

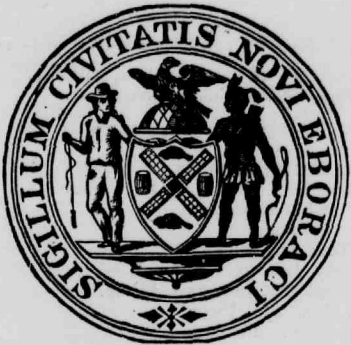
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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 1, 1879.

Monthly statement of warrants drawn against the City Treasury, from January 1 to June 30, 1879, together with a comparative statement of the City Debt as represented in stocks and bonds as of December 31, 1878, and June 30, 1879; and also a statement of and for what purposes stocks have been issued since January 1, 1879.

#### Warrants Drawn in 1879.

PAYABLE FROM TAXATION.	TO MAY 31.	IN JUNE.
State Taxes.....	\$1,951,062 19	\$1,100,000 00
Salaries, Supplies, and General Expenses of the City Government.....	3,555,852 90	1,351,266 40
Interest on and Installment on Principal of the City Debt.....	3,836,933 20	1,209,612 99
Public Instruction.....	1,251,202 99	718,905 23
Charitable Institutions.....	372,860 24	80,763 67
Judgments and Claims.....	367,946 93	11,328 17
Election Expenses.....	6,608 44	833 32
Redemption of Debt of Annexed Territory.....	67,110 38	1,000 00
Miscellaneous.....	58,537 19	15,028 16
Total payable from Taxation.....	\$11,468,114 46	\$4,578,937 94
NEW WORKS AND IMPROVEMENTS—PAYABLE FROM PROCEEDS OF BONDS ISSUED.		
Public Works—Street Openings and Improvements.....	\$194,483 81	\$52,015 51
City Parks Improvements.....	139,531 46	37,382 33
Docks and Slips.....	333 38	10 83
New County Court-house.....	123,778 91	17,486 35
Museums of Art and Natural History.....	12,423 87	6,870 14
Additional Free Floating Baths.....	6,749 62	3,900 28
Brooklyn Bridge.....	552 85	895 98
Harlem River Bridge.....	500,000 00	20 16
Tompkins Square Improvement.....	3,128 88	4,360 42
Total payable from Issue of Bonds.....	\$1,001,001 99	\$122,942 00
SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.		
Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$3,558,700 00	\$1,116,400 00
Miscellaneous.....	254,448 05	12,739 34
Total payable from Special and Trust Accounts.....	\$3,613,148 05	\$1,129,139 34
SUMMARY.		
Total amount of warrants drawn in June.....		\$5,831,019 28
Amount of warrants previously drawn.....		16,082,264 50
Total amount of warrants drawn to date in 1879.....		\$21,913,283 78

#### Stocks and Bonds have been issued for the following purposes in 1879, viz.:

For Street Openings and Improvements.....	\$244,500 00
For Croton Water purposes.....	104,000 00
For Docks and Slips.....	140,000 00
For Tompkins Square Improvement.....	25,000 00
For Museums of Art and Natural History.....	9,000 00
For New County Court-house.....	19,500 00
For Bridge over Harlem river.....	4,000 00
For Brooklyn Bridge.....	500,000 00
For Current Expenses.....	13,853,800 00
For Additional Free Floating Baths.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$14,760,800 00

#### The City Debt as represented in Stocks and Bonds.

BONDED DEBT.	DECEMBER 31, 1878.	MAY 31, 1879.	JUNE 30, 1879.
1. Bonds payable from Taxation.....	\$99,605,590 20	\$99,198,640 72	\$99,200,640 72
2. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under ordinances of the Common Council.....	18,741,143 47	18,741,143 47	18,741,143 47
3. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under section 8, chapter 383, Laws 1878.....	882,082 15	1,642,582 15	1,718,582 15
4. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under section 6, chapter 383, Laws 1878.....	6,900,000 00	6,900,000 00	6,900,000 00
5. Assessment Bonds, issued prior to June 3, 1878.....	12,813,000 00	12,781,500 00	12,780,400 00
6. Assessment Bonds, issued after June 3, 1878, for Local Improvements contracted for or commenced prior to that date.....	598,500 00	743,000 00	783,000 00
7. Assessment Bonds, issued for Local Improvements contracted for or commenced after June 3, 1878.....	70,000 00	110,000 00	130,000 00
Deduct Sinking Fund (investments and cash).....	\$139,610,315 82	\$140,116,866 34	\$140,253,766 34
	32,143,787 83	33,747,144 33	34,010,755 02
	\$107,466,527 99	\$106,369,722 01	\$106,243,010 72
Revenue Bonds.			
Issued under special laws prior to 1878.....	5,775 50	5,775 50	6,775 50
in anticipation of Taxes of 1877.....	800,000 00	800,000 00	800,000 00
" " 1878.....	5,146,100 00	3,294,800 00	2,790,400 00
" " 1879.....		11,061,800 00	13,853,800 00
Total Bonded Debt, less Sinking Fund.....	\$113,418,403 49	\$121,532,097 51	\$123,693,986 22
Cash—City Treasury Account.....			\$1,296,697 32
Sinking Fund—Redemption Account.....			2,135,863 78
" " Interest Account.....			509,191 12
			\$3,941,752 22

#### Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending June 28, 1879:

Deposits in the Treasury.	
On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$82,077 80
" " City Treasury.....	1,193,954 09
Total.....	\$1,276,031 89

Bonds and Stocks Issued.	
Four per cent. Bonds.....	\$1,076,000 00
Five per cent. Bonds.....	15,000 00
Five per cent. Stock.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$1,092,000 00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.	
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	\$1,967 28
Cleaning Streets under Police Department.....	54,166 66
College of the City of New York.....	18,740 67
Contingencies—Law Department.....	45 00
Croton Water Fund.....	804 65
Croton Water-main Fund.....	19,673 25
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	56 05
Dock Fund.....	5,828 04
Dog License Fund.....	500 00
Election Expenses.....	416 66
Fire Department Fund.....	4,849 81
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Care of Contagious Diseases.....	84 00
Harbor Incumbrances, Removal of.....	100 00
Health Fund.....	33 31
Interest on the City Debt.....	103,622 31
Judgments and Claims.....	3,230 06
Lamps and Gas.....	37,322 43
Legal Expenses incurred by the Common Council, in 1879.....	10,000 00
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	1,446 02
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	67 00
New County Court-house.....	563 00
New York Infant Asylum.....	2,909 37
New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	400 00
Police Fund.....	267,179 16
Police Station-houses—Alterations, etc.....	1,666 66
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	5,399 62
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,001 54
Public Charities and Correction.....	24,163 89
Public Instruction.....	420,427 85
Redemption of the City Debt.....	1,000,000 00
Rents.....	750 00
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	516 73
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements.....	816 25
Revenue Bonds of 1878.....	1,106,400 00
Roads and Avenues and Sprinkling.....	1,021 56
Salaries—Department of Buildings.....	225 00
" " Judiciary.....	4,659 87
Street Improvement Fund.....	7,634 64
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street.....	356 70
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	199 80
Supplies for Police.....	5,000 00
Surveying, Laying out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	27 99
Total.....	\$3,114,272 83

#### CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
4599	June 18, 1879	Docks.....	Chandler H. Loomis.....	Dredging at Pier at West Thirty-fifth street, North river; Pier and Bulkhead at West Eleventh street, North river; Pier, new 46, North river; Pier at East Twenty-eighth street, East river; Pier at East Twenty-fifth street, East river; Pier at East Fifth street, East river, and Piers 12, 22, and 23, East river. Estimate, \$15,300.
4600	" 11, "	Public Works (Special)	John B. Healy.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Elm street, between Pearl and Worth streets. Estimate, \$306.68.
4601	" 14, "	" "	John Cornwell.....	Laying Croton water-mains in Eighty-fifth street, Boulevard, and Avenue A. Estimate, \$3,530.70.
4602	" 19, "	" "	D. C. Weeks.....	Furnishing material and building an engine and boiler house, tower, and chimney, etc., on lot between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, 100 feet west of Ninth avenue. Total, \$45,771.
4603	" 12, "	Public Works.....	John Slattery.....	Regulating, grading, curb and gutter stones in Sixty-eighth street, from Third avenue to East river, except between First avenue and East river. Estimate, \$1,572.
4604	" 14, "	" "	William B. Jackson.....	Sodding the dam, etc., of the New Reservoir on the middle branch of Croton river in the town of Southeast, Putnam Co., N. Y. Estimate, \$4,757.50.
4605	" 16, "	" "	Thomas L. Butler & Thomas J. Reilly.....	Sewer in Sixty-ninth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue. Estimate, \$3,560.
4606	May 13, "	Charities & Correction	N. F. Palmer, Jr. & Co.....	Furnishing two new boilers at Bellevue Hospital. Total, \$8,550.
4607	June 18, "	Fire.....	Henry E. Bowns.....	Furnishing 2,600 tons coal. Total, \$9,022.
4608	" 24, "	Public Parks.....	John H. McCabe.....	Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from 410 feet east of Willis avenue to Brook avenue, with branch in Brown place. Estimate, \$7,432.80.



## SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Michael Duffy.....		Order to vacate assessment for flagging Fifty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.....	T. T. Neville
"	Joseph H. Godwin....		Order to vacate assessment for paving One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to Boulevard.....	G. S. Wilkes.
"	George A. Peck.....		Order to vacate assessment for paving One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to Boulevard.....	"
"	Hickson W. Field....	\$300 00	Order to pay into court award to unknown owners, opening of Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street.....	H. A. Shipman.
"	Isabella Garvey.....		Order to vacate assessment for flagging Madison avenue, between Sixtieth and Seventieth streets.....	P. A. Hargous.
"	Henry A. Crane.....		Order to vacate assessment for flagging Madison avenue, between Sixtieth and Seventieth streets.....	"
"	William P. Douglas...		Order to vacate assessment for flagging Madison avenue, between Sixtieth and Seventieth streets.....	"
"	Union Theological Seminary.....		Order to vacate assessment for flagging Madison avenue, between Sixtieth and Seventieth streets.....	"
"	John Mullaly.....	8,585 12	Notice of Judgment.....	J. H. Strahan.
"	Jonathan Wallen....	129 44	For return of assessment for paving Fortieth street, between Third and Madison avenues, paid November 15, 1876.....	P. A. Hargous.
"	Nathaniel D. Higgins.	180 15	For return of assessment for paving Fortieth street, between Third and Madison avenues, paid November 24, 1876.....	"
"	George Leonhardt....	110 50	For return of assessment for paving Twentieth street, between Third avenue and East river, paid February 28, 1877.....	"
"	Richard O'Grady....	118 08	For return of assessment for regulating Fortieth street, between Eleventh avenue and Hudson river, paid June 17, 1875.....	"
"	A. Warwick.....	112 82	For return of assessment for regulating Fortieth street, between Eleventh avenue and Hudson river, paid September 12, 1874.....	"
"	Cornelius S. Westerlo.	100 72	For return of assessment for paving Fortieth street, between Third and Madison avenues, paid October 7, 1875.....	"
"	Daniel Gale, Linus E. Fuller and Frederick M. Tryon.....	758 88	Notice of Judgment.....	J. S. Auerbach.
Superior..	Thomas Stillman, agst. Christian F. Dickel and others.....		To adjust title to rents of premises Nos. 7, 9, and 11 West Thirtieth street, with injunction restraining payment of rent.....	D. Thurston.
"	William Edsall.....	25,000 00	For damages for personal injuries sustained by being thrown from truck in Coenties slip, in front of Pier No. 7, East river, May 27, 1879.....	Howe & Hummel.
Com. Pleas	Mary A. Coulter.....	20,000 00	For damages to premises at Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, Nos. 61 to 64, Farm 3, between 1871 and 1875.....	J. A. Deering.
"	Charles M. Brennan..	777 55	Notice of Judgment.....	M. Diefendorf.
"	James H. Bartley....	777 55	Notice of Judgment.....	"
"	Abraham Scholle....		To prosecute bond of Jeremiah D. and Hugh H. Moore, given on contract for regulating Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth street, and to restrain collection of proportionate amount of assessment secured by the bond.....	A. B. Johnson.

## CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Lewis S. White.....	\$51 85	For interest on \$4,939.50, from April 9, 1879, to June 2, 1879, warrant withheld.....	
The Hazard Powder Co..	271 60	Against Matthew H. Moore, in matter of laying Croton water-mains in First avenue, between Fourteenth and Thirty-seventh streets.....	G. P. Hawes.
Henrietta F. Byrne.....	2,379 00	For Awards Nos. 81 to 88, in matter of opening Inwood street.....	P. A. Hargous.
Arabella S. Perry.....	16 20	For costs.....	"
Bernard McIntyre and o'rs.	22 08	".....	"
Peter Gillespie.....	16 95	".....	"
Charles F. Southmayd....	16 95	".....	"
Mary A. Traynor.....	16 20	".....	"
Wm. Cutting, executor, etc.	16 83	".....	"
George Leonhardt.....	16 20	".....	"
William Menzies.....	16 83	".....	"
A. V. H. Stuyvesant.....	16 20	".....	"
Arnoux, Hitch & Woodford	5,155 12	For services in action of People ex rel. Henry C. Murphy against John Kelly, Comptroller.....	"

## Approval of Sureties.

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

June 23. For furnishing 500 barrels Irish potatoes for the use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
C. P. Woodworth & Co., 22 Fulton street, Principals.  
Francis Vogel, 172 Fulton Market,  
John C. Southwick, 16 West Fiftieth street, } Sureties.

## Return of Proposals.

June 25. Proposal of J. M. C. Scully, for furnishing cobble and rip-rap stone to the Department of Docks, returned for the action of said Department on the application for the substitution of Michael Noonan and Thomas Canavan as sureties thereon in the place of John Garvey and Michael Flanagan, the parties originally offered as sureties.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

## Abstract of Proceedings for the week ending with Saturday, June 28, 1879.

No meeting held this week.

Moneys to the amount of \$1,124.56 were deposited with the City Chamberlain.

Additions were made to the Zoological Collection at the Central Park, as follows:

## Donations.

1 gray squirrel, presented by Mrs. Howland.  
1 carrier pigeon, presented by Mr. C. A. Jacobson.

## Purchase.

1 swan goose.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 27th day of June, 1879.  
Present—Messrs. Smith, Wheeler, and MacLean, Commissioners.

## Leaves of Absence Granted.

Captain William Schultz, Twenty-fourth Precinct, two and a half days.  
Patrolman Charles W. Smith, Fourth Precinct, five days, as part of regular leave.  
" James Pilkington, Twenty-fifth Precinct, five days, without pay.  
Application of Patrolman Michael McDermott, Twenty-seventh Precinct, for sixty days' leave of absence, was ordered on file.

