

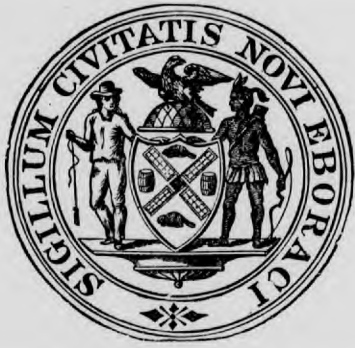
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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, April 1, 1879,
2 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT:

Hon. Jordan L. Mott, President;

ALDERMEN

Michael W. Burns,
Thomas Carroll,
John Cavanagh,
Frederick Finck,
Robert Hall,
Nicholas Haughton,
J. Graham Hyatt,

John W. Jacobus,
Patrick Keenan,
Bernard Kenney,
Terence Kiernan,
John J. Morris,
Henry C. Perley,

William R. Roberts,
William Sauer,
Thomas Sheils,
James J. Slevin,
Matthew Stewart,
Joseph P. Strack.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Carroll—

Petition to have vacant lots south side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, etc., fenced in.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned property owners in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Avenue A and First avenue, respectfully petition your Honorable Body that a resolution be passed to fence in and fill in the three vacant lots and repair the sidewalks on south side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, 100 feet east of First avenue, as the same are in a dangerous condition to pedestrians, and are also a nuisance; and your petitioners will ever pray.

William H. Schaffer, 422 East 120th street.

R. H. Thorn, 405 East 120th street.

Emily J. Lowery, 409 East 120th street.

James Knowles, 418 East 120th street.

A. S. Ellison, 420 East 120th street.

Joseph Weisenbach, 415 East 120th street.

Wm. H. Dongan, 424 East 120th street.

A. M. Reeves, 411 East 120th street.

Whereupon Alderman Carroll offered the following:

Resolved, That vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, be filled in and fenced in, and the sidewalk flagged and reflagged four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Morris—

Petition of New York Elevated Railroad Company, asking permission to straighten curb line on Greenwich street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the Union Club, of the City of New York, to place and keep a portico over the main entrance to their building on the northwest corner of Fifth avenue and Twenty-first street, as shown on the annexed diagram, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Carroll—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given Munnice Brothers to retain the sign now in front of No. 743 Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Roberts—

Whereas, By section 25 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, "The mayor shall nominate and by and with the consent of the board of aldermen appoint the heads of departments and all commissioners * * * and the nominations to fill any vacancy which shall occur by reason of the expiration of the term of office of any officer, or from any other cause * * * shall be made to the board of aldermen within ten days from the day of the date of any such vacancy;" and

Whereas, Vacancies now exist in the office of Police Commissioner, the term of office held by Joel B. Erhardt having expired on May 1, 1877, and that held by Dewitt C. Wheeler having expired on May 1, 1878, and no nominations for appointment to such vacancies in the office of Police Commissioner have been made by the Mayor of the City of New York to this Board of Aldermen; and

Whereas, The Mayor has cited one of the Police Commissioners, whose term of office expired on May 1, 1877, to appear before him and show cause why he should not be removed from the office of Police Commissioner, and it is difficult to see how an officer whose term of office has expired, and who holds over only by virtue of express statutory provisions, can be removed from his office except in the manner provided by law; and

Whereas, The terms of section 38 of title 6, chapter 1, part 4 of the Revised Statutes are as follows:

"Where any duty is or shall be enjoined by law upon any public officer, or upon any person holding any public trust or employment, every willful neglect to perform such duty where no special provision shall have been made for the punishment of such delinquency, shall be a misdemeanor punishable as herein described;" therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor of the City of New York be and he is hereby requested to report to this Board what reasons may exist why such vacancies in the office of Police Commissioner should not be filled, and why no nominations have been made to this Board of Aldermen, in order that their consent may be given to appointments in accordance with the directions of the City Charter.

Alderman Strack moved to refer to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Keenan, viz:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Finck, R. Hall, Haughton, Hyatt, Jacobus, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Stewart, and Strack—12.

Negative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Keenan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, and Slevin—7.

By Alderman Slevin—

Whereas, Police Commissioner Joel B. Erhardt is reported as having prepared a series of preambles and resolutions to be offered at the next meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners, the purpose of which is to remove certain employees of the Street Cleaning Bureau, 53 in number, said to be unable to perform a fair day's work, in addition to 27 already removed for same cause; and

Whereas, There are grave doubts existing as to the impartiality of the reports of the officers in charge of the wards and avenues to Captain Hedden, and upon which is based the necessity of such proposed action by the Board of Police Commissioners; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners be requested to appoint a Committee of Police Surgeons, to examine each of the persons named in the reports of the officers in charge of the wards and avenues, as to their physical disability, and to make no removals except on a certificate signed by said committee, or a majority thereof, to the end that no injustice may be done these poor but deserving men; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners be and are hereby requested to reinstate any of those who have been discharged for disability, who, upon an examination by said committee, shall be certified to as being competent to perform a fair day's work.

Alderman Perley moved to refer to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Keenan, viz:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Burns, Finck, R. Hall, Haughton, Hyatt, Jacobus, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, and Strack—11.

Negative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Keenan, Kenney, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Stewart—9.

Alderman Slevin moved a reconsideration of the above vote.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Slevin, viz:

Affirmative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Stewart—10.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Burns, Finck, R. Hall, Haughton, Hyatt, Jacobus, Morris, Perley, and Strack—10.

By Alderman Sheils—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Elsenbach & Meehm to erect and keep barber's pole in front of premises No. 96 Duane street, said pole to be not more than fourteen feet high and eight inches in diameter, and to be erected within one foot of the curb line, the work to be done at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Stewart—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. O. Robbins to erect and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamps in front of premises Nos. 45 and 47 Bowery, provided the said post shall not exceed in dimensions the size prescribed by resolution for posts for ornamental lamps, the gas to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Strack—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Valentine Lower to remove the cobble-stone pavement now in the carriageway in front of Nos. 528, 530, 532, 529, 531, and 533 West Forty-first street, and substitute therefor Belgian or trap-block pavement, the work to be done at his own expense, and to be under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS.

(G. O. 87.)

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Sheriff:

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I deem it my duty to call the attention of your Honorable Board to the fact that there are a number of prisoners now confined in the county jail who have made oath that they are unable to support themselves, and who are in ill health and unable to procure medicines at their own expense. The druggist, who, until the past two months, had furnished all the medicines required, ceased and refused to furnish any further medicines, giving as a reason therefor that his bills, which had previously been regularly paid, had not been paid for the months of December and January last, and upon application therefor, payment had been refused.

Now, as it is no part of my duty to furnish such medicines, under my contract with this county, I respectfully request that your Honorable Board will give this matter your earliest consideration. I inclose a letter to me, in relation to this subject, from the Hon. Sinclair Tousey, of the New York Prison Association.

Very respectfully,

BERNARD REILLY, Sheriff.

NEW YORK, March 24, 1879.

To the Sheriff of the County of New York:

SIR—I respectfully ask that provision be made for furnishing medicines to such of the prisoners in the county jail as, owing to their poverty, are supported at the public expense. The county provides the services of a physician for those persons, but it seems that no provision is made for the supply of medicine.

Respectfully, your obedient servant,

SINCLAIR TOUSEY,
For the New York Prison Association.

Whereupon Alderman Roberts offered the following:

Resolved, That the resolution relating to the support and maintenance of persons confined in county jail, passed by the Board of Aldermen on the 10th of February, 1876, and amended April 6, 1876, be and the same is hereby amended as follows:

After the words "wages of the necessary cooks and cleaners," where they first occur in the said resolution, shall be added, "and medicines furnished said persons as prescribed for them by the physician of the jail;" and after the words "and also the wages of the necessary cooks and cleaners," where they next occur in the said resolution, shall be added, "cost of said medicine as may be prescribed by the said physician."

Which was laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By the President—

Resolved, That the lamp-post now standing on the west side of Berrian avenue, in front of the premises of Cornelius B. Schuyler, about two hundred and thirty-three (233) feet south of John street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, be removed and placed about ten (10) feet south of its present location, as the lamp-post is now situated in the centre of a right of way, sixteen feet wide from said Berrian avenue, to the rear premises of said Cornelius B. Schuyler; the work of removal to be done by and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Koster & Bial to remove the two lamp-posts and lamps now in front of Nos. 115 and 117 West Twenty-third street, and place them in front of Nos. 108 and 110 West Twenty-fourth street, and to erect two new ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in place of the two posts so to be removed, provided such lamp-posts shall not exceed in dimensions the size prescribed by resolution of the Common Council, that the work be done and gas supplied at the expense of said Koster & Bial, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to the Harlem river, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to T. & M. Donoghue to erect a post and display a horseshoe sign thereon opposite No. 200 West Eighteenth street, said post to be eleven feet high and six inches square, and surmounted by a horseshoe sign which shall not be more than four feet six inches in height and three feet six inches in width, said post to be placed within one foot of the curb-stone, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Perley—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Carroll—

Resolved, That Sixty-eighth (68th) street, from the First (1st) to Third (3d) avenue, be regulated, graded, curb and gutter stones set, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

(G. O. 88.)

By Alderman Kiernan—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to hire or rent, for the term of one year from the first day of May, 1879, suitable rooms, to be used as offices, work-rooms, and for the storage of implements and tools by the officers and employees engaged on the maintenance and construction of boulevards, roads, and avenues and other improvements in the upper part of the city, the same to be located conveniently to the works now in progress, at a rental not exceeding three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$325), the same to be paid out of the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of."

