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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 13, 1879.

At a meeting of the Board, held this day--Present, all the members.
The Chairman presented the following communication, which was, on motion, ordered to be printed in the CITY RECORD.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, February 11, 1879.

ALBERT STORER, *Secretary of the Department of Taxes and Assessments:*

SIR—I duly received your communication of the 1st inst., inclosing a copy of the following resolution, adopted by the Board on that day:

“Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and is hereby instructed to address a formal communication to the Counsel to the Corporation, desiring, at his earliest convenience, his written opinion as to whether or not this Board is legally bound to furnish copies of any papers in reference to the personal tax-lists, and the assessments on personal property, as may from time to time be demanded; and also what rules and regulations it would be, in the judgment of the Counsel to the Corporation, prudent and proper for the Commissioners to make in reference to such copies, in view of their obligations to the taxpayers, and the best interests of the city, and the statute in that case made and provided.”

Section 107 of the Charter of 1873 contains, among other things, the following provision: “The heads of all Departments, except the Police Department, and the chief of each and every bureau of said Departments, or any of them, except the Police Department, shall, with reasonable promptness, furnish to any taxpayer desiring the same a true and certified copy of any book, account, or paper kept by such department, bureau, or officer, or such part thereof as may be demanded, upon payment in advance of five cents for every hundred words thereof by the person demanding the same.”

I have no doubt whatever that this provision applies to the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and that any taxpayer who offers to pay in advance at the rate of five cents for every hundred words has the right to demand and receive, with reasonable promptness, a true and certified copy of any papers kept by the Department in reference to the personal tax-lists, and the assessments on personal property.

Section 87 of the Charter of 1873 contains, among other things, the following: “The Department of Taxes and Assessments shall have for its head a President, who shall be so designated in his appointment, and two Commissioners, who together shall possess all the powers and perform all the duties now possessed and performed by the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.”

In most cases where the charter provides that the affairs of a Department shall be under the control of several Commissioners, it is declared that the head of the Department shall be a Board, consisting of a certain number of Commissioners. In view of the above provision, which seems to be peculiar to the Tax Department, there may be some question whether the duty of furnishing copies of papers is devolved upon the President or upon the Board, consisting of the President and two Commissioners; but there can be no doubt that it is the duty of the President, and I think, also of the Board, upon a proper demand, to furnish copies of papers kept by the Department.

The only conditions necessary to entitle a person to have copies of such papers is, that the party applying should be a tax-payer, and should pay, or offer to pay, in advance, five cents for every hundred words of the copy. I think that when any person applies for a copy of any paper, inquiry should be made of him whether he is a tax-payer, and if he states that he is, such statement can easily be verified by the books of the Department. If it appears that he is a tax-payer, he should then be informed of the sum which it is necessary for him to pay in advance to obtain a copy, and such payment having been made, the copy should be prepared and certified by the President or one of the Commissioners, or by such other officer of the Department as may be authorized so to do by resolution of the Board, to be a true one, and should be delivered with such promptness as may be reasonable under the circumstances of each case.

It seems to me the proper and prudent course in this matter would be for the Board to adopt a general rule or regulation, providing that whenever any person applies for a copy of any paper, stating that he is a taxpayer, if it shall appear by the records of the Department that he is a taxpayer, the President or either of the Commissioners shall be authorized to cause a copy of any such paper to be prepared, certified, and delivered to the applicant, provided that payment in advance, at the rate of five cents for each hundred words, shall have been made.

On several occasions during the administration of Comptroller Green, my attention was called by him to the fact that lawyers were demanding an inspection of the books of the office, for the express purpose of hunting out information, upon which to bring suits against the city, and I was asked by him the question whether he could legally refuse an inspection, on the ground, that it would be prejudicial to the interests of the city to give the information. I then informed him that the law did not make him the judge as to when and under what circumstances public records and documents should be open to inspection, nor authorize him to investigate the motives which actuated the applicant in seeking the information.

The rule is made imperative, that public records and documents shall always be open to the inspection of tax-payers, and the advantages of the system, as tending to give publicity to the transactions of the public officials, and thereby prevent frauds, are supposed to counterbalance the disadvantages, of which there are doubtless some.

I am, Sir, yours respectfully,
W. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 7th day of February, 1879.
Present—Messrs. Smith, Wheeler, Erhardt, and Nichols, Commissioners.

Leave of Absence Granted.

Sergeant John T. Gay, Twenty-fifth Precinct, four days.

Leaves of Absence Granted under Rule 564.—Approved.

February 4. Sergeant John J. Fitzgerald, Fourth Precinct, three days.
“ 4. Patrolman James Kilmartin, Twenty-first Precinct, one day.
“ 4. “ William H. Anthes, Fifth Precinct, three days.
“ 5. “ James Moore, Eighth Precinct, three days.
“ 6. Roundsman Edward Lucas, Thirty-fifth Precinct, two days.

Parades Approved.

Adelphi Association, February 5. Funeral.
Deutscher Schutzen Bund, February 7. Parade.

Masked Balls Allowed.

Lamstadter Society, at Odd Fellows Assembly Rooms, February 27, 1879.
Schneider's Dancing Academy, at No. 218 Second street, February 10, 1879.
Deutsche Sohn K. U. Verein, at Central Hall, February 24, 1879.
Haragan Leiderkranz, at Walhalla Hall, February 17, 1879.
N. Y. Sangerbunde, at Germania Hall, February 17, 1879.
Beethoven Manner Chor, at Beethoven Hall, February 24, 1879.
Germania J. O. F. Association, at Beethoven Hall, March 8, 1879.
Kreutzer Quartette Club, at Beethoven Hall, February 15, 1879.
Cecelice No. 2, Frauen K. U. Verein, at Turn Hall, February 17, 1879.
N. Y. Turn Verein, at Turn Hall, February 24, 1879.
Kaiseren Augusta F. Verein, at Turn Hall, February 15, 1879.
Theo. Koerner Leidertafel, at Turn Hall, February 22, 1879.
Gesang Verein Harmonia, at Turn Hall, February 25, 1879.

Masked Ball Denied.

Buckingham Palace, February 12, 1879.
Report of the Superintendent on character of Egyptian Hall and California Varieties, was ordered to be forwarded to His Honor the Mayor for his information.

Report of Captain Bennett, Thirty-fourth Precinct, on condition of a horse, was ordered on file, and the Chief Clerk directed to advertise the horse for sale at public auction.

Reports of Inspector Murray and Sergeant Woodruff, relative to officers absent from the city on duty, were ordered on file.

Applications referred to Committee on Rules and Discipline:

Captain McDonnell, Eighth Precinct, for additional force.

Captain Copeland, Thirteenth Precinct, for transfer of Sergeant H. J. Miner.

Patrick A. Nugent, for re-instatement as Patrolman.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, asking report as to whether the Windsor Theatre is a place of respectable character and proper to be licensed, was referred to the Superintendent to report in writing to the Board.

Communication from Rogers, Peet & Co., relative to duties of an engineer, was referred to the Counsel to the Board for opinion as to duties of the Board, under the law, in this case.

