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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
THURSDAY, April 1, 1875, 1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met pursuant to the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL, New York, March 30, 1875.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 112th section of chapter 335, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; and section 1 of chapter 779, being an act entitled "An act in relation to raising money by taxation in the County of New York, for county purposes," passed June 14, 1873; and chapter 304, being an act entitled "An act to consolidate the government of the City and County of New York, and further to regulate the same," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 303, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the Estimates and Apportionment for the support of the government of the County of New York," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 308, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the Estimates and Apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed May 1, 1874,—a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Thursday, April 1, 1875, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering an application from the Department of Police for a transfer of an appropriation from 1874 to 1875, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the Board.

WM. H. WICKHAM,
Mayor.

INDORSED :

Admission of a copy of the within, as served upon us s day, March 30, 1875.

30, 1875. Wм. Н. Wickнам, Мауог. ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.

SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
President of the Board of Aldermen.
JOHN WHEELER,
President of the Department of
Taxes and Assessments

Present—All the members, viz.:

Wm. H. Wickham, the Mayor of the City of New York; Andrew H. Green, the Comptroller of the City of New York; Samuel A. Lewis, the President of the Board of Aldermen; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Tayes and Assessments. Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held March 6, 1875, were read.
The Chairman stated that if there were no objec-

tions they would stand approved.

The Comptroller objected, and called for a

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to the approval of the said

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Departmen of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York—I.

The Comptroller presented the following re-

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, TROLLER'S OFFICE, March, 1875.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and pportionment, held on March 6, 1875, a resolu-Apportionment, held on March 0, 1075, a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, hereto annexed, was presented, requesting it to transfer from the appropriation for "Election Expenses," for years prior to 1873 (a sufficient balance thereof remainprior to 1873 (a sufficient balance thereof remainprior to 1873 (a sufficient balance thereof remaining unexpended), the sum of \$1,700, to the appropriation for "Salaries—Common Council," and said resolution having been referred to the Comp-troller for his report thereon, he respectfully sub-mits the following

REPORT :

The transfer requested by the Common Council

The transfer requested by the Common Council cannot be made, as no moneys remain unexpended of the appropriation for "Election Expenses" for years prior to 1873.

Referring to my "report in response to certain resolutions of the Board of Aldermen" of February 18, 1875, I call the attention of the Board to the fact that "there is a large deficiency in the product of personal taxes," and that, "although the appropriations of former years are not wholly expended," as therein stated, it would be unwise and inexpedient to expend the money by transfers

while this deficiency exists or remains unprovided for by legislative enactment. anactment.
AND. H. GREEN,

Comptroller.

IN COMMON COUNCIL.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to transfer from the appropriation for "Election Expenses," for years prior to 1873 (a sufficient balance thereof remaining unexpended), the sum of seventeen hundred dollars, to the appropriation for "Salaries—Common Council," it being necessary for the proper transaction of the business of this Board that such transfer should be made.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 18, 1875 (a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof).

Approved by the Mayor, 25th February, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, 25th February, 1875.

F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council. The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to the adoption of the said

report.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the fol-

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department

of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The President of the Board of Alder-

The Chairman called up communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, relating to paving the ways of West Washington Market, pre-sented at meeting of March 6, 1875, and, on motion of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, it was laid over until next

The Comptroller presented the following report and opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation:

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 22, 1875. To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

The communication from the "Commissioner for the erection of the Court-house in the Third Judicial District of the City of New York," dated December 17, 1874, relative to their compensation, having been referred to the Comptroller, at a meeting of this Board held March 6, 1875, I re spectfully submit the following

REPORT:

REPORT:

That "An act to provide for a Police Courthouse in the Third Judicial District in the City of New York," was passed April 14, 1870, under the authority of which the Commissioners therein provided for, to locate and erect a suitable building, proceeded to act, and did act to a certain extent in a very injudicious and extravagant manner, for those objects; but by chapter 806 of the Laws of 1873, the law of April 14, 1870, was amended, and the terms of offices of the Commissioners therein provided for were terminated, and the Mayor was empowered to nominate Commissioners therein provided for were terminated, and the Mayor was empowered to nominate Commissioners for the erection of the Court-house. Under the amendatory act of 1873, the late Mayor Havemeyer, on December 15, 1873, appointed Messrs. Henry H. Porter, Edward Berrien, and William Dodge as Commissioners, who were confirmed by the Board of Supervisors, as provided for by the law? They have proceeded in the performance of their duties, under the provisions of the original act of April 14, 1870. The duties therein imposed upon these Commissioners are of a responsible character, involving much time and labor, and requiring much attention on the part of the memquiring much attention on the part of the mem-bers. Contracts have been made for the stonebers. Contracts have been made for the stone-cutting, mason, brick, and iron work, and awards made for the plumbers' work, and the building is rapidly and intelligently progressing. It appears, however, that the law authorizing the erection of the Court-house and the appointment of Commis-sioners made no provision for their compensation, which the duties imposed upon them and the na-ture of their services would properly entitle them. Section 97, of the Charter of 1873, provides as follows:

"The salaries of all officers paid from the city treasury, whose offices now exist but are not em-braced in any department, shall be fixed by the

Board of Apportionment." It seems to me that it is essential, before this Board can fix a salary for these Commissioners, that the law should authorize a compensation this has not been done, and I think this this has not been done, and I think this board has consequently no power to fix a salary for these Commissioners, however valuable their services may be. I believe their duties have, so far as I have observed, been performed with exceptional intelligence and fidelity.

I append an opinion of the Corporation Counsel as to the right of the Board to fix a salary for these Commissioners.

these Commis oners.

Respectfully, AND. H. GREEN, Comptroller.

(Copy.) HENRY H. PORTER, President, etc., etc., Commissioners for the Erection of

Dear Sir—Your letter of the 16th of February ultimo, to my assistant, requests the advice of this Department as to whether the Board of Estimate and Apportionment have power to arrange or determine the question of the compensation of your-

self and your two associate Commissioners for your

sell and your two associate Commissioners for your services in relation to the erection of the Courthouse in the Third Judicial District.

Your letter would have received an earlier reply but for the fact that I have had considerable doubt as to what the powers of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment are in reference to this matter.

As you are aware, the several laws powered by

and Apportionment are in reference to this matter.
As you are aware, the several laws passed by
the Legislature authorizing the erection of this
Court-house, and the appointment of Commissioners therefor (chapter 202 of the Laws of 1870,
chapters 55 and 202 of the Laws of 1871, and
chapter 806 of the Laws of 1873), contain no provision whatever for the compensation of such
Commissioners. Section 97 of the Charter of 1873
receivides as follows: provides as follows:

"The salaries of all officers paid from the City

Treasury, whose offices now exist but are not embraced in any Department, shall be fixed by the Board of Apportionment."

There can be no question that if, at the time of the passage of the Charter of 1873, the Commissioners for the erection of this Court-house had been authorized by law to receive any salary what. been authorized by law to receive any salary what-ever, even though but a nominal one, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment would now have authority to fix those salaries.

authority to fix those salaries.

The Commissioners are officers, and, if paid at all, must be paid from the City Treasury. Their offices existed at the time of the passage of the Charter, and were not embraced in any Department. The question arises, however, in construing this section, whether in those cases where an office existed at the time of the passage of the Charter, but no salary was attached to it, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment can change an unsalaried office into a salaried one.

I have had, as above suggested, some doubt in

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I have had, as above suggested, some doubt in reference to this matter, but have finally concluded that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has this power. The language used in the section above cited is very broad, and contains no words restricting the powers of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to those offices to which salaries were then attached. The power, of course, to determine whether an officer should receive compensation, is previously vested in the Legislature, but in many instances has been left by that body to the local authorities of the city; and, as the Board of Estimate and Apportionment could lawfully increase a salary which was merely nominal at the time of the passage of the Charter, I think it is in their power to provide a salary for an office then existing, but to which no salary was then attached.

It is due to candor, however, to say, that while my individual conclusion is as above stated, it is very possible that a different epinion might be entertained by others; and I therefore respectfully suggest to you whether it would not be preferable, in order to avoid any possible doubt about the matter, to petition for an act of the Legislature expressly authorizing the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to fix the salaries of yourself and your assistant Commissioners. I should suppose there would be no difficulty in

of Estimate and Apportionment to fix the salaries of yourself and your assistant Commissioners. I should suppose there would be no difficulty in obtaining the passage of a brief act to that effect.

I am, sir,

Yours, very respectfully,

E. DELAFIELD SMITH,

Counsel to the Corporation

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments moved that they be laid over until next meeting, and printed in the minutes.

Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller presented the following re-

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 1, 1875.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At a meeting of this Board held on March 6, At a meeting of this Board held of March o, 1875, a resolution of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, making a requisition on the Comptroller to issue bonds of the City of New York to the amount of \$100,000, for the purpose of constructing a bridge over the Harlem river, was referred to the Comptroller to report thereon; and he respectfully submits the fol-REPORT:

The proposed bridge will cross the Harlem river from the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street on the west side to the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street on the east side of the river, under the provisions of chapter 534, of the river, under the provisions of chapter 534, Laws of 1871, and chapter 329, Laws of 1874. All the powers and authority conferred by the former act jointly upon the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and the Supervisors of adjoining towns in Westchester County, before their annexation to the city, being transferred by the latter act to the said Commissioners exclusively:

The first question for consideration is, the authority to construct a bridge at the proposed location. The Counsel to the Corporation has location. The Counsel to the Corporation has given an opinion to the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, affirming their power and authority, under the law, to build the proposed bridge, but an examination of the provisions of the law, in relation to this power and authority, raises a doubt of the correctness of that conclusion. Section 3 of the act (chapter 534, Laws of 1871), provides that the said Commissioners and the said Supervisors "shall have full power and authority to build and construct, by contract or otherwise,

as they shall deem most expedient, any and all bridges, tunnels, and other means of transit across or under the Harlem river, or Spuyten Duyvil Creek, which may be planned or located as aforesaid," which provision appears to confer merely the power and authority to construct any and all bridges or tunnels "by contract or otherwise, as they shall deem most expedient," and not the general power and authority to construct any and all bridges or tunnels which may have been planned or located; for the power and authority thus conferred is immediately qualified and restricted, in the same section, to the power and authority to construct three bridges, in particular and specified localities, at first, as follows:

"And may forthwith commence the building or construction of a suspension bridge north of the bridge known as the 'High Bridge,' but not more than half a mile therefrom; and also the bridge or tunnel that may be planned or located near or at the northerly end of the Seventh avenue in the City of New York, and next thereafter, the bridge or tunnel that may be planned or located at or near the northerly end of the Fifth avenue in the City of New York."

The proposed bridge is located "near the northerly end of the Fifth avenue in the City of New York."

The proposed bridge is located "near the northerly end of Fifth avenue," which is the third and last bridge or tunnel authorized to be constructed under this provision. The language of the law has special reference to the element of time, in granting the power and authority to construct the bridges in these three localities, both as to the period for commencing the work and the order of performing it. The words are, "may forthwith commence" the construction of the first, or the "Suspension Bridge," not more than half a mile north of the '4 High Bridge," and then the "bridge or tunnel located at or near the northerly end of the Fifth avenue.

Further, if the Department of Public Parks has the power to construct to construct that or any other bridge unless it be o

These explicit terms of the law, as to time and the order of constructing the bridges or tunnels in those localities, would seem to prohibit the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks from constructing the proposed bridge, which is the third in order, before the others are constructed.

structed.

It appears, also, that the avenues and streets have not been regulated and graded so as to open up to travel that section of the city near the river, in the vicinity of the locality where it is proposed to build this bridge, and that it will be qutte inaccessible and useless for general public purposes until these improvements of the streets and avenues are completed.

quite inaccessible and useless for general public purposes until these improvements of the streets and avenues are completed.

The cost of building this bridge will fall entirely upon the city, and not be shared by the owners of property in the immediate neighborhood which will be specially benefited by the improvement. An expenditure of so large an amount of money at the expense of the tax-payers of the city at large, involving a corresponding in crease of the permanent city debt, cannot be considered a wise or judicious measure at this time, for an improvement which is not called for by public necessity or advantage.

A diagram of the proposed bridge, and the streets and avenues in the vicinity, is presented herewith, showing the unfinished condition of the water front on both sides of the river, and the great amount of filling to be done, to regulate and grade that immediate section of the city, and make the bridge of great public utility.

