

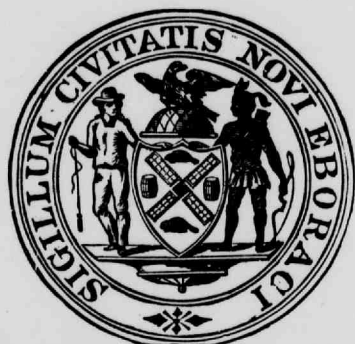
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, April 14, 1879.

The Board of Health met this day.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on work performed by Disinfecting Corps; on applications for permits; on slaughter-houses; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on application for relief; on contagious diseases; on condition of certain streets; on application for relief from certain orders; on school buildings; on street pavements.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.

From the Register of Records: Weekly mortality statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstracts of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report of deaths from contagious diseases; on attendance of clerks; on violation of the Sanitary Code.

From the Sanitary Architect: Reports on Tenement House Plans.

Communications from other Departments.

From the Department of Finance: Comptroller's Weekly Report.

From Commissioners of Accounts: Asking for statement of indebtedness outstanding March 31, 1879.

From Commissioner of Public Works: In respect to water supply in the upper part of the city.

Communications Received.

Applications for appointment from Drs. Sherman, Paddock, and Dalrymple.

A communication from Louis L. Delafield, transmitting a copy of a resolution adopted by a Committee of the Bar Association in respect to ventilation of the Court-house.

A communication from Lewis Roosevelt, in respect to premises 214 East Thirty-third street.

Reports referred to other Departments.

To the Police Department: On condition of Rachel's lane.

To the Fire Department: On condition of 155 Mercer street.

To Board of Education: On condition of Grammar School No. 66; on condition of Primary School No. 48.

Bills Audited.

L. G. Tillotson & Co. \$4 89 Keuffel & Esser \$19 00
Geo. H. Perryman 4 00 N. Y. Mutual Gas-light Co. 5 75
Pearce & Jones 15 95

Resolutions.

Resolved, That a copy of the opinion of counsel upon the petition of citizens, asking action from the Board of Health to prevent the common use of tracks of the elevated railroads be forwarded to the Metropolitan Railroad Company and to the New York Elevated Railroad Company.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Lockwood upon the condition of Rachel's lane be forwarded to the Police Department for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Inspector Comfort upon the condition of the premises No. 155 Mercer street be forwarded to the Fire Department for the necessary action.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Assistant Sanitary Inspector Parsons upon the sanitary condition of Grammar School No. 66, and Primary School No. 48, be forwarded to the Board of Education for the necessary action.

Resolved, That the following application, made under section 15, chapter 908, Laws of 1867, for the approval by this Board of plan for light and ventilation of tenement houses proposed to be built, be and is hereby denied:

Plan 110, location north side Twenty-eighth street, 100 feet east of First avenue. Owner, P. Haughey.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending April 12, 1879:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,639, as follows, viz.: 4 public buildings, 833 tenement-houses, 136 private dwellings, 24 other dwellings, 7 manufactories and workshops, 26 stores and warehouses, 38 stables, 39 slaughter-houses, 1 swamp, 1 market, 1 lime kiln, 1 garbage dump, 4 fat-rendering establishments, 22 manure dumps, 1 brewery, 31 sunken and vacant lots, 1 dumping ground, 67 yards, courts, and areas, 51 cellars and basements, 150 waste-pipes and drains, 149 privies and water-closets, 20 street-gutters and sidewalks, 10 dangerous stairways, 2 smoky chimneys, 2 cesspools, 10 other nuisances, together with 8 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 604.

During the past week 91 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 96 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 123 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 112 houses, 112 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

Two cases of small-pox were removed to the hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease, reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending April 12, 1879:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
April 5.....	0	1	164	1	16	31	0
April 12.....	0	8	178	1	23	25	3

Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 420 births, 34 still-births, 118 marriages, and 471 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this bureau during the week ending Saturday, April 12, 1879. This shows a decrease of 60 births, 14 still-births, 5 marriages, and 63 deaths, when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1878, there was an increase of 10 births, and 4 still-births, and a decrease of 25 marriages and 38 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from scarlatina decreased 18; diphtheria, 6; puerperal diseases, 5; diarrhoeal diseases, 9; rheumatism and gout, 4; bronchitis, 10; pneumonia, 22; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 6; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 2; meningitis and encephalitis, 1; convulsions, 4; apoplexy, 5; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 7; enteritis, gastritis and peritonitis, 2; Bright's disease and nephritis, 1; drowning, 1; while the deaths from small-pox increased 1; measles, 1; croup, 2; whooping-cough, 6; erysipelas, 2; typhoid fever, 2; malarial fevers, 1; inanition, 2; cancer, 4; phthisis pulmonalis, 4; heart diseases, 3; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 3; cyanosis and atelectasis, 4; surgical operations, 1, and suicide, 2.

Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases, Phthisis Pulmonalis, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and Children under five years of age, reported during the week and compared with the three preceding weeks.

