

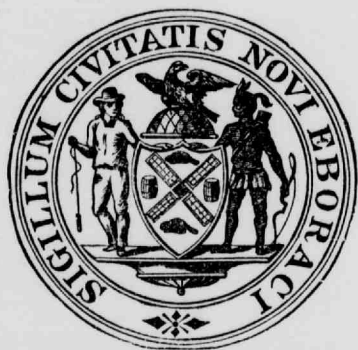
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending July 14, 1877.

Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the Sinking Fund	\$106,950 00
“ “ City Treasury	170,837 06
Total	\$277,787 06

Bonds and Stocks Issued.

Three per cent. Bonds	\$125,000 00
Five per cent. Bonds	9,000 00
Five per cent. Stock	15,000 00
Total	\$149,000 00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance	\$6,932 89
Armories and Drill-rooms—For Wages of Armorsers	381 00
Assessment Fund	6,298 00
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of	2,522 27
City Parks Improvement Fund	598 01
College of the City of New York	176 45
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office	139 88
“ Department of Buildings	38 00
“ Department of Public Works	250 00
“ Law Department	730 27
Coroners' Fees	5,211 00
Croton Water Fund	395 77
Croton Water-main Fund	13,800 29
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account	655 00
Department of Parks Improvement Bonds	100,000 00
Dock Fund	8,439 55
Fire Department Fund	795 50
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Cure of Contagious Diseases	341 37
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement, and Maintenance	375 07
Health Fund	1,864 25
Independence Day, Celebration of	34 72
Interest on the City Debt	53,529 17
Jurors' Fees	4,000 00
Lamps and Gas	12,601 87
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places	5,892 28
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, including Bridges over Bronx river, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	1,853 55
Museum of Art Fund	32 70
Museum of Natural History Fund	27 00
New County Court-house	20,000 00
New York Bridge Fund	100,000 00
New York Infant Asylum	6,991 53
New York Society for Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled	6,681 36
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	328 61
Public Charities and Correction	12,516 10
Public Instruction	6,339 95
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements	12,408 80
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	1,857 65
Repaving under Chapter 476, Laws of 1875	1,657 26
Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling	900 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd	1,658 43
Salaries—Judiciary	208 33
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	294 52
Street Improvement Fund	43,278 28
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street	1,911 29
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	677 41
Third District Court-house Fund	2,298 47
Union Home and School for Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers	1,971 36
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning	214 50
Total	\$450,109 71

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
John Mahan	\$1,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received from a blast in East Fifty-first street	
Sarah O'Brien, adm'x	36 00	For balance of salary of John O'Brien, Attendant, Marine Court, May, 1872	E. Sandford.
Michael Schwoerer	428 05	For work performed at Centre Market in 1873	Mullen & Flecke.

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	William I. Barker....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Fourth to Eighth avenue	J. A. Deering.
“	David W. Evans....	.....	To set aside sale of tax of 1869, on Lot No. 50, Block 372, Nineteenth Ward	C. Whelp.
“	Denis D. Collins, Jr., assignee	\$400 00	For services of Jno. A. Shea, Attendant, Marine Court, September 1 to December 31, 1871	E. Sandford.
“	Methodist Episcopal Church of Harlem .....	.....	To reduce assessment for extension of Madison avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street to Harlem river, on Nos. 20 to 26, Block 511	Allison & Shaw.
“	Stephen Valentine....	.....	Order to vacate assessment sale for sewers in First avenue, Fifty-third and other streets. Notice of Judgment	F. E. Westbrooke, Hodson & Maxwell.
“	John F. Dawson....	2,318 48	“ “	M. Butzel.
“	Benjamin F. Haskin..	96 97	“ “	
“	Daniel Blauvelt....	100 00	For services as Rodman, Department of Public Works, December, 1871	G. Nathan.
“	John P. Cuning....	11,475 31	Notice of Judgment	H. Parsons.
“	Wm. T. Ryerson....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Harlem river to Eighth avenue	C. H. Kitchel.
“	Wm. J. Underwood..	.....	Order to reduce assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Harlem river to Eighth avenue	“
“	James Wilkie, Jr....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Harlem river to Eighth avenue	“
“	Mortimer Porter....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Harlem river to Eighth avenue	“
“	John McGregor....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Harlem river to Eighth avenue	“
“	Executors of estate of Wm. T. Garner .....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Harlem river to Eighth avenue	“
“	Wm. T. Ryerson and another .....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Harlem river to Eighth avenue	“
“	E. D. Brown, executor .....	.....	Order to vacate sale for assessment, regulating, etc., First avenue, Thirty-sixth to Sixty-first street	H. A. Shipman.
“	“ “ .....	.....	Order to vacate assessment sale for opening Madison avenue, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street	“
“	“ “ .....	.....	Order to vacate assessment sale for opening Madison avenue, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street	“
“	“ “ .....	.....	Order to vacate assessment sale for sewers in Seventy-ninth and Eighty-third streets, Fourth to Fifth avenue	“
“	Ann McElvaney....	254 15	Mandamus to cancel tax of 1864 and 1865, and Croton water, 1863, on Nos. 604 and 605, Eighteenth Ward	L. Johnston.
“	Louis Arnheimer....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for paving Thirty-third street, Sixth to Tenth avenue	T. F. Neville.
Superior..	Edw'd McDonald et al.	1,185 00	For services in serving tax notices, to February 4, 1870	D. Wood.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
4046	June 13, 1877	Fire	M. Fiegel & Bro.	Materials, supplies, etc., as per advertisement of May 1, 1877 (estimate, \$1,268.70).
4047	May 25, “	Public Instruction	Isaac A. Hopper	Mason work on Grammar School building No. 16, Ninth Ward (\$13,395).
4048	Apr. 17, “	“	C. W. Alcott & Co.	1,100 cords oak wood, at \$5.97 per cord, \$6,567; 650 cords pine wood, at \$6.21 per cord, \$4,036.50 (total, \$10,603.50). To be completed June 1, 1878.
4049	“ 26, “	“	James D. Leary	10,500 tons coal (various sizes), at \$3.99 per ton (\$41,895.00). To be delivered on or before June 1, 1878.
4050	July 14, “	Police	Albert Chellborg, Jr.	4,000 registry books, 5,000 copies Election Law pamphlets, 7 oath books for Inspectors and Poll Clerks (\$927). To be delivered on or before August 10, 1877.
4051	“ 7, “	Public Works	John B. Healy (Special)	Fencing vacant lots bounded by Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, Fifth and Madison avenues (estimate, \$236.17).
4052	“ 7, “	“	Patrick Burns “	Fencing vacant lots bounded by Madison and Fifth avenues, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth sts. (estimate, \$312.80).
4053	“ 7, “	“	George F. Doak “	Fencing vacant lots on north side of Forty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues (estimate, \$92.20).
4054	“ 7, “	“	“ “	Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues (estimate, \$132).
4055	“ 10, “	“	Francis McCabe “	Setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging on the south side of Little Twelfth street, from Washington street to Tenth avenue (estimate, \$335.66).
4056	“ 10, “	“	“ “	Flagging the south side of Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues (estimate, \$520.18).
4057	“ 10, “	“	“ “	Flagging Sixty-fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues (estimate, \$717.60).
4058	“ 10, “	“	“ “	Flagging south side of Sixtieth street, between First and Second avenues (estimate, \$231.60).