Communication from the Second National Bank, relative to valuable services of Patrolman Timothy Golden, Special Service Squad, in arresting the forger Conyngham, was ordered on file.

Communication from the Board of Aldermen, being preamble and resolution asking the Commissioners of Police to re-establish the Sixth Precinct and build a new Station-house therein, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Commissioner Nichols proposed the following transfer, which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline:

Patrolman Maurice Finn, from Fourth Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.

On reading application of Patrolman Philip Fitzpatrick, Twentieth Precinct, for half-pay for month of December, while sick, it was

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 Patrolman Philip Fitzpatrick, Twentieth Precinct, or other disabilities said officer may be suffering from.

Resolved, That Captain Washburn, Twentieth 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 Patrolman Philip Fitzpatrick, Twentieth Precinct, in December last.

Resolved, That the following communications, petitions, etc., referred back to the Board by the Committee on Rules and Discipline, be laid on the table:

Patrolman John E. Combs, Thirteenth Precinct, withdrawal of petition for retirement.

“ Thomas McCafferty, Thirteenth Precinct, for detail.

“ Thomas Kavanagh, Ninth Precinct, for detail.

“ Francis Gahan, Twenty-third Precinct, for detail.

John J. McArdle, for re-appointment as Patrolman.

David L. Bell, for re-appointment as Patrolman.

Willard F. Haussee, for re-appointment as Patrolman.

Henry Wheeler, for re-appointment as patrolman.

Michael Brooks, for re-appointment as patrolman.

A. P. Jones and others, for re-appointment of W. F. Haussee.

Common Council, relative to Rule 660 (sick time of force).

Police Commissioners of Boston, Mass.

On recommendation of the Committee on Rules and Discipline, it was

Resolved, That the petition of Patrolman Michael Hartigan, Twenty-first Precinct, to the Trustees of the Riot Relief Fund, and other papers accompanying the same, be returned to said officer, with the endorsement thereon, “that the Board of Police do not consider it within their province to take any action on petitions addressed to the Trustees of the Riot Relief Fund, and decline to make any suggestions as to what disposition should be made in such cases.”

On reading and filing communications from Captains Allaire and Ryan, it was

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

Patrolman Bernard Malarkey, from Ninth to Sixteenth Precinct, and detailed to special duty.

“ John Wade, from Sixteenth to Tenth Precinct, and detailed to special duty.

“ George A. Hess, Tenth Precinct, now detailed at First Inspection District, be remanded to the Tenth Precinct, and detailed to special duty.

Patrolman James Quigley, Tenth Precinct to Eighth Precinct, for patrol duty.

Resolved, That notice be given, in pursuance of section 28, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, to James A. Lucas and James McGrath, that the Board of Police intend to dispend with their services as telegraph operators on account of their inability to perform the duties of the position; and that they have opportunity until the 11th instant to make any statement or explanation which they may desire.

Resolved, That A. M. Dickinson, Clerk in telegraph office, be and is hereby Telegraph Operator, with compensation at the rate of \$ per annum; all voting aye.

Resolved, That each telegraph operator shall do the clerical work of recording dispatches sent and received by them respectively; all voting aye.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to detail temporarily for duty as operator in telegraph office, a member of the force who is unfitted for full police duty, and report the name of such officer to this Board.

Commissioner Erhardt offered the following, which was adopted:

Whereas, There is a deficiency of Patrolmen in many Precincts, in the aggregate over 200; therefore

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to report to the Board of Police whether, in his opinion, it would be advantageous to the force to diminish the number of Roundsmen; and in the event of his so concluding, to report the names of Roundsmen for reduction. The report to be made to the Board of Police at its meeting February 11, 1879.

Communication from Frank J. Jones, relative to ballot box, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, with power.

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

Resolved, That the following bills be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer. Commissioners Smith, Wheeler and Nichols voting aye; Commissioner Erhardt not voting:

American Clock Co., clocks.....	\$20 50	Robert C. Brown, repairs.....	8 75
J. S. Barron & Co., axes, etc.....	10 98	“ “ “ “.....	9 89
“ brooms.....	33 75	“ “ “ “.....	7 30
“ mats.....	96 00	“ “ “ “.....	14 90
“ ladder.....	3 00	“ “ “ “.....	14 85
Theodore F. Beebe, manifold books....	4 64	“ “ “ “.....	19 55
Samuel L. Berrian, lumber.....	5 70	“ “ “ “.....	9 60
Martin B. Brown, printing.....	20 00	“ “ “ “.....	4 99
“ “ “ “.....	10 00	“ “ “ “.....	11 08
“ “ “ “.....	3 00	“ “ “ “.....	8 25
“ binding.....	12 00	“ “ “ “.....	12 95
“ stationery.....	89 90	“ “ “ “.....	8 15
“ “ “ “.....	65 00	“ “ “ “.....	39 57
“ “ “ “.....	3 50	Paul C. Coffin, stable brooms.....	15 75
Robert C. Brown, stove, etc.....	57 50	Thomas J. Cox, expenses.....	2 68
“ “ “ “.....	19 50	Thomas J. Cox, Jr., expenses.....	2 26
“ “ “ “.....	10 85	C. D. Cunningham, keeping horse....	25 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Department of Public Parks during the week ending Saturday, February 1, 1879.

MEETING HELD JANUARY 29, 1879.

Present—Commissioners Wenman (President), Wetmore, Conover, and Lane.

The following resolutions were adopted :

Resolved, That the bill of Department of Docks for maintenance and towing of pile-driver lent by said Department to this Department, amounting to the sum of \$92.24, be approved, and that payment thereof be authorized.

Resolved, That the plans and profiles for drains in that portion of the Twenty-third Ward bounded on the north by George street, on the east by Union avenue and White's lane, on the west by Delmonico and Concord avenues, and on the south by Long Island Sound, prepared by E. E. McLean, Engineer of Construction, and this day submitted to the Board, be and hereby are approved.

Resolved, That the President of the Department be and he hereby is authorized to grant permission to the New York Elevated Railroad Company to erect stairs to the South Ferry station of said railroad on the sidewalks of the Battery Park, at the southeast corner thereof, as shown on the plan this day submitted to the Board.

Resolved, That the communication from Thomas Franklin, relative to work on Riverside avenue, and the certificate of Julius W. Adams and William J. McAlpine, members of the American Society of Civil Engineers, relative to the same, be ordered filed, and that the contractor be directed to proceed with the work, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Whereas, The attention of this Board has lately been called to various assertions published in the public press, and has also been openly accused by one of the Aldermen of bad management ; and

Whereas, This Board desire to have the fullest examination of their Department ; therefore

Resolved, That the Honorable the President of the Board of Aldermen be and he is hereby respectfully requested to appoint a committee to thoroughly investigate the management of this Department under the present administration, and report the same to his Honor the Mayor, at their earliest convenience.

DONATIONS.

- 1 Red Fox (*Vulpes fulvus*), presented by William Fischer, New York.
- 2 Snow Buntings (*Plectrophanes nivalis*), by S. W. Francis, M. D., Newport.