WEEK ENDING—		Small-Pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive, Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
																		Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.
April	12, 1879	1	2	24	7	11	18	..	3	2	5	4	92	54	22	34	27	109	139	183
"	5, "	..	1	42	13	9	12	..	1	2	4	13	88	76	32	41	33	110	151	205
March	29, "	..	2	54	8	12	25	..	..	2	3	7	93	74	24	55	38	118	167	224
"	22, "	..	..	65	14	8	26	..	1	1	3	12	89	79	33	60	23	147	199	273
Total.....		1	5	185	42	40	81	..	5	7	15	36	362	283	111	190	121	484	656	885

The ages of 109 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year; 139 under two years; 183 under five years, and 35 seventy years and over, which shows that the deaths of children under five years of age were 22 less than the number reported during last week, and represent 38.85 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death Occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending April 12, 1879.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..
Measles .....	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	11	28
Scarlatina	3	21	..	..	..	3	3	10	6	2	..	..	..	..	3	8	11
Diphtheria	3	3	..	1	..	2	1	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	6	8	..
Membranous Croup..	3	8	..	..	..	1	2	3	3	2	2	..	..	..	2	5	2
Whooping Cough....	5	13	..	..	..	4	6	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	7
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	27	3	13
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	1
Malarial Fevers.....	3	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	24	7	29

DISEASE.	WARDS.																								TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	Twenty-first.	Twenty-second.	Twenty-third.	Twenty-fourth.	
Small-pox.....	1	1
Measles.....	1	1	2
Scarlatina.....	2	..	1	..	2	..	2	1	1	4	6	1	4	24
Diphtheria.....	1	1	1	1	..	2	1	7
Membranous Croup..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	11
Whooping Cough....	1	..	2	2	..	2	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	1	..	..	18	
Typhus Fever.....	
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	3	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
Malarial Fevers.....	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	5	

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.												TOTAL.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.		Not stated.
Small-pox.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Measles.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
Scarlatina.....	4	1	1	4	..	3	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	2	1	..	..	24
Diphtheria.....	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	7
Membranous Croup..	1	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	11
Whooping Cough....	..	2	..	1	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	18
Typhus Fever.....
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
Malarial Fevers.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	5

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending April 12, 1879, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending April 5, 1879.

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

SIR—There were 471 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, April 12, 1879, which is a decrease of 63, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 38 less than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1878. The actual mortality for the week ending April 5, 1879, was 503, which is 21.8 below the average for the corresponding week of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 23.90 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,094,173.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending April 12, 1879, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending April 5, 1879.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending Apr. 12.	Week ending Apr. 5.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1879.										Week ending Apr. 5, 1879.		AGE BY YEARS.																	SEX.	
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.		44.6	38.3																															
" reading of barometer		29.805	29.468																															
" humidity for the week was.....		62	62																															
Number of miles traveled by the wind was.....		1,284	2,054																															
Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week.....		1.21	.18																															
CAUSES OF DEATH.				DATE.																														

Births reported during the week ending April 12, 1879.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.									NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Not stated.	
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
420	415	5	217	203	....	232	99	62	24	....	....	2	1	....	350	70

Marriages* reported during the week ending April 12, 1879.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.								CONDITION.									
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
118	112	113	6	5	62	40	53	76	..	..	3	2	95	91	14	18	..	..	..	..	9	9

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending April 12, 1879, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending April 5, 1879.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
3	Austria	6	6	4	5	3	2	..	..
2	British America	2	2	2	2	1	1	..	..
14	England	23	18	15	12	6	4	1	..
2	France	4	5	8	7	..	1	..	..
61	Germany	119	112	143	119	37	23	9	6
106	Ireland	192	196	85	78	3	3	7	6
1	Italy	4	4	9	8	3	3	..	1
..	Poland	4	3	4	4	..	..	..	1
..	Scotland	7	4	2	7	1	..	..	..
..	Switzerland	4	..	2	1	..	..	..	..
306	United States	108	127	123	163	53	76	8	13
1	Unknown or not stated	22	23	3	..	3	2	3	3
1	West Indies .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6	Other countries	8	6	18	14	6	4	4	3

Still-Births reported during the week ending April 12, 1879.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Unknown or not
34	22	12	..	34	..	8	23	3	13	18	3	..	..	..	..	3	3	3	7	17	1	.

Deaths reported during the week ending April 12, 1879.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.													RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.				
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses.	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.				
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.				Top.	Not stated.	Singl.	Married.	Widowed.	Not Stated †
471	74	250	138	6	2	..	12	101	138	87	40	13	3	..	471	66	143	60	2

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 74 were in institutions, 250 in tenement-houses, 138 in houses containing 3 families or less, 6 in hotels and boarding-houses, 2 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 12 were on the basement floor, 101 on the first, 138 on the second, 87 on the third, 40 on the fourth, 13 on the fifth, 3 on the sixth. 471 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 0 non-residents. 66 were stated to be single, 143 married, 60 widowed, and the condition of 202 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 471; still-births, 34; bodies in transit, 27; of the total burial permits issued for city deaths and still-births, 41 were upon certificates received from the Coroners. 420 births, 118 marriages, 34 still-births, 471 deaths, 27 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated. 39 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 5 transcripts of the birth record, 3 of marriage, and 32 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending April 12, 1879, was 44.6 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.805, the mean humidity was 62, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,284, and the total amount of rain-fall was 1.21 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 456 deaths and still-births, or 90.30 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 7; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 187; City, (pauper burial ground—undenominational), 54; Greenwood (undenominational), 44; Lutheran, (undenominational), 68; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 18; Evergreen (undenominational), 30; Woodlawn (undenominational), 15; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 8; Union (Methodist Protestant), 7; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 7; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 3; St. Raymond's Roman Catholic, 1; Washington (undenominational), 7.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality), for the week ending April 5, 1879, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 3; Second, 0; Third, 1; Fourth, 5; Fifth, 11; Sixth, 13; Seventh, 19; Eighth, 17; Ninth, 23; Tenth, 21; Eleventh, 32; Twelfth, 28; Thirteenth, 18; Fourteenth, 8; Fifteenth, 4; Sixteenth, 22; Seventeenth, 29; Eighteenth, 20; Nineteenth, 91; Twentieth, 34; Twenty-first, 42; Twenty-second, 51; Twenty-third, 9; Twenty-fourth, 2.