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals on the 11th instant, at the Department of Public Works, for construction of retaining walls, arches, etc., for support of forty feet of roadway in Forty-second street, between First and Second avenues; also on the 13th instant, at the same Department, for paving with granite blocks West Broadway, from Chambers to Canal street, and College place, from Chambers to Barclay street; also Sixth avenue, from the southerly side of Forty-second to the southerly side of Fifty-ninth street.

Approval of Sureties on Proposals.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

July 11.—For furnishing and delivering at Brewsters Station, N. Y., 414 tons of straight pipe and 75 tons of special castings.

Hotchkiss, Field & Co., 527 Hudson street, Principals.
John C. Dowling, 415 East Eighty-third street,
Alexander Lutz, 529 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, } Sureties.

July 11.—For constructing drains for lands bounded on north by Fordham and Pelham avenues, east by Southern Boulevard, south by Kingsbridge road, and west by Arthur street, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Michael Noonan, 411 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Principal.
Edward C. Sheehy, 1453 Third avenue,
John Hogan, 53 Prospect place, } Sureties.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

Minutes of the Officers designated by Sec. 111 of Chap. 335 of the Laws of 1873.

JUNE 14, 1877.

The officers designated by section 111 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, met in the Mayor's Office at 2 P. M., on Thursday, June 14, 1877.

All were present, viz.: Smith Ely, Jr., Mayor; Wm. C. Whitney, Counsel to the Corporation, and Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works.

The Counsel to the Corporation offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the CITY RECORD be continued to be printed under the rates of the present contract until a new contract is made.

The Chairman put the question upon agreeing with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Mayor offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That proposals be sent to the following firms: The Evening Post Co., Martin B. Brown, The National Printing Co., Baker & Godwin, Wynkoop & Hallenbeck, Russell Brothers, F. B. Fisher, Mrs. J. K. Lees, and bids asked for the printing of the CITY RECORD for the year beginning July 5, 1877, and that either member of the Board add other names as he may desire hereafter.

The Chairman put the question upon agreeing with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Supervisor of the City Record presented a report upon the stationery bids.
Which, on motion, was laid over.

The Board then adjourned.

RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary.

Minutes of the Officers designated by Sec. 111 of Chap. 335 of the Laws of 1873.

JULY 18, 1877.

The officers designated by section 111 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, met in the Mayor's Office at 2 P. M., Wednesday, July 18, 1877.

All were present, viz.: Smith Ely, Jr., Mayor; Wm. C. Whitney, Counsel to the Corporation, and Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works.

The minutes of the meeting held June 14, 1877, were read and approved.

The Supervisor presented daily reports of the cost of publishing the CITY RECORD during the month of June.

Which was ordered on file.
The Mayor offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following bills be approved and referred to the Chairman of this Board for certification and requisition upon the Comptroller for payment, to be paid out of the appropriations specially provided:

Martin B. Brown—For printing, etc., the CITY RECORD, from June 1 to June 29, inclusive. \$1,369 67

Asa L. Shipman—For binding the CITY RECORD, for quarter ending March 31, 1877. 173 61

The World—For advertising. 41 20

The Staats Zeitung—For advertising. 11 05

R. J. Morrison—For contingencies, June. 12 02

The Chairman put the question upon agreeing with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following bills, having been duly authorized and incurred, be and they are hereby approved, to be paid out of the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books" for 1877:

Wm. P. Mitchell. \$339 54 The Daily Register. \$500 00

M. B. Brown. 1,031 50 Jas. R. Byrne. 100 00

" 1,445 57 M. B. Brown. 1,356 28

Mrs. J. K. Lees. 1,114 15 G. K. Cooke & Co. 17 75

Clarence Levey. 2,247 69 Clarence Levey. 308 22

M. B. Brown. 2,129 65 " 355 54

J. J. Bloomfield. 902 02 Udell & McElroy. 45 38

F. B. Fisher. 109 24 W. C. Bryant & Co. 1,559 35

Maverick & Wissinger. 827 97 Mrs. J. K. Lees. 439 61

P. Jennings. 84 00 M. B. Brown. 435 61

H. Brown. 146 40 " 888 22

J. J. Bloomfield. 418 15 " 518 75

Clarence Levey. 1,135 86 Jas. L. Smith. 125 00

National Printing Co. 98 50 C. Levey. 1,279 37

American Photo-Lith. Co. 120 00 " 260 92

M. B. Brown. 794 07 W. P. Mitchell. 144 61

J. J. Bloomfield. 255 26 Mrs. J. K. Lees. 151 21

H. Van Holland. 312 00

The Chairman put the question upon agreeing with said resolution, which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Counsel to the Corporation offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, By a concurrent vote of the Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works, that, in pursuance of section 1, chapter 631, Laws of 1875, it is hereby decided to have the printing mentioned in the following requisitions done and the stationery therein mentioned furnished without contract let after advertisements for bids or proposals, and that said printing be done and said stationery procured by the order and direction of the Supervisor of the City Record, to be paid for within thirty days from the delivery thereof, said officers deeming such manner and terms and conditions for the best interests of the city:

May 31 (2) Finance Department. May 29... Department Public Works.

June 7... " June 1 (3) "

" 8 (3) " " 2 (2) "

" 18 (3) " " 4... " "

" 22... " " 6... " "

" 23... " " 7... " "

" 25... " " 11 (2) " "

" 27 (2) " " 12... " "

" 30 (2) " " 13... " "

July 2... " " 14... " "

" 6 (2) " " 15 (3) " "

" 7... " " 20... " "

" 9... " " 21... " "

" 11... " " 22... " "

" 16... " " 23... " "

" 17... " " 25... " "

" 18... " " 26... " "

" " " 28 (2) "

July 3... Department Public Works.

" 6 (3) " "

" 7... " "

" 9 (2) " "

" 10... " "

" 11... " "

" 12... " "

" 13 (2) " "

" 16... " "

" 17 (3) " "

" 18 (2) " "

May 18... Public Parks.

" 28... " "

" 31... " "

June 8... " "

" 9... " "

" 14... " "

" 20... " "

" 22... " "

" 27... " "

July 2... " "

" 7... " "

" 12... " "

May 29... Department Taxes and Assessments.

" 31... " "

June 1... " "

" 2... " "

" 18... " "

July 18... " "

May 31... Mayor.

June 8... " "

" 11 (2) " "

" 18... " "

" 22... " "

" 28 (3) " "

June 29... Mayor.

July 3... " "

" 9 (2) " "

" 17... " "

June 26... Department Buildings.

" 16... Fire Department.

" 22... " "

July 7... " "

April 3... City Record.

" 10... " "

June 18... " "

May 1... " "

July 2... Register's Office.

" 9... " "

June 18... Board of Aldermen.

July 3... " "

June 23... Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

" 20 (2) Fifth District Police Court.

" 14... " "

" 11... " "

" 15... " "

July 2... " "

" 11... " "

" 14... " "

" 15... " "

June 20 (2) Fifth District Police Court.

" 13... " "

July 12... " "

June 14... Marine Court.

July 17... " "

June 29... Court Special Sessions.

" 8... " "

June 4... " "

May 29... Court General Sessions.

" 23... Recorder.

June 15... Superior Court.

July 17... " "

June 15... Public Administrator.

" 18... Court Common Pleas.

" 21... " "

June 31... District Attorney.

" 16... " "

" 13... " "

" 10... " "

" 7... " "

" 4... " "

" 1... County Clerk.

" 1... Public Charities and Correction.

" 1... Health Department.

" 1... Surrogate.

" 1... Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

" 1... Department Public Works.