It seems to me that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment should not authorize at this time

Apportionment should not authorize at this time the issue of the bonds called for by the resolution of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

AND. H. GREEN,

The Chairman moved that the matter be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for his

The Comptroller presented the following re-CITY OF NEW YORK,

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 31, 1875. To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment: The subject of salaries of the District Courts having been referred to the Comptroller at a meet-ing of the Board held on March 6, 1875, he re-spectfully submits the following

REPORT

There are ten District Courts in the City of New York, the cost of which, at the salaries claimed by one or more of the judges, and a retinue of clerks, stenographers, interpreters, janitors, and attendants thereof, amount to the sum of two hundred and thirty-two thousand two hundred dollars annually. To this is to be added about thirty thousand dollars per annum for fuel,

stationery, cleaning, rent, etc., making together more than a quarter of a million of dollars, for which services are rendered very disproportionate to the amount paid.

The salaries of the justices of these minor courts The salaries of the justices of these minor courts are fixed by section 116 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, as amended, as follows, to wit: "The salary of the Justices of the District Courts is hereby fixed at eight thousand dollars each per annum." Even this extravagant allowance made by the Legislature is, it appears, not satisfactory to all these justices, as some of them are now suing for \$10,000 salary. The average amount of time occupied by the justices in the performance of their duties is, I am informed, not over three hours for three days a week, they then are at liberty to attend to their other business. It is but just to say that some of the justices occupy some just to say that some of the justices occupy some more time in the discharge of their duties. One of them is engaged in getting judgments against the city for the salaries of his clerks, at a rate in excess of that allowed by the Board of Apportion-

These enormous salaries are a ring relic, and an outrage upon the taxpayers, and ought not to continue. The salaries of the clerks and assistant clerks have been reduced by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment from \$3,000 per annum claimed, to \$2,500 per annum, and of janitors from \$1,500 per annum to \$1,200 per annum; and these have been paid at the reduced but several suits are pending for the

The Charter gives the Board of Apportionment the power to regulate the salaries of all officers in the following words:

"The salaries of all officers paid from the city treasury shall be fixed by the Board of Apportionment" shall be fixed by the Board of Apportionment.

I understand learned judges have decided that Janitors are not "officers," and therefore their salaries cannot be reduced by the Board of Apportionment. It would seem to me that the word "officers," as used in the above law, was intended, "officers," tended to mean employees.

Persons claiming to be stenographers are quite incapable of writing in short hand, and parties are put to great trouble to get notes of evidence.

A general reduction of salaries should be made in these courts, from the justices down to the

It is curious to trace the progress of these sala-

Originally, in 1834, the salaries of the justices were fixed at \$1,600 per annum.

In 1848 they were fixed at \$1,500 per annum.

In 1855 they were changed to \$2,000 per

Under the laws of 1857 they were changed to

\$3,000 per annum.

Under resolution of the Board of Supervisors of 1864 they were again changed to \$5,000 per

They claimed, and were paid, under provisions of Laws of 1870, \$10,000 per annum, though I think they were never entitled to it.

The Civil Justices were to be paid a salary not

The Civil Justices were to be paid a salary not exceeding that paid to the Police Justices, and the decision of the Court may be illustrated thus: If the law provided that A was to have a salary equal to that paid to B, and if the paying officer pays B double the amount to which he was entitled, therefore it is argued A would be entitled to the amount actually but wrongfully paid B, the measure being not what B was lawfully entitled to receive but what he was wrongfully paid.

receive, but what he was wrongfully paid.

Who can doubt that the law meant to make the amount which the Police Justices were lawfully entitled to receive, not what was wrongfully paid them, the maximum which the Civil Justices were entitled to receive.

In 1873 these salaries were fixed by the Legislature at \$8,000 per annum; thus these salaries

lature at \$5,000 per annum; thus these salaries have gone up from \$1,500 to \$10,000 per year. It is high time to begin to go back again.

Section 97 of the Charter is as follows:

"The salaries of all officers paid from the city treasury, whose offices now exist, but are not embraced in any department, shall be fixed by the Board of Apportionment. Such board may, by a majority vote, reduce any such salaries, but shall not increase the salary of any office; the compensanot increase the salary of any office, the compensa-tion of which now exceeds three thousand dol-lars."

The extent of the powers that this section confers upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to reduce the salaries of the justices, clerks, and other employees of these Courts, is a subject upon which each member of the Board can form s own opinion.

While the chief object of this communication is

to act on the future, a rectification of the salaries of present officials ought to be made at once to the

scale proposed.

There is no is no need of more than five of these power to effect it I should recommend a reduction to that number, and that the compensation of those attached to them be fixed according to the follow-

ing scale of salaries, to wit:
Justice, \$4,000 per annum, instead of \$8,000

now-allowed. Clerk, \$2,000 per annum, instead of \$2,500

Assistant Clerk, none required, instead of \$2,500 now allowed.

Interpreter, who shall act as attendant, \$1,200. ographer, \$1,500 per annum, instead \$2,000 now allowed.

Attendants, none required, instead of two, at \$1,200 each allowed.

Janitor, none required, instead of one, at \$1,200 now allowed.

Although there is a Janitor provided and paid for the care and cleaning of the court rooms, the work is actually performed by others in six of the ten District Courts.

The total salaries of the ten District Courts, at these reduced rates, would amount to \$87,000, and if the number of the courts is reduced to five, as recommended, they would amount to \$43,500, making a saving of more than \$150,000 per

annum, in the cost of keeping up these courts. The business transacted by them can be better and more satisfactorily done for this sum than it is at present. With a few exceptions, these courts, from the justice down to the attendants, are filled with political place-men, and the whole machinery

with political place-men, and the whole machinery of them is costly and generally inefficient.

The terms of these justices are nearly out, all expiring January 1 next. There is, I understand, a bill now before the Legislature to provide for an election of nine justices, by general ticket, who shall receive the same compensation that the present justices now receive, and who are to appoint clerks, officers, and attendants. This bill should not pass.

I think this is a proper occasion to reduce expenses, and to relieve tax-payers, and I recommend that the following resolution be adopted as the expression of this Board:

Resolved, That in the judgment of this Board, there should be but five District Civil Courts in and for the City of New York; that the justices of said courts should be citizens of the United States, and members of the bar of at least five years' standing, and that the salaries of the justices years' standing, and that the salaries of the justices shall not exceed the sum of \$4,000 per annum each, and that the employees should be limited to the following specified persons and rates of

1 Clerk, at \$2,000 per annum I Stenographer, at.....
I Interpreter, who shall act as 1,500

Attendant 1,200 I also recommend that the following resolution

Whereas, Section 97 of the Laws of 1873 confers upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the authority to fix the salaries of all officers

ment the authority to fix the salaries of all officers paid from the city treasury, whose offices are not embraced in any Department; and
Whereas, The Justices of the (Civil) District Courts of this city and the following classes of employees attached thereto are not embraced in any Department, and come within the class of officers so referred to by section 97; therefore
Resolved, That the salaries of the (Civil) District Court Justices and the employees of said district courts be and the same are hereby fixed at the following rates, to take effect April 1, 1875:

at the following rates, to take effect April 1, 1875: District Court Justices...\$4,000 each per annum.

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Α	ND H	GREEN,
Attendants	1,000	"
Interpreters	1,000	
Stenographers	1,500	**
Assistant Clerks	1,500	**
Clerks		

The President of the Board of Aldermen moved that the subject be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for his opinion.

Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller submitted a report relative to laying out, widening, and straightening Kings-bridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth

street to Harlem river. The Chairman ruled that the report was out of

The Comptroller presented a communication from Letitia M. Randel, asking for an appropriation for maps, surveys, etc., furnished.
Which was referred to the Comptroller to report

The Comptroller presented bills of Daniel Sweeny, for furnishing meals to jurors.

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments presented the following communication from the house of the "Sisters of Charity:" New York, March 1, 1875.

To the Hon. the Board of Apportionment of the City of New York:

The undersigned respectfully represents that the institution over which she presides, known as the house of the "Sisters of Mercy," located on the southeast corner of Houston and Mulberry streets, the state of the is one of the many charitable associations in which the poor are provided with food and raiment. Having been informed that your collected by the has the disposition of moneys, collected by the Hon. Commissioners of Excise from liquor licenses, a portion of that money is respectfully solicited for

And your petitioner will ever pray,
Very respectfully, etc.,
MOTHER MARY AUGUSTINE, Superioress, 35 East Houston street. Hon. WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,

Mayor, Chairman of Board of Apportionment and Estimate.

Which was referred to the Counsel to the Cor-Board in the premises.

The Comptroller presented bill of William Anfurnishing stenographic notes to the District Attorney.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Chairman moved that when the Board adjourn, it do so to meet on Friday, April 2, 1875,

On motion, the Board adjourned. JOHN WHEELER.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,) MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, FRIDAY, April 2, 1875, '12 o'clock M. The Board met pursuant to an adjournment.

Present—All the members, viz.:

Wm. H. Wickham, the Mayor of the City of New York; Andrew H. Green, the Comptroller of the City of New York; Samuel A. Lewis, the President of the Board of Aldermen; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and

The minutes of the meeting held April 1, 1875, ere read and approved.

The Chairman presented a communication from the Police Department, as follows:

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 Mulberry street, New York, March 31, 1875.

Hon. WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,

Chairman of Board of Apportionment:

SIR-At a meeting of the Board of Police held

"Resolved, That the Board of Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested, in pursu-ance of the powers conferred by section 2 of chap-ter 30 of the Laws of 1874, to transfer to the Police Department, for the use of the Street Police Department, for the use of the Street Cleaning Bureau, the sum of fifty thousand dollars from moneys appropriated to defray the expenses of the Police Department for the year 1874, and which remain unexpended."

Very respectfully,

S. C. HAWLEY

Whereupon, the President of the Board of Al-dermen offered for adoption the following resolu-

Resolved, That the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) is hereby transferred from the appropriation for "Street Cleaning—Department of Police," 1874, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, the same title of appropriation for the year 1875.

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 As-

The Comptroller offered the following preamble and resolution:

and resolution:

Whereas, It appears by a communication from the Police Department that there remains an unexpended balance of appropriations made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the year 1874, now in possession of that Department, in excess of the amount of the requirements of said Department for that year; and

Whereas, Section 112 of the Charter provides as follows: "Any balances of appropriations remaining unexpended, after allowing sufficient to satisfy all claims payable therefrom, may at any time, after the expiration of the year for which they were made, be transferred by the Comptroller, with the approval of said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to the general fund of the city, and applied to the reduction of taxation."

Resolved, That the Police Department is hereby

Resolved, That the Police Department is hereby directed to pay over said amount of unexpended appropriations, for the year 1874, to the Comptroller, who is hereby authorized to transfer the same, with the approval of this Board, to the general fund of the city, and apply the said amount to the reduction of taxation.

Which were laid over.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That each head of the City Departments and Boards be and is hereby requested to furnish this Board with a statement of all balances or surplus amounts of appropriations made to it for the year 1874, which are "found to be in excess of the amounts required or deemed to be reconstructed for the purposes or chiefts thereof," in necessary for the purposes or objects thereof," in accordance with the provisions of section 2 of chapter 308, Laws of 1874.

Which was adopted.

The Comptroller submitted the following report, in answer to communication (referred to him at meeting of March 6, 1875), from the Commis-sioner of Public Works, and offered for adoption the accompanying resolution:

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March , 1875.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on March 6, 1875, a commu-nication from the Department of Public Works, hereto annexed, was presented, relative to the transfer of \$15,000 to the Appropriation "Paving the ways of West Washington Market," made by the Board on September 10, 1874, for said year, and requesting that the same, which has not been expended, shall be transferred to the appropriation for the same purpose for the year 1875, having been referred to the Comptroller for report thereon, he respectfully submits the following

REPORT:

That in compliance with the request of the Department of Public Works:

Resolved, That the sum of \$15,000, transferred September 10, 1874, to the appropriation "Paving the Ways of West Washington Market" for the year 1874, be and the same is hereby transferred to the same appropriation for the year 1875.

ANDREW H. GREEN Comptroller.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with the 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 Assessme

The Comptroller offered for adoption the fol-

wing resolution:
Resolved, That this Board does not deem it expedient to fix a salary for the Commissioners for the Erection of the Court-house in the Third Judicial District of the City of New York, inasmuch as the legal power to do so is very questionable. Which was adopted.

On motion, the Board adjourned. JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND COR-RECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, MARCH 29 TO APRIL 3, 1875. Present-Commissioners Bailey, Brennan, and

The following communications were received:

From Alms-house—Statement of amount of labor performed by mechanics (inmates) during week ending March 27, 1875. Ordered on file. From Penitentiary—Reporting number of prisoners received during week ending March 27, 1875—Males, 30; females, 6; total, 36. Ordered on file.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners to be discharged from 3d to 9th April, 1875—46. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum-For services of a mason and carpenter. Superintendent of Work-house

ordered to furnish. From Penitentiary.—Transmitting list of prisoners under treatment at Riverside Hospital. For a day and night guard. Night guard appointed.

