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### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,  
August 7, 1878.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners Joseph L. Perley and John J. Gorman.  
The minutes of meeting held 17th ult. were read and approved.

#### Trial.

Fireman William Lenihan, of Engine Company No. 36, charged with "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty but excusable under the circumstances, and charge dismissed.  
Fireman Cornelius Fitzsimmons, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 9, charged with "neglect of duty." Found not guilty and charge dismissed.  
Fireman Joseph F. Flock, of Engine Company No. 43, charged with "neglect of duty." Found guilty and fined nine days' pay.  
Foreman Thomas H. Griffith, of Engine Company No. 43, charged with "neglect of duty." Found guilty and fined nine days' pay.  
Engineer of Steamer Robert Mullen, of Engine Company No. 31, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty and reprimand ordered.  
Fireman James McNamee, of Engine Company No. 31, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty and reprimand ordered.  
Fireman Thomas W. Relyea, of Engine Company No. 30, charged with "neglect of duty." Found guilty and fined one day's pay.  
Audit of bills on 24th and 31st ultimo, and of pay-rolls on 31st ultimo, and action of the President transmitting same to Comptroller for payment, were approved, viz.:

#### For the current year—Schedule No. 34.

Banks, Frederick W., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$900 00	McCann, Patrick, apparatus, supplies, etc.	15 00
Barron, James S. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	30 00	McKenna, Patrick, "	9 00
Breuer, Otto, apparatus, supplies, etc.	51 60	McKenna & Mulholland, "	9 00
Byrnes, J., "	12 00	McSwegan, Peter, "	9 00
Carlin, William, "	27 00	Manhattan Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	744 42
Central Gas-light Co., "	24 90	Marshall, O. T., apparatus, supplies, etc.	1,084 50
Cohn, Julius, "	81 00	Metropolitan Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	39 38
Colwell, James W., "	46 38	Moffitt, Robert, apparatus, supplies, etc.	36 00
Conway, John, "	73 50	Morrison, James, "	33 00
Dahlman, Isaac H., "	600 00	Murray, Patrick, "	12 00
" "	620 00	New York Calcium Light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	9 46
Devoe, F. W. & Co., "	338 05	New York Gaslight Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	90 44
Donoghue, T. & M., "	13 50	New York Mutual Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	23 25
Dunn, John F., "	6 00	Northern Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	21 30
Dunne, Thomas, "	175 00	O'Feill, Joseph, apparatus, supplies, etc.	33 00
Emerick, John H., "	24 33	Pearce & Jones, "	827 10
Fallon, Owen, "	39 00	Pyser, John, "	46 96
Fiegl, M. & Bro., "	35 00	Philo & Reading Coal & Iron Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	90 00
Flint, Geo. C. & Co., "	6 00	Pollock & Van Wagenen, apparatus, supplies, etc.	14 25
Fox, Thomas, "	18 00	Richardson, Benj. J., apparatus, supplies, etc.	143 00
Gallon, Thomas J., "	3 00	Roche, James, apparatus, supplies, etc.	36 00
Garlan, George, "	27 00	Russell, Thomas, "	33 00
Gerety, Andrew, "	15 00	Schmidt, A. & Bros., "	16 00
Gogerty, Michael, "	136 88	Shay, Walter, "	630 88
Harlem Gas-light Co., "	18 00	Sheldon, Geo. H., "	41 67
Hasslen, John A., "	9 00	Stewart, A. T. & Co., "	132 67
Hayes, Dennis, "	23 20	Trundy & Baxter, "	9 00
Hoppings, Son, A. D. & Griffith, apparatus, supplies, etc.	86 14	Van Horn, A. & A. & Co., "	40 50
Jussen, Carl, apparatus, supplies, etc.	27 00	Walsh, Matthew, "	30 00
Kenna, Bernard, "	21 00	Ward, Wm. H., "	9 00
Kirk & Fair, "	16 39	Wasson, Elias, "	40 00
Knapp, Sheppard, "	9 00		
Lally, John, "	21 00		
Lattimore & Dougherty, "	18 00		
Lenihan, John, "	9 00		
Leyton, John, "	12 33		
McAnnery, M. E., "	15 00		
McAvoy, John, "			
			\$8,521 98