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Hyatt—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Sauer—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Sheils—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Kurrus to erect and keep ornamental lamp-post and lamps, not to exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, in front of No. 1541 Broadway, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That John H. Roberts be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Burns, Carroll, Cavanagh, Finck, R. Hall, Haughton, Hyatt, Jacobus, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—20.

By Alderman Perley—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resignation of J. A. Cantor as Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was accepted.

Whereupon Alderman Keenan offered the following:

Resolved, That Thomas J. Crombie be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Jacob A. Cantor, resigned.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Finck, R. Hall, Haughton, Hyatt, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—17.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Wm. Nelson, Jr., to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp on the sidewalk in front of No. 197 Seventh avenue, provided such post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by resolution of the Common Council, and that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Perley—

Resolved, That Forty-seventh street, from Madison avenue east to the line of the Harlem Railroad Company, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman R. Hall—

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and boulevard lamps lighted in front of the "Phelps Memorial Chapel," No. 316 East Thirty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That Worth street be renumbered, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Carroll—

Resolved, That Sixty-first (61st) street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, be flagged, curbed, and guttered on both sides of said street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Kiernan—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Cavanagh—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman R. Hall—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton mains be laid in Forty-second street, from First avenue to the East river, as provided in chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That Hudson street, from North Moore to Chambers street, be and is hereby designated as a stand for farmers' wagons for the sale of garden produce, subject to the same ordinances, rules and regulations as apply to other streets now used for like purposes, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to carry into effect the provisions of this resolution.

Which was referred to the Committee on Markets.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Saling to retain barber pole now located on the southwest corner of Third avenue and Sixty-second street, one foot from the curb, said pole being six inches in diameter and fifteen feet high; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in the Boulevard, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundredth street, as provided in chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

RIVERSIDE PARK AND NINETIETH STREET, }
NEW YORK, March 25, 1879. }

Hon. JOHN MORRIS:

DEAR SIR—An ordinance providing for laying Croton pipes on the Boulevard, between Eighty-sixth and One Hundredth streets, ought to be passed by the Common Council, for the following reasons:

First—To accommodate the residents.

Second—In order to permit a free flow of water above and below the above-mentioned points.

I am informed at the Croton Bureau that the hydrants freeze every winter in consequence of this want of connection between these two points.

Very truly yours,

CYRUS CLARK.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Carroll—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, from Avenue A to the East river, as provided in chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Kiernan—

Resolved, That Ninety-sixth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river, be paved with granite pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

NEW YORK, February 1, 1879.

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

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned property-owners and residents, respectfully petition your Honorable Body to have Ninety-sixth street paved from the Boulevard to the Hudson river. It is the only street from Seventy-ninth street to Manhattanville having communications to the river, and unless it is paved, the dock is of little use, especially this season of the year.

John Richardson, 107th st. and Boulevard.

Robert S. Heilfritz, 100th st., bet. 9th and 10th

aves.

Charles Engellner, 101st st. and 10th ave.

John T. Arms, 110th st. and Boulevard.

C. A. Nolden, M. D., 101st st. and Boulevard.

E. W. Osterndoff, Boulevard and 98th st.

Wm. F. Boehm, 200th st., 9th and 10th aves.

Louis Frank, 100th st. and Boulevard.

Henry Hapelman, 92d st. and 10th ave.

Wm. H. Koff, 10th ave. and 100th st.

Thos. Connor, 99th st., 8th and 9th aves.

John Connor, 117th st. and Boulevard.

Wm. Werner, 100th st. and Boulevard.

John D. Tracy, 92d st., 8th and 9th aves.

Chas. F. Spincy, cor. 100th st. and Boulevard.

Robert W. Thompson, 97th st. and Boulevard.

ohn W. Back, 99th and 100th sts. and 10th ave.

C. G. Tomlinson, 12th ave. and 100th st.

Perry Coe, 101st st., bet. 9th and 10th aves.

Bernheimer & Schmid, 108th st. and 9th ave.

S. Schwab, W. 113th st., bet. 9th and 10th aves.

Frederick Arnold, W. 110th st.

George Augermeyer, W. 110th st.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Haughton—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Empire City Ice Company to erect and keep a platform scale in Fortieth street, 50 feet from the bulkhead line of the North river, said scale to be eight by sixteen feet, the work to be done at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By Alderman Burns—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter Duryee & Co. to retain a sign across the walk and attached to the awning in front of their place of business No. 215 Greenwich street, said sign to be 12 feet clear of the sidewalk and 3 feet 1 inch in width; the permission hereby granted to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That the resolution repealing the ordinance of July 12, 1878, as follows: "An ordinance to regulate the sprinkling of the streets, avenues, and public places of the City of New York," which was approved March 25, 1879, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded, and repealed, and the said ordinance approved July 12, 1878, is hereby readopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to notify the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company to remove the unused tracks connecting the American Express Company's building with the main tracks of such railroad company, in Hudson street, from the north side of Beach street to Duane street, and restore the carriageway to its original condition, as it existed previous to laying down such unused tracks; and in the event of a refusal or neglect on the part of said railroad company to comply with the notification so to be given for a period of twenty days, then that the said Commissioner of Public Works is hereby instructed to remove such unused tracks and repair the street, and sue for and recover the expense thereof from the said railroad company.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby directed to instruct the Superintendent and Clerks of Markets not to collect fees from any owner, lessee, tenant or occupant of any building or part of any building within the market limits, for exhibiting for sale or selling goods upon any stoop, or temporarily using one-third of the sidewalk and street in front of any such building. The Superintendent or the Clerks of Markets shall not have power to place any person in possession of or upon any of the premises, as above, without the consent of such owner, lessee, tenant or occupant. Every such owner, or person above mentioned, desiring the privilege above named, shall obtain a permit from the Register of Permits annually, and pay therefor the sum of five dollars, before so using any portion of such premises, sidewalk or street. The provisions of this resolution shall apply only to the stoops, sidewalks, and streets within the streets included in the market limits, viz., three hundred yards from the market building, and shall be under the jurisdiction of the Superintendent of Markets. No stands or other obstructions shall hereafter be permitted outside of the stoop lines, within the limits of the public markets as aforesaid, nor inside such stoop lines, except by the said owner, lessee, tenant or occupant of the buildings, as above specified, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for every offense, to be imposed and collected by any police magistrate. The Commissioner of Public Works and the Commissioners of Police are hereby directed to enforce the provisions of this resolution.

Resolved, That all ordinances or resolutions, or parts of ordinances or resolutions, inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this resolution are hereby repealed and annulled.

Which was referred to the Committee on Markets.

REPORTS.
(G. O. 89.)

The Committee on County Affairs, to whom was referred the accompanying resolution authorizing and directing the Comptroller to lease premises corner of Second avenue and First street, as a location for the court of the Fourth Judicial District, respectfully

REPORT:

That, in their opinion, the present location for the court in the Fourth Judicial District is the most convenient and desirable and the best suited for the purpose in the district, having given general satisfaction during the past five years, and that the rental of \$2,500 per annum is just and reasonable, they therefore recommend for your adoption the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute a lease, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, with David L. Einstein and Edwin Einstein, of the premises in the building situate at the northeast corner of Second avenue and First street, in said city, consisting of the rooms on the second floor of said building, as shown in the annexed diagram, viz.: one room fronting on First street, twenty feet and five inches in length by nine feet two and one-quarter inches in width, and one room fronting on First street and Second avenue, about fifty-nine feet four and three-quarter inches in length by twenty-six feet three and one-half inches in width; and also the rooms adjoining the entrance, on the first floor of said building, fronting on First street, twenty-one feet eight and one-half inches in length by twenty-five feet and eight inches in width at the rear, fifteen feet seven and three-quarter inches in length at the rear, fifteen feet and ten inches in width at the entrance, and nine feet and four inches in width at the end of the extension, with an entrance to said rooms from First street; the said lease to be for a period of five years from the first day of May, 1879, at an annual rent of two thousand and five hundred dollars, payable quarterly, and containing a provision that the owners of said property shall put the said premises in good and proper condition for the use of the Fourth District Civil Court, in the City of New York, and keep the same in good and proper condition during the term of this lease, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, at their own cost and expense; and the Comptroller of the City of New York is hereby authorized and directed to pay said rent quarterly, when due, and to charge the same to the proper appropriation. The said above-mentioned and described premises, when so leased, is hereby designated as the place for holding the District Court of the City of New York for the Fourth Judicial District; and the justice and clerk of said court are hereby directed to occupy said premises for the purposes aforesaid, said premises being the premises shown in the annexed diagrams.

MICHAEL W. BURNS, } Committee
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, } on
JOHN J. MORRIS, } County Affairs.
TERENCE KIERNAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 90.)

The Committee on County Affairs, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Surrogate, requesting that certain alterations be made, in order to fit for convenient occupancy the rooms on the 1st and 2d floors of the new addition to the Court-house, which have been assigned for the use of the Surrogate, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe that the transaction of public business, and the preservation of the records, books, securities, and papers kept in the Surrogate's office, render it necessary that the proposed alterations be made; they therefore respectfully recommend for your adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to make alterations in rooms assigned for use of Surrogate, as follows:

First.—A flight of stairs from the southeast corner of the first floor of the new building, to be used by the Surrogate as his private business office, to the second floor, which will be used as a court-room.

Second.—The door now leading from the present court-room, in the northwest corner to the corridor, to be closed, and a new door to be built at the southwest corner of said court-room.