By Commissioner Brennan-Resolved, That this Board appoint one nurse, at a salary of \$120 per annum, to each of the three Randall's Island Nursery Buildings, under the charge of Warden Stephens. Adopted March

29, 1875. By Commissioner Brennan-Resolved, That the President of this Board be requested to address a communication to the Honorable Commissioners of Docks, stating that the dock at Hart's Island has been destroyed by

ice, and request they repair it as soon as possible. Adopted March 29, 1875. By Commissioner Brennan-Resolved, That the salary of James Bevins, Night Watchman at Charity Hospital, be at the rate of \$600 per annum. Adopted March 30,

1875.

By Commissioner Cox-Resolved, That the Medical Board of Bellevue Hospital be requested to send to this Board nominations of a Physician, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Dr. Krackowizer. Adopted March 30, 1875.

By the Board-Resolved, That proposals be invited, by advertisement in the CITY RECORD, for furnishing and

delivering-250 bales long straw.

250 bales long straw.
250 bushels rye.
50 bags Rio coffee in the bean.
500 bushels Canada peas.
200 sides middle weight sole leather, good stamp, well tanned, and made from a hide not inferior in quality to California.
300 sides good damaged sole leather, averaging eighteen pounds, well tanned, and made from a hide not inferior to California.
100 bags fine meal. 100 bags fine meal.

100 bags coarse meal. 24 dozen shovels. Adopted March 31, 1875.

By Commissioner Brennan-By Commissioner Brennan—
Resolved, That the Warden of Penitentiary be directed to cause sufficient stone to be prepared at once for the erection of shoeshop, blacksmith and wheelwright shops. Work to be done by prison labor. Adopted April 2, 1875.
Resolved, That proposals be invited, by public advertisement in the CITY RECORD, for furnishing and delivering—

and delivering-

500 barrels potatoes, good and sound, Peerless or Jackson, to weigh 168 pounds to the barrel, Adopted April 2, 1875.

Resolved, That the opening of proposals for leather, rye, coffee, peas, meal, and shovels be postponed to Thursday, April 15, 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M. Adopted April 3, 1875.

By Commissioner Brennan— Resolved, That James Ennis be and is hereby appointed Night Guard, at Riverside Hospital, at a salary of \$50 per month, during the detention of Penitentiary prisoners at that hospital, and to perform such other duties as may be required by Warden Fox. Adopted.

Appointments. March 29-Elizabeth Melville, Nurse, Infants' Hospital.
Mary Powers, Nurse, Nursey.
30—Catharine Downs, Nurse, Lunatic

Asylum. April 2-John Brown, Attendant, New York

City Asylum for Insane.

John B. Fields, Attendant, New York
City Asylum for Insane.

John Barry, Orderly, Bellevue Hos-

pital. 3—Mary Yeamans, Nurse, Nursery.

Removals.

 Edwin Allaire, Attendant, New York
 City Asylum for Insane.
 R. M. Hodgson, Engineer, Lunatic April Asylum.

Resignations.

March 29-Elizabeth Nickson, Nurse, Infants' Hospital

Hospital.
30—Margaret Hoffman, Nurse, Lunatic Asylum.
Henry V. Freeman, Engineer, New York City Asylum for Insane.

April 2—Edwin Rush, Attendant, New York
City Asylum for Insane.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
New York, April 6, 1875. The Board of Health met this day.

Orders.

524 orders for the abatement of nuisances were made.

Sunts for Penalties.

The Attorney was directed to commence suits for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in 51 cases.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent— Weekly report on operations of the Sanitary

Weekly report on contagious diseases.

Weekly report on slaughter-houses.

Weekly report on operations at receiving-dock.

Report on resignation of S. P. Ellis.

Report on case of Frederick Breivogel.

Report on scavenging.

Report on dangerous condition of building No.

4 Essex street.

84 Essex street.

Report on certain pavements, etc. Report on applications for relief. Report on condition of certain streets. From the Register of Records-

Weekly mortuary report. Weekly letter on mortality.

From the Attorney and Counsel— Monthly report of actions commenced, judgments, fees, etc.

From the Secretary-

Report of fees received for searches and transcripts of births, marriages, and deaths.

Communications from City Departments.

From the Police Department—
Weekly report of the Sanitary Co. of Police.

From the Comptroller— Weekly statement.

Rills Audited

Zini immetu.	
Swift & White	\$3,333 33
Charles T. Chester	104 82
New York Mutual Gas-light Co	10 73
Paul S. Brown	.67 52
Pearce & Jones	·67 52 260 82
James Lidgerwood & Co	112 02
D. Appleton & Co	14 00
Resignation.	

S. P. Ellis, of the Vaccinating Corps.

Communications Received.

Application for appointment from Dr. Alexander

Application for appointment from Dr. S. Henry

Application for appointment from Dr. Robert A. Murray.

Application for appointment from Dr. Samuel A. Hendrickson.

Resignation of S. P. Ellis as Clerk in Vaccinating

Bureau.

Petition of citizens of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, protesting against the locating of the Police and Civil Courts in a building near the Fordham depot, as proposed in a resolution adopted by the Common Council.

Communication from Dr. Moreau Morris, on the condition of the public streets.

Application for relief from order on No. 14 Pell street.

Communication from Howes & Crowell, in regard to permit for the discharge of cargo.

Reports Referred to other Departments for the Necessary Action.

To the Department of Public Works-

On condition of pavement in West Fifty-third street, between Eighth avenue and Broadway.

On condition of receiving-basin, northwest corner Lexington avenue and Forty-second street.

To the Department of Buildings-On the dangerous condition of No. 84 Esssex

street (rear). To the Police Department

On condition of Eightieth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Union Stock Yard and Market Company.

W. F. Martin, Secretary, appeared before the Board, and withdrew the application for a permit to erect an abattoir and carry on the business of slaughtering animals, fat-melting, etc., in a build-ing to be erected on lot bounded by Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

That the Auditing Clerk be authorized to lend books from the library of the Department to officers of the Board, for a period not to exceed two weeks in each case—a record of such loans to be kept in the office.

That the Sanitary Superintendent be directed to grant a permit to discharge bark Rebecca, and to notify Howes & Crowell that their explanation of delay in applying for such permit is accepted by the Board.

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF MORTALITY.

REPORTED MORTALITY (week ending April 3, 1875), AND THE ACTUAL MORTALITY (each day in the week, ending at noon, March 27, 1875), WITH AN ENUMERATION OF THE CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH.

E. HARRIS, M. D., Registrar.

Ann	Deaths ing we	resp	Tota		Actual	numbe	r of De	aths ea	ch day			3 ··
Annual Death rate per room during week (Pop. estimated at 1,040,000).	week, 1874	responding week for the past 5 years	Total Actual Mortality during the week ending March 27	March 27	March 26	March 25	March 24	March 23	March 22	March 21	CAUSES OF DEATH.	the week ending April
30.35	,514	550.8	607	85	89	89	103	80	76	85	Total Deaths from all Causes.	565
7.60	114	128.2	152	.31	24	21	23	22	20	21	Total Zymotic Diseases.	148
7.50	114	129.4	150	21	20	22	28	17	19	23	Total Constitutional Dis-	124
12.45	226	232.6	249	36	31	37	42	33	33	37	Total Local Diseases.	237
1.70	37	42.0	34	7	6	4	6	* 5	3	3	Total Developmental Dis- eases.	35
1.10	23	18.6	22	-	8	5	4	3	1	1	Deaths by Violence.	21
1.20	5	14.8	24	5	4	1	3	2	3	6	Small-pox.	23
.10	11	7.0	2	-	r	_	-	_	_		Measles.	1
.60	23	19.2	12	1	2	2	-	6	1	_	Scarlatina.	12
1.60	14	9.2	32	4	6	7	4	2	4	5	Diphtheria.	38
1.20	. 10	12.2	24	5	3	4	4	3	2	3	Membraneus Croup.	19
.65	7	8.6	13	3	2	_	1	2	5	_	Whooping Cough.	8
-	-	1.0	-	_	-	_	-	-	_		Typhus Fever.	
.15	8	5.8	3	_	_	_	1	_	2	_	Typhoid Fever.	7
.30	5	10.0	6	1	_	-	2	1	1	1	Puerperal Diseases.	10
.60	6	12.4	12	-	1	1	2	4	1	3	Under 5 years. (Diarrhoeal	11
.80	13	15.4	16	1	1	2	4	4	1	3	All ages. Diseases.	17
.10	3	5.0	2	-	_	1	1	-	_	_	Alcoholism.	2
-35	8	6.6	7	-	-	1	3	1	_	2	Cancer.	7
5.55	70	89.6	111	15	15	20	21	11	13	16	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	90
1.40	32	22.8	28	4	5	3	3	2	6	5	Bronchitis.	30
4.20	68	60.8	84	13	11	10	15	11	8	16	Pneumonia.	67
.80	18	20.0	16	2	-	4	3	2	2	3	Heart Diseases.	17
.65	10	9.4	13	ı	2	-	2	3	3	2	Marasmus—Tabes Mesen- terica and Scrofula.	8
-75	20	18.2	15	3	3	1	1	3	2	2	Hydrocephalus and Tuber- cular Meningitis.	14
.85	9	17.2	17	1	. 2	4	3	3	2	2	Meningitis and Encephalitis.	15
.60	12	18.6	12	. 1	-	ı	4	2	2	2	Convulsions.	11
-	_	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	_	Direct Effect of Solar Heat.	_
2.95	50	60.6	59	7	7	10	13	7	9	6	All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.	55
1.45	24	20.0	29	• 5	4	5	6	4	2	. 3	Bright's Disease and Neph- ritis.	25
.10	3	2.4	2	-	1	ı	-	-	-	-	Deaths by Suicide.	3
-	_	2.6	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Deaths by Drowning.	-
5-35	93	112.2	107	12	19	16	24	16	10	10	Deaths in Institutions.	98
2.00	36	30.2	40	10	6	8	4	3	5	4	All Deaths of Persons 70 years old or more.	49
7.55	126	137.6	151	13	19	19	26	31	24	19	Under 1 year.) 5'	133
9.95	174	183.6	199	23	24	26	37	34	29	26	Under 2 years. Children	175
13.15	233	240.0	263	36	33	30	43	46	39	36	Under 5 years.	230

That the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent be authorized to make the necessary repairs at the Riverside Hospital.

That the order to suspend the granting of permits to Frederick Breivogel to remove night-soil, be and and is hereby rescinded, and the Sanitary Superintendent is authorized to issue permits as

That the Sanitary Superintendent be authorized to grant permits to John D. Hussing, Peter Schreiber, John Pirung, Henry Ziegler, Peter Hay, and Jacob Muskopf, to empty privies with the new apparatus and upon the plan proposed by them, so long as it shall appear that privies can be emptied by said apparatus without oflense, and in compliance with section 102 of the Sanitary Code. tary Code.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending April 3, 1875. The number of inspections made by the Inspectors was 1,459, as follows: 7 public buildings, 626 tenement houses, 147 private dwellings, 101 other dwellings, 10 manufactories and workshops, 6 stores and warehouses, 59 stables, 53 slaughter-houses, 2 fat-rendering estabishments, 1 head cleaning establishment, 29 sunken and vacant lots, 102 yards, courts, and areas. 35 cellars and basements, 56 wasteand areas, 35 cellars and basements, 56 waste pipes and drains, 101 privies and water-closets. 14 street-gutters and sidewalks, 11 dangerous stairways, 1 smoke-house, 1 dangerous building, 21 other nuisances, together with 75 visits to con-

The number of reports thereon received from the Sanitary Inspectors was 467.

During the past week 80 complaints have been received from citizens, and referred to the Inspectors for investigation and report.

49 permits were issued to consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 63 dwellings where contagious diseases were found, and the distinct of the contagions of the contagions.

have disinfected and fumigated 58 houses, 5 privy-sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc. 30 persons sick with small-pox were removed to the Hospital by the Ambulance Corps. The following number of cases of contagious

diseases was reported during the week ending

April 3, 1875:
Typhoid fever, 10; scarlet fever, 46; measles, 6, diphtheria, 70; and small-pox, 57. 2,926 cans and 5 tanks of night-soil were removed by the scavengers from the privy-vaults of

the city.

The following amount of meat and fish was condemned by the officers as unfit for human food during the week ending April 3, 1875: Cattle, I carcass; calves (bob), 44 carcasses; calves (case), I carcass; hogs, 5 carcasses; beef, 635 pounds; veal, 2,118 pounds; and fish, 3,320 pounds.

Bureau of Vital Statistics.