The actual mortality for the week ending April 5, 1879, was 503; this is 8 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1878, and 21.8 less than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 23.90 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,094,173.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns, of Philadelphia was 16.67; Brooklyn, 18.33; St. Louis, 10; Baltimore, 19.77; Boston, 20.26; Cincinnati, 19.36; New Orleans, 16.59; Charleston, 28.68; Dayton, 12.64; Lowell, 14.67; Worcester, 19.86; Cambridge, 7.10; Fall River, 17.20; Lawrence, 23.21; Lynn, 19.94; Springfield, 18.21. Monthly returns—Chicago, 17.14; Washington, 28.75; Burlington, 9.00; Lansing, 7.07; Toledo, 15.12; Yonkers, N. Y., 18.00; Erie, 15.00; Nashville, 28.34; Norfolk, 22.95; Chattanooga, Tenn., 24; San Antonio, Texas, 19.30; Wilmington, Del., 28.98. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 29.9; Liverpool, 25.6; Birmingham, 26.4; Manchester, 27.7; Glasgow, 24.3; Edinburgh, 17.9; Dundee, 18.3; Dublin, 32.6; Belfast, 42; Cork, 20; Brussels, 24.8; Antwerp, 24.7; Ghent, 37.9; Buda-Pesth, 37.1; Paris, 29; Naples, 32.3; Turin, 23.4; Venice, 26.3; Berlin, 26.1; Breslau, 30.62; Vienna, 35.8; Trieste, 41.8; Copenhagen, 22.7; Stockholm, 18.7; Christiania, 23.93; Amsterdam, 29.3; Rotterdam, 28; The Hague, 21; Calcutta, 34.2; Bombay, 29.6; Geneva (with suburbs), 26.2; Basel, 21.7; Bern, 38.7; St. Petersburg, 48.29; Warsaw, 22.93. Monthly returns—Montreal, 22.

The Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 22, at 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

Opinion of Counsel as to Powers of the Board to Prevent Common Use of Tracks of Elevated Railroad.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY AND COUNSEL, NO. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, April 12, 1879.

To the Board of Health:

GENTLEMEN—The petition of citizens protesting against the common use of tracks of the Elevated Railroad in Pearl street and Chatham square, presented on the 8th of April, 1879, was on that day referred to me by your order "for report as to the duties and powers of the Board in the premises."

The petition represents that frequent and serious collisions, dangerous to passengers and those compelled to use said streets, "will follow the common use of the tracks mentioned," and was accompanied by a publication in pamphlet form of articles from the daily press, and by the statement that two other petitions, in similar form, have been circulated and signed, one directed to the Legislature, asking for its interference, and the other directed to the Board of Aldermen, with a like request. The petition to the Legislature is described as having reference to a recent collision on the east side road, and to the censure of the Grand Jury upon it.

It would appear that there are two distinct corporations having under the laws of the State as interpreted, and confirmed by recent decisions in the courts, certain rights and privileges, upon certain streets, to a common route, but the tracks are not completed, nor the danger described an immediate one, to which your attention is directed. It is evident that if the Legislature which granted and limited these franchises should exercise its powers as requested, any other action would, at this time, be unnecessary or improper. With the right to build the tracks this Board cannot now interfere, and as to the common use of the tracks, if proper regulations and a suitable arrangement cannot be made between the corporations interested therein, questions may arise which would more properly be referred to another tribunal than to this Board.

I have the honor to report that under the general powers conferred upon the Board of Health by the Laws of 1873 (chapters 335 and 757), were those mentioned in section 12 of chapter 74 of the Laws of 1866, including the following: "The prevention of accidents by which life or health may be endangered."

This general power you have exercised with great care, in cases of emergency, where there seemed to be no other relief, or where the prevention of accidents was especially within your cognizance or within your ordinary jurisdiction; and oftentimes it appears to be a power concurrent with others more specific, conferred upon other authorities, as in the present instance. The subject is of undoubted importance, but no action by this Board appears to be necessary in the premises at present. All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. P. PRENTICE, Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 16, 1879.

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 Saturday, April 12, 1879:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rent	\$9,343 25
For penalties on Croton water rent	133 50
For tapping Croton pipes	193 50
For vault permits	393 00
For sewer permits	440 00
For removal of obstructions	4 50
Total	\$10,507 75

Permits Issued.

1 permit to construct street vault.
26 permits to make sewer connections.
18 permits to repair sewer connections.
50 permits to tap Croton pipes.
127 permits to repair water connections.
139 permits to place building material on streets.
1 permit to cut down shade trees.