Third.—A partition erected across the present business office, in order to set apart a portion thereof for the use of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and to properly separate the same from the Recording and Appraiser's Department of the Surrogate's office, the cost of the alterations to be charged to the appropriation for "Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs."

MICHAEL W. BURNS, } Committee
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, } on
JOHN J. MORRIS, } County Affairs.
PATRICK KEENAN, }
TERENCE KIERNAN, }

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Selig Steinhardt to erect two bay-windows on the southwest corner of Eighty-third street and Tenth avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Selig Steinhardt to erect two bay-windows on the southwest corner of Eighty-third street and Tenth avenue, as shown on accompanying diagram, the consent of the property holders 50 feet each side being obtained, and attached to this resolution, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

HENRY C. PERLEY, } Committee
TERENCE KIERNAN, } on
JOSEPH P. STRACK, } Public Works.
THOMAS CARROLL, }
FREDERICK FINCK, }

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 91.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging sidewalk four feet wide, One Hundred and First street, from Ninth avenue to New avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That One Hundred and First street, from Ninth avenue to New avenue, be regulated and graded, and the curb and gutter stones set, and 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 therefore be adopted.

HENRY C. PERLEY, } Committee
TERENCE KIERNAN, } on
JOSEPH P. STRACK, } Public Works.
THOMAS CARROLL, }
FREDERICK FINCK, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 92.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering Charles street, from Greenwich avenue to Waverley place, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Charles street, from Greenwich avenue to Waverley place, be renumbered, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

MATTHEW STEWART, } Committee
BERNARD KENNEY, } on
WILLIAM SAUER, } Streets.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 93.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging and reflagging four feet wide, and to have the curb set and reset, where not already done, and the carriage-way paved, with Belgian or trap-block pavement, in Fourth avenue, from Sixty-seventh to Seventy-second street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Fourth avenue, from Sixty-seventh to Seventy-second street, be flagged and reflagged four feet wide, and the curb set and reset, where not already done, and that the carriage-way be repaved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion

of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MATTHEW STEWART, } Committee
BERNARD KENNEY, } on
WILLIAM SAUER, } Streets.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting James P. Minster to erect and keep a platform scale in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, near the East river, provided the same shall not be an impediment or obstruction to the free use of the said street, respectfully

REPORT:

That they have examined the subject, and recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James P. Minster to erect and keep a platform scale in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, near the East river, provided the same shall not be an obstruction or impediment to the free use of the said street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

MATTHEW STEWART, } Committee
BERNARD KENNEY, } on
WILLIAM SAUER, } Streets.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of appointing Morris B. Bronner a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the place and stead of Montgomery D. Kellogg, who has failed to qualify, respectfully

REPORT:

That they have examined the subject, and recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Morris B. Bronner be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the place of Montgomery D. Kellogg, who has failed to qualify.

JOSEPH P. STRACK, } Committee on
MICHAEL W. BURNS, } Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cavanagh, Finck, R. Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—15.

(G. O. 94.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was recommitment a former report in favor of repealing resolution to permit John Birmingham to keep a platform scale at foot of Twenty-third street, East river, respectfully

REPORT:

That, in investigating the subject anew, as directed by your Honorable Body, your Committee learn that Mr. Birmingham, by resolution permitting him to keep a platform scale at the foot of Twenty-third street, East river, which was approved October 14, 1876, has placed the scale on the pier at the foot of that street, and in addition has erected a small shed or office, in which he transacts business as a coal dealer. Canal boats or other vessels are moored to the pier, and the coal is unloaded, weighed, and despatched to his customers, without any expense for rent of yard, office, or any other of those incidental expenses to which dealers in coal are subjected. As a consequence, Mr. Birmingham, or other persons in his interest, are enabled, by reason of this unfair advantage given him by the city, to undersell his rivals, who are compelled to pay rent for yards, offices, etc. This is very unfair to other dealers, several of whom do business in the immediate vicinity, and they very justly protest against the city permitting him to enjoy these exclusive privileges, which operate injuriously to their interests.

Apart from the above considerations, it was urged upon your Committee that the weighing of coal upon the pier was decidedly objectionable; that the office erected thereon was a fixed and permanent obstruction to the free use of the pier, which is traversed by large numbers of people in the summer time, as it is one of the termini of the Manhattan Beach Railway Company in this city, and that in windy weather the dust from the coal, in being emptied from the boats into the carts, is a very disagreeable nuisance, and one that should be abated.

Your Committee are clearly of opinion that these representations are correct, and that it is the imperative duty of the Common Council to revoke a privilege which has been used to the detriment of men in the coal business in the locality indicated, and which is also a nuisance and an encroachment upon the pier, which prevents the free use thereof.

Your Committee, therefore, again present for your adoption the resolution providing for: repealing the privilege granted for keeping a scale at the foot of Twenty-third street, heretofore annexed.

Resolved, That the resolution approved October 14, 1876, giving permission to John Birmingham to place a platform scale at the foot of Twenty-third street, East river, be and it is hereby annulled, rescinded, and repealed, and the permission thereby given is hereby revoked.

MATTHEW STEWART, } Committee on
BERNARD KENNEY, } Streets.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Comptroller:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 29, 1879.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1879, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation.

Title of Appropriations.	Am't of Appropriations.	Payments.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,000 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	250 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	107,000 00	\$17,865 26
Legal expenses incurred by the Common Council in 1878, in defending the members thereof, on indictment for passing ordinances relating to pretended obstructions in the streets, under resolution of the Common Council of October 14, 1878.....	10,000 00

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, March 28, 1879.

JACOB M. PATTERSON, Esq., Clerk, etc.:

SIR—At a meeting of this Board, held on the 25th instant, it was
“Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspector Ewing upon the condition of vacant lots Nos. 276, 278, 280, 283, and 285 West Sixtieth street be forwarded to the Honorable the Board of Aldermen for the necessary action.”

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

To the Board of Health of the Health Department:

I, W. A. Ewing, M. D., holding the position of Sanitary Inspector in the Health Department in the City of New York, do report: That on the 19th day of March, 1879, I did inspect carefully, and personally examined the premises situated 276, 278, and 280 West Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, in the City of New York, and found the facts to be as follows: Said premises consist of a of which owner is unknown, and (in violation of section of the Sanitary Code) were found in a condition dangerous to life and detrimental to health, for the following reasons, viz.: That the said lots are sunken below the level of the sidewalk in front of said premises, and are not provided with fence or railing or other means to prevent persons falling into the excavation. Recommend that this report be forwarded to the Honorable Board of Aldermen, with the request that a fence be provided.

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

W. A. EWING, M. D., Sanitary Inspector.

Dated March 22, 1879.

Sworn to before me, this 24th day of March, 1879,

J. A. WEIL, Notary Public.

To the Board of Health of the Health Department:

I, W. A. Ewing, M. D., holding the position of Sanitary Inspector in the Health Department in the City of New York, do report: That on the 19th day of March, 1879, I did inspect carefully, and personally examined the premises situated 283 and 285 West Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, in the City of New York, and found the facts to be as follows: Said premises

consist of a vacant and sunken lot, of which owner is unknown, and (in violation of section of the Sanitary Code) were found in a condition dangerous to life and detrimental to health, for the following reasons, viz.: That the said lots are sunken below the level of the sidewalk in front of said premises, and are not provided with fence or railing or other means to prevent persons from falling into the excavation. I respectfully recommend that this report be forwarded to the Honorable Board of Aldermen, with the request that a fence be provided.

(A true copy).

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

W. A. EWING, M. D., Sanitary Inspector.

Dated March 22, 1879.

Sworn to before me, this 24th day of March, 1879,

J. A. WEIL, Notary Public.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Health Departments.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Stewart called up G. O. 82, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, First—That pursuant to section 1, chapter 476, Laws of 1875, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pave with granite-block pavement—
New street, from Beaver to Wall street.
Exchange place, from Broadway to William street.
Church street, from Vesey to Chambers street.
Centre street, from Chambers to Canal street, except where now paved with Belgian pavement.
White street, from Broadway to West Broadway.
Mercer street, from Bleecker to Eighth street.
Seventh avenue, from Forty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street, except in rail-tracks.
University place, from Eighth to Fourteenth street, except where now paved with Belgian pavement.

Seventeenth street, from Broadway to Fifth avenue.
Front street, from Maiden Lane to Fulton street.
Clarkson street, from Varick street to North river.
Great Jones street, from Bowery to Broadway.
Ninth street, from Second to Third avenue.
Fifteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.
Nineteenth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.
Nineteenth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

Second—With Trap-block Pavement.

Water street, from Fulton to Market street.
Madison street, from Market to Clinton street.
Twenty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.
Twenty-fourth street, from Lexington avenue to East river.
First avenue, from Thirtieth to Thirty-sixth street.
Twenty-sixth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.
Tenth avenue, from Thirty-first to Forty-second street.
Thirty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.
Forty-fifth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.
Forty-fifth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.
Forty-sixth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.
Fifty-sixth street, from Seventh to Ninth avenue.
Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.
Fifty-eighth street, from Sixth to Ninth avenue.

Third—With Macadam Pavement.

Fifth avenue, from Seventy-second to Ninetieth street.

Alderman Sheils moved to amend by providing that the work be done by the day, and not by contract.

Alderman Jacobus offered the following as a substitute for the motion of Alderman Sheils: Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and he is hereby requested to inform this Board at its next meeting if it is in the power of the Common Council to amend the resolution providing for repaving certain streets named in a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, as provided in section 1, chapter 476, Laws of 1875.