Appointments.

John Manning, William Flannagan, and Robert Morrison—Painters.

Restored.

Thomas Kitchell and Patrick McCarthy—Laborers.

Removed.

James Crotty, John Morgan, Andrew Murphy, Richard Connell, John Fitzpatrick, and John Meissner—Laborers.

James Dowd—Double team.

Forwarded to the Finance Department.

Bills approved and transmitted to the Comptroller..... \$260 96
Pay-rolls signed and transmitted to Comptroller..... 3,003 89
D. PORTER LORD, First Clerk D. P. P.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
WEDNESDAY, February 5, 1879—2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—All the members, viz. :

Edward Cooper, the Mayor of the City of New York ; John Kelly, the Comptroller of the City of New York ; Jordan L. Mott, the President of the Board of Aldermen ; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held February 3, 1879, were read and approved.

The President of the Board of Aldermen moved that the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments is hereby appointed Secretary of this Board.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President of the Board of Aldermen moved that Charles V. Adee be appointed Temporary Clerk of this Board, at one hundred and sixty-six 66-100 dollars per month, to date from January 1, 1879.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Comptroller called up the following resolution, which was laid over at meeting of January 22d, and offered its adoption :

Resolved, That the sum of thirteen hundred and fifty-eight dollars and fifty-seven cents be and the same is hereby appropriated from the Excise Fund to the "St. Stephen's Home for Children" in the City of New York, for the support of fifty-three children in said institution, committed by Police Magistrates, pursuant to chapter 404, Laws of 1878, from October 1 to December 31, 1878, aggregating 4,755 days, at two dollars per week, being at the rate of about 28 57-100 cents per day for the support of each child, the appropriation being made in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, dated January 16, 1877.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller called up the following resolution, which was laid over at meeting of January 22d, and offered its adoption :

Resolved, That the sum of six hundred and sixty-eight dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated from the Excise Fund to the "American Female Guardian Society," for the support of thirty-nine children in the home under the management of said Society, committed by Police Magistrates, under the provisions of chapter 249, Laws of 1857, and chapter 404, Laws of 1878, from October 1 to December 31, 1878, aggregating 2,338 days, at two dollars per week, the appropriation being made in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, dated January 16, 1877, and chapter 105, Laws of 1878.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller called up the following resolution, which was laid over at meeting held January 22, and offered its adoption :

Resolved, That the sum of eight hundred and fifty-six dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated from the Excise Fund to the "Home for Fallen and Friendless Girls," for the support of forty-two inmates, from October 1 to December 31, 1878, inclusive, at the rate of \$150 each per annum, pursuant to chapter 868, Laws of 1873.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That the sum of seven hundred and eighty dollars and eighty-six cents be and the same is hereby appropriated from the Excise Fund to the "Ladies' Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectory," for the support of sixty-one children, committed by Police Justices in pursuance of chapter 404, Laws of 1878, from December 1, 1878, to January 31, 1879, aggregating 2,733 days, at two dollars per week, being at the rate of about 28 57-100 cents per day for the support of each child, the appropriation being made in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, dated January 16, 1877.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The President of the Board of Aldermen presented the following resolution :

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 221 of the Laws of 1875, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby appropriates, from the Excise moneys, to the following charitable and benevolent institutions in the City of New York which "gratuitously aid, support, and assist the poor," the sums hereafter stated, and amounting in the aggregate to the sum of twenty-eight hundred and eighty-eight 50-100 dollars, as a per capita allowance for the number of poor and destitute persons actually treated, cared for, or assisted by these institutions, respectively ; these appropriations are made with the distinct provision that no part of these moneys is to be used or applied by any of said institutions as a permanent fund, or for the purpose of erecting or furnishing any building, or for the payment of the salary of any employee, but the whole amount allowed to each institution is to be used and applied to the purpose above stated, as provided by law, viz. : to "gratuitously aid, support, and assist the poor :"

"Twenty-third Ward Relief Association."—Number of poor for which assistance is provided, 1,400, at fifty cents each.....	\$700 00
"West Side Relief Association of the Twenty-fourth Ward."—Number of poor for which assistance is provided, 500, at fifty cents each.....	250 00
"Down Town Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent Society."—Number of poor for which assistance is provided, 1,165, at twenty-five cents each.....	290 00
"New York Ophthalmic Hospital."—Number of poor for which medical treatment is provided, 5,710, at fifteen cents each.....	\$856 50
"Public Schools Aid Society."—Number of poor children for which aid and assistance is provided, 792, at one dollar each.....	792 00
Total.....	\$2,888 50

The Chairman moved that a separate vote be taken upon the amounts proposed to be appropriated to the institutions named in the resolution.

Which was agreed to.

The question was then taken upon the appropriation of \$700 to the "Twenty-third Ward Relief Association."

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The question was then taken upon the appropriation of \$250 to the "West Side Relief Association of the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The question was then taken upon the appropriation of \$856.50 to the "New York Ophthalmic Hospital."

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Chairman then moved that the proposed appropriation of \$290 to the "Down Town Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent Society," and \$792 to the "Public Schools Aid Society," be laid over.

Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller presented the following report :

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
NEW YORK, February 3, 1879.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

At the last meeting of the Board a communication from the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks was presented, containing a series of resolutions and a requisition upon the Comptroller for the issue of \$5,000 city bonds to provide the means for preliminary expenses attending the construction of a suspension bridge it is proposed to build over the Harlem river, at a point about half a mile north of the High Bridge.

The resolutions of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks are accompanied by a printed and certified memorial of Mr. L. G. Morris and others, owners or occupants of property * * * east of Harlem river, and on Manhattan Island, above One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, all of which set forth reasons in favor of the early construction of this bridge.

The matter having been referred to the Comptroller, I respectfully submit that this work is certain to involve a large expenditure, not only for the cost of the bridge itself, but for making approaches and other necessary street improvements, and that before this Board take any action authorizing the issue of the bonds referred to, the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks transmit to the Board all the information of which it is possessed bearing on the subject of this bridge, with such estimate or estimates as may have been heretofore made of the amount of appropriation necessary to complete the bridge and open it for public use and travel.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Which was received and ordered to be printed in the minutes.

The Comptroller then moved that the Secretary be requested to communicate with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in relation thereto.

Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller presented the following communication :

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET, }
NEW YORK, February 4, 1879.

Hon. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller, etc. :

SIR—At a meeting of this Board, held on the 3d inst., the following preamble and resolutions were adopted :

Whereas, The sum of five thousand dollars was appropriated July 16, 1877, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the purpose of building a Reception Hospital ; and

Whereas, The Reception Hospital was not built ; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of four thousand nine hundred and ten dollars, the unexpended balance of appropriation for "Health Department—Rebuilding Small-pox Hospital, 1877," to the "Health Department—Rebuilding Small-pox Hospital, 1879."

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

Which was referred to, and the original paper sent to the Mayor.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the West Side Relief Association and Seaside Sanitarium, asking for an appropriation from the Excise Fund.