## Leaves of Absence Granted under Rule 564—Approved.

Sergeant Charles U. Coombs, Sr., House Detention, half day.  
Roundsmen Jacob B. Warlow, Second Court, three days.

## Parades Approved.

Colored Knights Templar, June 23. Parade.  
German-American Templars Association, July 2. Parade.  
Veteran Guards, June 22. Church Service.  
Dover Post 112, June 24. Festival.  
Bohemian Society No. 4, June 24. Funeral.  
Bohemian Benevolent Society, June 25. Funeral.  
Bloomingdale Temperance Society, June 23. Picnic.  
St. Bridget's Church S. S., June 23. Picnic.  
German Lutheran S. S., June 26. Picnic.  
St. Teresa Church, June 30. Picnic.  
St. Paul's Church, July 1. Picnic.  
Howard Mission School, July 4. Picnic.  
Employees of J. Stahl, July 4. Picnic.

Report of Superintendent on complaint of Lewis Oliver, of money lost in a panel house was ordered to be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.

Report of the Superintendent on action of certain officers in raiding gambling houses was ordered on file.

Reports of the Superintendent on character of No. 33 Bowery and No. 104 Bowery were ordered to be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.

Report of Captain Bennett, Thirty-fourth Precinct, relative to an unserviceable horse, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Report of the Superintendent, relative to officers absent from the city on duty, was ordered on file.

Report of Surgeons Cook, Dorn and Purroy, on examination of Patrolman Michael Brennan, Twelfth Precinct, was ordered to be returned to the Committee for report whether the Patrolman is able to perform full patrol duty.

Report of James Crowley, Superintendent of Telegraph, on communication from the Comptroller, relative to insulated wire, was ordered to be returned for report as to what insulated wire is in use by the Police Department at Station-houses, Central Department and other places.

Report of the Superintendent on complaint of B. F. Cook, that goats run at large in East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, was ordered to be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.

Application of Patrolman Thomas Tierney, Fourth Precinct, for full pay while sick, was referred to the Superintendent to obtain report of the Board of Surgeons, and transmit the same, with his own report, to this Board.

Application of Patrolman Peter Rose, Seventeenth Precinct, for detail, was ordered on file.

Application of the First Platoon, Nineteenth Precinct, to be absent from the city, July 10, on an excursion, was referred to the Superintendent to grant permission if their services are not required on that day.

Weekly statement of the Comptroller, showing condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.

Communication from the Comptroller, asking information to enable him to make suitable answer to complaint of John Gillen, against the Mayor, Aldermen, etc., was referred to the Chief Clerk.

Communication from Messrs. Alexander & Ash, relative to petition of Mary Fisher for pension, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from the Department of Charities and Correction, stating that the ambulances from the Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street, are called for cases in the Twenty-second and Twenty-eighth Precincts which have been refused by ambulance Surgeons of Roosevelt Hospital, was referred to the Chief Surgeon to report, with instruction in other hospital cases.

Communications from Inspector Dilks and Captain Petty, Fourth Precinct, relative to decision of Police Justice Flammer on detention of prisoners arrested for violations of Corporation ordinances, was referred to Commissioner MacLean for report.

Communication from the Treasurer's Bookkeeper, relative to check for \$65.32, given to Amanda E. Nash, Administratrix of estate of Lydia M. Sutton, paid over to T. H. Patterson, Undertaker, returned for indorsement and lost, was referred to the Treasurer with power.

Communication from J. H. Dougherty, relative to his fees as referee, was referred to Commissioner MacLean.

An opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation on the claim for \$83, taken from Isaac Wolf, stating that the money can be paid to either of the claimants, Gershorn Hyman or Selig Ponkofsky, with the consent of the other, was ordered on file.

On reading opinion of the Corporation Counsel, it was Resolved, That the money found by Isaac Schreiber and claimed by Max Herman, be paid over to said Schreiber by the Property Clerk in accordance with said opinion.

On reading opinion of the Corporation Counsel, it was Resolved, That that the bills of the New York Tribune (\$1,293 76), and the Evening Express (\$1,293 76), for publication of the official canvass, be audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment, in accordance with said opinion.

Commissioners Smith and Wheeler voting aye; Commissioner MacLean voting no.  
Resolved, That Patrolman William Lally, Twenty-seventh Precinct, be granted permission to employ counsel in the trial of charges against him.

Resolved, That the application of Patrolman Silas W. Rogers, Detective Squad, for permission to receive a reward of fifty dollars from John F. Meyer, be denied, and the Treasurer directed to return the money.

On reading report of the Superintendent, it was Resolved, That the application of Captain T. R. Bennett, Thirty-fourth Precinct, for permission to receive a reward of twenty dollars from Mr. Nolan, for services at Jerome Park races, be denied, and the Treasurer directed to return the money.

On reading communication from John Matthews, and report of Captain Murphy, it was Resolved, That honorable mention be made in the records of the Department, of the meritorious conduct of Patrolman Patrick H. Marron, Twenty-first Precinct, who arrested an ex-convict named Joseph Murphy, and took him to the station-house, notwithstanding the fact of his being assaulted, shot at, and knocked down on the way thither, on the 31st May, 1879.

Resolved, That Patrolmen John W. Phillips and James Pilkington, Twenty-fifth Precinct, and Patrolmen John Dunn and Thomas Ferris, Detective Squad, be transferred to the Special Service Squad, for service on June 19th and 20th, their salaries having been paid.

On recommendation of Captain Steers, Thirty-second Precinct, it was Resolved, That a horse, designated by Captain Steers, be put in pasture for three months, at \$7.00 per month.

Resolved, That Mrs. Caroline Butts be granted permission to withdraw a complaint against Patrolman Aaron Butts, Sanitary Company.

On reading the Excise report of the Superintendent, and a communication from the Society for the Prevention of Crime, it was

Resolved, That the report be returned to the Superintendent with the communication from said Society, asking if he has anything further to report, and if any charges should be made, and against whom.

Resolved, That the specifications for building a station-house for the Twenty-eighth Precinct be completed, and the Chief Clerk directed to advertise for proposals for building the same.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was Resolved, That the following bills be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer, all voting aye:

Martin B. Brown, binding.....	\$12 00	Miller, Morrison & Co., chamois skins..	\$3 00
" books.....	19 00	Hugh Nesbitt, painting.....	145 00
" books.....	25 00	Patterson Bros., hardware.....	15 10
" printing.....	6 50	" varnish, etc.....	7 84
" stationery.....	5 25	" hardware.....	4 85
" ".....	29 72	" sash cord.....	45 00
Robert C. Brown, bath tub.....	31 90	M. L. Pooton, meals.....	2 50
" repairs.....	56 99	Seth Thomas Clock Co., clock.....	9 50
" ".....	9 65	Watrous & Wilson, lumber.....	8 88
Wm. C. Herriott, ".....	27 65	White & Co., agents, horse feed.....	76 41
G. G. Hallett, fire brick.....	2 50		
Kavanagh & Bazzoni, wagon repairs...	20 30		
			\$564 54



## Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Pilot Commissioners, giving notice that a spar buoy has been placed outside of Sandy Hook to mark the place for depositing mud, etc.; also complaining that material was dumped in the harbor from scow of the Bureau of Street Cleaning on June 21, 1879, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Health Department, transmitting report of Assistant Sanitary Inspectors relative to accumulation of ashes on sidewalk north side of Seventy-fourth street, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning with power.