" 1... Department Taxes and Assessments.

" 1... Department Buildings.

" 1... Fire Department.

" 1... City Record.

" 1... Mayor.

" 1... Board of Aldermen.

" 1... Register's Office.

" 1... Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

" 1... Fifth District Police Court.

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" 1... Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

" 1... Department Public Works.

The Mayor presented a communication from the Department of Parks, requesting that the lighting of the lamps in the several parks and places of the city, be done by and under the direction of the Department of Public Works.

On motion, the same was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Board then adjourned.

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

The officers designated by section 73 of chapter 335 of Laws of 1873, met in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, at 12 M., on Tuesday, June 19, 1877.

All were present, viz.: Smith Ely, Mayor; John Kelly, Comptroller; Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works presented a petition from the taxpayers of Riverdale, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, asking that lamps may be erected and lighted at said place, also a report from the Superintendent of Lamps and Gas recommending the same.

Which was ordered on file.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered for adoption the following resolution, viz.:

Resolved, That there be erected and lighted at Riverdale, in Twenty-fourth Ward, not to exceed seventy-five lamps.

Which was decided in the affirmative as follows:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works presented a form of contract and specifications, and moved that Monday, July 2, 1877, at 12 M., be designated as the time for receiving proposals.

Which was adopted, all voting in the affirmative.

On motion, the Board then adjourned.

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

The officers designated by section 73 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, met in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, at 12 M., on Monday, July 2, 1877.

All were present, viz.: Smith Ely, Jr., Mayor; John Kelly, Comptroller; Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works.

The minutes of the meetings of April 17 and June 19, 1877, were read and approved.

The Secretary presented an affidavit of the Clerk of the City Record, that the notice inviting proposals for fitting up and lighting from 50 to 75 lamps at Riverdale, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, had been duly published for ten consecutive days.

Which was ordered on file.

The envelopes containing the proposals were then opened by the Commissioner of Public Works.

No. 1 contained a communication from Orville M. Phillips, of 41 Pierpont street, Brooklyn, asking that the time for the reception of the proposals be extended until the 15th instant.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 2 contained a proposal from the Yonkers Gas-light Company, as follows:

For furnishing illuminating gas (of not less than sixteen candle power, under one-inch hydraulic pressure by photometrical test made at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, crossheads, lamp-irons, and lanterns thereto, for the period from July 16, 1877, to December 31, 1877, both days inclusive, in the following districts, to wit:

On such streets and places at Riverdale, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as shall be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, for the sum of fifteen dollars and forty-five cents (\$15.45) for each lamp for said term.

For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50).

For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50).

For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars (\$3.00).

For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars (\$3.00).

For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars (\$8.00).

For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars (\$8.00).

Sureties—Samuel D. Babcock, 50 Wall street; Thomas C. Cornell, Yonkers.

No. 3 contained a proposal from the New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Limited, as follows:

For furnishing illuminating material, viz.: gas generated from naphtha (of not less than sixteen candle power under one inch hydraulic pressure, by photometrical test made at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, crossheads, lamp-irons, and lanterns thereto, for the period from July 16, 1877, to December 31, 1877, both days inclusive, in the following described district, to wit:

On the streets and avenues, etc., at Riverdale, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the City of New York, for the sum of eleven dollars and forty-six cents (\$11.46) for each lamp for said term.

For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50).

For each column releaded, the sum of two dollars (\$2.00).

For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50).

For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50).

For each lamp-post reset, the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00).

For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00).

Sureties—Hugh N. Camp, J. Weyman Jones.

On motion, the Board then adjourned, subject to the call of the Chairman.

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

The officers designated by section 73 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, met in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, at 12 M., on Tuesday, July 10, 1877.

All were present, viz.: Smith Ely, Mayor; John Kelly, Comptroller; Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works.

The minutes of the meeting of July 2, 1877, were read and approved.

The Commissioner of Public Works presented the following report from the Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, as a comparison of the proposals received on July 2, 1877, for erecting and lighting lamps at Riverdale, in the Twenty-fourth Ward:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS—ROOM 13, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1877.

Hon. ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—I herein show a comparison of the two proposals received on 2d instant, for fitting up and lighting lamps at Riverdale, in Twenty-fourth Ward—

BY YONKERS GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.

For gas, lighting, etc., 75 lamps at \$15.45 each.....	\$1,158 75
For fitting up 75 lamps at \$8 each.....	600 00
For repairs to lamp-posts (gross amount of bid, \$17).....	35 00
	<u>\$1,793 75</u>

BY N. Y. & N. J. GLOBE GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.

For naphtha, lighting, etc., 75 lamps at \$11.46 each.....	\$859 50
For fitting up 75 lamps at \$10 each.....	750 00
For repairs to lamp-posts (gross amount of bid, \$21.50).....	50 00
	<u>\$1,659 50</u>

Apparent difference in favor of naphtha..... \$134 25

The Yonkers Gas Company, in the fitting up of new lamps, include service-pipe and stand-pipes, and these become the property of the city.

The Naphtha Company does not include service-pipe or stand-pipes, as it uses none. In case an award of contract should be made to the Naphtha Company, and at some future time we should require gas, then, in that case, an additional expense would be incurred in fitting service and stand pipes for the gas, of at least \$5 per lamp, or a total of \$375. This would make a difference in favor of Yonkers Gas Company of \$241.

In view therefore of the above fact, and of the greater certainty and efficiency of gas-light, it would appear desirable that the lamps be erected for and lighted with gas.

Yours, respectfully,

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent Lamps and Gas.

The Commissioner of Public Works presented a communication from the taxpayers at Riverdale, requesting that in contracting to light the streets of Riverdale preference be given to gas.

Which was read and placed on file.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract be made to the Yonkers Gas-light Company for furnishing the gas for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, fitting up, repairing and maintaining not to exceed seventy-five public lamps, on such streets and at such places at Riverdale, in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the City of New York, as shall be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at the rates bid by said company in their proposal of July 2, 1877, to wit:

For furnishing the gas (of not less than sixteen candle power under one inch hydraulic pressure by photometrical test made at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture) for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, crossheads, lamp-irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from July 16, 1877, to December 31, 1877, both days inclusive, for the sum of fifteen dollars and forty-five cents.....\$15 45

For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50

For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50

For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars..... 3 00

For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars..... 3 00

For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00

For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00

The Chairman put the question upon agreeing with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works.

The minutes were then read and approved, and the Board adjourned.

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending July 14, 1877.

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 Frederick Steidle and another—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Eleventh avenue.

In re M. H. Cashman—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Eleventh avenue.

In re E. Dobbs—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Eleventh avenue.

In re J. J. Stillings—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Eleventh avenue.

The Mayor, etc., against the Morrisania Steamboat Co.—To restrain defendants from exercising ferry privileges without license, and for damages.

The Beth Hamedrash, a religious corporation, etc., against the Mayor, etc., et al.—To nullify lease made under sale of premises for non-payment of taxes, 1858.

Daniel Blauvelt—Pay as Rodman in Department of Public Works, for December, 1871, \$100.

In re Mary G. Pinckney—To vacate assessment for regulating and grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to Harlem river.

In re Metropolitan Gas-light Co.—To vacate sale for non-payment of assessment for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer.

In re James Moore—To vacate sale for non-payment assessment for Forty-seventh and Forty-ninth street sewers.

In re James Moore—To vacate sale for non-payment Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer assessment.

In re James Galway—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from St. Nicholas to Eleventh avenue.