During the week ending April 3, 1875, there were issued from this Bureau 565 burial permits for city deaths, 17 for bodies in transitu,

nd 42 for the interment of still-born infants and 42 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 565 deaths, 138 marriages, 499 births, 42 still-births, 17 applications for transit, permits, and 51 returns from Coroners. There were 31 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths, and 2 transcripts of birthrecord, 2 of marriage, and 29 of death were issued from this Bureau; 3 cases of deaths were referred to the Coroners.

By order of the Board.

Board. EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

April 6, 1875. To the Secretary of the Board of Health:

SIR--There were 565 deaths reported in this city during the week that ended on Saturday, the

city during the week that ended on Saturday, the 3d instant, against 605 reported in the preceding week. The decrease of mortality last week was particularly marked in the list of pulmonary diseases—phthisis, bronchitis, and pneumonia being charged with 36 less than in the previous week, and croup and whooping-cough being charged with 10 less deaths than in the previous week. The death rate, which in the fourth week of March was at 30.35 per 1,000 inhabitants annually, last week was diminished to 28.25 per 1,000. There were 107 and 98 deaths in the public institutions in the successive weeks, equal to 17.68 and 17.34 per cent. of the total mortality. The deaths of infants under a year old in the two weeks numbered 284, and constituted 24.27 per cent. of the total mortality; and those under five years of age numbered 493, and equalled 42.13 per cent. of the total.

The mean temperature the fourth week in

The mean temperature the fourth week in March was 31.7 degrees Fahr., or that of midwinter. The mean of last week was 15½ degrees higher (47.2 deg.), and the force of the winds was only half as great as in the previous week.

week.
Respectfully submitted,

ELISHA HARRIS, M. D., Registrar of Vital Statistics.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

STATEMENT AND RETURN OF MONEYS

Received by H. M. Ruggles, Corporation Attorney, for the month of March, 1875, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Sec. 26, Art. 1, Chap. V. of the Revised Ordinances of 1866; and of Secs. 38 and 96 of Chap. 335 of the Laws of 1873:

		Judgments	Penalties.	Costs.	Total Amour	
Mar. r.	Violation Corpora- tion Ordinances.		\$3 00	\$27 00	\$30	_
" 2.	***************************************		9 00	34 00		00
" 4	44 44		9 00	10 00		00
" 5.				20 00		00
" 6.			3 00	32 50	35	50
" 8.			12 00	12 50	24	50
** 9.				2 50	2	50
" IO.			1 00	9 50	10	50
" 12.	" "	\$2 50	1 00	7 00	10	50
" 13.			5 00	25 00	30	00
" 15.			6 00	20 00	26	00
" 16.			15 00	54 50	69	50
" 17.	" . "		6 ∞	24 50	30	50
" 18,	." "	2 50	*****	17 50	20	00
" 19.		5 00	*****	22 50	27	50
" 20.			8 00	10 00	18	00
" 22.	" "		*****	17 50	17	50
" 23	" "			22 50	22	50
" 24.	" "	*****	5 00	47 50	52	50
" 25.	" "		*****	35 00	35	00
" 26.				17 50	17	50
" 27.	" "			10 00	10	00
" 29.			1 00	22 00		00
" 30.		2 50		5 00	7	50
., 31.		175 50	2 50	22 50	200	50
		\$188 00	\$77 50	\$528 50	\$794	00
	Less disbursements	as per vo	ouchers a	ttached	505	28
	Balance due t	he city			\$288	72

ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCE Relating to Hay and Straw. [To take effect March 7, 1875.]

AN ORDINANCE to amend Article II. of Chapter XXXVI. of the Revised Ordinances of 1866.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, do ordain as follows: SECTION 1. Article II. of Chapter XXXVI. of the Revised Ordinances of 1866, is hereby amended by adding thereto two additional sections, as fol-

SEC. 14. Hereafter it shall not be lawful for any person to sell, or offer for sale, within the corporate limits of the City of New York, any hay or straw by the bale, unless the exact gross and net weight shall be legibly and distinctly marked on of ten dollars for each bale of hay or straw, under a penalty of ten dollars for each bale of hay or straw so sold or offered for sale in contravention of the provisions of this ordinance.

SEC. 16. The Commissioners of Police are hereby directed to cause the provisions of the ordinance hereby amended to be rigidly enforced.

SEC. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this

ordinance are hereby repealed.

SEC..3. The ordinance shall take effect five

months after the date of its adoption.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, October 5, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1874.

2,041 66 2,002 39 48,164 19 30 00 35,810 49 2,481 50 4,728 08

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

	s of the Department of Finance for the week en	ding
April 3, 1875:	Deposits in the Treasury.	. 50
	\$52,6 226,0	30 81 74 16

Total	\$278,704	9
Five per cent. Revenue Bonds, 1875	\$200,000	oc
Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment. Advertising	\$30 1,038	3

Aqueduct, Repairs and Maintenance of	1,038 31
Assessment Fund	15,415 00
Assessment Fund. Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of	1,005 04
City Pacord Salaries and Contindencies	741 67
Cleaning Markets Commissioners of Excise Fund. Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.	1,868 00
Cleaning Markets	4,343 91
Continuous Clark of the Common Council	27 57
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office	302 72
Contingencies Comptroller's Office	416 66
Contingencies—Law Department	201 68
Coroner's Fees.	22 03
Croton Water Fund. Disbursements and Fees of County Offices, Witnesses, etc.	980 00
Disbursements and Fees of County Offices, Witnesses, etc.	5,587 67
Dock Fund. Fire Department Fund.	90,922 03
Fire Department Fund	145 58
Health Fund	560 99
Interest on the City Debt.	5,288 12
Judgment Fund	
Judgments. Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	7,357 70
Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	19,248 90
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places	12,152 19
Police Station-houses—Rents	106 25
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books	2,218 73
Public Charities and Correction	53,604 50
Public Instruction. Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory, etc	11,272 23
Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory, etc	5,305 70
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error	5,013 90
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error	68 09
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error Repairing and Preserving Records in Register's Office.	390 00
Renairing and Renewing of nines ston-cocks etc	1,872 66
Roads and Avenues and Sprinkling Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd	841 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd	4,067 59
Salaries—Board of Assessors. Bureau of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes	1,599 99 694 88
"Bureau of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes	
"Bureau of Permits	1,037 50
" City Courts	43,808 63
" Chamberlain's Office	2,500 00
" Commissioners of Accounts	1,550 00
" Common Council	9,083 24
" Department of Buildings	9,917 03
" Department of Public Works	12,426 63
Department of Taxes and Assessments	9,094 98
" Department of Finance	18,755 99
" Judiciary	122,051 09
" Law Department	11,054 13
" Mayor's Office	2,641 66
Small Pox Hospital.	2,002 39

CLAIMS FILED.

Mayor's Office
Small Pox Hospital.
Street Improvement Fund.
Street Improvement Fund, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street.
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.
Union Home and School, for Education of Children.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	DESCRIPTION OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Humphrey Ayers	\$1,012 00	For extra work as Inspector of Sewers, from May 12, 1867, to November 14, 1870	W.T. Monteveide.
M. O'Connor, Ex'r	17,500 00	For awards Nos. 13, 14, and 15, on opening of Madison avenue, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street	Chas.T. Polhemns.
Henry McDermot	90 00	For extra work as Inspector of Sewers, from November 14, 1873, to March 2, 1874	W.T. Monteveide.
Jonas Chandler	472 00	For extra hours as Inspector of Sewers, from August 17, 1868, to December 17, 1873	
Michael Chandler Patrick Cunningham	10,000 00	For injuries by falling in of wall, St. Andrew's Church.	Oscar Frisbie.
Michael Noonan	114,227 98		J. H. Strahan.
Theresa A. Doyle	2,788 90	For damages by regulating and grading One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Mount Morris square to Ninth avenue.	Jas. A. Deering.
Augustus Hemenway Shepherd F. Knapp, Re-	10,000 00	For value of build ng No. 51 Greenwich street, taken for the extension of Church street	Van Winkle, Candler & Jay.
Savings Bank and As-			Develin & Miller
Shepherd F. Knapp, Re- ceiver of Bowling Green Savings Bank and As-	1,365 15	For services of R. M. Cozzens, copying tax-books	Develin & Miller
signee	1,000 00	For Salary of John Hogan as Clerk First District Police Court, September to November 30, 1871	
Charles H. Raborg	450 00	For value of materials in building No. 107 Cedar street, taken for Church street extension	J.H. Hammersley
Richard S. Fallows, Ex'r	1,300 00	For value of materials in buildings No. 26 Cortlandt and No. 32 Dey street, taken for Church street ex-	
William L. Wallace	700 00	tension For value of materials in buildings Nos. 104 and 106 Cedar street, and Nos. 4 and 6 Trinity place, taken for Church street extension.	
Adrian Iselin	1,275 00	For value of materials in building No. 23 Cortlands street, taken for Church street extension	
John De Wirt Hook, Ex'r	1,500 00	For value of materials in building No. 101 Liberty street, taken for Church street extension	

MARKET PERMITS AND TRANSFERS.

MARKET.	Number of Stand.	FROM WHOM.	то wном.
Washington	225	James Van Buren, executor	Sarah E. Spencer.
Washington	348	John W. Morrison and William W. Merriam	John W. Morrison.
Centre	53 & 55	John and James-Donnelly	Daniel Haviland, Jr.
Essex	46	George S. Cornell	August Gesau
Fulton	214. 215, & 216		William Bates and C. H. Powell.
Fulton	218 & 219	Gilbert F. Henshaw	William Bates.
West Washington (De Voe avenue)	17	Barrich Netter	Joseph Kerr.
Centre	100	Henry Harman	Jacob Herrmann.

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, ETC.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.		
Supreme	Eugene J. McEnroe	\$109 81	Notice of Judgment	R. H. Strahan.		
	Jeremiah Falvey	35 07	* *	* "		
.	Anthony Eickhoff	2,162 75	" "	E. A. Jacobs.		
	Adolph Kessler	2,101 70				
	Henry Woltman	2,101 70	* *			
	Joel O. Stevens, Assignee	229 50	S. & C., for services of Lawrence Delmore, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer, from August 1 to December 31, 1870	R. H. Strahan.		
"		229 50	S. & C., for services of James Golden, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer,			
		229 50	from August 1 to December 31, 1870 S. & C., for services of George E. Hickey, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer,			
",		229 50	S. & C., for services of John Dooley, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer,			
	. "	229 50	from August 1 to December 31, 1870 S. & C., for services of Joseph Stincy, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer,			
		229 50	from August 1 to December 31, 1870 S. & C., for services of James Kiernan, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer,			
		229 50	from August 1 to December 31, 1870 S. & C., for services of M. Gillespie, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer, from August 1 December 11, 1870			
		229 50	from August 1 to December 31, 1870 S. & C., for services of James Morris, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer, from August 1 to December 31, 1870 S. & C., for services of George Thompson, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer,			
**		229 50	S. & C., for services of George Thompson, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer,			
		229 50	from August 1 to December 31, 1870 S. & C., for services of Henry H. Goodwin, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer, from August 1 to December 31, 1870			
		229 50	S. & C., for services of John Gregory, as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer, from August 1 to December 31, 1870			
	Frederick Hennings	91 95	S. & C., for return of assessment paid for paving Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Tenth avenue	Neville & Andrew		
	Christian Schwartz et al.		Order to vacate assessment for paving Fifty- fourth street, from Second avenue to East river.			
	C. F. Winthrop, Exec'r.	394 23	S. & C., for return of assessment paid for paving Fourteenth street, between Univer- sity place and Eighth avenue			
	P. C. Lynch	229 50	S. & C., for services as Attendant, Court of Oyer and Terminer, from August 1 to December 31, 1870	R. H. Strahan.		
**	Terence P. Smith	1,569 45	Notice of Judgment	Develin & Miller.		
	Chas. A. Lewis and William D. Gregory	548 38	S. & C., for fish furnished to Department of Public Parks, from June 30, 1873, to January			
Com. Pleas	William Baird	15,000 00	S. & C., for loss through not receiving contract for paving Eleventh street, from Avenue A	W. H. Townley. E. Sandford.		
"	Isabelia S.Connolly et al., Executors of Charles		to Fourth avenue, in 1869	E. Sanulord.		
	M. Connolly		S. & C., for return of said amount, erroneously paid for taxes in 1873			
	Aaron J. Vanderpoel Sidney N. Conklin		S. & C., for services as Counsel, from January 1, 1873, to July 1, 1874 S. & C., for pay as Fireman, Engine Co. No. 30, and Chemical Engine Co. No. 1, from	Brown, Hall & V.		
Superior	J. J. Terry	265 55	July 1 to September 30, 1874	Hugh Coleman.		
	Garrett S. Walling	903 23	to January 1, 1874 S. & C., for expenses incurred in arrest of George Weyman and John Kraft, in Cali-	W. H. Wines, Jr.		
Marine	William H. McCabe	50 00	fornia, in 1874. S. & C., for services as Assistant Clerk, Board of County Canvassers, November 10 to 18,	Brown, Hall & V		
			1874	Cooper, Roe & P.		