Communication from John B. Greene, Chief Clerk Bureau of Street Cleaning, relative to payment of salary of John Kane, carman, was referred to the Treasurer with power.

On hearing report of the Committee on Street Cleaning relative to absence of scows for reception of ashes from steamers, and complaint of the Pilot Commissioners, accompanied by a proposal from Terence O'Brien, it was

Resolved, That the proposal of Terence O'Brien to furnish two barges, one on the North river and one on the East river, for the reception of ashes, etc., from steamboats, for the sum of \$2.90 per day for each barge, be and is hereby accepted during the pleasure of the Board; the said barges to be located and placed under the direction of the Chairman of the Committee on Street Cleaning; bills to be rendered at the end of each month.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending June 28, 1879.

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

## SCHEDULE "A."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

## SUPREME COURT.

In re the petition The Manhattan Savings Institution—To vacate assessment for Fourth avenue sewer, from Eighty-eighth to Eighty-ninth street, with branches, etc.

In re the petition of Frederick Booss—To vacate assessment for One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street underground drains, Fifth and Eighth avenues.

In re the petition of Charles G. Cornell—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging and paving with Telford-Macadamized pavement Eastern Boulevard, Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.

In re the petition of Henry J. Beers et al.—To vacate assessment for One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street underground drains, between Fifth and Eighth avenues.

In re the petition of Susan R. Kendall—To vacate assessment for One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street underground drains, between Fifth and Eighth avenues.

In re the petition of Julien T. Davies—To vacate assessment for paving, etc., One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to Boulevard.

In the matter of the application of Hickson W. Field—For an award made to unknown owners, Damage Award No. 450, opening Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street, \$300.

In re the petition of Wm. Rutter Varker et al.—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Avenue A, Eastern Boulevard, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.

In re the petition of Thos. Varker—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Avenue A, Eastern Boulevard, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.

Cornelia L. Westerlo—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Fortieth street paving, etc., \$100.72.

Nathaniel D. Higgins—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Fortieth street paving, etc., \$180.15.

Jonathan W. Allen—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Fortieth street paving, etc., \$129.44.

George Leonhardt—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Twentieth street paving, etc., \$110.50.

Richard O'Grady—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Forty-sixth street regulating, etc., \$118.08.

A. Warwick—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Forty-sixth street regulating, etc., \$112.82.

In re the petition of Isabella Brandon—To vacate or reduce an assessment for Fifth avenue regulating and grading, between Eighty-sixth street and Mount Morris square.

In re petition of Isabella Brandon—To vacate or reduce an assessment for Fifth avenue regulating and grading, between Ninetieth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets.

In re petition of Isabella Brandon—To vacate or reduce an assessment for One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer, with branches between Harlem river and Fifth avenue.

In re Isabella Brandon—To vacate or reduce an assessment for One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street underground drains, Fifth to Sixth avenue.

In re Isabella Brandon—To vacate a sale made for an assessment for One Hundred and Seventeenth street opening, between Fourth and Eighth avenues.

In re Isabella Brandon—To vacate a sale made for an assessment for One Hundred and Seventeenth street opening, between Fourth and Eighth avenues.

Thos. Stillman vs. Christian T. Dickel et al.—To enjoin collection of rents of premises Nos. 7, 9, and 11 West Thirteenth street, and for appointment of a receiver, etc.

In re the petition of John J. Reid—To vacate an assessment for underground drains between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets, and between Third avenue and Harlem river.

In re petition of Benjamin F. Dunning—To vacate an assessment for Telford-Macadam pavement, on Seventy-second street, between Eighth avenue and Hudson river.

People, ex rel. Henry Weil against the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the City and County of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator for 1879, in the sum of \$150,000.

Lena Miller—(Summons only served).

## SUPERIOR COURT.

William Edsall—Personal injuries, being thrown from truck, May 27, 1879, at Pier 7, Coenties slip. \$25,000.

Curtis R. Marvin, assignee of John Falconer, Bankrupt, vs. The Mayor, etc., N. Y.—Salary as Supervisor of County of New York, twenty months from May, 1873, to December, 1874, \$3,333.33.

## COMMON PLEAS.

Abraham Scholle—To be relieved from payment proportionate share of amount recovered from prosecution of bond of Jeremiah D. Moore, for breach of contract, etc., an assessment for regulating, etc., Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth street, on Ward Nos. 14, 15, 16, 17½, block 493.

## SCHEDULE "B."

## JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Beth Hamedrash—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.

In re Ferdinand Meyer—Fifty-fourth street; order entered to vacate assessment.

In re Wm. B. Ross—do do do

In re Michael Duffy—do do do

In re Thos. B. Kerr—do do do

In re John Woods—Fifty-seventh street, do do do

In re Chas. N. Martin—do do do

In re Matthew Byrnes—do do do

In re Benjamin P. Fairchild—do do do

In re Philip McLaughlin—Order entered substituting John Dowling as plaintiff.

In re Geo. H. Peck—Order entered to vacate assessment.

In re Jos. H. Godwin—do do

In the matter of Ch. S. Weyman and another, award—Order entered confirming referee's report and ordering Chamberlain to pay award (\$735) to petitioner.

James H. Bartley—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$777.55.

Chas. M. Brennan—do do do

Mayor, etc., New York, against Catharine P. Masterson and others—Judgment of foreclosure and sale entered in favor of the city for \$2,446.49.

People, ex rel. Bartholomew Murphy vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered in favor of the Police Commissioners for \$101.08.

People, ex rel. John Purvis vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered in favor of Police Commissioners for \$70.93.

Conrad Meyer vs. James C. Clark—Judgment entered in favor of defendant for \$103.83.

John Mullaly—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$8,585.12.

Daniel Gale et al.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiffs for \$750.88.

## SCHEDULE "C."

Robert Cushing—Reference proceeded three days and closed.

People, ex rel. Joseph J. Little vs. John Kelly, Comptroller, et al.—Motion for a writ of alternative mandamus, heard before Brady, J.; decision reserved.

James H. Bartley—Tried before Joseph F. Daly, J., without a jury; judgment for plaintiff for full amount.

Charles H. Brennan—Tried before Joseph F. Daly, J., without a jury; judgment for plaintiff for full amount.

Anson Herrick—Reference proceeded.

Philip McLaughlin—Motion to substitute John Dowling as plaintiff argued; granted.

Matter of One Hundred and Fiftieth street—Proceeded before the referee.

People, ex rel. Alexander T. Van Nest vs. Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments—Writ of certiorari argued before Donohue, J.; decision reserved.

Eighty-eighth street—Motion for appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in place of Hennessey, deceased, made, Potter, J.; decision reserved.

John Mullaly—Tried before Van Brunt, J., and jury; verdict directed by consent for plaintiff for \$8,513.91.

Archibald J. Fullerton—Tried before Van Vorst, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$1,016.66, by direction of the Court.

John J. Cott—Tried before Van Brunt, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$3,000; five per cent. allowance granted.

Daniel Gale et al.—Settled in open Court; defendants signing stipulation withdrawing answer and allowing plaintiff to take judgment for \$605.25, and \$62.37 interest.

William H. Tracy, executor—Before Barrett, J., and jury; on consent of defendants, verdict directed by Court in favor of plaintiff, for \$7,362.67, principal, and \$1,659.21, interest—total, \$9,021.88.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

## HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,

June 25, 1879.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott. The minutes of meetings held 18th and 20th instant, were read and approved.