In re James McKenney—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from St. Nicholas to Eleventh avenue.

In re Patrick Callaghan—To vacate a sale for non-payment of assessment for Central Park opening.

In re A. B. Tappen and another—To vacate a sale made for non-payment of Morningside Park assessment.

In re Ruth A. Wallace—To vacate certain sales made for non-payment of assessments for opening various streets.

In re Hopper S. Mott and another—To vacate certain sales made for non-payment of assessments for opening various streets.

In re Joshua C. Sanders—To vacate certain sales made for non-payment of assessments for opening various streets.

In re Louisiana St. John—To vacate sale made for non-payment of assessment for opening Madison avenue.

In re Rector, etc., St. Thomas Church—To vacate sales made for non-payment of certain assessments.

In re Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank—To vacate assessment for paving One Hundred and Forty-fifth street with Telford macadam pavement, setting, curb, gutter, and flagging Seventh avenue to the Boulevard.

Edward Bishop vs. Michael Cronin et al., The Mayor, etc.—Foreclosure.

Michael J. Bannon—Balance on contract and damages in regulating, grading, etc., Ninety-sixth street, between Fifth and Second avenues, \$51,822.62.

Greenwich Savings Bank vs. E. Matthews et al. and The Mayor, etc.—Foreclosure.

In re Aaron Jacobs—To vacate sale for non-payment of assessment for paving Fifty-eighth street.

In re Isaac and Simon Bernheimer—To set aside sale for non-payment of assessment.

In re Simon Bernheimer—To set aside sale for non-payment of assessment.

In re Isaac Bernheimer—To set aside sales for non-payment of certain assessments.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Edward McDonald—Serving tax notices by plaintiff and others in 1870, \$1,185.

In re Betsey Kling—To vacate assessment for paving Delancey street, between Bowery and East river.

COMMON PLEAS.

In re James Deering—To vacate a sale made for non-payment of Morningside Park assessment.

John McGuire—Claim as assignee of Jos. C. Brady under contract for construction of roof on Tompkins Market, \$3,300.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE SPECIAL AND GENERAL TERMS.

In re William Jay Barker (One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street)—Order entered reducing assessment.

Benjamin F. Haskin—Order entered at General Term affirming judgment in favor of plaintiff; judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$76.97, costs.

John McClenahan—Entered order dismissing action, with costs.

Anne Connors, as administratrix, etc.—Entered judgment in favor of defendant for \$47.91.

Frederick L. Vulte—Entered order of discontinuance, without costs.

In re Stephen Valentine—Order entered vacating sale.

Application Ann McElvaney—Order entered directing peremptory mandamus to issue to cancel arrears of taxes.

John F. Dawson—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$2,318.48.

John P. Cumming—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, on filing of referee's report, for \$11,475.31.

In re Alexandrina Jordan (sixty-first street)—Order entered vacating sale.

Michael J. Maloney (1)—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.

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In re Eph. D. Brown (1)—Order entered vacating sale.

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do (3) do do do

do (4) do do do

In re Trustees First Baptist Church of Harlem—Order entered reducing assessment and canceling tax.

In re Female Academy of Sacred Heart—Order entered reducing assessment and canceling tax.

In re Jas. Wilkins, Jr. (One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street)—Order entered reducing assessment.

In re W. J. Underwood, do do do

In re Wm. T. Ryerson, do do do

do do do do

In re Mortimer Porter, do do do

In re Estate of Wm. T. Garner, do do do

In re John McGregor, do do do

In re Chas. Bathgate (outlet sewer One Hundred and Tenth street)—Order entered discontinuing proceedings, without costs.

Chas. M. O'Leary vs. Board of Education—Order of reference made to John P. O'Neil.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

People, ex rel. Margaret Hudson, vs. Police Department—Motion to quash writ argued and denied, without costs.

John McClenahan—Motion to dismiss made and granted.

John McGuire—Reference proceeded.

Matilda D. Wallbridge—Reference proceeded.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, July 17, 1877.

The Board of Health met this day.

221 orders for the abatement of nuisances were made.

The Attorney was directed to commence suits for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in 31 cases, and for violation of the Sanitary Code in 6 cases.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; on work performed by Disinfecting Corps; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; report of work performed among sick children; on application for permits; on certain street pavements; on street gutter and sidewalk at north side One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.

From the Deputy Register of Records: Weekly mortuary statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstract of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report on deaths from diphtheria, scarlatina, membranous croup, and malarial and cerebro-spinal fevers.

Communications Received.

Petition of citizens, protesting against carpet-beating establishment at No. 148 East Fiftieth street.

Communications Received from other Departments.

From the Police Department—Reports on violations of Sanitary Code, asking if street sweepings disinfected by a process proposed by Page, Kidder & Co., are suitable for filling lots and bulkheads.

From Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Copy of resolution transferring \$5,000 from appropriation "Small-pox Hospital, 1876," to appropriation "Health Department, for Salaries, 1877."

From Department of Finance—Weekly reports of Comptroller.

Communications referred to other Departments for the necessary action.

To the Department of Public Works—

On condition of pavement in Willett street, between Houston and Rivington streets.

On condition of pavement in Columbia street, between East Houston and Stanton streets.

On condition of pavement in Scammel street, between Madison and Monroe streets.

On catch-basin at northeast corner Fifty-fifth street and Ninth avenue.

To Department of Public Parks—On street-gutter and sidewalk north side One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, for 100 feet west of Elton avenue.

Bills.

M. S. Thompson..... \$478 01 | National Ice Co. of N. Y..... \$14 30
N. Y. Gas-light Co..... 9 84 | Thurber & Co..... 94 70

Permits Granted.

To keep one cow at 193 Elizabeth street.

To erect slaughter-house on north side of Thirty-ninth street, seventy-five feet west of Eleven h avenue.

Meat Seizures.

The weekly report of seizures of unwholesome meat at Washington Market was received and ordered on file.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the selection of the inspectors for temporary service in the tenement-house districts be referred to the President and Chairman of the Sanitary Committee with power, and that they be directed to give a preference to those who served last year, or who have had experience in treating the diseases of children.

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board the disinfection of ashes, garbage, and street refuse, by the plan proposed will render this material less offensive, and that when thus treated it may be safely used for filling bulkheads and docks, but that it would not be safe under any circumstances to use it in localities which are likely at any future time to be occupied by dwellings or factories.

Resolved, That the Attorney be and is hereby directed to commence suits in the name of this Board against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code:

G. Haberman, P. A. Hegeman, Mrs. Phillips, Rev. Horatio Potter, and Rev. J. A. Rotchford.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to register the marriage certificate of Augustus Teets and Carrie Whitlock, January 18, 1877.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending July 14, 1877:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,604, as follows, viz.: 7 public buildings, 681 tenement-houses, 165 private dwellings, 51 other dwellings, 13 manufactories and workshops, 17 stores and warehouses, 39 stables, 1 market, 41 slaughter-houses, 27 milk inspections, 1 tripe-house, 1 public sewer, 1 fat-rendering establishment, 18 sunken and vacant lots, 1 dock, 1 manure dump, 1 roadway, 50 yards, courts, and areas, 67 cellars and basements, 84 waste-pipes and drains, 254 privies and water-closets, 51 streets, gutters, and sinks, 3 dangerous stairways, 1 smoky chimney, 2 cesspools, 1 piggery, 10 other nuisances, together with 1 visit to case of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 577.