The proposals of Mr. Philip Herrman, for carpenters' work, and of Messrs. A. Brand & Son, for slaters and tinners' work, for Court-house in the Third Judicial District, were returned to the Commissioners, without the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller, as they are not the lowest received for the work.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals, at the Department of Public Parks, on the 31st March, 1875, for furnishing police uniforms, and 1,000 cubic yards of broken stone for repairing Macadamized roads in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Maurice Connor, Cartman at Public Markets, March 31.

Thomas Booth, Cartman at Public Markets, March 31.

Augustine S. Costello, Clerk in Comptroller's office, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum, April 1.

Melchior B. Mason, Temporary Clerk in Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, \$3 per day, April 2.

ABM. L. EARLE, Deputy Comptroller.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at the meeting held at the Mayor's Office, March 31, 1875, pursuant to the following order, viz.:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL, OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY, NEW YORK, March 30, 1875.

The undersigned Commissioners of the Sinking The undersigned Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby designate the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, as the place at which all meetings of the Board shall be held until otherwise ordered, and you will please call a meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday, March 31, at 1 P. M. WM. H. WICKHAM, Mayor.

JOHN K. HACKETT, Recorder.

Comptroller.

J. NELSON TAPPAN,
City Chamberlain.
MAGNUS GROSS,

To W. H. DIKEMAN, Clerk Commissioners of Sinking Fund:

Chairman; Hon. John K. Hackett, Recorder; Hon. Andrew H. Green, Comptroller; J. Nelson Tappan, Esq., Chamberlain; and Magnus Gross, Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Al-

A communication was received from the Commissioners of Docks, notifying this Board that on the 1st day of May next they would surrender certain premises on the Thirteenth avenue, between Little Twelfth and Gansevoort streets, belonging to the city and occupied by the Department of Docks for storage and other purposes, which, on motion, was ordered on file.

A communication was received from the President of the Third Avenue Railroad Company, offering to lease for five years three lots belonging to the city, corner of Sixty-sixth street and Third avenue, to be used for storage of trucks, sweepers, etc. sweepers, etc.

The Comptroller stated that property of this description could be leased only on bids at public auction; when, on motion of the Recorder, it was ordered that said lots be leased at public auction,

To W. H. DIKEMAN,
Clerk Commissioners of Sinking Fund:

Present—Hon. Wm. H. Wickham, Mayor,

J. NELSON TAPPAN,
City Chamberlain.
MAGNUS GROSS,
Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The Comptroller called attention to the application of the Board of Education, for five lots of ground on the north side of East Sixty-seventh street, between Lexington and Third avenues, for public school purposes, referred to him at the meeting held February 25, 1875.

The subject was laid over for future consideration.

The Comptroller submitted a report on ferry leases, fogether with a communication from the Counsel to the Corporation on the same subject; also a communication from the Clerk of the Common Council, returning unexecuted the lease to "The New York and Brooklyn Ferry Company," with his reasons for not signing and affixing the seal of the city of New York to the said lease, when, after a brief discussion, on motion of the Recorder, the report was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for his opinion, whether the leases, of ferry franchises and the property connected therewith should be executed by the Mayor in behalf of the city; and, also, whether the Clerk of the Common Council is required to have the authorization by a resolution of the Common Council before he can legally sign said leases and affix thereto the common seal of the city of New York.

The Comptroller submitted a list of property

of the city of New York.

The Comptroller submitted a list of property belonging to the city which is unoccupied, or the leases of which will expire on the 1st of May next; when, on motion of the Recorder, the following resolution was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to lease at public auction, on appraisal, in accordance with the Charter of 1873, for the term of two years, all of the property belonging to the city of New York, which is now vacant, or the leases of which will expire on the 1st day of May, 1875, and that the Comptroller take whatever steps may be necessary to have such premises appraised preparatory to the sale, and to proceed with the sale in the manner prescribed by law.

Henry P. McGown, Esq., appeared before the

Henry P. McGown, Esq., appeared before the Commissioners and was heard in reference to his application (submitted December 10, 1873, and referred to the Comptroller) for a quit-claim from the city to the land under water, in front of three gores of upland owned by him, on the southerly side of "Harlem Creek," between Second avenue and Harlem river.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

rd adjourned. W. H. DIKEMAN, Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, Resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending April 3, 1875, respectively.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 25, 1875. Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1875.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Krisel to erect a watering-trough in front of his premises No. 134 Cedar 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 25, Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1875.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for the week ending April 3, 1875:

The Counsel to the Corporation was directed to acquire the title to lands laid out on a map adopted heretofore in pursuance of chapter 628, Laws of 1871.

Proposals were publicly opened for—
1. 1,000 cubic yards of broken-stone;
2. Police uniforms;

3. Frame building on Central Park for graminiverous animals;

with the following results:

I. 1,000 CUBIC YARDS BROKEN STONE.

The stone to be the same as a sample furnished.

II. POLICE UNIFORMS. Body Coats. Blouses. Summer Pantaloo

1. W. L. Conklin & Son \$14 75 2. Traphagen, Hunter & Co. 19 00 \$9 50 12 00 III. FRAME BUILDINGS.

Opening of proposals for constructing above-mentioned building postponed until the 14th

The President was authorized to purchase 1,000 yards garden mould.

Pay-rolls

Sent to the Finance Department.... \$16,934 73 Moneys

Sent to the Chamberlain. WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45′ 58" N. Longitude 73° 57′ 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS, For the Week Ending April 3, 1875.

Barometer.

DATE.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXII	MUM.	MINIMUM.	
MARCH	AND APRIL.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO. FREEZING.	TIME.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	TIME.
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Sunday,	28	30.183	30.244	30.278	30.235	30.178	9 P. M.	30,001	0 A. M.
Monday,	29	30.315	30.309	30.313	30.312	30.309	2 P. M.	30.394	12 P. M.
Tuesday,	30	30.291	30.247	30.249	30.262	30.304	0 A. M.	30.249	9 P. M
Wednesday	, 31	30.289	30.346	30.359	30.331	30.346	2 P. M.	30.229	0 A. M
Thursday,	1	30.277	30.159	30.089	30.175	30.349	0 A. M.	30.071	12 P. M
Friday,	2	30,000	29.901	29.878	29.926	30.071	0 A. M.	29.844	12 P. M
Saturday,	3		29.900	29.949	29.896	29.970	11 P. M.	29.762	4 A. M

Mean for th	e we	ek			30.162	inches.
Maximum		at o A. M.,	April	1	30.349	
***************************************	**	at 4 A. M.,		3	29.762	".
Range	"				. 587	

Thermometers.

	7 A	м.	2 P.	м.	9 P.	м.	ME	AN.		Max	IMUM			MINI	MUM.		MAXI-
DATE. M'CH & APRIL.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Buib.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Тіте.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.
Sunday, 28	37	33	43	36	41	36	40.3	35.0	46	5 P. M.	39	5 P. M.	37	6 A. M.	33	6 а. м.	104
Monday, 29	37	33	43	42			43.3	38.6	52	4 P. M.	46	4 P. M.	37	7 A. M.	33	7 A. M.	105
Tuesday, 30	40		113	51	197	100	50.3		1	4 P. M.	52	4 P. M.	38	1 A. M.	36	1 A. M.	112
Wednesday, 31	45	1	49	44	42	1	45.3	133 63		9 A. M.	48	9 A. M.	39	12 P. M.	39	12 P. M.	85
and the same of th	1	1	1	133	1	1	52.0		100	4 P. M.	57	4 P. M.	39	0 A. M.	39	0 A. M.	116
Friday, 2	48	100		100	150		55.3	100	1	12 M.	61	12 M.	48	4 A. M.	47	4.A. M.	120
Saturday, 3	1	13.	100		133	100	44.0	100	1		55	4 A. M.	41	12 P. M.	38	12 P. M.	8

						Dr	y Bulb.					et Bulb.
Mean for th	e wee	k				47.2	degree	·s			43.2	degrees.
Maximum f	or the	week, at	12	М.,	2d	65.		at 12	M.,	20	or.	
Minimum	**	**			28th					28th		
Range	"	"				28.	"				28.	- "

Wind.

DATE.	r	v	ELOCIT	Y IN M	ILES.	Force in Pounds per Square Foot.						
MARCH & APRIL.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 28	WNW	NW	NW	63	35	10	108	0	34	0	13/4	5.15 A. M.
Monday, 29	******	ESE	SE	5	31	23	59	0	0	o	3/4	8.15 A. M.
Tuesday, 30	wsw	SSW	SSW	10	10	28	48	0	0	0	. 1/2	3 P. M.
Wednesday, 31	wsw	ENE	ENE	23	25	48	96	0	1/8	ó	1	11 A. M.
Thursday, 1		E	SSE	63	20	34	117	1/8	1/8	0	3/4	4.10 P.M.
Friday, 2		SE	SE	23	26	52	101	0	1/8	0	11/2	4.15 P.M
	WNW	NNW	NNE	64	48	37	149	14	0	0	136	8.30 A. M

Distance traveled during the week...... 678 miles 1¾ pounds.

	н	Hygrometer.						Clouds.		Rain and Snow.				
DATE.		RCE C		H	ELA IVE UMI	-		LEAR, O		Дертн о R	AIN AND S	NOW IN	Inci	HES.
MARCH AND APRIL.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of of Water.	Depth of Snow.
	-	-		-	-	-	-		-			H.M.		IN.
Sunday, 28	.149	.152	. 164	68	54	64	0	3 Cir. S.	4 Cir. Hazy.					
Monday, 29	.149	. 206	.214	68	62	72	6 Cir. S. Hazy.	ı Cu.	6 Cir.		****			
Tuesday, 30	.207	.296	.257	84	6x	64	5 Cir.	ı Cu.	9 Cu.					
Wednesday,31	.233	.235	.225	78	67	85	Hazy. 9 Cu.	9 Cu. S.	10		••••		3.00	**
Thursday, 1	1000	1/021	.367		76	109	o Cu. Hazy.	7 Cir. S.	2 Cir.		****			
Friday, 2	.309	.461	. 388	93	77	93	9 Cu.	Hazy. 8 Cir. Cu.	10	9.30 P. M.	12 P. M.	2.30	.06	
Saturday, 3	11.00	100	.234		71	84	10	9 Cu. S.	7 Cir.	0 A. M.	2 P. M.	14.00	-34	

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

DANIEL DRAPER,

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.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 F. M. Mayor's Marshal, No. 7, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 F. M. Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 F. M. License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 F. M

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

Board of Aldermen and Supervisors, No. 9 City Hall, office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Supervisors, No. 8, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, second floor, west end.

1. Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the City, first floor, west end.

2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park

3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents, first floor, west end.

4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end.

5. Bureau of Markets, first floor, west end.

6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, west end.

7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Preasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Ireasurer, second floor, west end.

8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments; Rotunda, south side.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, third floor: 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8% A M. to 43% P. M.

Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor.

Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN
Commissioners' Office, second floor.
Superintendent's Office, first floor.
Inspectors' Office, first floor.
Chief Clerk's Office, second floor, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Property Clerk, first floor (rear), """
Bureau of Street Cleaning, basement (rear), 8 A. M. to
P. M.
Bureau of Elections, second floor (rear), 8 A. M to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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CITY HALL, 9 A. M. to 4 F. M.

Commissioners' Office, No. 20.

Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21.

Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.

"Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.

"Lamps and Gas, No. 13.

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"Incumbrances, No. 13.

"Street Improvements, No. 11.

"Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduc No. 11½.

"Water Register, No. 10.

"Water Purveyor, No. 4.

"Streets and Roads, No. 13.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.
Commissioners Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, always open entrance on Eleventh street. Free Labor Bureau, Nos. 8 and 10 Clinton place, 8 A. M.

to 5 P. M.
Reception Hospital, City Hall Park, northeast corner always open.
Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth avenue, always open.
Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, always open.

FIRE DEPARTMENT. NOS. 127 AND 129 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 F. M.
Commissioners' Office. Chief of Department.
Inspectors of Combustibles. Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 MOTT STREET.

Commissioners' Office, second floor, 9.A. M. to 4 P. M.
Attorney's Office, third floor, 9.A. M. to 4 P. M.
Sanitary Superintendent, always open, third floor,
Register of Records, third floor, for granting burnal permus, on all days of the week, except Sunday, from 7 A.