#### For the current year—Schedule No. 35.

Bayles, T. C., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$29 00	Hoppings, A. D., Son & Griffith, apparatus, supplies, etc.	30 80
Biglin, Philip S., "	99 20	Langstroth, T. W., apparatus, supplies, etc.	243 52
Curtin, Willington A., "	51 00	Manchester & Philbrick, apparatus, supplies, etc.	13 40
Champion Belt Hook Co., "	5 00	Mott, J. L., Iron Works, apparatus, supplies, etc.	208 00
Corporation Trinity Church, "	135 00	Newell, D. C. & Sons, apparatus, supplies, etc.	12 10
Devoe, F. W. & Co., "	461 45	Stranger, Edwin B. & Albert B., apparatus, supplies, etc.	710 00
Dunham, Thomas C., "	123 80		
Duryee & Ludlam, "	503 28		
Fiegl, M. & Bro., "	53 65		
Fuller Bros. & Co., "	155 55		
Gates, Church, E. & Co., "	12 60		
Gregory, James, apparatus, supplies, etc.	3 96		
Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	257 00		
			\$3,108 31

#### For the current year—Schedule No. 36.

Ex. Telegraph Force, pay-roll for July, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$65 83		
Headquarters, pay-roll for July	3,633 92		
Telegraph Force, "	2,310 05		
Repair Shop, "	3,476 72		
Bureau of Combustibles, pay-roll for July	1,064 42		
Bureau of Fire Marshal, "	700 00		
Bureau of Chief of Department, "	2,724 97		
Superintendent of Horses, "	749 30		
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, pay-roll for July	74,358 08		
			\$89,083 29

#### Transfers,

ordered to take effect on 25th ultimo, approved:  
Fireman John S. Craft, Engine Co. No. 13, to Engine Co. No. 30.  
Private Thomas Walker, Engine Co. No. 30, to Engine Co. No. 13.

#### Communications

were received and disposed of as follows:

From—

Committee on Repairs and Supplies, submitting estimates for work, etc., required at Headquarters, viz.:

Alterations to speaking tubes—

From A. G. Newman.....for \$82 00

Iron office railing—

From Composite Iron Works Company.....for 870 00

" J. W. Fiske....." 783 75

Floor light—

From Joseph Hurd.....for 250 00

" Thad. Hyatt....." 288 00

" Thad. Hyatt....." 256 00

" Geo. R. Jackson's Sons....." 161 00

Iron stairway connecting 153 and 155 Mercer street—

From J. G. Dimond.....for 97 00

Laying floor—

From Wm. H. Dobbs.....for 325 00

Repairs, etc., to gas fixtures—

From Thomas Hughes.....for 118 00

Repairs, etc., to steam heating apparatus—

From Bramhall, Deane & Co.....for 155 00

" Baker, Smith & Co....." 93 00

" Thomas Hughes....." 90 00

Plastering and mason work—

From James Thomson.....for 95 00

Filed, and awarded to lowest in each case.

Committee on Telegraph, returning communication relative to repairs required at Mount Morris Tower, with recommendation that it be referred for estimate. Referred to Chief of Ninth Battalion.

Secretary—Requisition for office furniture. Referred for estimate of cost.

Chief of Department—Report of operations for month of July. Filed.

Same, recommending pipes, nozzles, connections, etc., of various sizes, for proper equipment of Department. Approved. Referred for estimate of cost.

Same, transmitting communication from M. Benner, Fire Marshal, Chicago, requesting the presence of a company of the Department to participate in tournament to be held in Chicago. Filed, with directions to reply that request cannot be complied with.

Same, returning complaint of defective flue at 877 Sixth avenue, with report of inspection. Filed.

Same, returning complaint of dangerous flue at 183 Stanton street, with report of inspection. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of operations for month of July. Filed.

Same—Reports of licenses and permits issued to 6th instant. Filed.

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

Resolved, That James L. Libby, 13 and 15 Lispenard street, be and is hereby fined \$50 for violation of section 8, chapter 742, Laws of 1871; that Emil Littman, 458 Seventh avenue; Mrs. M. Maher, 133 Water street; P. Louazon, 325 West Fourth street; and Philip Schuster, 286 Ninth avenue, be and are hereby fined \$5 each for violation of section 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 that legal proceedings be instituted. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Inspector of Combustibles, the Corporation Attorney be and is requested to institute legal proceedings for the collection of the penalty of \$50, imposed on Frederick Staff, 55 Canal street, for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871.

Same, recommending that penalties imposed on following-named parties for violations of law be remitted, for reasons assigned, viz.:

James Leary, 310 W. 41st st. C. Katzenberger, 817 Tenth ave.