During the past week 200 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 67 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 45 dwellings where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 41 houses, 41 privy-sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

The Special Corps have disinfected 2,467 privies and water-closets, 396 cellars, 411 yards, courts, and areas, 309 garbage-boxes, and 138½ miles of street gutters.

1 case of small-pox was removed to hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending July 14, 1877:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
July 7.....	0.	4.	70.	2.	31.	42.	5.
July 14....	1.	2.	68.	1.	36.	38.	1.

During the week ending Saturday, July 14, 1877, there were issued from this Bureau 831 burial permits for city deaths, 29 for bodies in transitu, and 43 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 831 deaths, 129 marriages, 623 births, 43 still-births, 29 applications for transit permits, and 84 returns from coroners. There were 25 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths, and 5 transcripts of birth record, 5 of marriage, and 15 of death were issued from this Bureau.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS,
July 17, 1877.

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

SIR—831 deaths were reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, July 14, which is an increase of 158 as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 467 less than the number reported during the corresponding week of 1876. The actual mortality during the week ending July 7, 1877, was 720, which is 174.6 below the average for the corresponding week of the past 5 years, and represents an annual death-rate of 34.74 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,077,490.

The mean temperature for the week, as furnished by Director Draper, of the Central Park Observatory, was 74.0 degrees Fahr., which is 1.6 degrees above that of the preceding week, but 9.9 degrees below that of the corresponding week of 1876. The deaths of children under 5 years

during the week were 530, against 449 for the preceding week, and 862 for the corresponding week of 1876. The residents of the tenement houses appeared to have suffered the greatest during the week, 56.3 per cent. of the total mortality reported were in this class of dwellings. Diarrhoeal diseases in children under 5 years of age caused 355 deaths, against 260 for the preceding week, and 596 for the corresponding week of 1876.

The increase of the mortality during the past compared with the preceding week was from the following causes, viz.: Small-pox, 1; diphtheria, 14; malarial fevers, 2; diarrhoeal diseases, 103; cancer, 4; phthisis pulmonalis, 16; bronchitis, 1; pneumonia, 8; apoplexy, 4; diseases of the brain and nervous system, 27; enteritis, gastritis, and peritonitis, 3; typhus fever, 1; cyanosis and atelectasis, 2; deaths by drowning, 8; and a decrease of 2 from measles, 2 from scarlatina, 2 from erysipelas, 3 from typhoid fever, 1 from puerperal diseases, 3 from inanition, etc., 2 from rheumatism and gout, 10 from diseases of the heart, 2 from aneurism, 7 from marasmus, and 2 from cirrhosis and hepatitis.

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 100 were in institutions, 468 in tenement-houses, 244 in houses containing 3 families and less, 5 in hotels and boarding-houses, 13 in rivers, boats, streets, etc., 16 were on the basement floor, 202 on the first, 211 on the second, 182 on the third, 89 on the fourth, 16 on the fifth, and 1 on the sixth; 824 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 19 non-residents; 71 were stated as single, 112 married, and 57 widowed, and the condition of 591 was not stated, these were children who had not attained a marriageable age; 393 deaths were of children under 1 year, 478 under 2 years, 530 under 5 years, and 37 were of persons 70 years and over.

The disposition of 798 deaths and still-births, or 91.30 per cent. of the total number reported were in the following 14 cemeteries, which are in the vicinity of this city, viz.: Bayside (Jewish) 16, Calvary (Roman Catholic) 318, City (pauper burial ground, undenominational) 107, Greenwood (undenominational) 70, Lutheran (undenominational) 144, Cypress Hills (undenominational) 28, Evergreen (undenominational) 47, Woodlawn (undenominational) 20, St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal) 12, Union (Methodist Protestant) 12, Holy Cross (Roman Catholic) 7, Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish) 8, St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic) 3, Washington (undenominational) 6.

The mean temperature for the week ending July 14 was 74.0 degrees Fahr., the mean humidity was 74, saturation being 100, the mean pressure was 29.801 inches, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 838, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.58 inch, as reported by D. Draper, Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The distribution of the deaths for the week ending July 7 was in the following wards, viz.: First, 5; Second, 0; Third, 3; Fourth, 18; Fifth, 13; Sixth, 14; Seventh, 36; Eighth, 21; Ninth, 29; Tenth, 26; Eleventh, 47; Twelfth, 59; Thirteenth, 25; Fourteenth, 8; Fifteenth, 7; Sixteenth, 30; Seventeenth, 54; Eighteenth, 29; Nineteenth, 122; Twentieth, 51; Twenty-first, 40; Twenty-second, 74; Twenty-third, 5, and Twenty-fourth, 4.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia was 24.93; Brooklyn, 24.33; St. Louis, 17.21; Chicago, 26.35; Baltimore, 37.93; Boston, 16.64; Cincinnati, 24.76; Cleveland, 11.55; Richmond, 43.68; Savannah, 36.83; Lowell, 14.61; Worcester, 8.92; Cambridge, 9.18; Fall River, 10.20; Lawrence, 13.94; Lynn, 28.88; Springfield, 9.54; monthly returns: Milwaukee, 18.33; Paterson, 19.07; Selma, 22.52; Harrisburg, 16.80; Erie, 12.21; Nashville, 38.66; Hudson County, N. J., 18.02; Jacksonville, 15.60; quarterly returns: Aurora, Ill., 7.97. Foreign cities—weekly returns: London, 19.2; Liverpool, 25.9; Birmingham, 23.1; Manchester, 27.5; Glasgow, 21; Edinburgh, 23; Dundee, 18.11; Brussels, 25; Antwerp, 24.3; Ghent, 24.5; Buda-Pesth, 38.8; Paris, 24.9; Turin, 31.7; Venice, 27.4; Berlin, 37; Munich, 45; Breslau, 31; Vienna, 25; Copenhagen, 20.1; Stockholm, 33.3; Christiania, 21.1; Amsterdam, 26.3; Rotterdam, 26.2; The Hague, 27; Calcutta, 24.2; Bombay, 67.9; Warsaw, 25.13.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D.,
Deputy Register of Records.

Births* reported during the week ending July 14, 1877.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.									NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Sated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
623	618	5	314	309	....	375	153	50	37	....	....	5	3	....	406	217

Marriages* reported during the week ending July 14, 1877.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.								CONDITION.									
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
129	127	128	2	1	69	56	53	66	..	..	7	7	103	103	18	18	1	..	..	..	7	8

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending July 14, 1877, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending July 7, 1877.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	NATIVITY OF PARENTS OF DECEASED.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Father.	Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
4	Austria.....	14	18	11	19	2	1	..	..
1	British America.....	4	1	19	7	..	..	..	..
8	England.....	20	16	27	9	6	2	1	..
2	France.....	9	6	15	5	1	3	..	..
34	Germany.....	205	186	191	100	38	29	10	9
81	Ireland.....	256	259	123	130	13	14	17	13
2	Italy.....	5	5	7	6	..	..	1	1
..	Poland.....	2	1	9	8	..	..	..	..
1	Scotland.....	6	5	8	3	..	1	..	..
..	Switzerland.....	1	2	2	2	4	1	..	..
583	United States.....	143	174	153	211	53	66	10	17
1	Unknown or not stated.....	38	36	..	..	7	7	2	2
..	West Indies.....	3	2	1	1	..	..	..	..
3	Other countries.....	14	9	57	41	5	6	2	1

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending July 14, 1877, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending July 7, 1877.