## Trials.

Fireman Sydney Vredenburg, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, charged with "absence without leave," "under the influence of liquor," "disobedience of orders," and "conduct prejudicial to good order." The accused failed to appear; evidence taken; found guilty and dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect 21st instant. Communications from Foreman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, and Chief of Department, relative to the case, were filed.

Fireman Patrick O'Brien, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, charged with "neglect of duty." Found not guilty, and charge dismissed.

Fireman Edward H. Tobin, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, charged with "neglect of duty." Found not guilty, and charge dismissed.

Private Daniel J. Fagan, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, charged with "being under the influence of liquor," "violation of paragraph 2, General Order No. 19, 1877," "defacing company journal," and "absence without leave." Found guilty, and fined nine days' pay.

Fireman William A. Robinson, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, charged with "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty, and reprimanded.

Assistant Foreman Thomas Lally, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, charged with "violation of paragraph 3, General Order No. 16, 1878." Found not guilty, and charge dismissed.

Foreman George L. Crum, of Engine Co. No. 4, charged with "violation of paragraph 3, General Order No. 16, 1878," and "reckless driving." Found not guilty, and charges dismissed.

## Communications

From—

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8—Report relative to condition of premises No. 28 Beach street; copy having been transmitted to the Department of Buildings, by order of the President. Action approved; filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Relative to obstructions to hydrants on Third avenue, above Harlem bridge; the Departments of Public Works and Public Parks having been communicated with in reference thereto, by the President. Action approved; filed.

Abner Greenleaf, offering to place Portable Water Tower in service for test, offer having been accepted by the President. Action approved, and communications from Chief of Department, Abner Greenleaf, and W. F. Seavey, relative thereto, filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of licenses and permits issued to 24th instant. Filed.

Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That Louis Somers, 412 West Forty-ninth street; Edward McCuskey, 205 East Thirty-eighth street; George Staiger, 126 Pitt street, and M. Lowenstein, One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Alexander and Willis avenues, be and are hereby fined \$5 each, for violation of sec. 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that in each of the above-named cases the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Same, recommending remission of fines imposed on following named parties for violations of law, for reasons assigned, viz.:

James H. Terrell, 260 W. 28th st.

Barnard Burlinger, 213 E. 51st st.

Gottlieb Rudolph, 87 Columbia st.

Cornelius Sullivan, 43 Park st.

Delia Simmons, 118 Macdougall st.

Terence Masterson, 250 W. 47th st.

John Hynes, 32 Forsyth st.

John Ball, 624 E. 17th st.

Approved.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Report relative to Gray printing instruments. Filed, with directions to transmit copy to Gold and Stock Telegraph Company, and to request immediate removal of the instruments.

Same, requesting authority to grant leaves of absence to employees of the Telegraph Bureau. Approved, to take effect after July 7.

Medical Officer—Report of examination of Fireman W. S. Rowland, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, as to his ability to perform the duties of his position. Filed, and following adopted by a unanimous vote:

Whereas, It appears from the report of the Medical Officer, dated June 21, 1879, that Fireman Winfield S. Rowland, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, is totally and permanently physically disabled for the performance of his duties, and that such disability was caused in or induced by the actual performance of the duties of his position; therefore be it

Resolved, That under the provisions of section 14, chapter 742 of the Laws of 1871, as amended, the said Fireman Winfield S. Rowland, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, be and is hereby retired from all service in this Department, on an annual pension of \$600, payable monthly, to take effect from and after the first day of July, 1879.

Same, recommending extensions of leaves of absence to Foreman Thomas Coyle, of Engine Co. No. 23.

Engineer of Steamer, Michael Purcell, of Engine Co. No. 15.

Fireman Dennis J. Leary, of Engine Co. No. 10.

" Owen J. Shanly, of Engine Co. No. 14.

" Alfred Connor, of Engine Co. No. 18.

" Edward McGaffney, of Engine Co. No. 33.

" Bernard Reilly, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4.

" Patrick O'Callahan, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10.

" William A. Robinson, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10.

" Winfield S. Rowland, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13.

" William Farrell, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16.

" Francis Murray, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18.

Granted.

Same, recommending excuse from fire duty to Engineer of Steamer Thomas McMurray, o. Engine Co. No. 3.

Fireman Daniel McKnight, of Engine Co. No. 25.

" A. C. Dusenberre, of Hook and Ladder No. 5.

" Jacob Mang, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10.

Approved.

Acting Superintendent of Repair Shops, recommending the appointment of a tinsmith. Filed.

Property Record Clerk—Relative to old badges, etc. Filed, with directions to have same defaced and included in sale of condemned property at auction.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 8 and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17, reporting obstructions to hydrants. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles.

Assistant Foreman Henry Murray, of Engine Co. No. 6, Charles H. Perley, of Engine Co. No. 16, and Thomas Lally, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, applying for promotion to rank of Foreman. Filed.



Fireman James A. Dougan, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman. Referred to Examining Board.

Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation to 21st inst. Filed.

Same—Relative to claim of Clinton G. Colgate for damages for infringement of patent. Laid over.

Martha E. Bower, widow of William Bower, retired fireman, and Margaret Snyder, widow of Michael Snyder, formerly Foreman of Engine Co. No. 38, applying for pensions. Referred to Trustees of Relief Fund.

John C. Baxter & Son, offering services of steamer John Fuller at fires, at reduced rates. Offer accepted, with directions to notify when required.

C. N. Brainerd, requesting loan of flags. Denied.

F. Kneuppel, agent, requesting inspection of chimneys at No. 132 Attorney street. Referred to Chief of Department.

James E. Nangle, formerly Fireman of Engine Co. No. 20, requesting a rehearing. Denied.

Charles D. Schmidt & Co., soliciting order for powder soap. Filed.

John H. Starin, tendering a free excursion to members of the Department on August 5th. Filed, with directions to reply that no more than eighty members of the uniformed force can safely be excused from duty at one time, and that invitation must therefore be declined.

U. S. Pianoforte Co.—Relative to key for alarm boxes. Filed, with directions to reply that key will be furnished on proper application.

Wolcott & Williams, offering to place Dillon's Automatic Reel on a chemical engine for trial. Laid over.

Committee on Apparatus, returning, approved, requisition for repairs to wagon, estimated cost, \$22.75. Ordered.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Requisition for key and bell instrument, estimated cost, \$10. Purchase ordered.

Superintendent of Horses, recommending repairs to wagon. Referred for estimate of cost. Same—Report of selection of team for Engine Co. No. 1, and recommending purchase at \$600. Purchase ordered.

Supply Clerk—Relative to supply of forage. Filed, and following resolution adopted: Resolved, That an advertisement be inserted in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for furnishing to this Department 250,000 pounds hay; 50,000 pounds straw; 1,800 bags oats; and 1,200 bags fine feed.

Same—Requisitions for articles required, estimated cost, \$21.50, \$32.50, and \$72, respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same—Requisition for desk for Fire Marshal's office. Laid over.

Same, returning recommendation of Chief of Department for hose for Fire Steamer, with estimates as directed. Laid over.

Acting Superintendent of the Repair Shops—Requisitions for materials, etc.; estimated cost, \$18.50, \$30.60, and \$10, respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same—Requisition for saw blades, etc. Referred for estimate of cost.

Same—Requisition for Providence hitches. Filed.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—Requisition for materials; estimated cost, \$318. Purchase ordered.