Alderman Strack moved to refer the whole subject to the Committee on Streets, with instructions to report at next meeting, and to obtain the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation on the right of the Common Council to amend the resolution, as moved by Alderman Sheils.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Burns, Carroll, Finck, R. Hall, Haughton, Jacobus, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Stewart, and Strack—13.

Negative—Aldermen Cavanagh, Keenan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, and Slevin—6.

Alderman Sauer moved that the Committee be instructed to report at the next meeting as in favor of performing the work by the day, and not by contract.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Sauer, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Keenan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, and Slevin—7.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Burns, Finck, R. Hall, Haughton, Jacobus, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Stewart, and Strack—12.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Strack moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Sauer, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Haughton, Kenney, Morris, Perley, Roberts, Sheils, and Strack—10.

Negative—Aldermen Burns, Finck, R. Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Sauer, Slevin, and Stewart—9.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday next, the 8th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M.

JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., 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 March 29, 1879:

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

In re the petition of Johnston Livingston, executor, etc.—To vacate an assessment for regulating and grading Ninetieth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.
Harriet Stone vs. Bertha Levy, and The Mayor, etc., and others—To foreclose a mortgage against Bertha Levy, on No. 6 Baxter street, \$4,000. The city made a party, being a judgment creditor for \$120.61.
In re the petition of Mary H. Lester—To vacate an assessment and sale for an assessment for Fifty-sixth street, improved Nicholson pavement, etc.
In re the petition of Augustus Blumenthal—To vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Eighty-eighth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.
In re the petition of Charles Landon—To vacate an assessment for One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, underground drains, between Fifth and Eighth avenues.
In re the petition of F. H. Walter—To vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging and paving, with Telford-macadamized pavement, on Ninth avenue, from north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street to north side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.
In re the petition of Charles F. Hunter, sole executor of Martin Zborowski, deceased—To vacate certain assessments for regulating, etc., Ninth avenue, between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets.
In re the petition of Jacob Weber—To vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., Eighty-eighth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.
In re the petition of Jacob Weber—To vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., Eighty-eighth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.
In re the petition of Simon Wormser et al.—To vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, and paving One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from westerly line of New avenue, west of Mount Morris square, to easterly line of Eighth avenue.
Daniel Gale et al.—Damages from overflow of the cellar of the Buckingham Hotel in May, 1876, \$605.25.

In the matter of the petition of Adolph Bondy, executor, etc., and another, for an award of \$977, awarded unknown owners of Farm No. 68, Ward No. 149—Tax maps for widening of Eleventh avenue.

James A. Lyon—Salary for July and August, 1877, at \$1,500 per annum, as clerk in Department of Taxes and Assessments, \$2,500.

In re the petition of Levi Goldenberg—To vacate certain assessments for regulating, etc., Ninth avenue, between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets.

In re the petition of Jacob Lagowitz et al.—To vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., Eighty-eighth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

In re petition of Mary A. Nolan—To vacate a sale for an assessment for Lexington avenue opening, from Sixty-sixth to Ninety-seventh street.

Ira A. Allen and Henry E. Stevens—Summons and notice for \$3,268.25 served.

In re the petition of James D. Hall—To vacate an assessment and sale for Forty-eighth street sewer.

In re the petition of Julia A. S. Kilpatrick—To vacate an assessment and sale for Seventy-second street sewer, from Third to Fourth avenue.

In re petition of Edward Kilpatrick—To vacate an assessment and sale for Seventy-second street sewer, from Third to Fourth avenue.

In re petition of Richard Tobin—To vacate an assessment and sale for Seventy-second street sewer, from Third to Fourth avenue.

In re the petition of Eliza V. Smith—To vacate an assessment and sale for Chrystie street sewer.

In re petition of Mary L. Cormack—do do do

In re petition of Stephen Williams—do do do

National Shoe & Leather Bank—To recover as assignee for professional services of John R. Fellows to the city, \$600.

In re the petition of Isaac Bernheimer—To vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., Ninth avenue, between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets.

In re the petition of S. Chas. Welsh, sole surviving executor of Geo. W. Welsh, deceased—To vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

SUPERIOR COURT.

David Henry Jones—Carpenter work and materials for Twelfth Regiment and Washington Grey Troop Armory, Broadway, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, prior to February 21, 1874, under contract of Stephen H. Knapp—\$400.

Jeremiah G. Kempe—Salary as Janitor of Second District Police Court (Jefferson Market), from March 1, 1877, at \$1,500 per annum—\$2,875.

John G. Lorey—Salary as Janitor of Third District Police Court (Essex Market), from January 1, 1877, to November 11, 1877, at \$1,500 per annum—\$1,166.66.

Ernest B. Stavey—Salary as Attendant of First District Police Court, from March 1, 1877, to November 12, 1877, at \$1,500 per annum—\$1,041.66.

COMMON PLEAS.

In the matter of the Estate of Wm. W. Parkin—Citation to appear on settlement of accounts of the assignee.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

People, ex rel. James Byrnes, vs. Board of Police—Order reversing action of the Board of Police entered.

People, ex rel. George W. Dilks, vs. The Board of Police—Order entered staying proceedings under mandamus, pending appeal.

People, ex rel. Edward Walsh, vs. The Board of Police—Order entered staying proceedings under mandamus, pending appeal.

People, ex rel. James Carroll, vs. The Board of Police—Order entered staying proceedings under mandamus, pending appeal.

James W. Lindsay vs. Charles A. St. John—Order discontinuing action, without costs, entered.

In re Adele T. Whitcombe—Order entered vacating the assessment.

In re Leonard Appleby—Order entered vacating the assessment.

People, ex rel. N. Y. Elevated R. R. Co., vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Judgment record on certiorari filed.

Robert T. Reiley—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$1,232.60.

Frederick Booss—Order entered vacating the assessment.

Metropolitan Gas-light Company—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$239,127.13.

In re Meyer Stern et al. (sale for Third avenue paving)—Order entered vacating the sale.

Patrick Muldoon—Judgment entered in favor of the City for \$108.69 costs, etc.

In re Charles M. Marsh (paving Twentieth street)—Order entered vacating the assessment.

Silphy Ann Walton (paving Nineteenth street)—Order entered vacating the assessment.

Marie L. Hankins—Order discontinuing action, without costs, entered.

In re Robert Schell (One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street)—Order on remittitur entered vacating the assessment, and for \$146.37 costs and disbursements.

Jarvis B. Smith—Judgment entered that the Comptroller pay liens on moneys due under contract of Robt. McChristie, and to the City \$75 in lieu of costs.

Pierre Van Alstyne—Referee's report filed dismissing plaintiff's complaint.

David Domroe—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$598.26.

In re John Black—Order entered vacating the assessment.

In re Daniel H. Jones (paving Fortieth street)—Order entered to vacate assessment.

In re James S. Burton (paving Fortieth street)—Order entered to vacate assessment.

In re James M. Montgomery (paving Fortieth street)—Order entered to vacate assessment.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Calvin Griggs vs. Copeland—Tried before Alker, C. J., and jury—Jury disagreed.

David Domroe—Tried before Spier, J., and jury—Verdict for plaintiff for \$394.34; motion for new trial made and denied.

People, ex rel. William H. Dannat, vs. John Kelly, Comptroller—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Gustavus Bunge, vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. John T. Haneman, vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Ernst Pfarrins, vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.

In re Robert Boyd, First avenue flagging, etc.—Submitted at Chambers to Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.

In re — Payor, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Ellen S. Auchmuty, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Sarah Sibbald, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Cornelius McEnroe, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re George Garlan, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Edward Burns, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Emanuel Bernheimer, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Francis Mark, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Elizabeth Jones, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re John Matthews, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re George Jones, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re William Schermerhorn, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re John J. Schermerhorn, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Edward S. Schermerhorn, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Margaret Flannery, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re Simon Baker, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re — Browning, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re George F. Jones, First avenue flagging, etc.—do do do

In re William Turnbull, Thirty-third street paving—Submitted to Lawrence, J.

In re — Cary, Thirty-third street paving—do do

In re Aaron J. Vanderpoel et al., executors, Thirty-third street paving—Submitted to Lawrence, J.

In re Morris H. Taylor—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.

In re Estate of Martin Zborowski—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.

In re Jacob Weber—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.

In re Chas. A. Chesebrough—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.

In re Patrick Littlewood—Tried before Spier, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$2,500.

Francis Humbert—Tried before Spier, J.; request made on the part of the City to direct a verdict for \$114.34, and interest from November 8, 1878, as offered to plaintiff; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Geo. W. Dilks, vs. The Board of Police—Appeal from order granting mandamus argued at General Term; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Edward Walsh, vs. The Board of Police—Appeal from order granting mandamus argued at General Term; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. James Carroll, vs. The Board of Police—Appeal from order granting mandamus argued at General Term; decision reserved.
 In re Anna Balser—Argued before Larremore, J.; motion to vacate assessment; decision reserved.
 John McKesson—Plaintiff examined before trial.
 Washington Tobias—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.
 In re Gabella Garvey (Madison avenue)—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.
 In re Union Theological Seminary (Madison avenue)—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.
 In re Daniel H. Jones (Fortieth street paving)—Submitted to Lawrence, J.
 In re James M. Montgomery (Fortieth street paving)—Submitted to Lawrence, J.
 In re James S. Burnton (Fortieth street paving)—Submitted to Lawrence, J.
 In re David King, Jr., et al. (Seventy-second street paving)—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.
 In re Thos. H. Walter (Seventy-second street paving)—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.
 In re August Belmont (Seventy-second street paving)—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.
 People, ex rel. Mark Haggerty, vs. Police Board—Argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.
 People, ex rel. Jacob Siebert, vs. Police Board—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.
 Charles Davis—Plaintiff examined before trial.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

Statement and Return of Moneys Received by ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the Month of March, 1879, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Section 3, Part II., Chapter VI., Title VI., Revised Statutes; and Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and paid into the Treasury of the City.

