

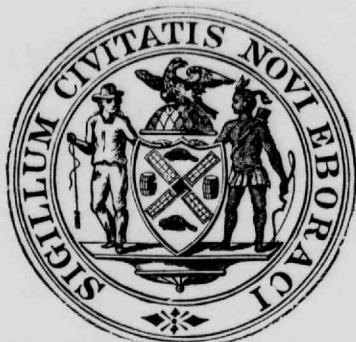
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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, September 7, 1880, at
12 o'clock, M.

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

PRESENT:

Hon. John J. Morris, President;

ALDERMEN

Matthew J. Coggey,
Frederick Finck,
Robert Foster,
Bernard Goodwin,
Henry Haften,
Robert Hall,
Nicholas Haughton,

Frederick Helbig,
John W. Jacobus,
Bernard Kenney,
William P. Kirk,
Charles H. Marshall,
John McClave,
Jeremiah Murphy,

Henry C. Perley,
William Sauer,
Thomas Sheils,
James J. Slevin,
Joseph P. Strack.

On motion of Alderman Strack, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

PETITIONS.

The President laid before the Board a writ of injunction, issued by the Circuit Court of the United States, Southern District of New York, in the case of Francis Munson vs. The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Andrew H. Green as the Comptroller thereof. Which was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

By Alderman Keenan—
Petition of John W. Goodwin to establish a ferry from the foot of Jackson street, New York, to Hudson avenue, Brooklyn. Which was referred to the Committee on Ferries and Franchises.

By the President—
Application of Patrick Joseph Flemming for re-appointment as Commissioner of Deeds. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—
Petition for gas in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Mott to Walton avenue, to One Hundred and Sixty-first street, to Jerome or Central avenue; also from One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street on Grand avenue, West Morrisania. Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—
Petition of Edwin E. Van Auken to be paid for services rendered the Commissioners for Revising the Corporation Ordinances. Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Alderman Keenan—
Petition to pave One Hundred and Eleventh street, between Second and Third avenues, with stone pavement.

NEW YORK, May 17, 1880.

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

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned owners of property lying along the north and south sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, respectfully petition your Honorable Body to cause the above said street, between Second and Third avenues, to be paved with stone.

Ch. T. Cromwell, one lot 20 feet front.	J. W. Warner, five lots, 125 feet, 229, 231, 233, 235, and 237.
Peter McA. Tumney.	Hugh Meehan, 131 East 109th street, 200 feet south side 111th street, Nos. 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, and 222.
Thomas McDermott.	O. H. Janes, No. 241 East 111th street.
John H. Monahan, No. 244.	E. Price, Nos. 207, 215, 217.
John O'Brien, No. 240.	
Chas. K. Maguire, No. 239 East 111th street.	
Michael Mathews, No. 234.	

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By the President—
Petition of John C. Barron for permission to extend vault beyond the line of the curb-stone, at Nos. 129 and 131 Greene street.

Whereupon he offered the following resolution: Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John C. Barron to extend the vault in front of Nos. 129 and 131 Greene street a distance of two feet beyond the line of curb-stones in said street, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner; that said John C. Barron stipulates with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur during the progress of or subsequent to the completion of the work; that the usual fee therefor be paid, and that the work be done at his own expense, under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. Which was adopted.

By Alderman Haften—
Petition for laying Croton-mains in Wilton (One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street), in Twenty-third Ward. Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

(G. O. 263.)

By Alderman Sauer—
Resolved, That Fifty-fifth street, from the west crosswalk of Sixth avenue to the east crosswalk of Seventh avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that the curb-stones be set between the same limits, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted. Which was laid over.