Same, recommending plumbing work at quarters of Engine Co. No. 33. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Same, recommending plumbing work at Hospital stables; estimated cost, \$15. Ordered.

Formen of Engine Cos. Nos. 1 and 35, and of Hook and Ladder Cos. Nos. 1 and 7, requesting repairs to quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 15—Relative to erection of building on lot adjoining quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Graff & Co.—Proposal for furnishing heater at quarters of Engine Co. No. 14. Laid over.

#### Resignation.

Thomas Radley, Assistant Surveyor Bureau of Combustibles. Accepted, to take effect 24th instant.

#### Appointment.

Patrick H. Stewart, as Assistant Surveyor Bureau of Combustibles, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum from 25th instant.

#### Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the Year 1878—Schedule No. 74.

Bowns, Henry E. apparatus, supplies, etc. \$2,424 00

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 26.

Abbot, Downing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$56 50	Norris & Williams, apparatus, supplies, etc.	131 50
Feigel, M. & Bro., apparatus, supplies, etc.	106 00	Parcells, A. F., apparatus, supplies, etc.	5 50
Graff & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	220 00	Pearce & Jones, " "	11 00
Gregory, James, " "	1 57	Roebing's, John A. Sons & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	32 00
Hardy & Co., " "	136 92	Schmidt, A. & Bros., apparatus, supplies, etc.	6 00
Hayman, C. & H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	300 00	Seaman, A. & Son, apparatus, supplies, etc.	26 25
Hughes, Thomas, apparatus, supplies, etc.	48 09	Shay, Walter, apparatus, supplies, etc.	5 78
Hunter, Keller & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	3 84		
McClave, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	60 97		
Murphy & Co., " "	37 50		
			\$1,189 42

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

### APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That the annexed petition of occupants of the basement of Essex Market, to have the floor caulked and made water-tight, be referred to the Commissioner of Public Works, with power to make the repairs asked for, should he find it necessary or advisable to do so.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 10, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 23, 1879.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the southeast and southwest corners of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 10, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 23, 1879.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 10, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 23, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Ehrmann to erect two (2) bay-windows on the building to be erected on the southeast corner of Fourth avenue and Sixty-first 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, June 10, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 23, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Campbell to erect two bay-windows on Madison avenue, corner of Sixty-third street, the consent of adjoining property-owners and the diagram of said property showing the proposed location of said bay-windows being attached to the application, 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, June 10, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 23, 1879.

### 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 June 28, 1879.

#### Barometer.

DATE.	JUNE.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday,	22	30.170	30.077	30.102	29.999	30.096	29.998	30.025	30.188	30.090	30.090	29.995
Monday,	23	30.088	29.987	30.106	29.968	30.122	29.992	29.982	30.126	30.009	30.070	29.977
Tuesday,	24	30.158	30.081	30.248	30.099	30.228	30.109	30.096	30.248	30.099	30.126	30.009
Wednesday,	25	30.234	30.131	30.148	30.023	30.104	30.003	30.052	30.236	30.127	30.104	30.003
Thursday,	26	30.148	30.042	30.134	29.999	30.124	29.986	30.009	30.158	30.047	30.104	29.883
Friday,	27	30.068	29.946	30.032	29.873	29.980	29.837	29.885	30.068	29.946	29.942	29.807
Saturday,	28	29.908	29.778	29.840	29.678	29.790	29.649	29.702	29.942	29.807	29.762	29.600

Mean for the week..... 29.964 inches.  
Maximum " at 2 P. M., June 24..... 30.099 "  
Minimum " at 5 P. M., June 28..... 29.600 "  
Range " ..... .499 "

#### Thermometers.

DATE.	JUNE.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	22	63	60	67	63	65	63	65.0	68	64	5 P. M.	62	87
Monday,	23	66	63	80	67	77	67	74.3	85	69	6 P. M.	62	139
Tuesday,	24	72	66	84	69	73	67	76.3	85	69	4 P. M.	66	146
Wednesday,	25	67	66	75	65	66	66	69.3	75	67	3 P. M.	66	133
Thursday,	26	68	66	79	70	80	70	75.7	84	71	4 P. M.	66	130
Friday,	27	74	68	88	71	82	69	81.3	90	71	3 P. M.	72	141
Saturday,	28	77	69	89	71	81	70	82.3	91	71	4 P. M.	74	141

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.  
Mean for the week..... 74.9 degrees..... 66.5 degrees.  
Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 28th..... 91. " at 4 P. M., 28th..... 71. "  
Minimum " at 5 A. M., 22d..... 62. " at 5 A. M., 22d..... 60. "  
Range " ..... 29. " ..... 11. "

#### Wind.

DATE.	JUNE.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		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,	22	SSW	SSW	SE	50	28	10	88	¼	0	0	½	6.40 A. M.
Monday,	23	W	W	SE	16	16	18	50	¼	0	0	½	12 M.
Tuesday,	24	WNW	ENE	ESE	8	12	28	48	0	¼	0	¾	3.50 P. M.
Wednesday,	25	E	NE	NE	6	48	51	105	0	1	0	3¾	3.40 P. M.
Thursday,	26	SSW	ESE	SSW	52	50	35	137	¼	¼	0	1¼	0.15 A. M.
Friday,	27	SSW	S	SSW	45	46	34	125	0	1¼	0	1½	4.40 P. M.
Saturday,	28	SW	SSW	S	48	58	56	162	¼	1¼	¼	4½	3.15 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 715 miles.  
Maximum force " ..... 4½ pounds.

DATE.	JUNE.	Hygrometer.					Clouds.			Rain and Snow.				
		FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, o. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
														Depth of Snow.
Sunday,	22	.478	.522	.549	83	79	89	7 Cu.	9 Cu.	5 Cir. Cu.	3 P. M.	4.30 P. M.	1 30	.02 ..
Monday,	23	.536	.487	.527	84	48	57	4 Cir.	5 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.. ..
Tuesday,	24	.559	.507	.581	71	44	72	0	5 Cir. Cu.	3 Cir.	.....	.....	.....	.. ..
Wednesday,	25	.626	.519	.639	95	60	100	Hazy.	8 Cu. S.	10	7.40 P. M.	11 P. M.	3 20	.01 ..
Thursday,	26	.612	.612	.598	89	62	59	Hazy.	9 Cir. Cu.	2 Cu.	6 A. M.	6.30 A. M.	0 30	.04 ..
Friday,	27	.604	.529	.534	72	40	49	Hazy.	2 Cu.	7 Cu.	4.40 P. M.	6 P. M.	1 20	.10 ..
Saturday,	28	.602	.516	.585	65	38	55	2 Cir.	6 Cir. Cu.	10	6.30 P. M.	10.30 P. M.	4 00	.02 ..

Total amount of water for the week..... .19 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.



## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
OFFICE NO. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, June 30, 1879.

## Suspensions.

1879.  
June 30—John Toumey, Messenger.  
30—Edwin Springstead, Temporary Clerk.  
30—Alexander Rinn, Messenger.  
30—John Beattie, Inspector.  
30—Henry Laforge, Inspector.  
30—Lewis A. Strahan, Clerk.  
30—Wm. S. Huntington, Messenger.

HENRY J. DUDLEY,  
Superintendent of Buildings.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary.

## Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.  
Permit and License Bureau Office.  
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JORDAN L. MOTT, President; Board of Aldermen.  
JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., Clerk Common Council.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## Commissioner's Office.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMILIN, Deputy Commissioner.