DATE.	ESTATE OF	INTESTATE ESTATES AND COMMISSIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
March 31, 1879	Mrs. Roeder.....	\$0 67	
	Christian Gadman.....	70 83	
	Elizabeth Ann Myers.....	5 25	
	Antoine Mouzat.....	2 72	
	Felix Henry Morley.....	5 63	
	Charlotte Yeomans.....	4 45	
	Matilda Hamner.....	8 44	
	De Raldu.....	27 36	
	Thomas Lewis.....	5 00	
	Fritz Fisher.....	1 84	
			\$132 19

ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN,
Public Administrator.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 28th day of March, 1879.
 Present—Messrs. Smith, Erhardt and Nichols, Commissioners.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Roundsman Charles L. Schanwecker, Eleventh Precinct, one and a half days, without pay.
 Patrolman Michael McDonald, Ninth Precinct, five days, without pay.
 " John O'Connell, Steamboat Squad, four days, without pay.

Leaves of Absence Granted under Rule 564.

March 24. Patrolman Michael R. Faut, Sixteenth Precinct, one day.
 " 24. " Stephen Hubbard, Detective Squad, half day.
 " 24. " John Shields, Thirty-first Precinct, half day.
 " 24. " George S. Kelk, Twentieth Precinct, one day.
 " 24. " Michael Hartigan, Twenty-first Precinct, three days.
 March 27. Captain Charles McDonnell, Eighth Precinct, two days.
 " 27. Patrolman Hugh H. Beene, Twenty-fifth Precinct, one day.

Parades Approved.

Barnum's Greatest Show on Earth, April 10. Parade.
 Ancient Order Hibernians, No. 4, March 26. Funeral.

Masked Balls Allowed.

Citizen Frauen K. U. Verein, at Central Hall, April 14.
 Committee of Ladies, at Science Hall, April 24.

Reports of the Superintendent on the character of 33 Bowery and American Theatre, 443 and 445 Third avenue, were ordered on file, and copies to be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.
 Report of Captain Copeland, Thirteenth Precinct, relative to temporary detail of Patrolman Peter Moran and Patrolman Charles F. Judson, was ordered on file.

Death Reported.

Patrolman Michael Sullivan, Fifth Precinct, at 7.50 P. M., 27th instant.
 Application of Surgeon Dexter, for a copy of charges made against him by Chief Surgeon Henry, was ordered on file.

Applications for Transfer Denied.

Sergeant Cornelius Weston, Thirtieth Precinct, Patrolman Henry G. Wass, First Precinct.
 Applications for transfer ordered to be returned and forwarded through proper channels:
 Patrolman Patrick Leahy, Sixteenth Precinct, Patrolman Adolph L. Miller, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Application of Roundsman Wm. Magee, Twenty-eighth Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination.
 Application of Patrolman Patrick H. Curry, Thirty-second Precinct, for promotion, was ordered on file.

Application of Captain Eakins, Fifth Precinct, for detail of Patrolman Dermott Farley, on Corporation Ordinances, was ordered to be returned to the Captain for further report as to the physical condition of said Farley.

Application of Patrolman Daniel H. Hitchcock, Sixteenth Precinct, for detail, was ordered on file.

Application of Doorman John Gillen, Twenty-eighth Precinct, for permission to commence suit against the Mayor, etc., for salary, was referred to the Counsel to the Board.

Application of Mary A. McKee and Mary Fisher, for pensions, were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

An ordinance of the Common Council to secure right of way to ambulances belonging to the Department of Charities and Correction, and to incorporate hospitals in the City of New York, was referred to the Superintendent to promulgate.

The Treasurer submitted a statement of the amount received for sale of horses (\$84), which was referred to the Comptroller.

Communication from Captain Saunders, Twenty-seventh Precinct, relative to Patrolman Joseph J. McEvoy, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Communication from his Honor the Mayor, asking information as to character of the Belvidere No. 23, Bowery, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

Resolved, That the petitions of the following-named members of the force for half-pay for time lost in recovering from injuries sustained in the discharge of their duties, be granted;

Patrolman Peter J. Monahan, Fourteenth Precinct, December 23, 1878, to February 7, 1879.
 " Charles Meyer, Fourteenth Precinct, January 2, 1879, to 6 A. M. February 9, 1879.

On reading communication from Captain Leary, Thirtieth Precinct, it was
 Resolved, That Patrolman George Gray, now temporarily detailed in Thirtieth Precinct, be remanded to patrol duty in Thirty-second Precinct.

On reading communication from H. L. Shugg, transmitted by his Honor the Mayor, complaining of annoyances from boys at the City Hall Station of the Elevated Railroad, it was

Resolved, That copies of reports of the Superintendent and Captain Petty, Fourth Precinct, on the subject be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor; and that Patrolman Declan Kennedy, Eighth Precinct, be transferred to the Fourth Precinct, and detailed for duty at the City Hall Station of the Elevated Railroad.

On reading communication from Julius Blankenstein, it was

Resolved, That Captain Thomas M. Ryan, Sixteenth Precinct, be granted permission to receive a cigar-holder, as a reward for services rendered—Commissioners Smith and Nichols voting aye; Commissioner Erhardt voting no.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to report in writing to the Committee on Rules and Discipline the character and extent of injuries received by Roundsman Charles S. Colton, Fourth Precinct, or other disabilities said officer may be suffering from.

Resolved, That Captain Petty, Fourth Precinct, be directed to report to the Committee on Rules and Discipline the facts, circumstances, and all evidence attending the injuries or disability received by Roundsman Charles S. Colton, Fourth Precinct.

Whereas, It appears that James Gilbride is, by statute, ineligible to appointment as Patrolman, therefore

Resolved, That the resolution appointing James Gilbride a Patrolman (subject to re-examination), passed March 25, 1879, be and is hereby rescinded.

Appointments as Patrolmen.

James J. Connor, Fourteenth Precinct.
 Franklin P. Germam, Tenth Precinct.
 William P. Durkin, Eleventh Precinct.

Resolved, That the power of Attorney of D. W. C. Wheeler, Treasurer of Police, by which he constitutes and appoints William F. Smith, President of the Board of Police, to be his attorney as such Treasurer, is hereby approved—all voting aye:

Resolved, That the following transfers, details, and remands to patrol duty, be and are hereby ordered:

Patrolman James Reilley, from Nineteenth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.
 " Jacob Brunner, from Eighteenth Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct.
 " Maurice Finn, from Fourth Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 " Owen Wheeler, from Eighth Precinct to Ninth Precinct.
 " Hiram Long, from Twelfth Precinct to Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 " Charles Lenz, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.
 " John W. Forbush, from Twenty-eighth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.
 " Daniel Fitzpatrick, from Twelfth Precinct to First Precinct.
 " James F. Madden, Fourteenth Precinct, remanded to patrol duty.
 " Peter J. Monahan, Fourteenth Precinct, detailed V. C. O. and Street Cleaning.

The following was offered:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following named Roundsmen be and are hereby remanded to patrol duty:

Precinct	Precinct
Roundsman Christopher Wall..... 8	Roundsman Dennis Leary..... 11
" James J. Cullen..... 13	" Dennis Collins..... 11
" John McNamara..... 13	" Henry F. Jacoby..... 21
" John McDonald..... 29	" William T. Coffey..... 27
" Charles Tiernan..... 10	" Bernard F. McEnroe..... 12
" Thomas J. Egan..... 12	" James Brady..... 15
" William Hickey..... 18	" Henry O. Corbett..... 22
" Owen Maloney..... 27	

Commissioner Smith moved to amend by striking out name of James Brady. Carried—Commissioners Smith and Nichols voting aye, Commissioner Erhardt voting no.

The question then being taken on original resolution, was carried—all voting aye.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to report to the Board a schedule showing precincts to which the above-named should be transferred.

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

Resolved, That the following bills be and they are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—Commissioners Smith and Nichols voting aye, Commissioner Erhardt voting no.