SIR—There were 831 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, July 14, 1877, which is an increase of 158, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 467 less than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1876. The actual mortality for the week ending July 7, 1877, was 720, which is 174.6 below the average for the corresponding week of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 34.74 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,077,490.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending July 14, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending July 7, 1877.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending July 14.	Week ending July 7.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1877.													AGE BY YEARS.																			Sex.
		74.0 29.804	72.4 29.804	DATE.																																
		74 838	77 835																																	
		1.58	1.01																																	
CAUSES OF DEATH.		Total Deaths reported during the week ending July 14, 1877.	Total Deaths reported during the week ending July 7, 1877.	DATE.							Total Actual Mortality during the week ending July 7, 1877.	Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1876.	Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,077,490).	Under 1 year.										Total under 5 years.										Total, both Sexes.	
				July 1.	July 2.	July 3.	July 4.	July 5.	July 6.	July 7.					1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.	Male.	Female.		
Total Deaths from all Causes.....	831	673	105	116	87	92	111	104	105	720	973	894.6	34.74	356	77	26	14	6	479	16	7	8	15	23	18	28	25	18	24	10	14	17	18	396	324	720
Total Zymotic Diseases.....	458	340	58	57	52	43	52	54	59	375	489	431.2	18.09	256	50	19	8	5	344	7	7	8	15	23	17	26	21	16	10	14	17	17	375	375	720	
Total Constitutional Diseases.....	111	100	14	14	13	13	22	11	12	99	138	127.2	4.78	20	4	2	2	28	16	1	4	9	10	6	11	3	5	3	3	4	6	4	48	51	99	
Total Local Diseases.....	201	170	28	34	18	25	23	30	27	185	264	204.6	8.93	50	16	4	2	80	6	5	5	3	8	2	7	10	12	15	4	7	10	6	108	77	185	
Total Developmental Diseases.....	30	32	4	7	2	9	7	2	4	35	50	40.4	1.69	22	1	1	2	1	22	1	1	4	3	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	18	17	35	
Deaths by Violence.....	31	25	1	1	2	7	7	7	5	28	32	31.2	1.25	1	1	2	1	5	3	1	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	10	8	26		
Small-pox.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Measles.....	4	6	1	1	1	1	1	2	6	9	14.0	.29	3	3	2	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	6	
Scarlatina.....	19	21	3	3	5	1	2	4	3	21	22	19.0	1.01	2	4	5	4	19	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	11	10	21	
Diphtheria.....	21	7	1	1	1	4	4	1	12	30	24.8	.58	1	4	4	1	1	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	12		
Membranous Croup.....	5	5	2	2	1	1	1	1	3	2	5.6	.14	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	3	
Whooping Cough.....	8	8	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	9	2	7.4	.43	5	1	3	3	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	4	9		
Erysipelas.....	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	3	3.4	.24	4	1	1	1	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	3	5		
Typhus Fever.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Typhoid Fever.....	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	5	4.6	.14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7.0	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive, and Simple Continued Fevers.....	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	7	5.4	.10	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	
Puerperal Diseases.....	4	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	7.6	.24	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	379	276	45	46	41	38	41	35	51	297	387	305.4	14.33	234	40	5	2	281	2	2	2	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	166	131	297	
Inanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc.....	4	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	8	7.8	.29	6	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	6	
Alcoholism.....	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	6	5.4	.19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	4	
Rheumatism and Gout.....	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	9	4.6	.09	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	
Cancer.....	12	8	2	1	1	1	2	1	7	11	9.0	.34	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	5	7	
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....	78	62	13	8	7	8	14	5	10	65	81	71.6	3.13	3	1	2	2	5	1	4	8	10	6	7	9	1	4	2	2	3	3	30	35	65		
Bronchitis.....	11	10	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	8	17	17.4	.38	5	2	2	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	8	
Pneumonia.....	28	20	2	4	1	3	6	4	5	25	20	27.8	1.20	7	4	3	3	14	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	25	
Heart Diseases.....	11	21	4	2	3	4	1	3	17	31	18.4	.82	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	2	12	5		
Aneurism.....	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	15	13	18.8	.72	12	1	1	1	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	
Marasmus—Tuberc Mesenterica and Scrofula.....	9	10	1	3	1	3	5	2	9	20	20.6	.43	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	15	15	
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.....	10	10	1	3	1	1	1	2	2	9	20	20.6	.43	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	9	
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....	19	14	1	3	3	2	1	5	2	17	22	28.0	.82	4	5	1	1	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	15	
Convulsions.....	18	14	1	4	1	3	1	6	2	17	27	24.2	.82	15	2	1	1	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	29	50.8	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Apoplexy.....	9	5	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	6	9	8.6	.29	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.....	73	46	6	12	6	7	4	15	11	61	111	130.8	2.94	26	8	1	1	35	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	5	4	5	2	1	1	2	34	27	61	
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.....	3	5	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	4	6	6.2	.19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	2	
Enteritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Peritonitis, and Gastritis.....	24	21	3	5	1	5	3	1	4	22	21	18.8	1.06	15	2	1	1	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	14	22	
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....	19	24	4	6	3	2	2	2	1	20	36	18.8	.96	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	4	1	3	4	1	2	1	1	15	5	20		
Cyanosis and Alectasis.....	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	6	4.4	.19	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	4	
Premature and Prematural Births.....	14	2	2	1	1	1	4	1	1	14	22	14.2	.67	14	1	1	1	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	1	14	
Surgical Operations.....	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.2	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Deaths by Suicide.....	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	4.6	.14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Deaths by Drowning.....	12	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	7.4	.24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	5	

* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES.													Total Deaths from all Causes.	Total Deaths, exclusive of those in Public Institutions.	Total Population (in Wards), Census of 1875.	REMARKS.	Total in Institutions.	
		NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHOEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																		
		Actual Mortality during the Week ending July 7, 1877.																		
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	All Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Cerebro Spinal Fever.	Other Zymotic Diseases.	Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.					
First	154	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	5	5	14,209	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot,; First Precinct Station, .....	..
Second	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,013	..	..	..	..	..	1,013	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station,; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 3	3
Third	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,878	..	..	3	3	..	2,878	Fourth Precinct Station,; Mission Home, .....	..
Fourth	83	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	6	18	18	..	20,843	Fifth Precinct Station,; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street, .....	..
Fifth	168	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	7	13	13	..	15,666	City Prison,; Home of Industry,; Centre Street Hospital, .....	..
Sixth	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	1	9	14	..	19,880	Seventh Precinct Station, .....	..
Seventh	198	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	..	2	19	36	..	45,656	Eighth Precinct Station, .....	..
Eighth	183	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	1	9	21	..	32,488	St. Vincent's Hospital, 3; Jefferson Market Prison,; Home for Old Men and Aged Couples,	3
Ninth	322	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	12	..	1	19	26	..	49,417	Essex Street Prison,; Tenth Precinct Station, .....	..
Tenth	110	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	..	1	18	26	..	41,777	St. Francis' Hospital,; Eleventh Precinct Station,	2
Eleventh	196	..	4	3	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	18	..	..	29	47	45	63,874	New York Juvenile Asylum,; Infants' Hospital, 8; Soldiers' Retreat,; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 4; Colored Orphan Asylum,; Ward's Island, 3; Randall's Island,; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, 1; St. Joseph's Asylum,; House of Refuge,; House of Mercy,; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island,; Union Home and School,; House of Good Shepherd,; Deaf and Dumb Asylum,; Home for Old People,; Homeopathic Hospital, 4; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews,; Leake and Watt's Orphan Home,	20
Twelfth	5,504.13	..	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	21	..	2	30	59	39	59,029	Thirteenth Precinct Station, .....	..
Thirteenth	107	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	..	1	20	25	34,028	R. C. Orphan Asylum,; Lying-in Asylum,; Fourteenth Precinct Station, .....	..
Fourteenth	96	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	6	8	8	26,471	Fifteenth Precinct Station,; New York Infant Asylum,	1	
Fifteenth	198	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	7	6	25,543	Samaritan Home for the Aged,; St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, .....	..
Sixteenth	348.77	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	14	..	18	30	30	48,253	Seventeenth Precinct Station, .....	..
Seventeenth	331	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	28	54	54	101,094	Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females,; New York Hospital, 1; New York Infirmary for Women and Children,; Homeopathic Dispensary, .....	..
Eighteenth	449.89	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	1	1	15	29	61,207	Inebriate Asylum,; Presbyterian Home,; German Hospital, 2; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 1; Foundling Hospital, 9; Women's Hospital,; City Lunatic Asylum, 6; Almshouse, 5; Penitentiary,; Small-pox Hospital,; Charity Hospital, 10; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital,; Colored Home Hospital, 4; Nursery and Child's Hospital,; St. Luke's Hospital, 4; Workhouse,; Fever Hospital,; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum,; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, 1; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor),; Chapin Home for the Aged,; St. Joseph's Industrial Home,; Orphans' Home and Asylum (Protestant Episcopal), 43rd street and Lexington avenue,; Hebrew Orphan Asylum,	44	
Nineteenth	1,480.60	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	40	..	4	49	122	78	117,835	Home for Aged Poor,; St. Elizabeth's Hospital,; St. Mary's Hospital,; Twenty-ninth Precinct Station, Bellevue Hospital, 12; in Ambulances,; Morgue,; Peabody Home for the Aged,; St. Stephen's Home,; Twenty-first Precinct Station,; Home of the Friendless,	12
Twentieth	444	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	2	..	21	..	2	29	51	51	79,671	Roosevelt Hospital,; Old Ladies' Home,; New York Infant Asylum, 4; Hahnemann's Hospital,; New York Orphan Asylum,; Twenty-second Precinct Station,	4
Twenty-first	411	..	1	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	2	14	40	28	58,883	Thirty-third Precinct Station, .....	..
Twenty-second	1,529.42	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	39	..	1	45	74	70	83,549	House of Rest for Consumptives,; Home for Incurables,; Thirty-fourth Precinct Station,; Thirty-fifth Precinct Station, .....	..
Twenty-third	4,267.023	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	5	24,331	..	..
Twenty-fourth	8,050.323	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	4	4	11,875	..	..
Totals	24,893.156	..	6	21	12	3	9	..	3	4	..	297	1	19	375	720	630	*1,046,037	Total mortality in Public Institutions.	90

* 6,267 in Asylums and Penal Institutions.

THE CITY RECORD.
Office, No. 2 City Hall, northwest corner basement,
8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES
HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street, second floor.
Sheriff's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New
County Court-house.
County Clerk's Office, first floor, northeast corner of
New County Court-house.
Surrogate's Office, first floor, southeast corner of New
County Court-house.
Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park.
District Attorney's Office, second floor, Brown-stone
building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, July 18, 1877.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT EIGHT (8)
horses will be sold at public auction, by Vantassell
& Kearney, Auctioneers, to the highest bidder for cash,
on Monday, the 30th instant, at 12 o'clock M., at the Hos-
pital Stables, No. 199 Chrystie street.
VINCENT C. KING,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, July 10, 1877.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO PERSONS
wishing to purchase the garbage material collected
by the Street Cleaning Bureau, that sealed proposals will
be received by the Board of Police (in pursuance of section
5 of chapter 677 of the Laws of 1872), at the Central
Department, 300 Mulberry street, until 9 o'clock A. M.,
on Tuesday, the 24th day of July, 1877, stating a price per
month which they will pay to the Treasurer of the Board
of Police, for all the garbage which shall be delivered at
the dumps of the Department for a term of years.
Specifications, setting forth the conditions of the arrange-
ment, may be examined at the office of the undersigned,
in the Central Department.

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROV. CLERK'S OFFICE,
300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, July 9, 1877.
OWNERS WANTED FOR THE FOLLOWING
property, now in the custody of the Property Clerk,
300 Mulberry street, Room 39: Boats, rope, male and
female clothing, gold and silver watches, silverware, and
small amount of cash, taken from prisoners and persons
found in street.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, 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 enroll-
ment notice," requiring them to appear before me this
year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be an-
swered (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 mis-
demeanor 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 re-
lation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make
any false statement, and every case will be fully prose-
cuted.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS WILL MEET
every Friday, at 10 o'clock P. M.
BRYAN REILLY,
JAMES J. SLEVIN,
LEWIS J. PHILLIPS,
Committee on Streets

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS WILL
meet in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Wednesday,
at 2 o'clock P. M.
THOMAS SHEILS,
WILLIAM JOYCE,
WILLIAM SALMON,
STEPHEN N. SIMONSON,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET
in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Monday, at 3
o'clock P. M.
PATRICK KEENAN,
WILLIAM L. COLE,
SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
JOHN I. MORRIS,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Finance.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT
will meet every Monday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room
No. 16, City Hall.
SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
GEORGE HALL,
HENRY E. HOWLAND,
Committee on Law Department.

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 avenue
to the East river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE
State of New York in such case made and provided,
the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of
the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of
New York, hereby gives notice that the Court in the
Corporation of said City will apply to the Supreme Court
in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at
a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers
thereof, in the New Court-house, in the City of New
York, on Thursday, the 9th day of August, A. D. 1877,
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon
thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appoint-
ment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in
the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby in-
tended is the acquisition of title, in the name and in behalf
of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of
New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings
thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required
for the opening of Eighty-second street.

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of First ave-
nue, 204 feet 4 inches northerly from the northerly line of
Eighty-first street, and running parallel to said street six
hundred and thirteen feet to the westerly line of Avenue A;
thence northerly along the westerly line of Avenue A
sixty feet; thence westerly six hundred and thirteen feet to
the easterly line of First avenue; thence southerly along
the easterly line of First avenue sixty feet to the point or
place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point on the easterly side of Avenue
A, 204 feet 4 inches northerly from the northerly line of
Eighty-first street, and running parallel to said street six
hundred and forty-six feet to the westerly side of Avenue B;
thence northerly along the westerly line of Avenue B
sixty feet; thence westerly six hundred and forty-six feet to
the easterly line of Avenue A; thence southerly along the
easterly line of Avenue A sixty feet, to the point or place
of beginning.

Also beginning at a point on the easterly side of Avenue
B, 204 feet 4 inches northerly from the northerly line of
Eighty-first street, and running parallel to said street two
hundred and sixty-two feet to the bulkhead line, East
river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line sixty-one
feet five inches; thence westerly two hundred and seventy-
five feet two and one-half inches to the easterly line of
Avenue B; thence southerly along the easterly line of
Avenue B sixty feet to the point or place of beginning, said
street being sixty feet wide; and as said street is laid out
on the map or plan of the City of New York made under
and by virtue of an act of the Legislature of the People of
the State of New York, entitled "An act relative to im-
provement touching the laying out of streets and roads in
the City of New York, and for other purposes," passed
April 3, 1867.

