots, 72d and 73d streets.
Avenue A, fencing vacant lots, northeast corner 86th street.
79th and 80th streets, fencing vacant lots, Madison and 5th avenues.
8th avenue, west, fencing vacant lots, 107th and 115th streets.
8th avenue, east, fencing vacant lots, 110th and 115th streets.

110th street, fencing vacant lots, 7th avenue and New avenue, etc.
76th street, fencing vacant lots, Lexington and 4th avenues.
125th street, fencing vacant lots, southwest corner 5th avenue.
59th street, south side, fencing vacant lots, 5th and 6th avenues.
57th street, south side, fencing vacant lots, 2d and 3d avenues.
72d street, north and south sides, fencing vacant lots, 9th and 10th avenues.
Boulevard, west side, fencing vacant lots, 72d and 74th streets.
1st avenue, fencing vacant lots, southwest corner 61st street.

Beaver street, basin at junction of Pearl street.
Jane street, basin at northeast and southeast corners 13th avenue.
Front, Montgomery street, and Northeast corner.
South, Montgomery street, Basin, northwest cor.
132d street, sewer, 7th avenue, 300 feet west 7th avenue.
Lexington avenue, sewer, 104th and 105th streets.
58th street, sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.
113th street, sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues.
69th and 70th streets, sewer, between 2d and 3d avenues.
Lexington avenue, sewer, between 72d and 73d streets.
64th street, sewer, between 8th avenue and Boulevard.
6th street, sewer, between Boulevard and 9th avenue.
Cliff street, sewer, between Beekman and Ferry streets.
Mt. Morris avenue, sewer, between 123d and 124th streets.

Sylvan Place, sewer, between 120th and 121st streets.
All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 2, 1881, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.
The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE OMITTED TO PAY their taxes for the year 1880, are hereby notified, as required by law, to pay the same to the Receiver of Taxes at his office, on or before the 1st day of January, 1881.

One per cent. will be collected on all taxes paid before the 15th day of December, instant; two per cent. on all taxes paid on and after that date, and interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, computed from the 25th of October last (the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants were delivered to the Receiver), on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after the said 1st day of January, 1881.

No money will be received after 2 o'clock, P. M. Office hours from 8 A. M. to 2 P. M.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1880, to the Receiver of Taxes, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office before the first day of December next, one per cent. will be collected on all taxes remaining unpaid on that day, and one per cent. in addition thereto on all taxes remaining unpaid on the 15th day of December next.

No money will be received after 2 o'clock P. M. Office hours from 8 A. M. to 2 P. M.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of Real Estate in said city, that, as provided by chapter 123 of the Laws of 1880, they may now pay any arrears of taxes and Croton water rents levied prior to the year 1877, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum. If, however, such taxes and Croton water rents are not paid before the first day of October next, the property on which they are due will be sold for taxes immediately thereafter, with the addition of accrued interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from the respective dates on which they were levied.

Lists for such tax sale are now being prepared by the Clerk of Arrears.
The time of payment of taxes for the years 1877, 1878, and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, is extended to the first day of April, 1881, and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.
The Act, chapter 123, Laws of 1880, containing these provisions of law, is published below.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 4, 1880.

CHAPTER 123.

AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

Passed April 15, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. At any time after the passage of this act, and before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person may pay to the Comptroller of the City of New York the amount of any tax upon real property belonging to such person, heretofore laid or imposed and now remaining unpaid, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the time that such tax was imposed to the time of such payment, provided, also, that the time when such payment may be made on the amount of any such tax laid or imposed in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-one. The comptroller shall make and deliver to the person making any such payment a receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of any such tax on the books of the finance department; and upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring the payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over seven per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

Sec. 2. Any revenue bond heretofore issued in anticipation of the taxes in the first section specified which may fall due and become payable before said taxes are collected, may be reissued by the comptroller of said city, in whole or in part, for such period as he may determine, not exceeding one year.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 4, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

Opening of—
156th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line of 11th avenue.
157th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.
158th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.
159th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 3, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

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

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of real estate in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment and payment of unpaid taxes due the county of Westchester by the towns of West Farms, Morrisania, and Kingsbridge, lately annexed to the city and county of New York," passed May 22, 1878, the unpaid taxes of said towns have been adjusted and the amount determined as provided in said act, and that the accounts, including sales for taxes levied prior to the year 1874, by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and also the unpaid taxes of the year 1873, known as Rejected Taxes, have been filed for collection in the Bureau of Arrears in the Finance Department of the City of New York.

Payments for the redemption of lands so sold for taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and payments also of said Rejected Taxes of the year 1873, must be made hereafter to the Clerk of Arrears of the City of New York.

N. B.—Interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum is due and payable on the amount of said sales for taxes and said rejected taxes.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price. \$100 00
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Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.