Obstruction Removed.

1 cart from northwest corner Second avenue and Thirty-eighth street.

Contracts entered into.

For sewer in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Fourth and Madison avenue. Contractor—F. Stollmeyer, of No. 22 East Seventy-fifth street. Sureties—David Babcock, of No. 16 Wall street; H. Stollmeyer, of No. 22 East Seventy-fifth street.

For laying Croton-mains in One Hundred and Seventy-seventh, Seventy-sixth, Seventy-third, One Hundred and Fifty-second, One Hundred and Eighth, One Hundred and Forty-sixth, One Hundred and Nineteenth, Seventy-ninth, One Hundred and Fifty-third, and Ninety-ninth streets. Contractor—John Cornwall, of No. 2101 Madison avenue. Sureties—George Borstman, of No. 309 East Twenty-fifth street; Peter M. Wilson, of No. 318 West Fifteenth street.

Assessment lists transmitted.

For flagging on north side of Fifty-ninth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, amounting to..... \$371 09

Public Lamps.

- 3 old lamps relighted.
- 2 lamp-posts removed.
- 6 lamp-posts reset.
- 1 lamp-post straightened.
- 2 columns refitted.
- 1 column releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending April 12, 1879, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure at point of Ignition.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
April 7	12 M.	68.	29.94	New York.....	Sugg-Letheby....	IN. .05	5.00	126.0	16.29	17.11
" 8	11.30 A.M.	56.	30.17	"	"	" .05	5.00	126.0	16.27	17.09
" 9	11 A.M.	63.	30.12	"	"	" .05	5.00	123.0	16.14	16.54
" 10	4 P.M.	65.	29.94	"	"	" .05	5.00	120.0	16.60	16.60
" 11	2.30 P.M.	68.	29.73	"	"	" .05	5.00	123.0	16.18	16.58
" 12	11.30 A.M.	62.	30.01	"	"	" .05	5.00	126.0	15.88	16.67
									Average.	16.76
April 7	11.30 A.M.	66.	29.94	Manhattan	"	" .05	5.00	120.0	17.41	17.41
" 8	12 M.	57.	30.17	"	"	" .05	5.00	126.0	16.38	17.20
" 9	10.30 A.M.	62.	30.12	"	"	" .05	5.00	118.8	17.28	17.11
" 10	4.30 P.M.	66.	29.94	"	"	" .05	5.00	118.2	17.00	16.74
" 11	3 P.M.	69.	29.73	"	"	" .05	5.00	124.2	15.64	16.19
" 12	11 A.M.	62.	30.01	"	"	" .05	5.00	123.0	16.06	16.46
									Average.	16.85
April 7	12.30 P.M.	70.	29.94	N. Y. Mutual..	"	" .05	3.90	125.4	14.86	19.78
" 8	11 A.M.	55.	30.17	"	"	" .05	4.26	124.8	16.08	19.62
" 9	11.30 A.M.	64.	30.12	"	"	" .05	4.00	119.4	14.98	18.63
" 10	5 P.M.	68.	29.94	"	"	" .05	4.03	120.0	15.20	18.85
" 11	2 P.M.	68.	29.73	"	"	" .05	4.03	121.8	14.60	18.38
" 12	12 M.	62.	30.01	"	"	" .05	3.88	126.0	15.14	20.48
									Average.	19.29
April 7	5 P.M.	72.	29.95	Metropolitan...	"	" .05	5.00	120.0	17.06	17.06
" 8	9.30 A.M.	76.	30.22	"	"	" .05	5.00	121.2	16.96	17.13
" 9	9 A.M.	77.	30.12	"	"	" .05	5.00	117.0	17.28	16.84
" 10	10.30 A.M.	80.	29.88	"	"	" .05	5.00	126.0	15.80	16.59
" 11	11.30 A.M.	77.	29.70	"	"	" .05	5.00	121.8	16.28	16.52
" 12	10 A.M.	77.	30.04	"	"	" .05	5.00	123.0	15.94	16.34
									Average.	16.74
April 7	5.30 P.M.	74.	29.95	Harlem.....	"	" .05	5.00	121.8	16.46	16.70
" 8	10 A.M.	79.	30.22	"	"	" .05	5.00	124.2	15.92	16.47
" 9	9.30 A.M.	78.	30.12	"	"	" .05	5.00	120.0	16.42	16.42
" 10	10 A.M.	82.	29.88	"	"	" .05	5.00	126.0	15.36	16.13
" 11	11 A.M.	79.	29.70	"	"	" .05	5.00	120.0	16.20	16.20
" 12	9.30 A.M.	79.	30.04	"	"	" .05	5.00	122.4	15.46	15.92
									Average.	16.30

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

Replacing Pavements over Croton Pipes.

In Forty-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
In Madison avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets.

Repairing Pavements.