By Alderman Perley—
AN ORDINANCE to insure safety and prevent accidents in dispensing poisons in the City of New York.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, do ordain as follows:
Section 1. It shall not be lawful for any druggist, apothecary, or other person, whether the owner or employed in any drug store, or person in charge of any dispensary, hospital, or other place where physicians' prescriptions are compounded, or medicines prescribed or administered, to keep any bottle, glass case, jar, or other receptacle for any poisonous drugs or medicines, on the shelves

or other places, indiscriminately mixed with the bottles, glass cases, jars, or other receptacles for other descriptions of drugs or medicines, but every particle of such poisonous drugs or substances shall be kept separated from the harmless drugs or medicines, and in an apartment provided specially for the purpose, and marked in large plain letters with the word "poisons." Every such apartment shall be kept securely locked, and shall, in drug stores and dispensaries, be opened only when necessary and in preparing prescriptions or filling legal orders, in the presence of the person presenting the order, or the prescription of which such poisonous article may form an ingredient.

Sec. 2. Every person violating any of the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, before any magistrate, shall thereby incur a penalty of ten dollars, and in default of payment thereof, shall be imprisoned for a period not exceeding ten days.

Sec. 3. The Board of Health and the Commissioners of the Police Department are hereby required to enforce, rigidly, the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.
Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mr. Napoli to place and keep a barber's pole in front of his place of business, No. 173 Greenwich street, the work done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Marshall moved to refer to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the negative.
The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Foster—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Ottmars to place and keep a storm-door in front of No. 1003 Third avenue, the said door not to project beyond the house-line, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Helbig—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. Skelton to display a flag, to be used as a sign, from a pole projecting from a window in premises No. 1278 Broadway, such pole not to project beyond the stoop-line, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By Alderman Kirk—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to G. W. Whyard to retain storm-door in front of premises No. 22 Church street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McClave—
Resolved, That the sidewalk on the north side of Thirty-fourth street, from west curb of Tenth avenue to east curb of Eleventh avenue, be flagged a space four feet wide, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted. Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Coggey—
Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block of land bounded by Madison and Fifth avenues, Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of New York:

The undersigned residents of the City of New York, and residing in the vicinity of the vacant lots on the block of land bounded by Madison and Fifth avenues, and Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets, respectfully represent to your Honorable Board, that said vacant lots, by reason of their unfenced condition, thus inviting the assemblage of idle and dissolute persons, for improper and illegal purposes, and affording facilities for offensive deposits, have become a great nuisance to your petitioners, and other persons residing in that vicinity; and your petitioners, therefore, pray your Honorable Board to enact an ordinance requiring that said vacant lots be forthwith fenced. And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

Dated, August 9, 1880.

G. W. Van Nostrand, 85th & 86th sts., Madison ave.	Chas. B. Smyth, 5th ave. corner 86th st.
P. V. Williams, No. 20 E. 85th st.	P. Fitzsimons, 8 East 86th st.
G. E. Schmitt, 85th st. & Madison ave.	Sam'l M. Rice, 10 East 86th st.
G. Schreiber, 105 East 85th st. near 4th ave.	Isaac L. Rice, 10 East 86th st.
H. A. Schmitt, 118 Water st., residence Madison ave., between 85th and 86th sts.	Jos. Rosenbaum, 10 E. 86th st.
E. M. Sperry, 105 E. 85th st.	Jos. M. Rice, 10 E. 86th st.
W. W. Wilson, E. 84th st.	Geo. E. Fox, 27 East 85th st.
James McDermott, E. 85th st.	Mrs. H. B. Ranney, 29 East 85th st.
Albert W. Meyer, 1307 5th ave.	Henry Schmitt, bet. 85th & 86th sts., Madison ave.
	John F. Twomey, 24 E. 85th st.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—
Resolved, That the resolution, approved August 2, 1880, permitting tan-bark to be placed in the streets in front of residences of sick or convalescent persons, be and is hereby repealed, and the following resolution be adopted in lieu thereof:

Resolved, That the Mayor or any Alderman, the Board of Health, any Police Commissioner, the Superintendent of Police, or any Inspector of Police in charge at headquarters, upon application, shall grant permission to lay tan-bark in the carriage-way in front of any premises occupied by any sick or convalescent person or persons, to the extent of five hundred feet in any direction from said premises, providing all expenses of placing and removing the bark be paid for by the person making such application. The bark so placed in any street shall be removed, upon the order of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, within five days after the recovery or death of such sick or convalescent person, and upon failure or neglect to comply with such order, then it shall be removed by the said Bureau of Street Cleaning, who shall, if necessary, sue for and recover the cost of such removal in the manner now provided for the collection of fines for violation of the ordinances of the city.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 264.)