Dated New York, July 11, 1877.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, July 9, 1877.

REFLOORING THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE, OVER HARLEM RIVER.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL
be received at the office of the Department of Public
Parks, 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednes-
day, the 25th day of July, 1877, at the hour of half-past
nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened, for
laying a new wooden floor on the roadway of Third Ave-
nue Bridge, over Harlem river, in the City of New York.

Each proposal must state, in figures and in writing,
a price per 1,000 feet, board measure, for the plank used
(which is to be yellow pine), and which price is to cover
the whole cost of the work.

The work is to commence within ten days after the date
of the contract, and to be completed within ten days there-
after.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by
the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders
or freeholders of the City of New York, their respective
places of business or residence being named, to the effect
that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of one
thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the con-
tract, should it be awarded upon that proposal.

Each proposal must state the name and place of resi-
dence of the person making the same; the names of all
persons interested with him therein; that it is made with-
out collusion with any other person making an estimate
for the same work; and that no member of the Common
Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or
indirectly interested therein, or in any portion of the
profits thereof.

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

Proposed sureties must verify their consent by affidavit.
Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of
the contract (including the specifications), settled as re-
quired by law, seen at the office of the Secretary, as above.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the De-
partment of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for
Reflooring Third Avenue Bridge," and shall also be
indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons
presenting the same and the date of presentation.

WM. R. MARTIN, President;
H. G. STEBBINS,
JAMES F. WENMAN,
WM. C. WETMORE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IWRIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, July 16, 1877.

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 Insane Asylum, Randall's Island—Thomas
Allen; aged 35 years; 6 feet high; dark brown hair; gray
eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Branch Charity Hospital, Randall's Island—Eliza-
beth Quinby; aged 39 years; light hair; gray eyes.
Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 38, East river
—Unknown man; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches
high; brown hair; sandy moustache. Was dressed in
black cloth pants, dark cotton shirt with blue stripe, low
cut shoes.

Unknown man; from Governor's Island Ferry; aged
about 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair, moustache
and chin whiskers, mixed with gray. Was dressed in
black vest and pants, gray flannel shirt, white shirt, white
twill drawers, cotton socks, boots, two memorandum
books marked Louis Fricker. Knife and razor found on
his person.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, July 10, 1877.

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 Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, July 9, 1877—
Georgianna Williams (colored); age 27 years; 5 feet 6
inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted
black and white shawl, drab skirt, white shirt, striped
stockings, buttoned shoes. Nothing known of her friends
or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, July 12, 1877.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 49, East river
—Unknown man; aged about 25 years; 5 feet 8 inches
high; light brown hair; red moustache and goatee. Was
dressed in black alpaca coat, black vest, gray striped
pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers,
white cotton socks, with letters A. O. L. marked in ink.

Unknown man from Pier 4, North river; aged about 22
years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown hair; slight moustache
and imperial. Body naked.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, July 14, 1877.

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 Hart's Island Hospital, July 13, 1877—Mary Brown;
aged 45 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; dark brown hair;
gray eyes. Had on when admitted, dark calico dress,
woolen petticoat, woolen hood, laced shoes. Nothing
known of her friends or relatives.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—"John
Doe;" aged 45 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes;
gray hair. Had on when admitted, dark pants and coat;
white shirt. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, July 13, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GRO- CERIES, 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, July 27, 1877, at which time they
will be publicly opened and read by the head of said De-
partment, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East
Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Depart-
ment—

DRY GOODS.
50,000 yards Brown Muslin.
10,000 " Ticking.
3,500 " Awning Stripes.
9,000 " Brown Denims.
2,000 " Red Flannel.
2,000 " Russia Crash.
15,000 " Bandage Muslin.
U. G. Cassimere.

GROCERIES.
2,500 pounds Granulated Sugar.
10 barrels Wheaten Grits.
50 " Hominy, "A" No. 1.
50 " Oatmeal.
200 pounds Tapioca.
500 " Corn Starch.
1,000 " Macaroni.
4,500 " good sweet New York State Dairy Butter,
to be delivered in quantities as re-
quired.

300 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168
pounds to the barrel, net. To be deliv-
ered at Store-house Dock, Blackwell's
Island.

500 bales long bright Rye Straw, to be delivered in
quantities as required.

The quality of the goods furnished must conform in
every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at
this office.

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 freeholders
of the City of New York, with their respective places of
business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be
awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so
awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated
amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance,
which consent must be verified by the justification of each
of the persons signing the same for double the amount of
surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be
approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction 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 Corpora-
tion upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as securi-
ty 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 application
at the office of the Department, and all information fur-
nished.

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

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, July 9, 1877.

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 New York City Asylum, for Insane, Ward's Island,
July 5, 1877—Philip Sutter; aged 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches
high; gray hair; brown eyes. Nothing known of his
friends or relatives.

Thomas Legrasse; aged 30 years; 5 feet 4 inches high;
blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of his friends or
relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, July 13, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR 3,000 BARRELS OF FLOUR.

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, July 27, 1877, at which time
they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said
Department, for furnishing and delivering at the Bake-
house, Blackwell's Island, free of all expense to the De-
partment, 3,000 barrels of good extra spring wheat flour,
to be equal in quality to sample to be seen at this office
(empty barrels to be returned and deducted in proposals
from the price of flour), to be delivered in quantities as
required, free of all expense to the Department.

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 perfor-
mance, 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 propo-
sal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract
awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corpora-
tion upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as securi-
ty or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpora-
tion.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, July 11, 1877.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 23, East river
—Unknown man; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches
high; brown hair. Had on blue check jumper, blue flannel
shirt, blue woolen ribbed socks, brown cloth pants, brogan
shoes.

Unknown man from foot of Jackson street; age about 26
years; 5 feet 7 inches high; no hair on head; smooth face.
Had on black pants, white knit undershirt, white socks,
gaiter shoes.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 11, 1877.

TO MASONS AND BUILDERS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED EN-
velope, with the title of the work and the name of the
bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office
until Wednesday, July 25, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., at which
hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the De-
partment and read:

**FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RETAINING
WALLS, ARCH, STEPS, RAILING, AND FOR
THE FILLING AND GRADING NECESSARY FOR
THE SUPPORT AND PROTECTION OF THE
FORTY-FOOT ROADWAY EXCAVATED IN THE
CENTRE OF FORTY-SECOND STREET, BE-
TWEEN FIRST AND SECOND AVENUES.**

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agree-
ments, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids,
and any further information desired, can be obtained on
application to the Contract Clerk, at his office, Room 21,
City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 11, 1877.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION
1, chapter 475, Laws of 1875, inclosed in a sealed
envelope, with the title of the work, and the name of the
bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office
until Wednesday, July 25, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., at which
hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the
Department and read:

**FOR PAVING WASHINGTON STREET, FROM
LIBERTY STREET TO BATTERY PLACE, AND
PEARL STREET, FROM FULTON STREET TO
COENTIES SLIP, WITH BELGAN OR TRAP-
BLOCK PAVEMENT; AND LAYING CROSS-
WALKS AT THE SEVERAL INTERSECTING
STREETS, WHERE REQUIRED.**

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agree-
ments, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids,
and any further information desired, can be obtained on
application to the Contract Clerk, at his office, Room 21,
City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
ROOM 10, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 7, 1877.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS—CROTON WATER RENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ADDI-
tional penalty of five per cent. will be added,
according to law, on all regular water rents remaining
unpaid on the first day of August next.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