Acme Stationery and Paper Co., manila paper..... \$50 00	James D. Leary, coal..... 45 00
Allan Hay Co., soap..... 34 02	" " "..... 43 80
Daniel T. Ames, engraving..... 12 00	" " "..... 42 00
Mary A. Baker, meals..... 391 75	" " "..... 42 00
J. S. Barron & Co., brooms, etc..... 84 75	Owen McPartlin, expenses..... 1 68
Patrick Breslin, expenses..... 1 10	J. W. Mason & Co., chairs..... 16 50
William F. Boehm, sidewalk repairs..... 34 30	" " "..... 16 50
Martin B. Brown, books..... 126 00	" " "..... 8 50
" " "..... 27 25	" " "..... 10 00
" " slates..... 7 50	Mitchell, Vance & Co., repairs, fixtures..... 7 88
Robert C. Brown, repairs..... 5 75	C. B. Morris, horse feed..... 160 38
" " "..... 33 15	" " "..... 89 35
" " "..... 19 58	T. W. Morris & Co., glass..... 20 65
Ira W. Boice, carriage hire..... 37 00	E. Morgan Sons' Co., soap..... 27 80
A. M. Burroughs, photographs..... 15 00	Murphy & Nesbitt, lime and sand..... 21 40
" remounting photographs..... 47 13	" " "..... 15 50
J. B. & J. M. Cornell, iron ladder..... 17 50	Patterson Bros., hardware..... 18 99
Thomas J. Cox, expenses..... 1 10	" " "..... 1 90
Thomas J. Cox, Jr., expenses..... 2 40	" " "..... 14 00
C. D. Cunningham, keeping horse..... 25 00	" " "..... 5 92
Composite Iron Works, wire railing..... 60 00	" " "..... 40 20
William Dall, horse feed..... 37 27	" " "..... 3 00
J. H. Dahman, horse..... 200 00	" rope..... 2 63
Herman Dathe, lounge repairs..... 9 00	N. F. Palmer, Jr., & Co., repairs..... 10 75
" " "..... 9 00	E. S. Parker, expenses..... 5 31
F. W. Devoe & Co., paints and oil..... 42 50	Pearce & Jones, telegraph repairs, etc..... 102 03
" oil, etc..... 8 50	Pollock & Van Wagenen, oil..... 7 35
John Doran, newspapers..... 8 76	" oil..... 1 10
Frazee & Co., horse feed..... 170 86	" oil..... 10 56
Fairbanks & Co., scales..... 35 85	Pollock & Van Wagenen, wicks and chimneys..... 1 55
B. Gray, carriage hire..... 57 50	Potter & Styms Mfg Co., photograph cases..... 243 70
Thomas J. Gallon, horseshoeing..... 46 70	Peter Robinson, sweeping flues..... 4 00
Gas Co.—N. Y. Mutual, gas..... 597 17	Abraham Steers, lumber..... 19 34
" Harlem, gas..... 103 40	" " "..... 3 42
" Metropolitan, gas..... 58 95	A. T. Stewart & Co., muslin..... 24 91
" New York, gas..... 26 98	" " "..... 2 40
" Central, gas..... 17 00	W. & J. Sloane, carpets..... 27 73
" Northern, gas..... 25 80	" " "..... 75 62
E. P. Gleason Manuf. Co., gas burners..... 1 00	Theodore F. Tone, coal..... 80 00
Gutta-Percha & Rubber Co., hose..... 8 72	" " "..... 40 00
Alex. H. Horton, lumber..... 124 79	T. & W. Thorn & Co., coal..... 45 00
Howe Bros., horseshoeing..... 47 00	Union Paste Co., paste..... 1 65
William Hughes, stair repairs..... 73 00	Samuel E. Warren, engraving..... 57 50
Wm. H. Jackson, meals..... 8 25	Mary Webb, meals..... 46 20
" " "..... 50	" meals, etc..... 40 05
Wm. Johnson, cartages..... 11 00	Walter A. White, coal..... 48 00
Joseph King (estate), carriage hire..... 8 00	J. S. Warren & Co., window shades..... 6 00
Thos. Kirkpatrick, gold medal..... 50 00	R. R. Wheatley, horse feed..... 90 00
John L. Kipp, wagon materials..... 25 82	
B. H. Lawrence, horseshoeing..... 22 00	
James D. Leary, coal..... 15 50	
" " "..... 45 00	
	\$4,617 85

Judgments—Dismissals.

Patrolman Richard Brown, Eighth Precinct.
 " Owen O'Neil, Eighteenth Precinct.

Fines Imposed.

Patrolman John Buckley, First Precinct, one day's pay.
 " Patrick T. Morris, First Precinct, three days' pay.
 " Samuel Finnegan, First Precinct, three days' pay.
 " Richard H. Breen, Fifth Precinct, two days' pay.
 " David Bartley, Eighth Precinct, half day's pay.
 " Patrick Hugh, Eighth Precinct, half day's pay.
 " Patrick Hugh, Eighth Precinct, two days' pay.
 " John Poppe, Ninth Precinct, half day's pay.
 " John G. Creighton, Ninth Precinct, half day's pay.
 " George F. Mueller, Tenth Precinct, three days' pay.
 " Patrick Brennan, Tenth Precinct, half day's pay.
 " Thomas J. Crystal, Tenth Precinct, one day's pay.
 " George R. Jacob, Fourteenth Precinct, two days' pay.
 " Thomas F. Wall, Sixteenth Precinct, half day's pay.
 " Francis J. Moxley, Fifteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
 " Peter McDermott, Fifteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
 " George W. Bentley, Eighteenth Precinct, two days' pay.
 " Michael T. Joyce, Eighteenth Precinct, three days' pay.
 " Robert Edmiston, Nineteenth Precinct, two days' pay.
 " Theodore Goodenough, Nineteenth Precinct, two days' pay.
 " Nicholas Rooney, Twentieth Precinct, half day's pay.

Patrolman Henry B. Carroll, Twentieth Precinct, half day's pay.
 " Thomas Jaques, Twentieth Precinct, half day's pay.
 " John Molloy, Twenty-first Precinct, two days' pay.
 " George W. Richards, Twenty-second Precinct, half day's pay.
 " James Dooley, Twenty-second Precinct, one day's pay.
 " James A. Buchanan, Twenty-second Precinct, half day's pay.
 " Nelson Blangey, Twenty-third Precinct, five days' pay.
 " Timothy Kennedy, Twenty-sixth Precinct, three days' pay.
 " Philander S. Weeks, Twenty-ninth Precinct, three days' pay.
 " John Conklin, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one day's pay.
 " Michael Savage, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one day's pay.

Complaints Dismissed.

Precinct.		Precinct.
Patrolman William Pelton.....	1	Patrolman David Gerrow..... 18
“ Albert B. Johnson.....	4	Sergeant Myron Allen..... 20
“ B. M. Thompson.....	8	Patrolman Eugene Reiley..... 20
“ Michael Connors.....	16	“ William Burke..... 20
“ Charles Bernstein.....	17	“ John W. Campbell..... 21

Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Health Department, transmitting reports of Sanitary Inspectors on the condition of certain streets, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Report of the treasurer of moneys received for sale of manure (\$83.00) was ordered to be forwarded to the Comptroller.

On motion of Commissioner Nichols, the following correspondence with the Health Department was ordered to be entered in the minutes:

To the Board of Health:

The advent of mild weather and disappearance of the accumulations of ice in the streets has rendered it possible, during the last week, to push vigorously the cleaning away the winter's accumulation of street dirt. Over 14,000 loads of street dirt and 20,000 loads of ashes—total, 34,000 loads—were collected during the past week. It was intended to do an equal amount of work during the present week. The Bureau of Street Cleaning has and can obtain no place to dispose of the material inside of Sandy Hook, and must necessarily go to sea and waste the material or allow it to accumulate at the dumps. The high easterly winds on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday defeated all attempts to go to sea, and the same condition of weather continues to-day, with a prophecy by the weather bureau of still heavier winds. Until the winds abate or change it will be impossible to go to sea with any craft that can be procured.

Under these circumstances it is deemed desirable, in the interests of the public health, to proceed with the cleaning of the streets and collecting the material ready for disposition whenever the condition of the winds will allow, provided the assent and approval of your Honorable Board can be had to accumulate the material at the dumps for a short period, and until favorable weather shall allow its removal to sea, that being now the only disposition that can be lawfully made of it.

Application is therefore respectfully made to the Honorable the Board of Health for its consent and approval to deposit and accumulate at the several dumps of the Bureau of Street Cleaning of the materials collected in street cleaning for a few days, and until there shall occur such a change of wind and weather as will allow the offensive material to be transported and wasted at sea. An early response to this application is requested in the interests of public health.

Very respectfully,

WM. F. SMITH.

NEW YORK, March 25, 1879.

Gen'l WM. F. SMITH, President, etc.:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Health, held this day, it was

Resolved, That this Board cannot give the permission requested by the President of the Board of Police to accumulate ashes and garbage at the dumps, for the reason that the law, chapter 677 of 1872, is explicit in requiring a daily removal, and this Board has no jurisdiction in the matter. In the opinion of this Board, of the two evils, accumulating refuse at the dumps is less objectionable than leaving it in the streets.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

On reading communication from the Department of Docks, it was

Resolved, That permission be granted to Messrs. Clark, Reeves & Co., to remove the dumping board situate on the south side of pier at One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river, in order that more room may be had for landing iron material for the Metropolitan Elevated R. R., on condition that the said dumping board shall be replaced in its present condition, and possession thereof given to the Police Department on five days' notice, Messrs. Clark, Reeves & Co. to execute an undertaking in writing to that effect before such removal is made.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. A. & M. D. Currier to erect and keep ornamental lamp-post and lamps, not to exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, in front of No. 144 Fulton street, the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 11, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, March 24, 1879.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested to repair the pavements of the following streets: Mangin street, Goerck street, Suffolk street, Norfolk street, Hester street, Sheriff street, Pitt street, Ridge street, Mulberry street, Mott street, Marion street, Park street, Leonard street, White street, Franklin street, City Hall place, James street, Roosevelt street, Oak street, Water street (from Catharine street north), Gold street, Vandewater street, Cliff street, Division street, Henry street, Monroe street, Hamilton street, Cherry street, Pike street, Rutgers street, Jefferson street, Montgomery street, Gouverneur street and slip, Jackson street, East street, Corlears street, Pelham street, Birmingham street, and that Madison street be repaved from Market to Grand street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 11, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, March 24, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Alexander D. Wilson to place and keep a post, surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk in front of No. 1307 Broadway, at the curb line intersection of Broadway and Sixth avenue, similar to the post and clock now in front of the Fifth Avenue Hotel, provided the post shall not exceed in dimensions the size prescribed by resolution for posts for ornamental lamps, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 11, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, March 24, 1879.