Michael Fox, 460 W. 52d st. Isaac Levy, 4 Suffolk st.

Michael Nolan, 100 Charles street. Samuel Wilson, 8 Downing st.

Rosey Mohen, 67 King st. Lewis Oster, 312 E. Houston st.

Henry Kleinking, 525 W. 36th st. F. Lederle, 34 E. Broadway.

Mrs. Gray, 128 E. 8th st. Henry Erser, 901 Third ave.

M. Powers, 38 Cherry st. Patrick Reilly, 212 E. 37th st.

Approved.

Same—Requisition for supplies, etc. Referred to Trustees of Relief Fund.

Fire Marshal—Report of operations for month of July. Filed.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Requisitions for articles required; estimated cost, \$42.50 and \$65.95, respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same, recommending that application of H. W. Pope for permissions to place wire on fire poles in One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Third and Fourth avenues be granted. Approved.

Medical Officer, recommending extensions of leave of absence to—

Foreman Martin Walsh, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 5.

Fireman Joseph Brandon, of Engine Company No. 2.

" Charles Calahan, of Engine Company No. 8.

" Charles L. Morris, of Engine Company No. 17.

" James McGivney, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 7.

" William E. Miller, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 16.

Granted.

Superintendent of Horses, reporting death of two horses. Filed.

Same—Report of auction sale of condemned horses. Filed.

Same—Recommending selection of horses for use by Commissioners and Chief Ninth Battalion. Selection ordered.

Same—Reports of selection of one horse each for Engine Companies Nos. 34 and 27, and Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, and of team for Hook and Ladder Company No. 9, and recommending purchase at \$300, \$300, \$300, and \$600, respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same, recommending purchase of hoof ointment and liniment. Referred for estimate of cost.

Supply Clerk—Requisitions for articles required; estimated cost, \$16.86, \$182.50, and \$17.50, respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same—Requisition for bedding. Filed.

Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops—Requisitions for articles and materials; estimated cost, \$4.68, \$5.40, \$20.00, \$20.00, \$4.68, \$180.00, \$2.80, \$160.00, \$10.73, \$6.84, \$37.00, \$24.00, \$120.00, \$21.82, \$79.50, and \$65.00, respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same, recommending repairs, etc., as follows:

Mason work, quarters Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12; estimated cost.....\$105 92

" " Engine Co. No. 27; estimated cost.....43 00

" " Engine Co. No. 17; estimated cost.....55 00

Shop wagon; estimated cost.....74 00

Wagon, Chief Third Battalion; estimated cost.....2 50

Excavating, etc., at quarters Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16; estimated cost.....300 00

Removing rubbish at quarters Engine Co. No. 8; estimated cost.....40 00

Ordered.

Same, requesting to be relieved from duties of Building Bureau. Granted.

Same, transmitting proposal of Manchester Locomotive Works to furnish steam steering apparatus for self-propelling engine, in accordance with drawings, for \$125. Purchase ordered.

Same, returning communication relative to "Alligator Wrench," with report, as directed. Filed.

Same, relative to damage to wagon of James Hamilton, and recommending repairs, at a cost of \$15. Referred back, with power.

Chief of Fifth Battalion, reporting death of Foreman Martin Walsh of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5, on 2d instant. Filed.



Foreman of Engine Co. No. 7, reporting damage to ceilings at quarters. Filed, with directions to request repairs by Department of Public Works.

Same—Report of dangerous building No. 8 Spruce street. Referred to Department of Buildings.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 34, relative to condition of company quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 37, recommending locations for hydrants. Referred to Chief of Department.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, reporting theft of patrol badge and telegraph key of Fireman George Murphy, from company quarters. Filed, and fine of \$5 imposed on Fireman Murphy for loss of key.

Foreman of Chemical Engine Co. No. 4, relative to bell-tower in rear of company quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Fireman Joseph McGowan, of Engine Co. No. 6, and John H. Ward, of Engine Co. No. 31, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman. Referred to Examining Board.

Private Patrick Martin, of Engine Co. No. 29, requesting transfer. Filed.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Copy of resolution transferring \$5,000 from appropriation for "Apparatus, Supplies, etc.," to that of "Repair Shop Pay-roll." Filed.

Comptroller, transmitting notice from Board of Health, relative to condition of sidewalk, etc., at 180 Clinton street. Filed, with directions to obtain estimates.