## Bureau of Water Register.

No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

## Auditing Bureau.

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.

## Bureau of Arrears.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ARTEMAS CADY, Clerk of Arrears.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

## Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

## Office of the Public Administrator.

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

## Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.  
Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.  
Corner Cortlandt and Church streets.  
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

## Central Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

## Central Office.

Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

## Headquarters.

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

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

## Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.  
Fordham, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

## SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

No. 236 West Forty-third street.  
ELIJAH W. ROE.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
BERNARD REILLY, Sheriff; JOHN T. CUMMING, Under Sheriff.

## COMMISSION FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
WYLLIS BLACKSTONE, President; ISAAC EVANS, Secretary.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FREDERICK W. LOWE, Register; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, ROBERT F. HATFIELD.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEegan, Deputy Commissioner.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P. CLARK, Chief Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.  
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

## RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

HENRY F. SPAULDING, 15 Nassau street.  
BENJAMIN G. ARNOLD, 125 Front street.  
HENRY G. STEBBINS, 48 Exchange place.  
LEWIS G. MORRIS, 25 Pine street.  
SAMUEL R. FILLEY, Prospect avenue and 165th street.

## DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, June 27, 1879.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder and the title and number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until the 14th of July, 1879, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department, and read, for each of the following works:

- No. 1. PAVING with Belgian or trap-block pavement Lexington avenue, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-fifth street, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.
- No. 2. PAVING with Belgian or trap-block pavement Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.
- No. 3. PAVING with Belgian or trap-block pavement Fifty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.
- No. 4. PAVING with Belgian or trap-block pavement Sixty-ninth street, from First to Third avenue, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 4, City Hall. The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, Room 39,  
NEW YORK, June 10, 1879.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, furniture, male and female clothing, revolvers, gold watch, silver watches, trunks and contents, bags and contents, coffee, tea, liquor, boots, shoes, etc., also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 24, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirteen horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, at 10 o'clock, A. M., by Arch. Johnston, General Auctioneer, at Nos. 19, 21, 23 and 25 East Thirteenth street.

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

## JURORS.

## NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1879.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, received from those who, for business or other reasons, are unable to serve at the time selected, pay the expenses of this office, and if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their

duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

## PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, LUMBER, AND POTATOES.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.  
10,000 lbs. good, sweet Dairy Butter.  
28,000 fresh State Eggs (candled).  
5,000 lbs. sifted Black Pepper (whole).  
1,000 " Corn Starch.  
2,000 " Laundry Starch.  
50 doz. 3-pound Canned Tomatoes.  
100 lbs. granulated Saltpetre.  
100 " best Crystal Borax.  
1,500 " best burnt Maracaibo Coffee.  
20 bbls. (2,000 to the barrel) Pickles in pure cider vinegar.  
1,000 lbs. prime kettle-rendered Lard.  
6 doz. Worcestershire Sauce.

## HARDWARE, ETC.

4 doz. 6-inch Rim Locks, mineral knobs, complete.  
3 " 2-inch good Drawer Locks.  
3 " Hay Forks.  
3 " Garden Rakes.  
12 " each 2, 2½, 3, 3½, and 4 inch Cast Butts.  
300 gross Wood Screws (assorted).  
20 doz. Dust Brushes.  
20 " Window Brushes.  
6 gross Knives and Forks.  
5 " Cotton Mops.  
6 doz. 2-foot Rules.  
20 bales medium "Hurl" Broom Corn.

## CROCKERY.

5 gross Bowls.  
1 " Basins.  
To be delivered at foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river.

## LUMBER.

15,000 feet 5½-inch Pine, merchantable quality, 12 inches wide and 12 to 16 feet long.  
5,000 feet 1½-inch Clear Pine, best quality, not less than 10 inches wide and 12 feet long.  
5,000 feet 1½-inch Clear Pine, not less than 10 inches wide and 12 feet long, planed one side.

## POTATOES.

1,000 bbls. good, sound, new Irish Potatoes, equal to "Peerless," to weigh 168 lbs. net per barrel.

To be delivered at Blackwell's Island  
—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Monday, the 14th day of July, 1879. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate" for Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, Lumber, and Potatoes, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.  
Delivery will be required to be made from time to time at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same respectively at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the supplies, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, June 27, 1879.

TOWNSEND COX,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

## PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

FLOUR.  
3,000 barrels of good extra Wheat Flour, to be equal in quality to the samples to be seen at this office (empty barrels to be returned and deducted in proposals from the price of flour), to be delivered at the Bake-house, Blackwell's Island, in quantities as required, free of all expense to the Department.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Monday, the 14th day of July, 1879. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate" for Flour, and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before sixty (60) days after the date of the contract.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

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

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

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Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated June 27, 1879.

TOWNSEND COX,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.



## RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT,  
54 EXCHANGE PLACE,  
NEW YORK, June 28, 1879.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY THE Mayor, on the second day of April, 1879, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 606, Laws of 1875, hereby give public notice that the further submission of plans for the construction and operation of railways on the routes by them determined, will be received until the fifth proximo, and that they will meet on the ninth day of July, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of the Board, and decide upon the plans for the construction and operation and for the requisite appliances of the several Rapid Transit railways upon the routes so determined.

By order of the Board,  
H. G. STEBBINS,  
President.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to opening of Eighty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to New road, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court of the First Judicial District of the State of New York, on Monday, August 5, 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of two Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceedings, in the place and stead of John Brown, deceased, and of Joel A. Fithian.

New York, July 3, 1879.  
WM. C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to the new avenue, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

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

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 Charles Price, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street, Room No. 24, in the said city, on or before the 2d day of August, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 2d day of August; and, for that purpose, will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at one o'clock P. M. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of August, 1879.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land lying and being on Eighty-first street, between the Boulevard and the new avenue, and between the Twelfth avenue and the Hudson river, and extending on either side of Eighty-first street, as aforesaid, one-half the distance to the next street thereto in the City of New York.

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 Court House, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of August, 1879, at ten o'clock A. M., on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 30, 1879.  
CHARLES PRICE,  
JOSEPH MEEKS,  
LOUIS MESIER,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Docks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of Pier Forty-four (44), old number, North river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all lots, and improved or unimproved lands, land under water, water rights, terms, easements or privileges affected thereby; and to all others whom it may concern.

That we have completed our report and estimate, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands, land under water, water rights, terms, easements or privileges affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, may present their objections in writing, duly verified, to James Matthews, Esq., our chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 13 Cortlandt street (Room No. 76), in said city, on or before the 31st day of July, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 31st day of July, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at one o'clock P. M. That our said report and estimate, together with a transcript of the testimony taken before us upon the hearing, and 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 12th day of August, 1879.

That the metes and bounds of the lands, land under water, water rights, terms, easements or privileges affected by our said report, are as follows: Beginning at a point about two hundred and sixty-eight feet northerly from the northeast corner of Spring and West streets, and seventy feet west of the east side of West street, said point lying on the city boundary line of 1807, on the south side of Pier 44, as existing in 1846; thence westerly, along the southerly side of Pier 44, as existing in 1846, and continued westerly out to the new pier line as established in 1871, a total distance of seven hundred and seventy feet; thence northerly, along said pier line forty feet; thence easterly four hundred and ten feet, parallel with the south side of said Pier 44; thence northeasterly about ten feet; thence easterly, along the northerly side of said Pier 44 three hundred and fifty feet, to the old city boundary line; thence southerly, along said line, forty-six feet and ten inches, to the point of beginning.