By Alderman Finck—
Resolved, That the lamp-post and lamp located in front of No. 179 East Houston street be removed and placed five feet west thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works. Which was laid over.

By Alderman Sheils—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Arnold and Henrietta Constable to place and keep an oriel window, projecting three feet beyond the building line, on the third and fourth stories of premises No. 35 East Seventeenth street, as shown on the annexed diagram, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Alderman Foster moved to refer to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kirk—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Raffiella Ulanio to place and keep a barber pole in front of premises No. 39 Bowery, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Coggey—
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Sixty-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Hall—
Resolved, That the name of Asa D. Dickenson, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Asa D. Dickison.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to cause the removal of dirt, stone and rubbish, which has accumulated on the west side of First avenue, between Forty-first and Forty-second streets.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Slevin—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hirschfelder & Co. to retain sign in front of their premises, No. 599 Broadway; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McClave—
Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Sixty-fourth street, between the Ninth and Tenth avenues, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Goodwin—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. J. Hart to erect a bay-window in front No. 104 West Forty-second street, the window to extend 3 feet out from the house, and to be on the first floor, according to the annexed diagram, the consent of the adjoining property-owners having been obtained, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By Alderman Sheils—
Whereas, The great advantage, not to say necessity, of a public drive, free from obstruction by the rails of street railroads, or the danger of accidents from horses frightened by locomotives or passing trains on elevated roads, is so apparent that it will be conceded by all our citizens; and
Whereas, The Fifth avenue is the only wide thoroughfare in this city available for that purpose, being entirely free from the annoyances and dangers referred to; it connects directly with the principal entrance to the Central Park, at Fifty-ninth street; it forms the eastern boundary of that great public resort, for its entire length, and extends northwardly to the Harlem river; and
Whereas, The carriageway of Fifth avenue, south of the entrance to the Central Park, at Fifty-ninth street, is very much out of repair, and unfit for vehicle travel, requires constant repairs, and will, at no very distant day, require repaving; from Fifty-ninth to Eighty-sixth street is now paved with Macadam pavement, and as there can be no question but the public health, comfort and convenience requires that the carriageway of Fifth avenue, from Washington square to Fifty-ninth street, be paved in a similar manner; be it therefore
Resolved, That, as provided in section 1 of chapter 476, Laws of 1875, the Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby requested to certify that fact to this Common Council; that he cause an estimate to be made of the cost of the work, and include in his Departmental Estimate for the year 1881 a sum sufficient to defray the expense of repaving Fifth avenue, from Washington square to Fifty-ninth street, with pavement similar to that laid down in said avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Eighty-sixth streets.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By Alderman Hall—
Resolved, That the resolution approved October 7, 1878, giving permission to Edward A. Gibson to erect an ornamental lamp-post and lamps on the northeast corner of Fourth avenue and Sixteenth street, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the name Edward A. Gibson and inserting in lieu thereof the name William G. Schenck.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Slevin—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. F. Manning to retain show-case and banner, now in front of No. 123 Fulton street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 265.)

By Alderman Perley—
Resolved, That Eighty-eighth street, from the west curb of Tenth avenue to the east line of Riverside drive, be regulated and graded, and that the sidewalk be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, and that curb be set with returns to the house line at the intersecting avenues where not heretofore set between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was laid over.