In Lexington avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-seventh streets.
In Eighty-fifth street, near Madison avenue.
In Fifty-fifth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.
In Thirty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and North river.
In Thirty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
In Forty-fifth street, near Lexington avenue.
In Twenty-sixth street, between Eighth and Eleventh avenues.
In Eighteenth street, between Eighth and Thirteenth avenues.
In Eleventh street, between Dry Dock street and Avenue C.
In Third street, at Avenue C.
In Thirteenth avenue, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.
In Tenth avenue, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets.
In Thomas street, between Broadway and Church street.
In Stanton street, between Mangin street and East river.
In Essex street, between Houston and Broome streets.
In Broome street, between Ludlow and Norfolk streets.
In Ludlow street, between Broome and Grand streets.
In Rivington street, between Ludlow and Clinton streets.
In Varick street, between Laight and Beach streets.
In Madison street, between Market and Rutgers streets.
In West street, between Hubert and Franklin streets.
In Vesey street, between Washington and Church streets.
In Greene street, between Washington and Waverley place.
In Rutgers street, between East Broadway and Henry street.
In front of Nos. 1162, 1196, and 1198 Third avenue.
In front of No. 43 West Fifty-fourth street.
In front of No. 333 East Fifty-third street.
In front of No. 116 West Eleventh street.
In front of No. 49 Howard street.
In front of No. 76 East Broadway.
In front of No. 34 Gouverneur street.
In front of No. 436 Water street.
In front of No. 304 Front street.
In front of Nos. 183, 194, and 187 Greenwich street.
In front of Nos. 120, 128, 150, and 215 Duane street.
In front of Nos. 78, 99, and 103 Henry street.
In front of Nos. 48, 68, 86, 96, 100, and 106 Reade street.
Laying crosswalk in Third avenue, near Seventy-sixth street.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 92 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 150 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 28 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
- 5 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
- 9 lineal feet of spur pipe laid.
- 3 receiving-basins repaired.
- 5 manholes repaired.
- 4 new manhole frames and covers put on.
- 11 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
- 16 square yards of pavement relaid.
- 191 cart loads of dirt removed.

STATEMENT of Laboring Force employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending April 12, 1879.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS. LABORERS. TEAMS. CARTS.			
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	3	53	3	..
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	2	14	..	..
Repairing six-foot pipes.....	6	16	..	..
Laying and repairing Croton pipes, etc.....	19	70	..	12
Repairing pavements.....	24	69	..	19
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	21	..	7
Maintenance of Boulevards and Avenues.....	3	28	12	6
Repairing roads.....	..	6	3	..
Total.....	60	277	18	44
Increase over previous week.....	..	2	6	..
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	1

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department upon the Comptroller during the week is \$8,902.30.

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

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

Appointment of Commissioners.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
New York, April 2, 1879.
It appearing by the application, made to me on the 4th day of March, 1879, by fifty reputable householders and taxpayers of the City and County of New York, in the State of New York, verified upon oath before a Justice of the Supreme Court, that there is need in said city and county of a street railway or railways for the transportation of passengers, mails and freight; and thirty days not having expired since said application, now, in pursuance of the provisions of the act entitled, "An Act further to provide for the construction and operation of a steam railway or railways in counties of the State," passed June 18, 1875, three-fifths being present, I, Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby appoint the following five persons, residents of said city and county, to be commissioners under and in pursuance of the provisions of said act, namely: Henry F. Spaulding, Benjamin G. Arnold, Henry G. Stebbins, Lewis G. Morris, Samuel R. Filley.
In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name, the 2d day of April, 1879.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

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.
Mayor's Marshal's Office.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.
Permit and License Bureau Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JORDAN L. MOTT, President; Board of Aldermen.
JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner's Office.
No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, 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.
Bureau of Street Improvements.
No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.
Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.
No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.
Bureau of Water Purveyor.
No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.
Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.
Auditing Bureau.
No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.

Bureau of Arrears.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

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

Bureau of 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.
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney
Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.
Corner Cortland and Church streets.
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 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.
JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

No. 236 West Forty-third street.
ELIJAH W. ROE.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD REILLY, Sheriff; JOHN T. CUMMING, Under Sheriff.

COMMISSIONER FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
WYLLIS BLACKSTONE, President; ISAAC EVANS, Secretary.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FREDERICK W. LOWE, Register; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, ROBERT F. HATFIELD.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEEGAN, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P. CLARK, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street.
HENRY WOLTMAN, MORITZ ELLINGER, RICHARD CROKER, and RICHARD FLANAGAN, Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 35.
Part I, Room No. 34.
Part II, Room No. 35.
Part III, Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.
WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOS. BOESY, Chief Clerk.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday in the City Library, Room No. 12 City Hall, at 10 o'clock P. M.

By Order of the Committee,
J. GRAHAM HYATT,
Chairman.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Friday, May 2, 1879, at 4 P. M., for supplying the coal and wood required for the public schools in this city, for the ensuing year—say ten thousand (10,000) tons of coal, more or less, and eight hundred and fifty (850) cords of oak, and five hundred and fifty (550) cords of pine wood, more or less. The coal must be of the best quality of white ash, furnace, egg, stove, and nut sizes, clean and in good order, two thousand and two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The proposals must state the mines from which it is proposed to supply the coal (to be furnished from the mines named, if accepted), and must state the price per ton of two thousand, two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds.

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.: Eight thousand one hundred (8,100) tons of furnace size, nine hundred and fifty (950) tons of stove size, three hundred and fifty (350) tons of egg size, and six hundred (600) tons of nut size.