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 Court-house in the City of New York, on the 27th day of August, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., on that day; and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 28, 1879.  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,  
LOUIS FITZGERALD,  
Commissioners.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1.—Paving Seventy-fourth street, between Avenue A and East river.....	\$3,417 87
No. 2.—Flagging First avenue, west side, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.....	55 50
No. 3.—Flagging Madison avenue, east side, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets.....	161 40
No. 4.—Flagging Fifty-first street, north side, between Broadway and Eighth avenue.....	31 39
No. 5.—Fencing Madison avenue, east side, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, and in Eighth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.....	189 47
No. 6.—Fencing Sixth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets.....	113 09
No. 7.—Fencing Seventy-fourth street, south-west corner of and Fourth avenue.....	85 31
No. 8.—Fencing Forty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.....	21 79
No. 9.—Flagging Sixtieth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.....	785 32
Total.....	\$4,861 14

WM. H. JASPER,  
Secretary.  
OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),  
NEW YORK, June 9, 1879.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees of Common Schools of the several Wards, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, for Repairing and Painting School Buildings; for furnishing New Furniture; for furnishing New Heating Apparatus; to be done and furnished mainly during the months of July and August, 1879, as follows:

By the Trustees of the Fifth Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Monday, July 7, 1879, for Sliding Doors, etc., and for Fire-proof Stairs for Grammar School House No. 44.

ANDREW W. LEGGATT,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Fifth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 10½ o'clock A. M., on Monday, July 7, 1879, for Outside Iron Stairway for Grammar School No. 3.

CHARLES S. WRIGHT,  
Chairman.  
ELLERY DENISON, M. D.,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Ninth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 7, 1879, for new Closets for Grammar School No. 20.

HENRY R. ROOME,  
Chairman.  
PETER DENNERLEIN,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Tenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, until 4½ o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 7, 1879, for new Sashes, etc., for Grammar School No. 30.

FRANKLIN SMITH, M. D.,  
Chairman.  
GEORGE THUM,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Fourteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, for Sliding Doors, etc., for Grammar School No. 10.

JOSEPH BRITTON,  
Chairman.  
HENRY M. TABER,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Fifteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, for Painting and Repairing Grammar School Building No. 14. Also for Steam Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the new building on the rear of Grammar School No. 14. Also for the Furniture for the new building last named. Also for Painting and Repairing portions of Grammar School Building No. 49.

JOSEPH R. SKIDMORE,  
Chairman.  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Twenty-first Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 2 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, for Altering Grammar School Building No. 17.

Also for Steam Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for Grammar School No. 51. Also for Furniture for Grammar School No. 51.

JOEL W. MASON,  
Chairman.  
WALTER CARTER,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Twenty-second Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 3½ o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, for building new Closets for Grammar School No. 61.

NATHAN S. KING, M. D.,  
Chairman.  
GEO. J. A. NORMAN,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Twenty-third Ward.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

No substitution by the accepted contractor will be permitted without first obtaining in writing permission from the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education.

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

Dated New York, June 23, 1879.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday the 30th day of June, 1879, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the erection of a New School House on the west side of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

Proposals must state the estimate for each branch of the work separately, and be indorsed "Proposal for Mason Work," "Proposal for Carpenter Work," "Proposal for Painting."

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

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DAVID H. KNAPP,  
CHARLES CRARY,  
ANDREW L. SOULARD,  
GERMAIN HAUSCHEL,  
ROSEWELL G. ROLSTON,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward  
Dated New York, June 16, 1879.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 1, 1879.

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

- 250,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Good Sweet Timothy.
- 50,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
- 1,800 bags clean White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.
- 1,200 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

—will be received at these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 16th instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

VINCENT C. KING,  
JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
Commissioners.  
HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 27, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ARTICLES and materials below enumerated will be sold by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, July 7, 1879, as follows:

- Lot No. 1. Old scrap iron, wrought and cast.
- " 2. Old tire iron.
- " 3. Old iron wire.
- " 4. 26 old iron bedsteads.
- " 5. Old combination hose.
- " 6. Old rope.
- " 7. 40 old iron hay-racks.
- " 8. Old wheel felloes.
- " 9. 1 buggy.
- " 10. 1 sleigh.
- " 11. 2 two-wheel horse jumpers.
- " 12. 1 four-wheel horse carriage.
- " 13. 64 composition hitch fastenings.
- " 14. 4 old truck springs.
- " 15. 1 composition tower bell, 5,156 pounds.
- " 16. Striking apparatus for tower bell.
- " 17. 1,876 pounds composition metal.
- " 18. 472 pounds composition boiler tubes.
- " 19. 270 pounds composition lathe turnings.
- " 20. 324 sets and 46 single parts composition hose couplings.
- " 21. 17 empty oil barrels.

The several articles, etc., may be seen at any time prior to the sale, as follows:

Lots 1 to 14, inclusive, at No. 20 Eldridge street.

Lots 15 to 21, inclusive, at the Repair Shops, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street.

The sale will begin at No. 20 Eldridge street promptly at 10 o'clock A. M. on the day named, and will be proceeded with in the order of enumeration.

All the articles must be removed from the premises within twenty-four hours after the sale.

VINCENT C. KING,  
JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 7, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ADVERTISEMENT dated May 26th, 1879, inviting proposals for furnishing materials and supplies for the Fire Alarm Telegraph, Supply Room, and Repair Shops of this Department, to be opened at 9 A. M., on the 11th day of June, 1879, being for items Nos. 1 to 67, inclusive, is withdrawn until further notice.

VINCENT C. KING,  
President.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 7, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of the Board.  
VINCENT C. KING, President,  
JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY & HUGH N. CAMP,  
Auctioneers.

## CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of the powers vested in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, they will offer for sale, at public auction, on Thursday, April 24, 1879, at noon, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz.:

Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, Harlem market property, south side 121st street, near Third avenue.

West side 3d avenue, between 6th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 1 to 7.

South side 68th street, between 3d and Lexington avenues, lots Nos. 10 to 16.

East side Lexington avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 22 to 25.

North side 67th street, between Lexington and 3d avenues, lots Nos. 26 to 33.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be obtained at the Comptroller's office at the New County Court-house, on and after April 15, 1879.

Full warrantee deeds will be given to all purchasers.

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

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.

The sale of the above premises is adjourned to Thursday, July 10, 1879, at the same hour and place.

NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
June 12, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,  
NEW YORK, June 10, 1879.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JUNE 5, 1879.  
1st avenue, sewer, between 92d and 110th streets, and 2d avenue, sewer, between 95th and 109th streets, with branches in 93d, 96th, 97th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102d, 103d, 104th, 105th, 107th, and 108th streets.

4th avenue, regulating and grading, between 116th and 124th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 9, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry. The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
CITY HALL PARK,  
NEW YORK, June 6, 1879.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 15, ENTERED MAY 20, 1879.

Inwood street opening, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before August 5, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,  
NEW YORK, June 2, 1879.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED MAY 29, 1879.

76th street, paving, from 8th avenue to Riverside Park.

10th avenue, sewer, between 77th and 81st streets, with branches in 77th, 78th, 79th, and 80th streets.

57th street, sewer extension at East river.

70th street, basin, northeast corner 5th avenue.

68th street, paving intersections of 4th avenue.

Fordham avenue, crosswalk near 11th street (24th ward).

All payments made on the above assessments on or before Aug. 1st, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,  
Collector of Assessments.

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.