AN ORDINANCE to secure the right of way to ambulances belonging to the Department of Public Charities and Correction and to incorporated hospitals in the City of New York.

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

Section 1. The ambulances belonging to the Department of Public Charities and Correction and incorporated hospitals in the City of New York shall have the right of way in the streets of said city as against all persons, vehicles, or animals, when conveying any patient or injured person to any hospital in the city, or when proceeding to the scene of any accident by which any person or persons have been injured; and any person refusing to yield the right of way, where it is possible, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished pursuant to the provisions of sections 20 and 21 of chapter XL, Laws of 1833, and the provisions of section 5 of article IV., Laws of 1853; and the Commissioners of Police are hereby required to enforce, rigidly, the provisions of this ordinance.

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 11, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, March 24, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Naumburg, Kraus, Lauer & Co. to place and keep a wooden bridge over gutter in front of premises Nos. 61 and 63 Wooster street, the work to be done at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 11, 1879.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 25, 1879, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

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 March 22, 1879.

Barometer.

DATE. MARCH.	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, 16	30.052	30.037	30.086	30.044	30.048	30.009	30.030	30.128	30.097	30.006	29.988
Monday, 17	29.854	29.831	29.636	29.600	29.821	29.804	29.745	30.034	30.003	29.636	29.600
Tuesday, 18	30.000	30.004	30.014	29.996	30.011	30.004	30.001	30.046	30.039	29.870	29.861
Wednesday, 19	30.071	30.079	30.080	30.060	30.110	30.083	30.110	30.111	30.111	30.046	30.039
Thursday, 20	30.171	30.158	30.148	30.101	30.112	30.081	30.113	30.196	30.173	30.078	30.043
Friday, 21	29.866	29.840	29.841	29.806	30.040	30.001	29.882	30.110	30.087	29.828	29.800
Saturday, 22	30.226	30.211	30.112	30.096	29.820	29.800	30.036	30.285	30.266	29.768	29.745

Mean for the week..... 29.984 inches.

Maximum " at 9 A. M., March 22..... 30.266 "

Minimum " at 2 P. M., March 17..... 29.600 "

Range "666 "

Thermometers.

DATE. MARCH.	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, 16	34	31	44	39	43	39	40.3	48	5 P. M.	41	5 P. M.	98
Monday, 17	37	35	42	40	35	34	38.0	44	1 P. M.	42	1 P. M.	74
Tuesday, 18	27	26	35	31	33	31	31.7	39	4 P. M.	34	4 P. M.	100
Wednesday, 19	28	26	36	33	33	33	32.3	39	5 P. M.	34	5 P. M.	101
Thursday, 20	35	31	46	39	46	40	42.3	46	3 P. M.	40	3 P. M.	92
Friday, 21	38	36	41	39	43	40	40.6	38.3	5 P. M.	46	5 P. M.	8
Saturday, 22	34	31	38	35	36	34	36.0	33.3	11 A. M.	38	11 A. M.	78

Mean for the week..... 37.3 degrees..... 34.3 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 5 P. M., 21st..... 50. " at 5 P. M., 21st..... 45. "

Minimum " at 6 A. M., 19th..... 27. " at 6 A. M., 19th..... 25. "

Range " 23. " 21. "

Wind.

DATE. MARCH.	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, 16	NNE	SW	SSE	15	64	36	115	0	1	0	2 1/2
Monday, 17	ENE	NW	W	56	34	39	129	3/4	0	1/4	4
Tuesday, 18	NW	NW	NW	80	53	32	165	1/2	1/2	0	3
Wednesday, 19	NE	NW	ENE	22	22	17	61	0	1/4	0	1 1/2
Thursday, 20	SSE	WSW	SE	14	58	40	112	1/2	1 1/2	0	3
Friday, 21	NE	NW	W	47	43	41	131	1/4	1/4	1/4	2 1/4
Saturday, 22	NE	ENE	NNE	71	65	52	188	3/4	1/2	1	3

Distance traveled during the week..... 901 miles.

Maximum force " " 4 pounds.

DATE. MARCH.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.		
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			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.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday, 16	.139	.173	.186	71	60	67	0	6 Cu.	2 Cu.
Monday, 17	.178	.221	.183	81	83	90	10	Fog.	10
Tuesday, 18	.129	.128	.151	88	63	80	5 Cu.	1 Cu.	0
Wednesday, 19	.117	.149	.151	77	70	80	3 Cir.	9 Cu.	0
Thursday, 20	.128	.147	.169	63	47	54	6 Cir. Cu.	9 Cir. Cu.	9 Cir. Cu.
Friday, 21	.186	.212	.208	81	82	75	Fog.	Hazy.	0
Saturday, 22	.139	.165	.170	71	72	80	2 Cu.	10	10

Total amount of water for the week..... 1.35 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, 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

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. HAMILIN, 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. 17 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 CADY, 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 W. REDENBURG, 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 JUSSSEN, 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.

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. LOEW, 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.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS,

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, March 27, 1879.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit: 250,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as good sweet Timothy, 50,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw, 1,800 bags clean white Oats, 80 pounds to the bag, 1,200 bags fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag, will be received at these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 9th proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

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

Proposals must include all of the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and feed.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

Blank forms of proposals, together with such further information as may be required, may be obtained upon application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed form of contract may also be seen.

Proposals must be endorsed upon the envelope, "Proposals for furnishing Forage," with the name of the bidder, and be addressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals received, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

VINCENT C. KING,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
(155 & 157 MERCER STREET),
NEW YORK, March 27, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT NINE (9) horses will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirteenth street, on Friday, the 4th proximo, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers.

VINCENT C. KING,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
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,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSSEN,
Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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, situated on Riverside avenue, near Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets.

The sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday the 8th 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 March 25, 1879.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

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)

GAS COMMISSION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 24, 1879.

PROPOSALS FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC LAMPS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR other illuminating material for, and Lighting, Extinguishing, Cleaning, Repairing, and Maintaining the Public Lamps (and supplying Gas, etc., for New Lamps when required) on the Streets, Avenues, Piers, and Places in the City of New York, under the care and charge of the Department of Public Works, excepting the Twenty-third Ward, and that portion of the Twenty-fourth Ward formerly known as the town of West Farms, for the period of one year, commencing May 1, 1879, and ending April 30, 1880, both days inclusive.

Proposals for the above, made in accordance with section 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and chapter 125 of Laws of 1878, and Revised Ordinances of 1859, chapter 8, article 2, and inclosed in a sealed envelope indorsed "Proposals for furnishing the Illuminating Material for, and Lighting and Extinguishing, Cleaning, Repairing and Maintaining the Public Lamps," with the name of the party making the same written thereon, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, April 7, 1879, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by said Commissioner and read.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them; and if no other person be so interested, they 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.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid or proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties 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 amount of security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, 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 1859, organizing the Municipal Government 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 sureties offered to be determined by the Comptroller.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals the several streets or parts of streets in which they propose to perform the requirements herein contained, and also the illuminating or candle power of the gas they propose to furnish, when tested at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture; and bidders proposing to furnish any illuminating material other than illuminating or coal gas, must state distinctly what kind of material they propose to furnish, and the illuminating power of the burner they propose to use for the same.

Bidders are also required to state the price for which they will furnish the gas (of not less than sixteen candle power by photometrical test, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture) or other illuminating material for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, and replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, crossheads, lamp-irons, and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1879, to April 30, 1880, both days inclusive; stating the price for the above named period of one year for each lamp.

Bidders are also required to state a price for which they will repair lamp-posts, including straightening and releading, and for each new lamp fitted up, as follows:

For each lamp-post straightened, stating the price per post.

For each column relabeled, stating the price per post.

For each lamp-post removed, stating the price per post.

For each lamp-post reset, stating the price per post.

For each new lamp fitted up, stating the price per post.

The bidders are required to write out the amount of their bids in their estimates, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The number of lamps to be contracted for is about nineteen thousand.

The burners for illuminating gas are to be of a capacity to burn three cubic feet of gas per hour under a pressure of one inch, and in case the illuminating material shall be other than illuminating gas, then the burners to be used for such illuminating material shall give a light (by photometrical test, equal to the light given by the gas-burners in use in the public lamps in the City of New York.

Should any alteration or any attachment be required to any portion of the lamps for which proposals are made, in consequence of the use of illuminating material other than gas, then such alterations shall be done, and such attachment placed on the lamps without expense to the city.

The number of hours the lamps are to be kept burning during the contract is four thousand hours.

The amount of security required is \$50,000 on all contracts, which will amount to \$100,000, or more, and on smaller contracts the security shall be sixty per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is so awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his bid or proposal, or if he accept but does not execute the contract and give the proper security, it may be readvertised and relet as provided by law and ordinance.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless a written permission shall have been previously obtained from the Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works.

The right is reserved to assign and designate to any bidder, whose bid shall be accepted, the number and location of the lamps to be lighted by such bidder, in any portion of the city for which proposals are received, and to increase or diminish such number.

The right is reserved to determine and designate, after the proposals are opened, what illuminating material shall be used in the public lamps, or any number of them, during the period before mentioned; also to decline any or all proposals if deemed for the interests of the Corporation; and no proposal will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, 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.