The oak wood must be of the best quality, the stick not less than three (3) feet long. The pine wood must be of the best quality, Virginia, and not less than three (3) feet six (6) inches long. The proposal must state the price per cord of one hundred and twenty-eight (128) cubic feet, solid measure, for both oak and pine wood, and also the price per cut per load for sawing, and the price per cut per load for splitting, the quantity of oak wood to be split only as required by the Committee on Supplies. The wood will be inspected and measured under the supervision of

the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education, and must be delivered at the schools as follows: Two-thirds of the quantity required from the 1st of June to the 15th of September, and the remainder as required by the Committee on Supplies; said wood, both oak and pine, must be delivered sawed, and, when required, split, and must be piled in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of the school buildings, as may be designated by the proper authority. The contracts for supplying said coal and wood to be binding until the first day of June, 1880. Two sureties for the faithful performance of the contract will be required, and each proposal must be accompanied by the signatures and residences of the proposed sureties. No compensation will be allowed for delivering said coal and wood at any of the schools, nor for putting and piling the same in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of said schools.

Proposals must be directed to the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education, and should be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," or "Proposals for Wood," as the case may be.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all proposals received.

FERDINAND TRAUD,
HENRY P. WEST,
DAVID WETMORE,
JULIUS KATZENBERG,
BENJ. F. MANIERRE,
Committee on Supplies.

New York, April 17, 1879.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, April 16, 1879.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Lot silver-plated ware, rugs, male and female clothing, boots, rope, gold and silver watches, bag and trunk and contents, furniture and bedding, molasses, canned fruit, two cases drawing pads, small amount of cash found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, flagging, and superstructure of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to the Hudson river.

No. 2. Paving Seventy-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Riverside Park, with granite blocks.

No. 3. Sewer in Tenth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets, with branches in Seventy-seventh, Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth, and Eightieth streets.

No. 4. Extension of sewer at foot of Fifty-seventh street and East river.

No. 5. Laying crosswalks across Fordham avenue, near Eleventh street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward (Central Morrisania).

No. 6. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Seventieth street and Fifth avenue.

No. 7. Tree planting on Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

No. 8. Sewers in First avenue, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and in Second avenue, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, with branches in Ninety-third, Ninety-sixth, Ninety-seventh, Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First, One Hundred and Second, One Hundred and Third, One Hundred and Fourth, One Hundred and Fifth, One Hundred and Seventh, and One Hundred and Eighth streets.

No. 9. Paving intersection of Sixty-eighth street and Fourth avenue with granite blocks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to the Hudson river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Riverside Park, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets, and both sides of Seventy-seventh, Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth, and Eightieth streets, between the Eighth and Ninth avenues, and south side of Seventy-eighth street, extending 200 feet westerly from Tenth avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets, between First avenue and the East river, and both sides of Avenue A and east side of First avenue, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Fordham avenue, extending 275 feet 4 inches north of Eleventh street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

No. 6. East side of Fifth avenue, between Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, and north side of Seventieth street, extending 175 feet easterly from Fifth avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

No. 8. All that property situated between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Ninth streets, and First and Second avenues (including the east side of First avenue). Also property situated between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Ninth streets and Second and Third avenues.

No. 9. To the extent of one-half the block on all sides of the intersection of Fourth avenue and Sixty-eighth street.

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

The above described list will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 15th day of May ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALLY,
EDWARD NORTH,
DANIEL STANBURY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. OF CENTRE),
NEW YORK, April 15, 1879.

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

No. 1.—Sewer in Eleventh avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Seventy-sixth streets, with branches in Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second, and Seventy-third streets, with connections of present sewer in Seventieth street.... \$65,427 45

No. 2.—Paving Sixty-eighth street and Fourth avenue (the intersection of)..... 956 21

\$66,383 66

WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),
NEW YORK, April 3, 1879.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, April 10, 1879.

PROPOSALS FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC LAMPS.

PROPOSALS IN SEALED ENVELOPES WILL be received at the office of the above-named Department, No. 36 Union square, New York, until Wednesday, the 23d day of April, 1879, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, for furnishing illuminating material to the public parks, places, and bridges of the City of New York (except the ornamental lamps on the north side of Union square) under the control of the Department of Public Parks, from the first day of May, 1879, until the thirty-first day of December, 1879, both days inclusive.

Each proposal must state the description or kind of illuminating material proposed to be used, and also a price for the illuminating material for each lamp, which price shall also include the lighting, cleaning, and reglazing the same, and replacing the cocks, tubes, stand-pipes, burners, and other appliances which may be used for a like purpose, and cross-heads, lamp-irons, and lanterns thereto, and keeping each lamp and lamp-post in repair in the manner mentioned in the specifications during the period above mentioned.

The said Department reserves the right to determine, after the proposals are opened, what illuminating material shall be used in said public lamps during the period, and will award the contract to the lowest bidder whose proposal is made in accordance with the law and ordinances in such case, and who proposes to furnish the illuminating material so determined to be used.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid or proposal they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars for its faithful performance, and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation in writing of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the said sum of ten thousand dollars over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by section 27, article 2, chapter 8 of 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.

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

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

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

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Lighting Public Parks and Places," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation.

JAMES F. WENMAN, President,
WM. C. WETMORE,
SAMUEL CONOVER,
SMITH E. LANE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, April 10, 1879.

POLICE UNIFORMS.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, No. 36 Union square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 23d day of April, 1879, at the hour of half past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department and read.