Which was referred to, and the original paper sent to the Comptroller.

The Chairman offered for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Comptroller be requested to send to this Board, at its next meeting, a statement showing all unexpended balances of appropriations on the 1st day of January, 1879, and all the liabilities of which there is a record in the Finance Department outstanding at that date, chargeable against or payable out of such balances respectively.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Chairman offered for adoption the following resolutions.

Resolved, That the respective departments of the city government and officers having authority to contract obligations against the city, payable out of appropriations of moneys derived from taxation, be severally requested to send this Board a statement showing all liabilities incurred before January 1, 1879, now outstanding, and payable from balances of appropriations, made for the purposes of said departments and officers respectively.

Resolved, That the Secretary transmit a copy of the above resolution to the departments and officers therein referred to.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolutions.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to cause the provisions of the ordinance entitled "An ordinance to regulate the use of snow ploughs and sweeping machines by railroad companies and others in the City of New York," passed February 26, 1875, to be rigidly enforced, particularly the provisions relating to the removal of snow from the streets in which the rails of every such company are laid.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 21, 1879.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 7, 1879, without his approval or objections thereto ; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

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; 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; HUBERT O. THOMPSON, 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. 1 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 VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.
Corner Cortland and Church streets.
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.
Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

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.
HENRY A. GUMBLETON, County Clerk; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P. CLARK, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 13.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.

Part I, Room No. 25.
Part II, Room No. 26.
Part III, Room No. 27.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, Room 15, City Hall.
Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street.

Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY ALKER, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, Room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN K. HACKETT, Recorder; RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, Judge-Sessions; JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor southeast corner, room 13, 10:30 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

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)

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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, every Thursday, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

By Order of the Committee,
HENRY C. PERLEY,
TERENCE KIERNAN,
JOSHUA P. STRACK,
FREDERICK FINCK,
THOMAS CARROLL,
Committee on Public Works.

JACOB M. PATTERSON, Jr.,
Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, February 10, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Friday, February 21, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Vantassell & Kearney, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, Room 39,
NEW YORK, February 3, 1879.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boots, oil, revolvers, silver watch, gold watch, rope, lard, ring, male and female clothing, also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property 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, February 8, 1879.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following named materials, supplies, etc., in the quantities specified, will be received at these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 26th instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

No. 1. 2,000 lbs. pure white lead, in oil, free from barytes, zinc, or other adulterations.
" 2. 2 bbls. boiled oil.
" 3. 3 " turpentine.
" 4. 3 galls. light coach varnish.
" 5. 30 carboys (5,250 lbs.) sulphuric acid, 66 proof.
" 6. 5,000 lbs. strictly pure sulphate of copper, in single crystals.
" 7. 400 " Scotch bi-chromate of potash.
" 8. 200 " sal-ammoniac.
" 9. 100 " quicksilver.
" 10. 25,000 " galvanized line wire, No. 10.
" 11. 50 " copper office wire, braided covering, No. 18.
" 12. 50 " compound covered copper wire, No. 16.
" 13. 200 " 10-inch register paper on wooden rollers.
" 14. 25 " ½-inch register paper on wooden rollers.
" 15. 1 doz. battery brushes.
" 16. 400 carbons for No. 1½ carbon battery.
" 17. 300 porous cups, for No. 1½ carbon battery.
" 18. 600 zincs, " " "
" 19. 300 carbon clamps, " " "

No. 20. 150 wire connections, for No. 1½ carbon battery
" 21. 20 end connections, " " "
" 22. 200 zinc connections, " " "
" 23. 500 zincs for gravity battery.
" 24. 300 coppers for gravity battery.
" 25. 600 zinc connections for gravity battery.
" 26. 150 cells Le Clanche disque battery complete.
" 27. 75 filled porous cups for Le Clanche disque battery.

" 28. 200 zincs porous cups for Le Clanche disque battery.

" 29. 2,000 6-inch lag screws and washers.

" 30. 6 No. 4 hatchets.

" 31. 3 kegs 5-inch spikes.

" 32. 200 rubber hook insulators.

" 33. 500 4½-inch malleable iron rings.

" 34. 72 square feet sheet copper.

" 35. 24 pieces ½-inch hard rubber tubing.

" 36. 2,000 locust pins.

" 37. 1,000 oak screw brackets.

" 38. 2,000 screw glass insulators.

" 39. 1,000 feet Manila line rope.

" 40. 3,000 running feet 3¼x4¼ inches extra clear seasoned white pine for cross arms.

SUPPLY ROOM.

No. 41. 4,500 lbs. brown soap.

" 42. 2,000 " castle soap.

" 43. 250 " Florida sponges.

" 44. 2,500 " cotton waste, machine picked.

" 45. 20 bbls. kerosene oil, fire test.

" 46. 50 galls. Neat's foot oil.

" 47. 2 doz. shovels.

" 48. 4 " stove shovels.

" 49. 2 " scoop shovels.

" 50. 12 doz. curry combs.

" 51. 72 " corn brooms.

" 52. 6 " stable " "

" 53. 48 " whisk " "

" 54. 12 " dust brushes.

" 55. 10 " horse " "

" 56. 30 " hand scrub brushes.

" 57. 48 " deck scrub " "

" 58. 8 " window " "

" 59. 4 " stove " "

" 60. 2 " shoe " "

" 61. 18 " feather dusters, carriage No. 3.

" 62. 12 " mop sticks.

" 63. 72 " mop yarns, cotton.

" 64. 8 " door mats.

" 65. 4 " coal hods, galvanized, No. 18.

" 66. 6 " oak buckets, galvanized hoops, flush bottoms.

" 67. 4 " drinking cups, tin.

" 68. 4 " dust pans.

" 69. 800 " boxes matches.

" 70. 200 " lamp wicks.

" 71. 6 " boxes shoe blacking.

" 72. 72 " papers stove polish.

" 73. 6 " horse sheets, linen.

" 74. 12 " whips.

" 75. 10 kips chamois.

" 76. 35 sacks Liverpool salt, ground.