Same, relative to Departmental estimate for the year 1879. Compliance directed.

Same—Statements of the condition of the appropriation to 3d instant. Filed.

Counsel to Corporation, relative to case of James Donovan. Filed, with directions to request that appeal be taken to General Term of Supreme Court.

John J. Blair, Attorney—Notice of claim of M. Brennan. Filed.

Richard Blum, City Engineer, Leipsic, requesting information relative to steam fire engines. Filed, with directions to answer.

Bramhall, Deane & Co., proposing to furnish steam heating apparatus at quarters of Engine Cos. Nos. 7 and 8, as per specifications, for \$390 and \$950 respectively. Proposition for quarters of Engine Co. No. 7, at \$390, accepted.

Caswell Improved Coupling Co., requesting approval of Automatic Expanded Ring Coupling. Filed.

Paul Dumont, submitting prices for recutting files. Referred to Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops.

N. Le Brun, architect, returning communication from Department of Buildings relative to unsafe condition of rear wall of extension of buildings Nos. 191 and 193 Fulton street, and recommending that wall be rebuilt at a cost of \$650, and an extension of fifteen days be allowed contractors. Approved, and work ordered.

Manchester Locomotive Works—Estimates of repairs required to old steam fire engines. Laid over.

Michael Pettit—Petition for assignment to duty as Fireman. Filed.

S. Judson Raynor—Agreement to let premises Nos. 35 and 37 Vesey street, for two months, at \$100 per month. Approved.

F. W. Sanborn, requesting examination of village engine. Filed.

A. Schoonmaker, Jr., recommending H. E. Cunningham for appointment. Filed.

Walter Shay, requesting audit of bills. Filed.

The draft of General Order No. 16 was read and approved, and promulgation ordered.

## Bills

audited, and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

## For the Current Year—Schedule No. 37.

Abbot Downing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$107 75	Lattimore & Dougherty, apparatus, supplies, etc.	21 00
Bramhall, Dean & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	7 50	Lenihan, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	15 00
Breuer, Otto, apparatus, supplies, etc.	52 90	Leyton, John, "	9 00
Byrnes, J., "	12 00	McAvoy, John, "	15 00
Curtin, William, "	27 00	McCann, Patrick, "	16 50
Central Gas-light Co., "	25 80	McKenna, Patrick, "	9 00
Conway, John, "	82 88	McKenna & Mulholland, "	9 00
Donoghue, T. & M., "	12 00	McSwegan, Peter, "	9 00
Downs, C. W. Jr. & Co., "	2 16	Metropolitan Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	36 22
Dunn, John F., "	6 00	Moffit, Robert, apparatus, supplies, etc.	36 00
Emerick, John H., "	23 43	Morrison, James, "	33 00
Fallan, Owen, "	39 00	Mott, J. L., Iron Works, "	680 00
Fox, Thomas, "	6 00	Murray, Patrick, "	12 00
French, Sam'l G., "	127 50	New York Gas-light Co., "	94 81
Fuller, A. P., "	53 50	Norris & Williams, "	65 00
Gallon, Thomas J., "	18 00	O'Neill, Joseph, "	36 00
Garlan, George, "	9 00	Roch, James, "	39 00
Gerity, Andrew, "	27 00	Russell, Thomas, "	30 00
Gogerty, Michael, "	15 00	Screw Dock Co., "	50 00
Hassler, John A., "	18 00	Sheldon, Geo. H., "	38 05
Hayes, Dennis, "	9 00	Swett, Moses, "	40 80
Jussen, Carl, "	37 09	Walsh, Mathew, "	30 00
Kenny, Bernard, "	27 00	Ward, Wm. H., "	9 00
Kingsland, A. C., trustee, apparatus, supplies, etc.	506 00	Washburn & Moen Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	1,747 50
Kirk & Fair, apparatus, supplies, etc.	21 00		
Lally, John, "	12 00		\$4,365 39

## Resolution.

Resolved, That Commissioner John J. Gorman be and is hereby delegated and requested to attend the National Firemen's Tournament, to be held at Chicago, Ill., commencing on the 3d proximo, to represent this Department, examine improvements there exhibited in apparatus, hose, etc., pertaining to the fire service, and report anything noteworthy that may come under his observation. Adopted.

## Appointments.

William Lamb, as Inspector in Repair Shop, at a salary of \$2,000 per annum, from 8th instant.

John T. Conway, as Machinist in Repair Shop, at a salary of \$3 per day, from 8th instant.