For making, furnishing and delivering uniforms for the Police Force of said Department.

The work to be executed in accordance with the terms of the contract and specifications prepared by said Department therefor and be similar to the samples on exhibition at the office of said Department.

The number and kind of uniforms required is as follows:

Six (6) uniform body coats for Captain and Sergeant.
One (1) double breasted blouse for Sergeant.

Six (6) pairs of summer wear pants, for Captain and Sergeants.

Ninety-two (92) uniform body coats for Patrolmen and Gate-keepers.

Ninety-two (92) pairs of summer wear pants for Patrolmen and Gate-keepers.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty days (30) after the date of the contract.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing, a price for each article of uniform, and must be accompanied by two samples of the cloth proposed to be furnished.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their several names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state that fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same purpose, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud, and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in said proposal or estimate, or in the work or supplies to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which proposals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party 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 proposal or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the 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 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 and 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.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if deemed for the interest of the city.

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

The envelope inclosing the proposal must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Police Uniforms," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation.

JAMES F. WENMAN, President,
WM. C. WETMORE,
SAMUEL CONOVER,
SMITH E. LANE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

E. P. BARKER,
Secretary D. P. P.

BY DIRECTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF Public Parks, Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, 22 Union Square, will sell at Public Auction, on the ground, two two-story and attic brick dwellings, situate on Riverside avenue, near Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets.

The sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday the 22d day of April, 1879.

TERMS OF SALE.

Only those parts of the buildings or fences standing within the limits of Riverside avenue will be sold.

The sale is on the condition that the buildings, etc., sold, be removed by the purchaser within ten days from the date of sale.

The purchaser to be liable for any and all damage to persons, animals or property, by reason of the removal of the buildings, etc.

The amount of purchase money to be paid in bankable funds to the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, immediately after the sale, or the buildings, etc., not so paid for, will be resold.

The purchaser to pay auctioneer's fees.

JAMES F. WENMAN,
President, Department of Public Parks
Dated April 9, 1879.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING the hull and boiler work, and for repairing the engine and boilers of Steamboat Bellevue, or for either, 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 Tuesday, the 29th day of April, 1879. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate" for repairing the hull and boiler work, and the engine and boiler, or for repairing either, as the case may be, and with his or their name or names, 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 award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

The entire work will be required to be finished within fifteen (15) days 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 sum of an amount equal to one-half of the amount of the bid.

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 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, and 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.

Should 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 quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same respectively at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the work required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for repairing the hull and boiler work and the price for repairing the engine and boilers, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in accordance with the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioners may determine.

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

Dated April 15, 1879.

TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 12, 1879.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Francis Morand; aged 28 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat, vest, and pants, white shirt, black felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 11, 1879.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—James Moloney; aged 47 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, black coat, vest and pants, colored shirt, black felt hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 10, 1879.

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 Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Bridget McGuire; aged 70 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 8, 1879.

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 Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Robert Hilliard; aged 23 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, gray coat and vest, dark pants, laced shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—James Corcoran; aged 75 years. Had on when admitted, black coat, gray pants, dark vest, white shirt. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 14, 1879.

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 Pier 23, North river—Unknown man; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair. Had on black short sack coat, dark pants, black vest, white shirt, white knit drawers and undershirt, blue ribbed socks, gaiters, red handkerchief; 1 pair spectacles and knife found on his person.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Lena Gaston; aged 42 years; 5 feet 4 1/2 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Randall's Island Hospital—Julia Dolan; aged 53 years. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT,
54 EXCHANGE PLACE,
NEW YORK, April 18, 1879.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT hereby give notice, that for the purpose of expediting the business for which they were appointed, they request that all plans and suggestions intended to be communicated to them for the construction and operation of a Rapid Transit Railway be made to them in writing on or before the 15th day of May, 1879, at this office.

H. G. STEBBINS,
President.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,
CARL JUSSEN, Secretary, Commissioners.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

**CORPORATION PROPERTY TO BE
LEASED AT AUCTION,
ON FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1879.**

THE LEASES OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED property, belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, will be sold by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at PUBLIC AUCTION, at the New County Court-house, on FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1879, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the term of FIVE YEARS, from May 1, 1879.

Nos. 520 and 522 West Twenty-fourth street.
Two-story Brick Building southeast corner of Tenth avenue and Little West Twelfth street.

TERMS OF SALE.

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

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

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation. No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. (Sec. 99 of Charter of 1873.)

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

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

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, April 18, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

PROPOSALS FOR \$500,000.

**CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW
YORK: NEW YORK BRIDGE BONDS;
INTEREST AT 5 PER CENT.
PER ANNUM.**

REDEEMABLE, 1900. PAYABLE, 1926.

SECURED BY THE SINKING FUND.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Comptroller's office, until Tuesday, April 29, 1879, at 2 o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly opened by the Comptroller in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, for the whole or any part of the sum of \$500,000 of

CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK BRIDGE BONDS,

authorized by chapter 322, Laws of 1871, for the construction of the NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN BRIDGE, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 300, Laws of 1875, and chapter 383, Laws of 1878.

The bonds are redeemable on and after the first day of November, in the year 1900, and payable on the first day of May, in the year 1926, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable quarterly, on the first day of February, May, August, and November, in each year, in lawful money of the United States, at the office of the Comptroller, in the City of New York.