No. 167.	30 lbs. 9-16 inch copper hose rivets, No. 7.	No. 289.	1 doz. cans harness dressing.
" 168.	200 copper stud bolts, with nuts, for suction valves.	" 290.	2 " bottles edge blacking.
" 169.	200 copper stud bolts, with nuts, for discharge valves.	" 291.	2 " balls tufting twine.
" 170.	10 bbls. 26x34 inch, best bloom charcoal iron, No. 26, 16 sheets to the bundle.	" 292.	2 " balls seaming cord.
" 171.	16 " 26x34 inch, best bloom galvanized iron, No. 26, 16 sheets to the bundle.	" 293.	4 lbs. black skein thread, No. 16.
" 172.	16 " 26x34 inch, best bloom galvanized iron, No. 24, 16 sheets to the bundle.	" 294.	12 cards white thread, No. 3.
" 173.	10 " best Russia iron, 9 lbs. to the sheet, 16 sheets to the bundle.	" 295.	6 " white thread, No. 10.
" 174.	12 boxes 14x20 XX charcoal tin.	" 296.	6 " white thread, No. 12.
" 175.	12 " 10x14 X charcoal tin.	" 297.	7,500 lbs. pure white lead, in oil, free from barytes, zinc or other adulterations.
" 176.	200 bars No. 1 solder, 1 1/2 lbs. each.	" 298.	4,000 " pure green seal French zinc, in oil.
" 177.	12 papers, each 1 1/2 lbs., black iron rivets.	" 299.	100 " English vermilion (deep).
" 178.	12 " each 1 lb., tinned iron rivets.	" 300.	100 " English vermilion (pale).
" 179.	12 " each 2 lbs., tinned iron rivets.	" 301.	75 " burnt amber, ground in oil.
" 180.	36 cylinder tallow cups for engines.	" 302.	75 " yellow ochre, "
" 181.	50 composition 3 way cocks for heaters.	" 303.	75 " chrome yellow, "
" 182.	50 composition oil cups for main links.	" 304.	75 " chrome green, " (medium).
" 183.	50 composition axle nuts.	" 305.	75 " indian red, "
" 184.	24 composition globe valves, 3/4-inch.	" 306.	50 " coach black, ground in japan.
" 185.	24 composition angle valves, 3/4-inch.	" 307.	30 " ultramarine blue, dry.
" 186.	50 lbs. brass wire, 1/4-inch.	" 308.	500 " patent dryers.
" 187.	50 " brass wire, No. 12.	" 309.	500 " putty.
" 188.	25 " sheet steel.	" 310.	25 " lamp black.
" 189.	5 gross brass lamp burners.	" 311.	25 " potash.
" 190.	5 " brass lamp springs.	" 312.	25 " dry white lead.
" 191.	1 " brass lamp handles.	" 313.	25 " gilders' whiting.
" 192.	200 file handles with iron ferrules.	" 314.	5 " lump pumice stone.
" 193.	1 doz. vices, 5-inch face.	" 315.	1,200 " metallic roof paint, dry.
" 194.	2 " tinner's mallets.	" 316.	6 bbls. English Paris white.
" 195.	3 pairs tinner's hand shears, No. 2.	" 317.	6 " boiled oil (Calcutta seed).
" 196.	1 pair cast-steel stock shears, No. 2.	" 318.	6 " raw linseed oil (Calcutta seed).
" 197.	1 " cast-steel stock shears, No. 4.	" 319.	6 " turpentine.
" 198.	2 doz. narrow 4-inch butts.	" 320.	40 galls. black japan.
" 199.	5 " narrow 3-inch butts.	" 321.	25 " coach japan, pale.
" 200.	5 " narrow 2-inch butts.	" 322.	75 " quick drying light coach varnish, No. 1, extra.
" 201.	3 " butts, 4x4 inches.	" 323.	2 " English gold size.
" 202.	300 coat hooks.	" 324.	2 " black body varnish.
" 203.	100 harness hooks.	" 325.	1 " muriatic acid.
" 204.	6 doz. wrought-iron T hinges, 12-inch.	" 326.	2 p'k'gs. 1 pound each, unchangeable gold bronze.
" 205.	6 " wrought-iron T hinges, 6-inch.	" 327.	4 " gold leaf, deep.
" 206.	5 " back flap wrought-iron hinges.	" 328.	1 doz. 6-0 paint brushes, pure bristles.
" 207.	50 reversible mortice locks, 4 1/2-inches, with fixtures.	" 329.	1 doz. 7-0 super. paint brushes, pure bristles.
" 208.	50 reversible rim locks, 4-inches, with fixtures.	" 330.	1/2 " 7 inch kalsomine brushes, extra.
" 209.	12 doz. closet locks, with keys.	" 331.	1 " 5 inch metallic wall paint brushes.
" 210.	2 " brass handles, 8-inch long, made of 1/4-inch brass.	" 332.	1 " 5-0 extra oval varnish brushes.
" 211.	6 " brass drop hooks and fixtures.	" 333.	1/2 " 1 1/2 inch extra extra chisel flat varnish brushes.
" 212.	2 gross brass spring bolts and fixtures.	" 334.	3/4 " 2 inch extra extra chisel flat varnish brushes.
" 213.	2 " brass 2-inch buttons and plates.	" 335.	3/4 " 2 1/2 inch extra extra chisel flat varnish brushes.
" 214.	3 doz. steel bar door springs, 1/2-inch by 3 feet 6 inches, and fixtures.	" 336.	3/4 " 3 inch knotted extra roof brushes, pure gray bristles.
" 215.	200 sides harness leather, from 20 to 24 lbs. to the side, inspector's weight, finishing included.	" 337.	3 " 1 inch camel hair brushes, extra thick.
" 216.	50 " rim collar leather, finished.	" 338.	3 " 2 inch "
" 217.	50 " Neat's breeching leather, not less than 12 lbs. to the side, inspector's weight, finishing included.	" 339.	1 " 1 inch extra flat fitches, bristle hair.
" 218.	10 " loop leather, not less than 16 lbs. to the side, inspector's weight, finishing included.	" 340.	1 " 1 1/2 inch "
" 219.	6 " russet leather, not less than 16 lbs. to the side, inspector's weight, finishing included.	" 341.	1 " rose camel hair stripping pencils, 1/2 inch in ferrule.
" 220.	2 " black skirting leather, 20 feet each.	" 342.	1 " superior ox hair fine liners, 1 to 8.
" 221.	1 side red patent leather.	" 343.	1 " black sable superior lettering pencils, 1 to 8.
" 222.	1 " blue patent leather.	" 344.	1 " black sable superior stripping pencils, 1 to 12.
" 223.	1 " green patent leather.	" 345.	1 set graining combs, American blue steel.
" 224.	8 sides belt lacing leather, 50 feet.	" 346.	1 doz. French bristle sash tools, No. 5.
" 225.	1 doz. sheep skins, in wool, heavy.	" 347.	1 " " " " " No. 7.
" 226.	1 doz. black Scotch bazzles (large).	" 348.	1/2 " sash tools, No. 1.
" 227.	1 doz. black Scotch bazzles (large).	" 349.	1/2 " " " " " " No. 2.
" 228.	2 gross 1 1/4 inch jappanned horseshoe harness buckles.	" 350.	1/2 " putty knives.
" 229.	3 " 1 inch jappanned horseshoe harness buckles.	" 351.	1/2 " painters' dusters, large.
" 230.	2 " 3/4 inch jappanned horseshoe harness buckles.	" 352.	25 galls. Neat's foot oil.
" 231.	5 " 3/4 inch jappanned horseshoe harness buckles.	" 353.	50 bales oakum.
" 232.	3 " 3/4 inch jappanned horseshoe harness buckles.	" 354.	10 " caulking cotton.
" 233.	2 " 1 1/4 inch jappanned horseshoe harness buckles.	" 355.	15 bbls. pitch.
" 234.	4 " 1 1/4 inch jappanned rein buckles.	" 356.	200,000 white pine plugs 5/8 x 3/4 inch.
" 235.	4 " 1 inch jappanned rein buckles.	" 357.	50 lignum-vitæ link blocks, for second size engines.
" 236.	4 " 3/4 inch jappanned rein buckles.	" 358.	500 seamless boiler tubes, 1 1/4 inches full by 24 1/2 inches long.
" 237.	4 " 3/4 inch jappanned rein buckles.	" 359.	1,000 seamless boiler tubes, 1 1/4 inches full by 24 1/2 inches long.
" 238.	3 " 1 1/4 inch jappanned rings.		
" 239.	1 1/2 " 1 1/4 inch jappanned rings.		
" 240.	3 " 1 1/2 inch jappanned rings.		
" 241.	3 " 1 1/4 inch jappanned rings.		
" 242.	1 " jappanned carriage knobs.		
" 243.	1 " 1 inch halter bolts.		
" 244.	2 " 1 inch silver plated English wire harness buckles.		
" 245.	2 " 3/4 inch silver plated English wire harness buckles.		
" 246.	2 " 3/4 inch silver plated English wire harness buckles.		
" 247.	2 " 3/4 inch silver plated English wire harness buckles.		
" 248.	2 " 3/4 inch silver plated English wire harness buckles.		
" 249.	1/2 " 1 1/4 inch silver plated English wire trace buckles.		
" 250.	1/2 " 1 inch silver plated English wire trace buckles.		
" 251.	10 doz. bridle fronts.		
" 252.	3 " 3/4 inch bridle fronts, red.		
" 253.	1 gross 1 1/4 inch harness snaps.		
" 254.	2 " 1 1/4 inch harness snaps.		
" 255.	4 " 1 1/4 inch harness snaps.		
" 256.	4 " 1 1/4 inch harness snaps.		
" 257.	4 " 3/4 inch harness snaps.		
" 258.	4 " 3/4 inch harness snaps.		
" 259.	4 " round eye harness snaps.		
" 260.	50 rein chains with snaps (18 inches extreme length).		
" 261.	100 rein chains with snaps (12 inches extreme length).		
" 262.	2 doz. ivory martingale rings 1/2 x 1 1/4 inches, heavy.		
" 263.	1/2 gross 1 1/4 inch nickel plated rings.		
" 264.	3 doz. nickel plated martingale springs.		
" 265.	2 " leather pad housings.		
" 266.	2 " kersey saddle soles.		
" 267.	1 " rubber whip sockets.		
" 268.	6 3 inch covered saddle trees, silver plated English wire mountings.		
" 269.	2 5 inch covered saddle trees, nickel plated mountings.		
" 270.	3 doz. 6 inch jointed nickel plated bits.		
" 271.	5 " 6 inch stiff bits, nickel plated.		
" 272.	1 " 5 1/2 inch jointed half cheek bits, nickel plated.		
" 273.	1 " 5 1/2 inch stiff half cheek bits, nickel plated.		
" 274.	18 yards gray mixed kersey (heavy), 1 yard wide.		
" 275.	10 " blue serge (heavy), 1 yard wide.		
" 276.	4 pieces 1 1/2 inch web, 12 yards to the piece.		
" 277.	1 piece enameled duck, 12 yards long, 48 inches wide.		
" 278.	12 pairs 3/4 inch winkers.		
" 279.	1/2 gross saddle nails, silver heads.		
" 280.	1 doz. papers each of 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 oz. lace tacks.		
" 281.	1/2 " papers each of 14, 16, 18, 20, 22 oz. harness tacks.		
" 282.	3 " papers jappanned head tacks, assorted sizes.		
" 283.	4 papers each of Nos. 4, 5 and 6 harness needles.		
" 284.	3 " Glover's needles, assorted.		
" 285.	1 gross 1 inch jappanned dees.		
" 286.	6 lbs. deer hair.		
" 287.	50 " best curled hair.		
" 288.	100 balls clarified wax, 2 oz. each.		