William Kennedy, as Stableman in Hospital Stables, at a salary of \$2 per day, from 8th instant.

Frank Foley, as Machinist in Repair Shop, at a salary of \$3 per day, from 12th instant.

Patrick McNally, as Blacksmith's Helper in Repair Shop, at a salary of \$1.75 per day, from 12th instant.

## Promotions.

Assistant Foreman John D. Sullivan, of Engine Co. No. 14, to be Foreman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5, from 8th inst.

Engineer of Steamer Joseph Shaw, of Engine Co. No. 12, to be Assistant Foreman, from 8th instant.

## Transfer.

to take effect 9th instant:

Fireman James McLaughlin, Engine Co. No. 4, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

[BOARD OF EXAMINERS.]

TUESDAY, August 13, 1878.

At a meeting of the Board of Examiners, held at the office of the Superintendent of the Department of Buildings, No. 2 Fourth avenue, on Tuesday, the 13th day of August, 1878, at 3 o'clock P. M., in pursuance of the call of the Superintendent of Buildings, at which meeting there were present, Henry Dudley, Esq., Edwin Dobbs, John Banta, Esq., and Deputy Superintendent Henry J. Dudley, who, in the absence of the Superintendent, presided.

The minutes of the previous meeting having been read for the information of the Board, the Chairman submitted the hereinafter named petitions and applications for the action of the Board, to wit:

Petition of Henry C. Spear, builder, on behalf of estate of Wm. C. Rhinelander, for permission to so far vary or deviate from the strict provisions of the Building Law in the proposed alteration and extension of the rear piazzas of the buildings Nos. 158 and 160 West Eleventh street, as to allow the same to be altered and extended in conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 780, filed July 27, 1878. Petition granted.

Petition of Charles Baxter, architect, on behalf of James E. Ray, owner, for permission, in the erection of six brick two and basement story buildings, each 16 x 45 feet, on south side of East Sixty-ninth street, commencing 75 feet west of First avenue, to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law as to permit the party walls of the same to be constructed only 8 inches in thickness, in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications No. 495, submitted July 30, 1878. Petition, upon motion, granted.

Application of the New York and Manhattan Beach Railroad Company, by D. C. Corbin, managing director, for permission to construct at end of Pier No. 74, East river, foot of Twenty-third street, an open shed, to be constructed of wood, about 25 feet in width, 50 feet in depth, and 10 feet in height, with gravel roof, the same to be used and occupied by said company as a shelter for passengers. Application No. 407, filed July 29, 1878. Petition, upon motion, denied.

Petition of Peter Tostevin, architect, for and on behalf of C. Smith & Son, owners, for permission to vary or deviate from the strict provisions of the Building Law so far, in the erection of the brick store, now in course of erection at No. 18 East street, as to permit the same to be constructed in conformity with the Plans and Specifications No. 476 of New Buildings, submitted July 19, 1878, and as amended August 9, 1878; and also petitions that the said building be exempted from the provisions of the Building Law relating to providing fire-proof metal shutters, blinds or doors, to the several openings thereof, above the first story of front. Petition, upon motion, granted.

Application of the "New York, Lake Erie, and Western R. R. Co.," by E. S. Bowen, superintendent, for permission to erect a bulkhead between Piers 32 and 33, North river, a temporary structure to be built of wood, and to be one story (21 feet) in height, 55 feet front, 40 and 15 feet rear, 30 and 70 feet in depth, with gravel roof; to be used and occupied as a freight station, temporarily, during the repairs in progress to the company's docks by the Dock Department. Petition granted, upon the condition only that the outside of the said structure shall be covered with metal.

Petition of W. Wheeler Smith, architect, for and on behalf of J. Rothschild, owner, for permission to so far vary or deviate from the strict provisions in the Building Law, in the erection of the brick and iron store Nos. 40 and 42 West Fourteenth street, proposed to be built to a height of 88 feet, divided into five stories, to be 50 feet front and rear, and 206 feet 6 inches in depth, with frontage on each street (Fourteenth street, south side, and Thirteenth street, north side), as to allow of the construction of the said building in conformity with the Plans and Specifications for New Buildings No. 394, submitted June 8, 1878. And also petitions that the said building may be exempted from the provisions of section 16 of the Building Law relating to providing fire-proof metal shutters, blinds or doors to openings therein above the first story. Petition, upon motion, denied.