M. to 6 P. M. and on Sundays from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Commissioner's Office, 36 Union Sq., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.
commissioner's Office, 346 and 348 Broadway, corner
mard street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall
Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturday, 2 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 M.
Board of Assessors,

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS tendent's Office 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A.)

BOARD OF EXCISE. Commissioners' Office, first floor, 299 Mulberry st., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EDUCATION. CORNER GRAND AND ELM STREETS.

Office of the Board, q A. M. to 4 P. M.

Superintendent of Schools, q A. M. to 5 P. M

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building,
Park (basement). building, City Hall

THE CITY RECORD.

Office, No. 2 City Hall, northwest corner basement, 8

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street, second floor.
Sheriff's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New County-Court-house.
County Clerk's Office, first floor. Court-house.
County Clerk's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New County County Court-house.
Surrogate's Office, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house.
Register's Office, Hall of Population of New County Court-house.

County Court-house.

Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park.
District Attorney's Office, second floor, Brown
building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS. er's Office, Rotunda, north side, New County ise, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURTS.

SUPREME COURT.

General Term, Special Term, Chambers, Circuit Part I, Circuit Part III, second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.

SUPERIOR COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part II, third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

Clerks' Office. Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COMMON PLEAS General Term, Equity Term, Trial Term Part I, Trial Term Part II. Third floor, New Couty Court-house,

Clerk's Office, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MARINE COURT.
General Term, Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, Chambers, third floor, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Clerk's Office, from 19, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Brown-stone building, third floor.

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.

OVER AND TERMINER.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor, outheast corner, room 11, 10:30 A. M.

Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

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

DISTRICT COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards outhwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M

southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, No. 514 Pearl street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Eighth, Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, No 12 Greenwich avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 163
East Houston street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.

Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards Fitty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, south
west corner Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue, 9:30

A.M. to 4 P.M.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street near Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, northeast corner of Third avenue and Southern Boulevard, Harlem Bridge, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

First District—Fourteenth, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, and portion of Santary Precinct, Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, 7 A. M. to 3 P. M

Second District—Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-fifth, Thirty-third, Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth. Precincts, Greenwich avenue, corner of Tenth street, Q.A. M. to 6 P. M.

Third District—Seventh, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth Seventeenth, Eighteenth, and portion of Sanitary Precinct, No. 69 Essex street, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fourth District—Nuneteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third and Nineteenth Sub-station, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 8 a. m.

Fifth District—Tweltth Ward, One Hundred and wenty-fifth street near Fourth avenue, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sixth District-Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Morrisania.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office Clerk of the Common Council, No. 8 City Hall,

THE STATED SESSIONS OF THE BOARD OF Aldermen will be held in their Chamber, room No. 15, City Hall, on Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock, P.M. SAMUEL A. LEWIS, President.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk,

OFFICE CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL,
NO. 8 CITY HALL,
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OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIE,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 6, 1875.)

THE COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS OF THE
Board of Aldermen will meet every Tuesday, at 2
P. M., in room No. 9, City Hall, for the consideration of such subjects as may have been referred for its action.
ANDREW BLESSING,
J. WILLIAM GUNTZER,
HENRY E. HOWLAND,
Committee on Railroads.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, New York, February 27, 1875. THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET
hereafter every Wednesday, at 3 o'clock P. M., at No.
9 City Hall, for the transaction of such public business as
may be referred to the Committee.

MAGNUS GROSS,
W. L. COLE,
PATRICK LYSAGHT,
S. B. H. VANCE,
JOHN J. MORRIS,
Committee on Finance.

FRANCIS I. TWOMEY.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL No. 8 CITY HALL New YORK, January 20, 1875.

NOTICE. — THE COMMITTEE ON STREET
Pavements of the Board of Aldermen will meet hereafter every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Room No. 9,
City Hall, for the consideration of such subjects as may
have been referred to the Committee.

PETER SEERY,
WM. H. McCARTHY,
CHESTER H. SOUTHWORTH,
COmmittee on Street Pavements.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1875.

THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS OF THE
Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday, at 2
o'clock, P. M., at No. 9 City Hall, for the transaction of
such business as may be referred to the Committee
J. W. GUNTZER,
PATRICK LYSAGHT,
S. N. SIMONSON,
Committee on Streets.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
NEW YORK, February 4, 1875.

THE COMMITTEE ON FERRIES WILL MEET
every Monday, at No. 9, City Hall, at 2 o'clock, for
the consideration of all subjects referred to the considera-

ROBERT POWER, JOHN REILLY, HENRY E. HOWLAND, Committee on Ferries.

F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
NO. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 15, 1875.

NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC
Works of the Board of Aldermen will meet every
Monday, at-3 P. M., in Room No. 9, City Hall, for the
consideration of such subjects as may have been referred
for its action.

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JOHN REILLY, EDWARD J. SHANDLEY, JOHN J. MORRIS, Committee on Public Works.

Francis J. Twomey, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY NEW YORK, BUREAU OF STREET CLEANING, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, March 23, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR MANURE.

POLICE NOTICE.—SEALED PROPOSALS WILL be received at the Central Department of Police, until 10 o'clock, a. M., of the 10th day of April, 1875, at which time and place such proposals will be publicly opened and read, for the purchase from this Department of Street Sweepings, classified as Manure, by the Superintendent of Street Cleaning.

The proposal to state the price per cart-load to be paid to the Department for the Manure. The Manure to be delivered at the Dumps of the Street Cleaning Bureau by the Department. The purchaser to keep proper scows and vessels to carry such manure, at the Dumps at all times, from 7 o'clock A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M., Sundays excepted, sufficient to receive all the manure delivered, and remove the same out of the city daily, and as often as they are filled.

Payment for the Manure to be made by the purchaser to the Treasurer of the Board of Police, at such intervals as required by the Department.

The proposal to be inclosed in a sealed envelope, and directed and delivered to the President of the Board of Police before to o'clock, A. M., April 10, 1875, and indorsed on the outside "Proposals for Manure."

S. C. HAWLEY,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

Police Department of the City of New York, Bureau of Street Cleaning, No. 300 Mulberry Street, New York, March 23, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR ASHES AND STREET DIRT.

DIRT.

POLICE NOTICE.—SEALED PROPOSALS WILL be received at the Central Department of Police until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 10th day of April, 1875, at which time and place such proposals will be publicly opened and read, for the purchase from this Department of Ashes and Street Dirt other than manure, collected by the Bureau of Street Cleaning, stating a price per cubic yard, to be measured on the scows.

The Department will deliver the material on scows at any point in the harbor, or on East or North rivers, distant not exceeding fifteen miles from the Battery; but such points of delivery must be safely and conveniently accessible by water of sufficient depth at low tude to float the scows and steam tugs by which they are towed. Payment to be made by the purchaser to the Treasurer of the Board of Police, at such intervals as shall be required by the Department.

The scows are to be unloaded by the purchaser, within the first twelve hours after they arrive at and are towed into the place of delivery.

Proposals to be inclosed in sealed envelope, and directed and delivered to the President of the Board of Police, before 10 o'clock A. M. on the 10th day of April, 1875, and indorsed on the outside "Proposals for Ashes."

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk

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Police Department of the City of New York,
300 Mulberry Street,
New York, March 29, 1875.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—SEALED PROPOSALS WILL
be received at the Central Decomposition.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—SEALED PROPOSALS WILL be received at the Central Department of Police, until to o'clock A. M., of the 13th day of April, 1875, at which time and place proposals will be publicly opened and read, for making repairs and alterations to the building situate on the southerly side of Lawrence street, between Broadway and Tenth avenue, in the City of New York, to be occupied as a Station-house by the Thirtieth Precinct Police, on and after May 1, 1875, and for the construction of a prison on said premises.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for making repairs and alterations, and prison," and shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact.

fact.

That it is made without any connection with any other that it is made without any connection with any other matter, That it is made without any connection with any other person or persons making proposals for the same matter, and is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of Department, chief of Bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or any other officer of the Corporation of the City of New York, is directly or indirectly interested therein, nor in the profits thereof or any part thereot.

Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, will be required with each proposal, who must justify in the amount of five thousand dollars each.

Proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named and sworn according to law.

Specifications and plans may be examined, and blank proposals obtained, by application to the undersigned, at his office, in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,

S. C. HAWLEY,

Chief Clerk

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, MARCH 15, 1875.

WNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk, 300 Mulberry street, room 39, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants:
Furniture, male and female clothing, gold and silver watch, watch chains, rings, plated ware, coffee, liquor, boats, wagon, revolvers, brooms, burial robes, lap robe, and small lot of money.

C. A ST. JOHN, Property Clerk

Police Department of the City of New York, 300 MULBERRY STREET,
New York, March 10, 1875.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—SEALED PROPOSALS WILL be received at the Central Department of Police, until 10 o'clock A. M., of the 9th day of April, 1875, at which time and place proposals will be publicly opened and read, for furnishing the Police Department with two thousand five hundred shields for Patrolmen, to be delivered at the Central Department of Police.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposal for furnishing Shields," and shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact.

That it is made without any connection with any other person or persons making proposal for the same matter, and is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of Department, chief of Bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or any other officer of the Corporation of the City of New York, is directly or indirectly interested therein, nor in the profits thereof or any part thereof.

Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, will be required with each proposal, who must justify in the amount of two thousand dollars each.

Proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named and sworn according to law.

Specifications and blank proposals may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office, in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,

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S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BUREAU OF STREET CLEANING, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, March 23, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR GARBAGE.

POLICE NOTICE.—SEALED PROPOSALS WILL be received at the Central Department of Police until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 10th day of April, 1875, at which time and place such proposals will be publicly opened and read, for the purchase from this Department of all the Garbage collected in the City of New York by the Bureau of Street Cleaning, to be delivered as collecten at the Dumps of the Street Cleaning Department, situate on North and East rivers.

The purchaser to keep proper scows or vessels to carry such Garbage always at the Dumps, ready to receive the Garbage, and to remove said scows or vessels out of the city daily, and as often as loaded.

The proposal to state the price per cart-load to be paid by the purchaser to the Department for the Garbage.

Payment for the Garbage to be made by the purchaser to the Treasurer of the Board of Police, at such intervals as required by the Department.

The proposal to be inclosed in a sealed envelope, and directed and delivered to the President of the Board of Police before 10 o'clock A. M., April 10, 1875, and indorsed on the outside "Proposals for Garbage."

S. C. HAWLEY.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
127 AND 129 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, March 26, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit:

80,000 lbs. of Hay of the quality and standard known as ood sweet Timothy; 15,000 lbs. of good clean Straw; 600 bags of White Oats, 80 lbs. to the bag; 400 bags of fine Feed, 60 lbs. to the bag;

all of which is to be delivered to the various company quarters from time to time, and in such quantities as the Department may require—will be received at these head-quarters until 10 o'clock A. M., Thursday, April 8, 1875, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, will be required, who must each justify in the amount of one thousand dollars.

Proposals must be indorsed, "Proposals for furnishing Forage.'

Proposals must be an information will be furnished upon application to these headquarters.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all the proposals submitted.

JOSEPH L. PERLFY, ROSWELL D. HATCH, CORNELIUS VAN COTT,

HEADQUARTERS

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF New YORK, 127 AND 129 MERCER STREET, New YORK, March 29, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT these Headquarters until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 12th day of April, 1875, at which time and place such proposals will be publicly opened and read for the purchase from this Department of horse manure.

The proposal should state the price to be paid to the Department for the manure, for the period of one year.

The purchaser is to remove the manure from the various stables whenever notified to do so by the Department.

Payment for the manure to be made by the purchaser to the Treasurer of the Fire Department immediately after the sale is determined.

JOSEPH L. PERLEY, ROSWELL D. HATCH, CORNELIUS VAN COTT,

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-ITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, April 3, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR POTATOES.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A.-M. of the 15th day of April, 1875, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering at the fool of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the December 11.

of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department:
500 barrels potatoes, good and sound, "Peerless or Jackson," to weigh 168 lbs. to the barrel net, in quantities as may be required.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the city of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound, as sureties, in the estimated amount of fifty per cent, for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is

defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished. ISAAC H. BAILEY, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, TOWNSEND COX, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, April 1, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR LEATHER, STRAW, RVE, COFFEE, PEAS, MEAL, AND SHOVELS.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS
above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public
Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A. M., of the 14th
day of April, 1875, at which time they will be publicly
opened, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East
Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department—
200 stdes middle weight Sole Leather, good stamp, well
tanned, and made from a hide not inferior in quality to
California;
300 sides good damaged Sole Leather, avancages of

aco sides middle weight Sole Leather, good stamp, well tanned, and made from a hide not inferior in quality to California;
300 sides good damaged Sole Leather, averaging 18 pounds, well tanned, and made from a hide not inferior in quality to California;
250 blase Long Straw;
250 bushels Rye;
250 bushels Rye;
250 bushels Canada Peas;
260 bags Coarse Meal;
271 dozen Shovels.
281 Samples of the above can be seen at this office.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated, amount of fifty per cent, for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is a arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

By resolution of the Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, adopt d April 3, 1875, the open-ing of the proposals for the above-named articles is post-poned to Thursday, April 15, 1875, at 10 o'clock a. M.

DEFARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, April 6, 1875.

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:

lows:
At City Prison, April 4, 1875—William Thompson; aged
42 years; 5 feet to inches high. Was dressed in white
tweed coat, dark tweed pants; was committed March 28,
1875, for intoxication; cause of death, pneumonia; was
stopping at Castle Garden.
By order.

IOSHUA PHILLIPS.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
New York, April 5, 1875.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council "In relation to the burnal 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 fol-

missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, April 3, 1875—John Doe, age 40 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; light brown hair; blue eyes. Was dressed in two mixed coats, two mixed vests, one plaid vest, white shirt, striped pants. This patient was transferred from Workhouse, December 30, 1874. There has been no person to visit him, nor could any information be obtained of his friends or rela ives. No effects found on his person.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, April 4, 1875, from foot of Grand street, East river—Unknown man, about 35 years of age; 5 feet 9 inches high; dark br wn hair and moustache. Was dressed in double-breasted black frock oversoat; corduroy vest and pants; grey ribbed drawers, white knit undershirt, white-bosom shirt, brown woolen socks, and boots. Body in the water about two months. Left arm amputated below shoulder joint. No effects found on his person.

By Order.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

CORNER OF THIRD AVE. AND ELEVENTH STREET,

New YORK, April 2, 1875.

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:

missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, March 31, 1875—Samuel Richardson, age 42 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high; brown eyes; black hair. Had on, black coat and vest, red plaid shirt, white knit drawers and undershirt. This patient was transferred from Charity Hospital, without record of friends. There has been no person to visit him, nor could any information be obtained of his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

By Order. JOSHUA PHILLIPS,

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, April 1, 1875.

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 New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, March 30, 1875—James Urquhart, admitted February 24, 1875; age 54 years; height 5 teet 7½ inches; gray hair; blue eyes. Was dressed in white shirt, white knit undershirt, black coat, vest, and pants. This patient was transferred from Work-house, with the address of one friend, to whom the usual death notice has been sent. There has been no person to visit, nor could any information be obtained from him of his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

By Order.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, amissioner's Office, Room 19, City Hall, New York, April 8, 1875.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVElope, with the title of the work, and the name of the
bidder endorsed thereon (also the number of the work, as
in the advertisement), will be received at this office until
Monday, April 19, 1875, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour
they will be publicly opened and read, for the following

No. 1. Sewers in Water street, between Jefferson and

No. 2. Sewer in Mangin street, between Delancey and

No. 3. Sewer in Thirty-sixth street, between Eleventh venue and Hudson river.

No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Eighth street, between Third and Fifth avenues, with branches.

No. 5. Sewer in Ninth avenue, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets.

No. 6. Sewers in Boulevard, Ninety-eighth street, Ninth avenue, and One Hundredth street, from Ninety-sixth street to Eighth avenue, with branches in Ninth avenue, Ninety-eighth, Ninety-ninth, and One Hundredth streets.

7. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter s, and flagging in Lexington avenue, from One Hun-and Second street to Harlem river. No. 8. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to the Harlem river.

No. 9. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gu tones, and flagging in Thirty-sixth street, from Eleve o the Twelfth avenue.

No. 10. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in Seventy-eighth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.

No. 11. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in Eighty-first street, from the Ninth to the Tenth avenue.

to the Tenth avenue.

No. 12. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 13. Paving Twenty-ninth street, between First ave-ue and East river, with Belgian pavement, and laying rosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where

crosswalks at the intersecting required.

No. 14. Paving Fifty-first street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, with Belgian pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where required.

No. 15. Paving Fifty-fifth street, from Eleventh avenue to the Hudson river, with Belgian pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where

No. 16. Paving East Sixtieth street, between First ave-ue and the East river, with Belgian pavement, and laying cosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where

No. 17. Paving Seventy-first street, between Second and Third avenues, with Belgian pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where

No. 18. Paving Seventy-fifth street, from Madison to fifth avenue, with Belgian pavement, and laying cross-alks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where re-

No. 19. Paving Ninety-third street, from Second to Fourth avenue, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where

No. 20. Paving One Hundredth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue, with Belgian pavement, and laying cross-walks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where re-

No. 21. Paving One Hundred and Fifth street, betweer First and Third avenues, with Belgian pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 22. Paving One Hundred and Twentieth street, from First to Second avenue, with Belgian pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where required.

where required.

No. 23. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Third to Sixth avenue, with Belgian or granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where required.

No. 24. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, with Belgian pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues, where required.

Blank forms of proposale the

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained on application to the Contract Clerk, at his office.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to ject any or all prop sals if, in his judgment, the same ay be for the best interests of the city.

FITZ JOHN PORTER, Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, SSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 7, 1875

New York, April 7, 1875.)

THE BUILDINGS, PARTS OF BUILDINGS, fences etc., to be removed, now standing within the lines of the Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the Harlem river, as lately opened, and now encumbering the said road, will be sold at public auction by Orville G. Bennet, Auctioneer, No. 111 Broadway, under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works, on Tuesday, the 20th day of April, 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M. In case of stormy weather, the sale will be postponed until the first fair day at same hour. The sale to take place on the ground, and will commence with the premises near One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street. For particulars see catalogue, to be obtained at the Department of Public Works, and from the Auctioneer.

FITZ JOHN PORTER, Commissioner of Public Works.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1875, will be paid on that day, by the Chamberlain, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from March 26 to

May 1, 1875. ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptro

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
March 20, 1875.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, New York, March 26, 1875.

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 MAY 14, 1873.

Third instalment of the Third avenue, Morrisania, as

sessment.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before May 31, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that dafe interest will be charged at the rate of (7) seven per cent. from April 1, 1875.

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.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

Department of Finance, Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, Rotunda, Court-House, New York, March 25, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment day in this Bureau for collection:

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Eightieth street, from the Eighth avenue to the River Drive (except from Eighth to Ninth avenue).

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from Third avenue to Harlem river.

Flagging south side of St. Mark's place, between Second avenue and No. 48.

Flagging Tenth avenue, rom Fifty-second to Fifty-third street.

Flagging Tenth avenue, rom Fifty-second to Fifty-third street.

Curb, gutter, and flagging north side of Eleventh street, from Avenue D to the East river; also, on east side of Avenue D, from Eleventh to Thirteenth street.

Curb, gutter, and flagging Third street, from Goerck street to East river.

Paving, with stone blocks, Bank street, from West street to Thirteenth avenue.

Eleventh street, paving, from 100 feet east of Avenue D to the East river.

Paving (with stone blocks) Twenty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

Paving Thirty-first street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues, with Belgian pavement.

Paving Thirty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, with Belgian pavement.

Paving Thirteenth or Exterior avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets (half the block), with Belgian pavement.

Paving One Hundrad and Thirty-sight

hrd and I wenty-tourn stock with an experient and a manufacturers. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eleventh avenue or Boulevard to Hudson River Railroad, with Belgian or granite-block pavement.

Fencing vacant lots on Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth

d Sixth avenues. Sewers in Lewis street, between Houston and Sixth streets.
Sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh

avenues.

Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before May 24, 1875, 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 conference of the co

firmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Asset

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, Feb. 9, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED JANUARY 14, 1875

Forty-third street, paving, between Madison avenue and he Grand Central Railroad Depot, or Vanderbilt avenue. Fifty-seventh street, paving, between Second and Lex-

ington avenues.

Eightieth street, paving, between Madison and Fifth ss. nd avenue, paving, between Sixty-sixth and Eighty

Second avenue, paving, between Sixty-sixth and Eignty-sixth streets.

Third avenue, curb, gutter, and flagging (west side), between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-ninth streets.

Eighty-sixth street, regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, four feet wide, from Eighth avenue to the River Drive.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before April 10, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (?) per cent, from the date of confirmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY,

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Asses

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, April 1, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this

Regulating, grading curb, gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, to Harlem river.

Paving Eighty-first street, between Second and Fourth venues, with Belgian pavement. venues, with Belgian pavement.

Paving Eighty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Third venue, and from Fourth to Fifth avenue, with Belgian

granite pavement. Sewer in Spring street, between Broadway and Crosby

Sewer in Spring street, between broadway and streets.

Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue.

Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before May 31, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of (7) seven per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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 nformation.

SPENCER KIRBY.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, March 2, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

day in this Bureau for collection:

gonfirmed november 18, 1874.

Opening and widening Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before the first day of May, 1875, 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 confirmation.

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.

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Assess

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, Rotunda, Court-House, New York, February 18, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED FEBRUARY 5, 1875.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutters and flagging Seventy-fifth street, from Fitth avenue to the East river. All payments made on the above assessment on or before the 19th day of April, 1875, 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 confirmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY,

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, February 5, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED

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

Opening a new street, running parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Kingsbridge road, across Tenth avenue, to the Boulevard, near the Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before the 6th day of April, 1875, 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 confirmal too.

tion.

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

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Ass

SUPREME COURT.

n 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 acquiring title to certain lands in the City of New York, for a Public Place or Parade Ground in said city.

for a Public Place or Parade Ground in said city.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASE made and provided, the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that, in compliance with the act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An act to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out thereon a public place for a parade ground, and to authorize the taking of the same," passed April 20, 1871, three-fifths being present, the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the Court-house of the City of New York, on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth day of April, A. D. 1875, at the opening of the Court on 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 in-

above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, are the laying out and opening of a public place for a parade ground, between River street and Sherman avenues, and between Inwood street and a certain new street in the City of New York; the exact locality and extent of such parade ground being shown by the duplicate maps thereof, filed pursuant to the third section of said act, one copy in the office of the Department of Public Parks, and the other copy in the office of the Department of Public Parks, and the other copy in the office of the Department of Public Works, to which maps reference is hereby made.

Dated New York, April 2, 1875.

E. DELAFIELD SMITH,
Counsel to the Corporation.

Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a new avenue, intermediate with the Avenue Saint Nicholas and Eighth avenue, from the easterly side of Avenue Saint Nicholas, at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, to One Hundred and Forty-first street; and also the opening of two new avenues, intermediate, Avenue Saint Nicholas and Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first street to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; also, the opening of two new avenues, intermediate avenue, Avenue Saint Nicholas and Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; also, the opening of Ninth avenue, trom the Avenue Saint Nicholas to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; also, the opening of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Ninth avenue to the new avenue next easterly from Ninth avenue; also, the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Ninth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS VV of Estimate and Assessment in the above entite matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, or pant or occupants, of all houses and lots, and improved unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others who was a support of the control of the contr

pant or occupants, of all houses and tost, and improved or imimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

1.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment in the above-entitled matter, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners, at our office, No. 57 Broadway (Room 24), in the said city, on or before the 5th day of May, 1875, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 5th day of May, 1875, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office, on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock F. M.

II. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment together with our maps and all affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our 1 proport have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works of he City and County of New York, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1875.

III. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate in said city

and bounded by, included, and contained within the follow ing boundary lines, that is to say: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the centre line of Ength avenue with the centre line of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, running thence northerly along the centre line of Eighth avenue to the centre line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly along the centre line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to a point distant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of the Avenue Saint Nicholas; thence southerly and parallel with Avenue Saint Nicholas to the centre line of block between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-third street to the centre line of block between One Hundred and Fifty-third street to the centre line of block between One Hundred and Fifty-third street to the centre line of block between One Hundred and Fifty-third street to the centre line of Nemural Parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-third street; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred feet west of the westerly line of Avenue Saint Nicholas; thence southerly, on a line drawn parallel with and distant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of Avenue Saint Nicholas to the centre line of One Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence easterly along the centre line of One Hundred and Thirty-third street to the point or place of beginning.

IV. That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Smail Themes.

IV. 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, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 31st of May, 1875, 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.

CHAS. A. STODDARD.

CHAS. A. STODDARD, JOHN P. O'NEILL, F. A. THAYER, Commissioner

Dated New York, March 29, 1875.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Seventy-third street, from Fifth avenue to the East river (where not already opened), 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 or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit?

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 William Chalmers, Eaq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the 5th day of May, 1875, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 5th day of May, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at one o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and as-sessment, together with our maps, and also all the affida-vits, 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 17th day of May, 1875.

York, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1875.