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

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

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Adolph Horn; aged 35 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, black coat, dark pants, black velvet vest, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

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

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

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—Mary Welsh; aged 29 years. Committed October 20, 1878. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

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

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

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—James McCabe; aged 18 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes black hair. Had on when admitted, dark pants, gray coat, felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Hannah Kruse; aged 50 years. Had on when admitted, brown skirt, black Sacque, shawl, red woolen hood, shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, February 3, 1879.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—William Campbell; aged 35 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; dark brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted, black coat, gray pants and vest, white shirt, Scotch cap, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, and the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title for the use of the public to all the lands required for the laying out of certain new streets and avenues north of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, as the same were laid out by resolution of the Commissioners of the Central Park in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charge and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, in and for the First Judicial District, at a Special Term to be held in the Chambers thereof in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of February, 1879, at eleven o'clock A. M.

Dated January 29, 1879.

WILLIAM R. TRAPHAGEN,
SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from Third 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 Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to 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 County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1879, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and 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 Sixty-seventh street, from Third Avenue to the East river, in the City of New York, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, viz.: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Third Avenue distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200' 10") from the northerly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said Sixty-sixth street six hundred and ten feet (610') to the westerly line of Second Avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Second Avenue sixty feet (60'); thence westerly six hundred and ten feet (610') to the easterly line of Third Avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Third Avenue sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning.

Also all that certain other lot, piece, or parcel of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Second Avenue distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200' 10") from the northerly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said Sixty-sixth street six hundred and fifty feet (650') to the westerly line of First Avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of First Avenue sixty feet (60'); thence westerly six hundred and fifty feet (650') to the easterly line of Second Avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Second Avenue sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning.

Also all that certain other lot, piece or parcel of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of First Avenue distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200' 10") from the northerly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said Sixty-sixth street six hundred and thirteen feet (613') to the westerly line of Avenue A; thence northerly along the westerly line of Avenue A sixty feet (60') to the easterly line of First Avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of First Avenue sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning.

And also all that certain other lot, piece, or parcel of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a

point on the easterly line of Avenue A distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200' 10") from the northerly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said Sixty-sixth street six hundred and fourteen (614') feet to the bulkhead line; thence northeasterly and along the said bulkhead line sixty feet and three inches (60' 3"); thence westerly six hundred and nineteen feet six inches (619' 6") to the easterly line of Avenue A; thence southerly along the easterly line of Avenue A sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning; said street to be sixty feet (60') wide from Third Avenue to East river.

Dated New York, February 6, 1879.