By the President—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to all political organizations or clubs desiring the privilege to erect poles and swing banners at a safe and proper distance above the street level across the carriageway in front of their respective club-rooms, from August 1st to November 15th each year, provided that grantees of the privilege in each case deposit with the Commissioner of Public Works, or the President of the Department of Public Parks, a sum sufficient to pay for removing such poles and banners and replacing the pavements or flagging, in case they are not removed and the pavements or flagging restored immediately after the expiration of the time above mentioned; the money so deposited to be returned to the parties making each deposit, upon complying with the conditions of this resolution, which shall be set forth in the permit granted in each case by the Commissioner of Public Works or the President of the Department of Public Parks, who are hereby authorized and directed to carry into effect the provisions of this resolution, relating to the erection and removal of such poles and banners and restoration of pavements or flag-stones within their respective jurisdictions. It shall also be lawful to place such banners in the streets suspended from houses on opposite sides upon obtaining the consent of the owner or occupants thereof, during the period of time mentioned in this resolution.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Foster—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James McCoy to erect a sign-post, with a horse-shoe as a sign on the top thereof, at the curb-stone in front of his place of business, No. 729 Eleventh avenue, said post to be eight feet high and four inches square, the same not to be an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk, the work done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Alderman Marshall moved to refer to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Sauer—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Wilson to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 600 Grand street, provided the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by ordinance or resolution of the Common Council, and that the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 266.)

By Alderman Perley—
Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Second street, between Third and Lexington avenues, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.
Which was laid over.

By Alderman McClave—
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted, in Seventy-second street, from First avenue to Avenue A, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Sheils—
Resolved, That the name of Nathan Mayer, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Nathan Magen.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Finck—
Resolved, That the name of Lyman Rindslopf, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Lyman Rindskopf.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Foster—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Paul Kluge to erect a barber's pole in front of his place of business, on the northwest corner of Forty-second street and Madison avenue, the work done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Perley—
Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed and lighted in One Hundred and Tenth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside drive, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Selig Steinhart to erect bay-windows on the front of three buildings about to be erected on the south side of Eighty-third street, commencing 27 feet from the corner of Tenth avenue and running westerly, as per annexed diagram; said Selig Steinhart being the owner of the fifty feet adjoining said premises on each side, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By the same—
Resolved, That Henry Bertram be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William G. Mark.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, viz.:
Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Kenney, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Strack—20.

By the same—
Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed and lighted in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Park & Tilford to lay a crosswalk opposite No. 660 Sixth avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. R. Bi hop to erect a bay-window on premises on the east side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the consent of the owners of adjacent property having been received and is hereto annexed, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By Alderman Slevin—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Springer to place and keep a meat-rack on the curb line of the sidewalk in front of No. 276 Mulberry street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Alderman Marshall moved to refer to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Foster—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. C. Keane to build a bridge over gutter in front of premises Nos. 233 and 235 Water street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the negative.

Subsequently Alderman Foster moved a reconsideration of the above vote.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative.
Alderman Foster then moved the adoption of the resolution.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Hall—
Resolved, That a receiving-basin and culvert be built on the northeast corner of Thirty-second street and Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

(G. O. 267.)

By the same—
Resolved, That the retaining wall on the north side of Fortieth street, between First and Second avenues, be repaired, so as to prevent the water and dirt from running across the sidewalk, and to make the same passable for pedestrians; the said work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 268.)

By the same—
Resolved, That a fire-hydrant be erected in Third avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was laid over.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Dillon to place and keep a news-stand on northwest corner Third avenue and Fourteenth street, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Alderman Marshall moved to refer to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the negative.
The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Marshall, viz.:
Affirmative—Aldermen Coggey, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Kenney, Kirk, Murphy, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Strack—15.
Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Marshall, McClave, and Perley—5.

Alderman Slevin moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the resolution giving permission to John Springer to keep a meat-rack at No. 276 Mulberry street was referred to Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

Alderman Marshall moved to lay the motion on the table.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the negative.
The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Slevin.

Which was decided in the affirmative.
The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Marshall, viz.:
Affirmative—Aldermen Coggey, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Kenney, Kirk, Murphy, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Strack—14.
Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Jacobus, Marshall, McClave, and Perley—6.

Alderman Sauer moved to take from on file the veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution to permit Max Stadler & Co. to keep three show-windows at No. 576 Broadway, ordered on file June 15, 1880.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY* OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 1880.

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

SIR—There were 600 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, August 28, 1880, which is a decrease of 1, as compared with the number reported in the preceding week, and 108 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1879.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending Aug. 28, 1880, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending Aug. 21, 1880.

Main table with columns for METEOROLOGY, CAUSES OF DEATH, ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 1880, AGE BY YEARS, and SEX.