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 which, taken together, are bounded and contained as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the easterly line or side of Fifth avenue, equi-distant from Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets; and running thence easterly, and parallel with Seventy-third street, to the Harbor Commissioners' Line on the East river; thence southerly, along said Harbor Commissioners' Line on said river, to the centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-second streets; thence westerly, and parallel with Seventy-third street to the easterly line or side of Fifth avenue; and thence northerly, along the easterly line of Fifth avenue, to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the

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, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of May, 1875, 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.

WILLIAM CHALMERS, THOMAS COMAN, CORNELIUS J. FARLEY, Commissioner

Dated New York, March 27, 1875.

In the Matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between the westerly line of Eighth avenue and the easterly line of Ninth avenue, and between the westerly line of Tenth avenue and the easterly line of the Boulevard, in the City of New York.

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

It may concern, to wit:

I. That we have completed our est mate and assessment in the above-entitled matter, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners, at our office, No. 57 Broadway, Room 24, in the said City, on or before the 27th day of April, 1875; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 27th day of April, 1875, and, for that purpose, will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment.

II. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all 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 and County of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of May, 1875.

the roth day of May, 1875.

III. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate in said city and bounded by, included, and contained within the following-mentioned lines, that is to say: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Eighth avenue with the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-third street; running thence northerly along the westerly line of Eighth avenue to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-third street; and one Hundred and Twenty-third street and One Hundred and Twenty-third street and one Hundred and Twenty-third street and one Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; thence westerly along said centre line to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence southerly along the eastern line of the Boulevard and Twenty-second street and One Hundred and Twenty-second street and One Hundred and Twenty-third street; thence easterly along the lastmentioned line to the point or place of beginning.

IV. That our report herein will be presented to the

IV. 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, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1875, 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.

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Dated New York, March 22, 1875.

FRED'K SMYTH, JOHN V. GRIDLEY, EDWIN DOBBS, Commissioner

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 Union Square, New York, March 30, 1875.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES. WILL
be received at the office of the above-named Department until Saturday, the 10th day of April, 1875, at
the hour of 9;30 o'clock A.-M., when they will be publicly
opened, for Lighting with Gas the Public Eamps on any or
all the parks, places, squares, and bridges in the City of
New York under the control of the said Department, during the eight months commencing May 1, 1875.

Every proposal must state a definite and distinct price reach of the following items:

or each of the following items:

For the gas for each lamp, and for the lighting, cleaning, and reglazing the same, and replacing the cocks, ubes, and burners, crossheads, lamp-irons, and lanterns hereto, as in the manner specified.

For each lamp-post straightened as specified.

For each column releaded as specified.

For each lamp-post removed as specified.

For each lamp-post removed as specified.

For each lamp-post reset as specified.

For each lamp-post reset as specified.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by

For each new lamp fitted up as specified.

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

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; the names of all persons interested with him therein; that it is made without collusion with any other person making an estimate for the same work; and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any portions of the profits thereof.

indirectly interested therein, or in any portions of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any only proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record in the County of New York.

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

above.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indoxed "Proposals for Lighting Public Parks and Places,"

H. G. STEBBINS, President, WM. R. MARTIN, DAVID B. WILLIAMSON, THOMAS E. STEWART, Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET, New York, January 2, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessment NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessments upon the Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York, for the year 1875, will be open for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 11, 1875, and will remain open until the 30th day of, April, 1875, 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,

ALBERT STORER,

CORPORATION NOTICES.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDER-NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERsigned Commissioners appointed to estimate and assess
the expense of grading One Hundred and Fiftierh street (formerly Denman), in the City of New York, from Third to
Morris avenue, that they have completed their assessmentroll and report, and filed the same with John Mehlem, at his
house, in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Fiftyfirst and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, for public
inspection, and that the said Commissioners will meet at the
said house of John Mehlem on Monday, the 19th day of
April, 1875, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock P. M., to
revue their assessment and report, when all persons interested therein can examine the same and file their objections,
if any, in writing, with said Commissioners.

Dated New York, March 20, 1875

Dated New York, March 29, 1875

HENRY F. L. BUNTING, JOHN MEHLEM, PETER PLATT,

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDER-NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERsigned Commissioners appointed to estimate and assess
the expense of grading One Hundred and ifty-first street
formerly Gouverneur, in the City of New York, from
Third to Morris avenue, that they have completed their
assessment-roll and report, and filed the same with John
Mehlem, at his house, in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second
streets, for public inspection, and that the said Commissioners will meet at the said house of John Mehlem on
Tuesday, the 20th day of April, 1875, between the hours of
2 and 5 of Colck P. M., to revise their assessment and report,
when all persons interested therein can examine the same
and file their objections, if any, in writing, with said Commissioners.

Dated New YORK, March 29, 1875.
HENRY F. L. BUNTING, JOHN MEHLEM, PETER PLATT,

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDER-NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERsigned Commissioners appointed to estimate and assess
the expense of grading One Hundred and Fifty-second
street (formerly Elton), in the City of New York, from
Third to Morris avenue, that they have completed their
assessment-roll and report, and filed the same with John
Mehlem, at his house, in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One rlundred and Fifty-second
streets, for public inspection, and that the said Commissioners will meet at the said house of John Mehlem on
Wednesday, the 21st day of April, 1875, between the hours
of 2 and 50 clock P. M., to revise their assessment and report,
when all persons interested therein can examine the same
and file their objections, if any, in writing, with said Commissioners.

Dated New York, March 20, 1875.
HENRY F. L. BUNTING,
JOHN MEHLEM,
PETER PLATT, Con

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. Paving Seventh avenue, with Telford-Macadam avenent, rom One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street; also for setting the curb-stone, and agging a space four feet wide through the sidewalks

No. 2. Belgian pavement in First avenue from Sixty-first to Ninety-second street. No. 3. Belgian pavement in Seventy-first street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 4 Belgian pavement in Third street, from Goerck street to Pier foot of Third street. No. 5. Belgian pavement in Fifty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 6. Regulating and grading Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.

No. 7. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging eight feet wide in Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river.

No. 8. Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 9. Sewer in Attorney street, between Grand and roome streets. No. 10. Receiving-basin on northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue.

No. 11. Flagging southerly side of One Hundred and wenty-first street (full width), between First avenue and

Avenue A.

No. 12. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street (third section, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth street).

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

No. 1. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty fourth street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 2. Both sides of First avenue, from Sixty-first to Ninety-second street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-first street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Third street, from Goerck to Tomp-kins street, to the extent of half the block at the intersect-ing streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Fifty-first street, from First avenue to the East river, to the extent of half the block at the in-

tersecting streets.

No. 6. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Ninth yenue to the Boulevard, to the extent of half the block at

avenue to the Boulevard, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Attorney street, between Grand and Broome streets.

No. 10. North side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue; and west side of St. Nicholas avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets.

No. 11. All the property on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Avenue A to First avenue.

avenue.
No. 12. Both sides of Madison avenue, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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 Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of As-sessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ANTEN,
JOHN MCHARG,
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,
JOHN MULLALY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS NEW YORK, Mar. 15, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOL-lowing Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Work:

No 1. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth street. [Third section, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street.]

No. 2. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and the Boulevard.

No. 3. Basin on the north side of Twentieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 4. Sewer on east side of Hudson street, between Spring and Vandam streets.

Spring and Vandam streets.

No. 5. Flagging Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, laying Belgian pavement, and crosswalks, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and relaying crosswalks, resetting curb and gutter stones, and reflagging Broadway, from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street, as widened and straightened.

No. 7. Outlet Sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue, to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, to Seventh avenue, with branches in Second, Fourth, and Fifth avenues; One Hundred and Eleventh, One Hundred and Twelfth, One Hundred and Thirteenth, and One Hundred and Twenth, Sewer in Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets.

No. 8. Sewer in Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets,

between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and in Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, with branches in Eighty-fourth street.

The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz:

No. 1. Both sides of Madison, avenue from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Ninth avenue to the Boulevard, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. All the property on north side of Twentieth

No. 3. All the property on north side of Twentieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 4. East side of Hudson street, between Spring and Vandam streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. Both sides of Broadway, from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of broatway, from a many contents of Fifty-ninth street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. All the property from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Fifth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, and from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from East river to the Eighth avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fifth streets, and both sides of Eighty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,

THOMAS B. ASTEN, Chairm

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS
19 Chatham Street,
New York Mar. 10, 1875.

SALE OF LANDS FOR UNPAID AS-SESSMENTS.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, Collector of Assessments, appointed by the Comptroller of the City of New York, pursuant to frovisions of chapter 613 of the Laws of 1873, that payment is required of the several amounts of assessments, interest, and charges upon the lots, premises, and parcels of land, as hereinalter set forth, within sixty days from the date of this notice, to wit: On or before the seventh day of May, 1875, at the office of said Collector, corner of Mott street and Railroad avenue, Tremont, Twenty-fourth Ward, New York City; and if default is made in the payment of the said amounts, the property which is the subject of such assessments, as hereinafter described, will be sold at public auction, at my office, Tremont, on the seventh day of May, 1875, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the lowest term of years which any person or persons shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the assessments, commissions, interest, charges of notice and advertisements, and all other costs and charges of sale accrued thereon. Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. on Friday of each week.

CHARLES CLARK,
Collector of Assessments,
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
Dated March 1, 1875.

ASSESSMENT FOR ERECTING LAMP-POSTS TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, LATE TOWN OF WEST FARMS.

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 3.

	CENTR	AL AVENUE, SOUTH.	
Lor No.		Name.	Assess- MENT.
		Inwood.	
301	Unknow	n	\$3 87
302	do do		3 87
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37 38	do do		3 87
39	do		3 87 3 87 3 87 3 87 3 87
		MOUNT EDEN.	
17	Unknow	n	2 06
22 23	do		26
25 28	do		2 58 6 44
28 49	do		6 44 3 09 6 44 26
53	do		26
	To	WNSEND POOLE MAP.	
58 61	Unknow	n	3 87
61 62	do do		11 59 12 88
63	do	*	12 88
64 73	do		14 17
74	do		12 88
	1	South Fordham.	
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		RING ANDREWS' MAP.	
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3.	A		33 70

Timpson & Lowerre..... John B. Haskin.....do

do St. James Episcopal Church.....

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 4.

KINGSBRIDGE ROAD.

Lor No.	Name.	ASSESS- MENT.
	Dutch Reformed Church Parsonage. J. B. Haskin	\$9 36
	Dutch Reformed Church	33 40 23 38
2.8	Geo. H. Peck	70 14
	do	30 06
::	New York, Boston & Montreal R.R. do do Geo. H. Peck	6 68
**	Geo. H. Peck	20 04

, Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 2. BELMONT VILLAGE.

Lot No.	Name.	ASSESS- MENT.
Reserv'd } strip Plot. do	Unknown Crescent ave.—John C. Kayser John B. Haskin do	\$11 25 * 2 25 46 13 20 25
	SAMUEL RYER MAP.	
110	Unknowndo	3 38 3 38 3 38
112 113 114 115	dododo	3 38 3 38 3 38
116 117 118	do	3 38 3 38 4 50 5 63
119 120 121	dodo	5 63 4 50 1 13

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 3.

Lor No.		ASSES						
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	Unknown							
49								
52	do							15
53	Charles I	1ein:						15
54	do		000			0000		15
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58	do							15
57 58 59	do	***						15
60	do							15

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District

CENTRE STREET, WEST FARMS.

Lot No.	Name.	ASSESS- MENT,
Plot do do	B. B. Valentine	\$12 50 25 00 22 50

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District

McComb's Dam Road.

Lor No.	NAME.	ASSESS- MENT.
Plot	John B. Haskin	\$35 69
do	do	126 88
do	do	17 85
do	do	17 85
	PETER VALENTINE FARM.	
54	— McNamara	15 86
	CHARLES BERRIAN FARM.	
In red 305	Berrian	13 80
In blue 305	do	15 86
Plot	Unknown	35 69
do	P. H. Berrian	17 85
278	Phebe Berrian	3 97
279 280	do	3 97
299	Charles and Philip Berrian	3 97
300	do	3 97
301	do ,	3 97
302	do	3 97
303	do	3 97
304	do	3 97
305	do	3 97
307	do	3 97 3 97
In red 342	Timpson & Lowerre	
In blue 342	do	
343	do	3 97
348	do	3 97
349	do	3 97
352	Sarah E. Timpsondo	3 97
353 354	do	3 97
355	do	3 97
356	do	3 97
357	do	3 97
358	do	3 97
359	do	, 21
369 370	do	3 97 3 97
	FISHER FARM.	703
1	A Long total	1994
	Mrs. Robertson	11 90
2	do	5 96