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

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 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 opening 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 Avenue to Elton Avenue; and to the opening and widening of Morris Avenue, from Third Avenue to Railroad Avenue, at One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Meyer Butzel, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 261 Broadway, Room 23, in the said city, on or before the fifth day of March, 1879, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said fifth day of March, 1879, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at two 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 seventeenth day of March, 1879.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, included within the following boundaries, viz.: Commencing at a point on the easterly bulkhead line of Harlem river, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 200 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly, parallel to and always 200 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, to the westerly side of Morris Avenue; thence across Morris and Third Avenues to the corner which is formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Third Avenue with the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street to the bulkhead line of Long Island Sound; thence southerly along said bulkhead line until the same is intersected by the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to the easterly line of Third Avenue; thence across Third Avenue to a point on the westerly side thereof which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to, and 200 feet southerly of, the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence westerly, parallel to and always 200 feet southerly thereof, to the easterly bulkhead line of Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to the place of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land included within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly side of the Harlem River, 100 feet west of the Third Avenue; thence running north and parallel with Third Avenue to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street; thence northerly and parallel with Morris Avenue, as opened and widened in this proceeding, and distant therefrom 105 feet, to the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-first street (now known as Lowell Street); thence northerly and still parallel with Morris Avenue, as opened and widened in this proceeding, and distant therefrom 115 feet, to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets (now known as Main and Cottage streets); thence westerly along said last mentioned centre line to the easterly line of Terrace Place; thence northerly along the said easterly line of Terrace Place to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street (as proposed); thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street (as proposed) to the westerly line of Sheridan Avenue (as proposed); thence northerly along the westerly line of Sheridan Avenue (as proposed) to a point which would be on the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (as proposed); thence easterly along the said southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (as proposed), protracted and along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (as proposed) to the westerly bank of Mill Brook; thence southerly along the westerly bank of Mill Brook, as the same winds and twines to the westerly side of Railroad Avenue, west; thence still southerly along the westerly side of Railroad Avenue west to a point which is opposite the westerly line of College Avenue (as proposed); thence still southerly to and along the westerly line of College Avenue (as proposed) to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street (now known as Cottage street); thence in a straight line to the southwest corner of Third Avenue and One Hundred and Fortieth street (now known as Bronx street); thence southerly in a straight line to the southeast corner of Third Avenue and One Hundred and Fortieth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Fortieth street to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to, and 200 feet easterly from, the easterly side of Third Avenue; thence running south along a line always one hundred feet east of Third Avenue to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence southerly, along a line parallel to Lincoln Avenue, and 200 feet easterly therefrom, to the Harlem river; thence along the Harlem river to the point of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the westerly side of St. Ann's Avenue, at a point which is 100 feet southerly from the southwest corner of St. Ann's Avenue and One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence running westerly and always 100 feet southerly of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to the westerly side of College Avenue (as proposed); thence northerly along the westerly side of College Avenue (as proposed) to a point which is 100 feet northerly of the northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and College Avenue (as proposed); thence running easterly, always 100 feet northerly of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to the westerly side of St. Ann's Avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of St. Ann's Avenue; to the point of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 250 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 250 feet northerly of said One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue to a point which is distant 100 feet northerly of the northwest corner of St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 100 feet northerly of said One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the westerly line of the lands belonging to the Harlem Railroad Company; thence northerly along the lands of said railroad company to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 350 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 350 feet northerly of said street to the easterly water grant line of the Harlem river; thence southerly along said water grant line to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 350 feet southerly of the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running easterly parallel to and always 350 feet southerly of said street to the westerly line of the lands of said railroad company; thence northerly along the lands of said railroad company to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of said street; thence easterly parallel to and always 100 feet southerly of said street to the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue to a point which is distant 250 feet southerly of the southwest corner of St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence easterly parallel to and always 250 feet southerly of said street to the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly along the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard, as it curves, to the place of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 200 feet easterly of Prospect Avenue; thence running northerly parallel to and always 200 feet easterly of said avenue to a line which would be the protraction of the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street (as proposed); thence westerly along the protraction of the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street (as proposed), and along the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street (as proposed), to a point which is 200 feet west of the westerly line of Prospect Avenue; thence southerly parallel to and always 200 feet westerly of said avenue to the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly along the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard to the place of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of Westchester avenue at a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 135 feet westerly of the westerly line of Tinton avenue; thence northerly parallel to and always 135 feet westerly thereof to the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 125 feet easterly of the easterly line of Tinton avenue; thence southerly parallel to and always 125 feet easterly thereof to and across Westchester avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly side of Westchester avenue; thence westerly along said last mentioned line until intersected by the first mentioned line produced to the south; thence northerly along the production of the said first mentioned line to the point of beginning.

Also, all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land and premises embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Terrace place, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly of the northerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; thence running easterly, parallel to and always 100 feet northerly thereof, to the westerly line of Union avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; thence westerly, parallel to and always 100 feet southerly thereof, to the said easterly line of Terrace place; thence northerly along the easterly line of Terrace place to the point or place of beginning.

Also, all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land and premises embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Third avenue, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Cliff street; thence running easterly, parallel to and always 100 feet northerly thereof, to the westerly line of Union avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Union avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of Cliff street; thence westerly, parallel to and always 100 feet southerly thereof, to the easterly line of Third avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Third avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly side of Boston avenue at a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Wall street; thence running easterly, parallel to and always 100 feet northerly thereof, to the westerly line of Union avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Union avenue to a point 100 feet south of the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Union avenue and the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence westerly, parallel to and always 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, to the easterly line of Boston avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Boston avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Also, all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land and premises embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Terrace place where the said easterly line of Terrace place would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet northerly of the northerly line of Denman street; thence running easterly, parallel to Denman street, and always 500 feet northerly thereof, to the westerly side of Third avenue; thence still easterly across the said Third avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet southerly of the southerly side of Denman street; thence still westerly, parallel to and always 500 feet southerly thereof, to the easterly side of said Terrace place, and thence northerly along the easterly side of Terrace place to the point or place of beginning.

Also, all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point in the easterly line of the lands of Spuyten Duyvil Railroad at a point where the same would be intersected by the prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and 500 feet northerly thereof; thence running easterly and always 500 feet northerly of said northerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street and parallel thereto to the westerly side of Third avenue; thence across Third avenue to the easterly side thereof to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet northerly of the northerly side of Cliff street; thence easterly parallel to and 500 feet northerly of said northerly side of Cliff street to a point distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly side of Union avenue; thence southerly parallel to Union avenue to a point which would be inter-

sected by a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Cliff street and 500 feet southerly thereof; thence westerly parallel to and always 500 feet southerly of the southerly side of Cliff street to the easterly side of Third avenue; thence across Third avenue to the westerly side thereof to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet southerly of the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence westerly parallel to and 500 feet southerly of said southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street to a point in the easterly line of land of said railroad, where it would be intersected by the prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet southerly of the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence northerly along the easterly line of lands of said railroad to the point or place of beginning.

Also, all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land and premises embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard at a point distant 100 feet westerly of the westerly side of Willis avenue; thence running northerly parallel to Willis avenue to the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to the easterly side of Third avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Third avenue to the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street (as proposed); thence in a straight line to the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street (now known as Mott street) with the westerly line of Third avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street (now known as Mott street) to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 200 feet westerly of the westerly side of Third avenue; thence northerly parallel to Third avenue and always distant 200 feet westerly thereof to the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street (now known as Mary street); thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street (now known as Mary street) and along a line which would be a projection of the southerly side of said One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly side of Third avenue; thence southerly parallel to Third avenue and always distant 100 feet easterly thereof to the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street (as proposed); thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to a point which is half-way between Willis avenue and Brook avenue; thence southerly in a straight line to a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, which would be half-way between Willis avenue and Brook avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to a point which would be distant 300 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Willis avenue and the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence southerly parallel to Willis avenue and always 300 feet easterly thereof to the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence westerly along the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard to the point or place of beginning.