If the proposal of any bidder proposing to furnish illuminating gas shall include any lamps with which the pipes or mains of such bidder are not connected at the time of the making of the bid, and a contract for furnishing the gas for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, and maintaining any such lamps, shall be awarded to such bidder, in that case, thirty days from the date of the execution of such contract, and such further time, not exceeding thirty days, as may be deemed reasonable by the Commissioner of Public Works, shall be allowed to such bidder in which to connect such pipes or mains with such lamps.

But no payment to such bidder, on account of any such lamps, will be made for the time so allowed, nor until the same shall have been connected with the mains of such bidder, nor except for the time during which all the requirements herein mentioned shall have been fully performed.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained on application at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, March 7, 1879.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 4th day of March, 1879, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional sections to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health, be and the same are hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, March 28, 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Augusta
Burke; aged 47 years; 5 feet 3 inches high. Nothing
known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

ARTHUR PHILLIPS,
Secretary, pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, March 27, 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Sarah Doolittle;
aged 28 years. Committed March 17, 1879. Nothing
known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, March 25, 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—
Joseph Radford; aged 34 years; 5 feet 8 inches high;
gray hair; black eyes. Nothing known of his friends or
relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, March 24, 1879.

**PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GRO-
CERIES, HARDWARE, CODFISH, ETC.**

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, April 4, 1879, at which time
they will be publicly opened and read by the head of
said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the foot
of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the De-
partment—

DRY GOODS.
2,000 Quills.
2,500 pounds Knitting Cotton.
GROCERIES.
100,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
20,000 " Rio Coffee.
7,500 " Crackers.
5,000 " Cheese.
250 " Tapioca.
4,000 " Dried Apples.
CODFISH.
300 quintals Codfish.
HARDWARE.
6 dozen Garden Spades.
6 " Rakes.
6 " " Hoes (Drawing).
3 " " Hoes (Pushing).
3 " Hay Rakes.
MISCELLANEOUS.
250 bales Hay.
50 barrels Cement.
50 " Joint Lime.

The quality of the goods furnished must conform in
every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at
this office, and bidders must examine specifications for
particulars of goods required before making their
proposals.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as prac-
ticable after the opening of the bids.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by
the consent, in writing, of two householders or free-
holders of the City of New York, with their respective
places of business or residence, to the effect that, if the
contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its
being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the esti-
mated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful per-
formance, 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 re-
serve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed
to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for
the whole bid or for any single article included in the
proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a
contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the
Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter,
as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the
Corporation.

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISE.

THE FRANCHISE TO RUN THE FERRY FROM
the foot of Grand street, East river, north side, in the
City of New York to Broadway, in the City of Brooklyn,
E. D., will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder,
at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York,
on Thursday, April 11, 1879, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the
period of ten years from May 1, 1879.

The form of the lease required to be executed by the
highest bidder can be seen at the office of the Comptroller
on and after April 7, 1879.

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

The leases will contain a covenant requiring the lessees
to pay rent quarterly to the Comptroller.

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

Security, satisfactory to the Comptroller, will be re-
quired for the punctual performance by the lessees of the
covenants of the lease of this franchise.

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

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

DATED NEW YORK,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 29, 1879.

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. 114 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. 89 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. 73, 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 ave-
nues, 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 ave-
nues, lots Nos. 26 to 33.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be ob-
tained 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.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, Auctioneer.

**MARKET CELLARS AND ROOMS IN VARIOUS
MARKETS TO BE LEASED AT AUCTION ON
FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 1879.**

THE LEASES OF THE FOLLOWING DE-
scribed property, belonging to the Corporation of
the City of New York, will be sold by the Com-
missioners of the Sinking Fund, at PUBLIC AUCTION, at the
New County Court House, on FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 1879, at
11 o'clock, A. M., for the term of TWO YEARS, from May
1, 1879.

FULTON MARKET.—Cellars Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10,
11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21.

House over the market.

CENTRE MARKET.—Cellars Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10
and 11.

Part of second floor.

ESSEX MARKET.—Small cellars Nos. 1 and 2; cellars 2, 3,
4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10.

GOVERNOR MARKET.—Market building (not occupied
for stands) and cellar.

FRANKLIN MARKET, CELLARS NOS. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

—Second floor; front part of main floor; centre
main floor; balance of main floor.

OLD CATHERINE FISH MARKET.—Premises formerly oc-
cupied by the market.

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 re-
quired, 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, if forfeited, if the lessee does not ex-
ecute 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 re-
sale.

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 de-
faulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to
the Corporation. (Sec. 99 of Charter of 1872.)

The leases will contain the usual covenants and con-
ditions, 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 pay-
ment of the rent quarterly, and the fulfillment on their
part of the covenants of the lease.

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

**CORPORATION SALE OF THE SHED AND
BUILDING ON WEST STREET, HAVING A
FRONT OF 36 FEET ON GANSEVOORT
STREET, AND EXTENDING 360 FEET
ALONG WEST STREET.**

**THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING
Fund of the City of New York will sell at public
auction on**

FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 1879, AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

at the New County Court-house, the shed and building
on the east side of West street, having a front of 36 feet
on Gansevoort street, and extending 360 feet along West
street.

TERMS OF SALE:

Cash to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue at the
time and place of sale. The successful bidder to remove
such shed and building at his own expense, within ten
days from the date of sale, and to leave the ground on
which they stand free from all material, and smoothly and
evenly graded.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
March 24, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

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 Court-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.

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
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell,
Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COUNTY-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.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

**THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS OF THE BOARD
of Aldermen will meet on Friday, April 4, at 1
o'clock P. M.**

By order of the Committee,

MATTHEW STEWART,
BERNARD KENNEY,
WILLIAM SAUER,
Committee on Streets.

JACOB M. PATTERSON, Jr.,
Clerk.

**THE COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS WILL
meet on Thursday, April 3, at 2 o'clock P. M.**

ROBERT HALL,
JOHN W. JACOBUS,
WILLIAM R. ROBERTS.

J. M. PATTERSON, Jr.,
Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
No. 8 City Hall,
NEW YORK, January 16, 1879.

**THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF
the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 8
City Hall, Monday, April 7, at 1 o'clock, P. M.**

By Order of the Committee,

HENRY C. PERLEY,
TERENCE KIERNAN,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
FREDERICK FINCK,
THOMAS CARROLL,
Committee on Public Works.

JACOB M. PATTERSON, Jr.,
Clerk.

**THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT
of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday
in the City Library, Room No. 12 City Hall, at 1 o'clock
P. M.**

By Order of the Committee,

J. GRAHAM HYATT,
Chairman.

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE COMMISSION.

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, ROOM 28,
NEW YORK, March 31, 1879.

PROPOSALS FOR ELEVATOR.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AN ELE-
vator in the New County Court-house, will be received
by the Commissioners for the Completion of the New
County Court-house, at the above address, until Monday,
April 14, 1879, at 12 o'clock, noon, when the same will be
publicly opened and read.

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

Each proposal must be accompanied by the consent, in
writing, of two householders or freeholders of the city of
New York, with their respective places of business or
residence, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded to
the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its
being so awarded, become bound as sureties, in the sum of
twenty-five hundred dollars, for its faithful performance;
and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to
execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation
any difference between the sum to which said person or
persons would be entitled on its completion, and that
which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to any
higher bidder, to whom the contract may be awarded at
any subsequent letting.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or
all proposals if, in their judgment, the same may be for the
interest of the city.

The sealed envelope, containing the estimate or pro-
posal, will be indorsed with the name or names of the per-
son or persons presenting the same, the date of its presen-
tation, and also the words "Proposal for Elevator."

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the plans,
specifications, and terms of contract, as approved by the
Council to the Corporation, may be seen at the office of
the Architect, Mr. Leopold Eidlitz, 128 Broadway.

WYLLIS BLACKSTONE,
JOHN P. CUMMING,
THOMAS B. TAPPEN,
FRANCIS BLESSING,
Commissioners for the completion of the
New County Court-house.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of
Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Alder-
men and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative
to the opening of Eighty-second street, from First ave-
nue 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, occu-
pant 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 assess-
ment, 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 Commis-
sioners, 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 situate, 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 Court-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.

In the matter of the application of the Department of
Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen,
and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to
the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street,
from Harlem river to Long Island Sound; and to the
opening of One Hundred and forty-ninth street, from
the Harlem river to the Southern Boulevard; and to the
opening of Westchester avenue, from Third avenue to
the city line at the Bronx river; and to the opening of
Cliff street, from Third avenue to Union avenue; and
to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-first street,
from Jerome avenue (late Central avenue) to Third
avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-
fifth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue; and
to the opening of Tinton avenue, from Westchester
avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; and to
the opening of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and
Fifty-sixth street to the Southern Boulevard; and to the
opening of Willis avenue, from One Hundred and
Forty-seventh street to Third avenue; and to the open-
ing of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from
Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue; and to the opening
of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Third ave-
nue to Elton avenue; and to the opening and widening
of Morris avenue, from Third avenue to Railroad ave-
nue at One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in the
Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WM. M.
Pritchard, Esq., to whom was referred by order of
this Court, dated the 24th day of March, 1879, the bill of
costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of this
proceeding for examination preliminary to taxation, will
hear all parties interested herein at his office, No. 49 Wall
street, City of New York, on Friday, the 4th day
of April, A. D. 1879, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Dated March 25, 1879.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of
Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Alder-
men, and Commonalty of the City of New York