Petition of Charles Baxter, architect, on behalf of John Hertz, owner, for permission in the erection of three brick dwellings, 3 stories or 35 feet in height, each 13 feet 4 inches by 45 feet on south side of One Hundred and Fifth street, 220 feet east of Third avenue, to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law as to allow him to construct the side walls of said buildings over the second tier of beams but 8 inches in thickness, in accordance with the Plans and Specifications No. 498 for New Buildings, submitted August 2, 1878. Petition granted so far only as relates to inside or party walls, but denied as to outside walls, and upon condition that all outside walls shall be constructed of the thickness of twelve (12) inches.

Petition of S. D. Hatch, architect, for and on behalf of Sarah Boreel, owner, for permission in the erection of the seven-story brick (office) building on the premises bounded by Broadway, Cedar, Thames, and Temple streets, 102 by 146 feet and 100 feet in height, to so far vary or deviate from the provisions of the Building Law as to allow of the construction of a portion of one of the bearing walls in the first story 24 inches instead of 28 inches thick, and also to allow of the erection and completion of the building without having to provide fire-proof metal shutters to the openings thereof, above the first story, as per New Building Plans and Specifications No. 457, filed July 10, 1878. Petition, upon motion, denied.

Petition of Thomas Smith, for permission in the erection of thirty-two two and basement story brick dwellings, 18 feet 9 inches by 40 feet, 30 feet in height, on north side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, 250 feet east of Willis avenue, to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law as to permit him to construct the brick walls of all of the said buildings above the basement story 8 inches in thickness, the basement stories to be 12 inches in thickness, in conformity with the Plans and Specifications No. 429, filed June 20, 1878. Petition granted.

Petition of L. D. Babcock, for permission in the erection of the five-story iron and brick warehouse building, 24 by 100 feet (63½ feet in height), on premises No. 1 College place, to so far deviate from the strict provisions of the Building Law as to allow of the construction of the southerly wall of said building but 16 inches in thickness, instead of 20 inches, in conformity with Plans and Specifications No. 25, filed January 25, 1878. Petition, upon motion, granted.

Petition of Henry Hasagen, for permission to so far vary or deviate from the provisions of the Building Law as to allow him to alter and put on an additional story on the building on rear of lot No. 220 Avenue A, in conformity with the Plan and Specification for Alteration to Buildings No. 804, filed August 7, 1878. Petition, upon motion, denied.

There being no further business before the Board, the minutes were read and approved as read, and the Board, upon motion, adjourned, subject to the call of the Superintendent of Buildings.

SAMUEL T. WEBSTER, Clerk to Board of Examiners.

New York, August 13, 1878.

## BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

A meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments was held at the Comptroller's office, in the New Court House, on Wednesday, August 14, 1878, at 11:15 o'clock A. M.

Present—John Kelly, Comptroller; William C. Whitney, Counsel to the Corporation.

Absent—John K. Hackett, Recorder.

The minutes of the meeting held July 12, 1878, were read and approved.

The assessment list for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Tenth avenue, from Eighty-second to Ninety-third street, with record of awards for damages to buildings by reason of change of grade, ordered to be returned to the Board of Assessors at last meeting for a reconsideration of the matter of the award made to unknown owners, for block 218, Ward No. 30, was presented to the Board by the Comptroller, the same having been returned by the Board of Assessors with communication under date of July 24, 1878, in which they state that "Mr. David McDonald having presented satisfactory evidence of ownership to block 218, Ward No. 30, the Board have made the required change in the list of awards."

On motion, the objections received to said assessment list were overruled and the same was confirmed—all the members of the Board present voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for constructing sewers in Boulevard, Ninety-eighth street, Ninth avenue and One Hundredth street, from Ninety-sixth street to Eighth avenue, with branches in Ninth avenue, Ninety-eighth, Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, and objections of Messrs. Kellogg, Peters, Marshall, Grube and others, laid over at the last meeting was taken up.

After hearing Mr. John C. Shaw, attorney for Robert Marshall, on motion, the several objections received were overruled, and the assessment list was confirmed—all the members of the Board present voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for constructing an outlet sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from avenue St. Nicholas to Harlem river, with branches in Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets; in Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, and in One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, and objections of Mary G. Pinkney, and reply of Commissioner of Public Works thereto; also objections of Nelson Newton, C. D. Gildersleve, George H. Peck, and Joseph T. Goodwin were presented to the Board by the Comptroller, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors, with communication dated July 25, 1878.