* Refers to the number of death certificates received

DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES. NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHThERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, DYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHOEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.

Very respectfully submitted,

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

Births* reported during the week ending August 28, 1880.

Table with columns: COLOR (White, Colored), SEX (Male, Female, Not stated), NATIVITY OF PARENTS (Foreign, Native, Foreign Father only, Foreign Mother only), and NAME OF CHILD (Not stated, Stated). Total births: 576.

Marriages* reported during the week ending August 28, 1880.

Table with columns: COLOR (White, Colored), NATIVITY (Foreign, Native, Born at sea, Not stated), CONDITION (First marriage, Second marriage, Third marriage, Fourth marriage, Not stated). Total marriages: 136.

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending August 28, 1880, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending August 21, 1880.

Table with columns: NATIVITY OF DECEASED, COUNTRY, DEATHS (Father, Mother), BIRTHS (Father, Mother), MARRIAGES (Groom, Bride), STILL-BIRTHS (Father, Mother). Lists countries like Austria, British America, England, etc.

Still-Births reported during the week ending August 28, 1880.

Table with columns: SEX (Male, Female, Not stated), COLOR (White, Colored), NATIVITY OF (Father, Mother), PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION (Month 1-10, Unknown or not stated). Total still-births: 39.

Deaths reported during the week ending August 28, 1880.

Table with columns: PLACE OF DEATH (Institutions, Tenement-houses, etc.), RESIDENCE (New York City, Outside New York City, etc.), CONDITION (Single, Married, Widowed, etc.). Total deaths: 600.

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. Mayor's Office. No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk. Mayor's Marshal's Office. No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. 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. Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures. No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. WILLIAM EYLES, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. Commissioner's Office. No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner. Bureau of Water Register. No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register. Bureau of Incumbencies. No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent. Bureau of Lamps and Gas. No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

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. STORIS, Deputy Comptroller. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes. First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park. MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes. Bureau of the City Chamberlain. No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain. Auditing Bureau. No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts. Bureau of Arrears. No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ARTEMAS CADY, Clerk of Arrears.

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.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS. No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES F. WENMAN, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary. Civil and Topographical Office. Arsenal, 64th street a d 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards. Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS. Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

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

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE. Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. PRYER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff.

POLICE DEPARTMENT. POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, August 30, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR CONSTRUCTING a dumping board on the southerly side of Pier (old No.) 42, North river, will be received at the

Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 10th day of September, 1880.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for constructing a dumping board," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For the amount of work to be done reference is made to the Plans, Specifications, and approved form of contract which may be examined at the office of the undersigned, where blank forms for bid and estimate may also be obtained.

The Police Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids or estimates not deemed beneficial or satisfactory.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advised and re-let as provided by law. Two responsible sureties, freeholders or householders in this city, will be required with each proposal, who must justify in the sum of five thousand dollars each. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals not deemed beneficial or satisfactory. Plans may be examined and specifications and blank proposals obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department, on and after the 1st day of September, 1880.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, September 2, 1880.

AUCTION SALE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY. Will be sold at public auction at the Stables of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, foot East Seventeenth street, E. R., on Tuesday, September 14, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, one horse, one wagon, and lot harness, account Police Life Insurance Fund.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, Sept. 1, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following described property in this Department, viz.: (about 6,000 lbs. of old iron and about 2,000 lbs. of old rope, will be sold at public auction at the Stables of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, foot of East Seventeenth street, East river, on Tuesday, September 14, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M. (by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers).

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM NO. 39, NEW YORK, August 30, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, lead, iron, clothing (male and female), trunks and contents, bags and contents, watches, boots and shoes, revolvers, cloth (abandoned), jewelry, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by officers of this Department.

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ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the Act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An Act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at the Mayor's office, City Hall, on Friday, September 10, 1880 at 2 o'clock, P. M.

EDWARD COOPER, The present Mayor. JOHN KELLY, The present Comptroller. ALLAN CAMPBELL, The present Commissioner of Public Works. GEORGE H. ANDREWS, Commissioners DANIEL LORD, JR., under the Act.