Said bonds will be Registered Bonds of \$500 or multiples of this sum.

The proposals will state the amount of bonds desired, and the price offered per one hundred dollars of the loan.

The persons whose proposals are accepted will be required to deposit with the Chamberlain the sums awarded to them respectively, together with any premiums bid thereon.

Bonds will be issued for equal amounts of the sums awarded, at their par value, bearing interest from the dates of such deposits, on presentation of the receipts of the Chamberlain.

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

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 17, 1879.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COUNTY-COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, April 12, 1879.

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 MARCH 28, ENTERED APRIL 12, 1879.

One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street opening, from the northeastern line of Lawrence street, parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, to the westerly side of a road or avenue, closed by chapter 290, section 10, Laws of 1871.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 11, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1873, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15
Records of judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller

WILLIAM KENNELLY & HUGH N. CAMP,
Auctioneers.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of the powers vested in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, they will offer for sale, at public auction, on Thursday, April 24, 1879, at noon, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz.:

No. 1146 Broadway.
No. 18 Renwick street.
No. 128 West Broadway.
No. 202 West 31st street.
No. 594 Grand street.
No. 128 East 50th street.
No. 352 West 35th street.
No. 61 Chatham street.
No. 81 Chatham street.
No. 83 Chatham street.
No. 91 Chatham street.
No. 93 Chatham street.
No. 458 East Houston street.
No. 160 Wooster street.
No. 53 Spring street.
No. 61 Thompson street.
Stables, Tompkins and Mangin streets.
No. 442 West 33d street.
Lots, Nos. 13, 14, 15, Harlem market property, south side 121st street, near Third avenue.
Old school-house, Fordham, Avenue C and 2d street, subject to lease to December, 1879.
East side 13th avenue, between Bloomfield and Little West 12th streets, lots Nos. 61 to 72.
West side 3d avenue, between 66th and 67th streets, lots Nos. 1 to 8. Nos. 4 to 8 subject to lease to May 1, 1880.
West side 3d avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 1 to 7.
South side 68th street, between 3d and Lexington avenues, lots Nos. 10 to 16.
East side Lexington avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 22 to 25.
North side 67th street, between Lexington and 3d avenues, lots Nos. 26 to 33.
Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be obtained at the Comptroller's office at the New County Court-house, on and after April 15, 1879.
Full warranty deeds will be given to all purchasers.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
March 24, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COUNTY-COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1879.

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 FEBRUARY 24, 1879.
65th street, paving, from 1st to 3d avenue.
75th street, paving, from 4th to Madison avenue.
84th street, paving, from Boulevard to Riverside drive.
Goerck street, sewer, from Houston to 3d street.
10th avenue, sewer, between 116th and Manhattan streets.
57th street, flagging, (north side), between Lexington and 3d avenues.
85th street, fencing, between 1st avenue and Avenue A and southwest corner of 86th street.
74th street, fencing, between 4th and Madison avenues.
All payments made on the above assessments on or before April 28, 1879, 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.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1879, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New County-house.

The transfer books will be closed from March 28 to May 1, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
March 20, 1879.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 9, 1879.

PROPOSALS FOR ONE FLOATING SWIMMING BATH.

PROPOSALS ENCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, April 21, 1879, at 12 o'clock, M., at which hour they will be publicly opened and read.

FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND LABOR FOR BUILDING ONE FLOATING SWIMMING BATH.

Plans and blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to enclose the bids, and any further information desired can be obtained on application at the office of the Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies, Room 18, City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1879, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 13, 1879, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1879, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

By order of the Board,
ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Docks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of Pier Number Forty-four, old number, North river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE STATE of New York, in such cases made and provided, the Commissioners of the Department of Docks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said city will apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District in the State of New York, at a special term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, May 9th, 1879, at the opening of said court, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of right and title by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to the pier known as number forty-four (44), old number, North river, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point about 268 feet northerly from the northeast corner of Spring and West streets, and 70 feet west of the east side of West street, said point lying on the city boundary line of 1807, and the south side of Pier 44 as existing in 1846; thence westerly along the southerly side of Pier 44 as existing in 1846, and continued westerly out to the new pier-line as established in 1871, a total distance of 770 feet; thence northerly along said pier-line 40 feet; thence easterly 410 feet parallel with the south side of said Pier 44; thence northerly about 10 feet; thence easterly along the northerly side of said Pier 44 350 feet to the old city boundary line; thence southerly along said line 46 feet and 10 inches to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, April 16, 1879.
WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-second street, from First avenue to the East 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 and 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 Menzo Diefendorf, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 206 Broadway, Room 72, in the said city, on or before the second day of May, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said second day of May, 1879, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at three 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 nineteenth day of May, 1879.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of First avenue, distant one hundred and two feet two inches northerly from the northerly side of Eighty-second street; thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-second street to the East river; thence southerly along the said East river to a point distant one hundred and four feet two inches southerly from the southerly side of Eighty-second street; thence westerly and parallel with Eighty-second street to the easterly side of First avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of First avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New County-house, in the City of New York, on the tenth day of June, 1879, 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, March 26, 1879.
MENZO DIEFENDORF,
GEO. H. SWORDS,
THOS. L. FEITNER,
Commissioners.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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