Excepting, however, from all the lands and premises above described so much thereof as is included within the areas of streets and avenues now opened and proposed to be opened by this proceeding.

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 Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of May, 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, January 21, 1879.

MEYER BUTZEL,
HENRY LEWIS,
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Forest (Concord) avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, from the southern side of Denman place to Home street, in the Twenty-third Ward of 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 Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said city will apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the twentieth day of February, 1879, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with buildings thereon, and appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Forest (Concord) avenue, from the southern line of Denman place to the southern line of Home street, as said Forest (Concord) avenue is shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapters 329 and 604 of the Laws of 1871, and chapter 436 of the Laws of 1876, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks; said avenue being more particularly bounded and described as follows, viz.: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

I.—Beginning at a point (the southeastern corner of Forest avenue and Denman place) distant 11,061 32-100 feet easterly from the eastern line of Tenth avenue measured on a line at right angles to the same, from a point 1,593 69-100 northerly from the southeastern corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Tenth avenue; thence northerly on a line whose direction is 11 deg. 30 min. 13.1 sec. northwest of that of the eastern line of Tenth avenue for 296 3-10 feet to the southern line of Clifton (Cliff) street; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, westerly, for 50 feet; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, southerly, for 296 3-10 feet; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, easterly, for 50 feet to the place of beginning.

II.—Also, all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point (the northeastern corner of Clifton street and Forest avenue) distant 10,992 25-100 feet easterly from the eastern line of Tenth avenue, measured at right angles to the same, from a point 1,933 03-100 feet northerly from the southeastern corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Tenth avenue; thence northerly on a line whose direction is 11 deg. 30 min. 13.1 sec. northwest of that of the eastern line of Tenth avenue for 296 3-10 feet to the southern line of Clifton (Cliff) street; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, westerly, for 50 feet; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, southerly, for 296 3-10 feet; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, easterly, for 50 feet to the place of beginning.

III.—And also all that certain other lot, piece, or parcel of land, situated in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point (the northeastern corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Forest avenue) distant 10,719 03-100 feet easterly from the eastern line of Tenth avenue, measured at right angles to the same from a point 3,275 51-100 feet northerly from the southeastern corner of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth

street; thence northerly on a line whose direction is 11 deg. 31 min. 13.1 sec. northwest of that of the eastern line of Tenth avenue, for 1,200 feet to the southern line of Home street; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, westerly, for fifty feet; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, southerly, for 1,200 feet to the northern line of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left, easterly, for fifty feet to the place of beginning.

Dated New York, January 20, 1879.

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

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-second street, from First avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Menzo Diefendorf, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 222 Broadway, Room 72, in the said city, on or before the twenty-first day of February, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said twenty-first day of February, 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 twelfth day of March, 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 Court-house, in the City of New York, on the nineteenth day of March, 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, January 9, 1879.

MENZO DIEFENDORF,
GEO. H. SWORDS,
THOS. L. FEITNER,
Commissioners.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1.—Regulating and grading Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 2.—Paving Seventy-fifth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, with Belgian pavement.

No. 3.—Fencing vacant lots on north side of Seventy-fourth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 4.—Fencing vacant lots in Eighty-fifth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, also on the southwest corner of Eighty-sixth street and Avenue A.

No. 5.—Sewer in Goerck street, between Houston and Third streets.

No. 6.—Paving Sixty-fifth street, from First to Third avenue, with Belgian pavement.

No. 7.—Laying crosswalks across Fourth avenue at One Hundred and Seventh, One Hundred and Eighth, and One Hundred and Ninth streets.

No. 8.—Paving Eighty-fourth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with Belgian pavement.

No. 9.—Regulating and grading, setting and resetting curb, flagging and relagging, and paving with Macadam pavement Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

No. 10.—Flagging north side of Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

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

No. 1.—Both sides Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2.—Both sides of Seventy-fifth street, from Madison to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3.—North side of Seventy-fourth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 4.—North side of Eighty-fifth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, and south side of Eighty-sixth street, commencing at the southwest corner of Avenue A and extending 100 feet westerly, also from same point southerly 108 feet 10 inches on Avenue A.

No. 5.—Both sides of Goerck street, between Houston and Third streets.

No. 6.—Both sides of Sixty-fifth street, between First and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7.—To the extent of one-half the block on each side, at the intersections of One Hundred and Seventh, One Hundred and Eighth, and One Hundred and Ninth streets and Fourth avenue.

No. 8.—Both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9.—Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10.—North side of Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

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

The above described list will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 17th day of February ensuing.

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

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),
NEW YORK, January 16, 1879.

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

No. 1.—Sewers, Greenwich avenue, between Thirteenth street and Eighth avenue, and in Bank street, between Waverly place and Greenwich avenue, from end of present sewer to near Greenwich avenue.....	\$665 18
No. 2.—Basin, Seventieth street, northeast corner of, and Fifth avenue.....	179 00
No. 3.—Tree planting, Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth street to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.....	4,388 82
No. 4.—Sewers, First avenue, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and in Second avenue, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, with branches in Ninety-third, Ninety-sixth, Ninety-seventh, Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First, One Hundred and Second, One Hundred and Third, One Hundred and Fourth, One Hundred and Fifth, One Hundred and Seventh, and One Hundred and Eighth streets.....	141,252 28
Total.....	\$146,485 28

WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),
NEW YORK, February 13, 1879.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 21, 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 JANUARY 15, 1879.

78th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 9th avenue to Boulevard.

112th street, regulating, grading, etc., from Madison avenue to 175 feet east, etc.

70th street, sewer, between Boulevard and 11th avenue. 6th avenue, sewer, between 100th and 101st streets, etc. Greenwich street, sewer between West Houston and Clarkson streets.

East Broadway or Chatham square (east side), sewer between Oliver and Catherine streets.

4th avenue (west side), sewer, between 123d and 125th streets.

104th street, sewer, between 4th and 5th avenues. 10th avenue, sewer, between 110th and 114th streets.

57th street (north side), basin, between Madison and 4th avenues.

65th street, basin, northwest corner 5th avenue. 70th street, paving crossing at 4th avenue.

82d street, paving between 3d and Madison avenues. 34th street, flagging in front of No. 411 E.

40th street, flagging (south side), between 1st and 2d avenues.

Madison avenue, flagging (east side), between 56th and 57th streets.

85th street, flagging between 1st avenue and Avenue A. 57th street (south side), fencing vacant lots, between 5th and 6th avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before March 22, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, December 23, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 20, 1878.

10th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., and superstructure, from 155th to 194th street.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before February 21, 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.

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JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, December 20, 1878.

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 DECEMBER 17, 1878.

60th street sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 18, 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.