After hearing Mr. John C. Shaw, attorney, in behalf of Mary G. Pinkney, on motion, the further consideration of said assessment list was postponed until 28th instant.

The Comptroller presented to the Board a communication from the Board of Assessors, dated August 5, 1878, transmitting copy of an opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation in relation to the assessment list for regulating, etc., Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, and requesting that they be authorized to take the necessary steps for procuring the requisite maps to extend the area of assessment, in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation referred to.

On motion, the matter was referred to the Board of Assessors, with power to take the necessary action for procuring the additional maps required in making said assessment.

The assessment list for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Ninety-ninth street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenues, with record of awards made by the Board of Assessors for damages to buildings by reason of change in grade on the line, and applications and objections of Ann McManus, Richard Byron, Austin V. Pettit and others, as to the awards in said matter, was presented by the Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors with communication dated July 16, 1878.

After hearing Mr. R. D. Hatch, attorney, in behalf of Ann McManus, and Mr. Charles H. Mitchell, attorney, for Martin M. Kellogg, on motion, the said assessment list was laid over until 28th instant.

The assessment list for grading Elton avenue, from its junction with Third avenue to its junction with Brook avenue, Twenty-third Ward, was presented to the Board by the Comptroller, the same having been received from the Commissioners of Assessment appointed in said matter, with communication dated July 15, 1878.

No objections having been filed in said matter, on motion, the assessment list was confirmed—all the members of the Board present voting in the affirmative.

At 12:05 o'clock P. M., on motion, the Board adjourned.

RICHARD A. STORRS,  
Chief Clerk Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.



**TOWNSEND COX,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
ISAAC H. BAILEY,  
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—Fencing vacant lots north side of  
Seventy-fifth street, between

No. 2—Regulating, grading, curb, gutter,  
and flagging, north side Twenty-  
second street, between Avenue

No. 3—Regulating, grading, curb, gutter,  
and flagging, Eighty-first street,  
between Ninth and Tenth avenues  
WM. H. JASPER,

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, }  
NO. 114 WHITE STREET, }  
NEW YORK, August 14, 1878. }

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

5. Paving One Hundred and Fourteenth street  
to Fourth avenue with Beloit

No. 6. Sewer in Ninety-ninth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

No. 7. Sewer in Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets, and in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Twelfth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 8. Receiving-basins on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and Madison avenue, and on

the northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Lexington avenue.

No. 9. Flagging sidewalks in Fifty-fifth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues, and fencing the vacant lots thereon.

No. 12. Laying crosswalks across Lexington avenue, on the north and south sides of Eighty-fourth street.

No. 13. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Seventy-eighth street, south side of Seventy-ninth street and east side of Madison avenue, between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets.

No. 14. Receiving-basins on the northeast and southwest corners of Sixty-first street and First avenue.

The limits embraced by such assessment include: all the

No. 1. North side of Fourth street, between Sixth avenue and Barrow street.

No. 2. Both sides of Seventieth street, between Third avenue and the East river.

No. 3. Both sides of Fourth avenue,, between Seventy-first and Seventy-ninth streets.

No. 5. Both side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Second and Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Boulevard and Twelfth avenue, and east side of Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets.

No. 8. Block bounded by One Hundred and Tenth

No. 9. Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Madison

No. 10. North side of Eighty-second street, south side of Eighty-third street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, and east side of Fifth avenue, between Eighty-

No. 11. To the extent of half the block on each side of Eighty-fourth street and Lexington avenue.

No. 13. North side of Seventy-eighth street, south side of Seventy-ninth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and east side of Madison avenue, between Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets.

No. 14. East side of First avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-second streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named amendments, and who are opposed to the same, are

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

## THOMAS B. ASTEN

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
JOHN MULLALY,  
EDWARD NORTH.

JOHN R. MUMFORD,  
Board of Assessors.  
OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 114 WHITE STREET, (CORNER OF CENTRE), }  
NEW YORK, August 8, 1878. }

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE** owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands, affected thereby, that the following assessment has been completed and

No. 1. Assessment list for damages caused by the closing of Bloomingdale road, together with the list of

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

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in

The above described list will be transmitted as

provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 2d day of September ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
JOHN MULLARKY,

JOHN MULLALLY,  
EDWARD NORTH,  
JOHN R. MUMFORD,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),  
NEW YORK. August 1, 1878

NEW YORK, August 2, 1950.

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