

# LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

STATED SESSION.

BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

Monday, October 26, 1874, } 2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment, in the chamber of the Board, No. 16 City Hall.

PRESENT:

JOSEPH P. STRACK, Esq., President, in the chair, AND THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

Thomas Foley,
Jeremiah Murphy,
Charles M. Clancy,
George F. Codington,
William S. Kreps,
Patrick Keenan,
William Wade,
John J. Kehoe,
Isaac Sommers,
Benjamin Beyea Patrick Keenan, William Wade, Benjamin Beyea.

The minutes of last meeting were read and ap-

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Assistant Alderman Foley—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Daniel Strauss to place two lamp-posts and lamps in front of his premises, situated No. 82 University place, the lamp-posts not to exceed the size of the ordinary street-lamps, the gas to be supplied from his own private meter; under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and such permission hereby given to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the fol-

lowing vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy,
Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers,
and Beyea—11.

And the same was directed to be sent to the

Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

By the same—
Resolved, That Walter R. Savage be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds, his term of office having expired.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following yeth:

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Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—11.

And the same was directed to be sent to the Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Mathews to place a lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 193 West street, said lamp-post not to exceed the usual dimensions of the ordinary street-lamps, and gas to be supplied at his own expense; the same to be done under the supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works, and to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the

following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—II.

And the same was directed to be sent to the

Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

(G. O. 774.)

By the same—
Resolved, That the lamp-post now standing on the northwest corner of Watt and Washington streets be removed, five feet east, as the same in its present place is an obstruction to the cross-walk

Which was laid over. By Assistant Alderman Keenan-

Resolved, That Leopold Garde be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place and stead of Philip H. Moss, who has failed to

qualify.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—11.

And the same was directed to be sent to the Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

By the same—
Resolved, That George W. Nash be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in place and stead of Charles McManus, who has failed to qualify.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—11.

And the same was directed to be sent to the Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

By Assistant Alderman Kehoe-

Resolved, That John G. Boyd be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edward Dowdney, who has failed to more life.

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

following vote:

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Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—II.
And the same was directed to be sent to the Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

By Assistant Alderman Sommers-

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Resolved, That Thomas Pearson be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor in and for the City and County of New York.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the fol-

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—11.

And the same was directed to be sent to the Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

Resolved, That Edward C. Sheehy be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place and stead of Mayer M. Friend, who has failed to

qualify.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the

following vote:
Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Som-

mers, and Beyea — IIAnd the same was directed to be sent to the
Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

(G. O. 775.)

By the same—
Resolved, That a receiving-basin and culvert be built on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompaning ordinance therefor be adopted. Which was laid over.

(G. O. 776.)

By the same—
Resolved, That a receiving basin and culvert be built on the northwest corner of Sixty-eighth street and Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accommon ordinance therefor be adopted. accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 777.)

Resolved, That a sewer, with the necessary receiving-basins and culverts, be built in Washington street, between Charles and West Tenth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted. Which was laid over.

(G. O. 778.)

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works. Which was laid over.

By the same-

Resolved, That the Board of Street Openings and Improvements be and they are respectfully requested to pave One Hundredth street, from Third avenue to the Harlem river, opened according to

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—11.

And the same was directed to be sent to the Board of Aldermen for concurrence.

(G. O. 779.)

Resolved, That Eighty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now where not now laid, and relaid where those how 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.

Which was laid over

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(G. O. 780.)

By the same—
Resolved, That the vacant lots on north side of Fifty-first street, commencing 225 feet west of First avenue, running easterly towards First avenue, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commencing Commen missioner of Public Works; and that the accom-panying ordinance therefor be adopted. Which was laid over.

By the same By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. G. Tinker, to erect bay-windows on his house, now in course of erection, situate I on the southeast corner of Fourth avenue and Fifty-seventh street, and the same to extend four feet beyond the house line; the same to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Works, and to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Assistant Alderman Murphy moved to refer to the Committee on Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 781.) By the President (on behalf of Assistant Alderman

Healy)—
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is authorized and directed to ex-tend the Croton water-pipe in East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, two hundred feet further, to the foot of said street.

Which was laid over.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 782.)

The Committee on Law Department of the Board of Assistant Aldermen, to whom was re-ferred the annexed resolution from the Board of Aldermen, in favor of providing location for the Second Police and Third District Civil Courts, re-

REPORT:

That, having carefully examined the subject, they believe the same to be necessary and proper. They are, therefore, in favor of concurring with the Board of Aldermen in adopting said resolution, and accordingly respectfully recommend that such action be had thereon by this Board.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to provide for the Second Police and Third Civil District Courts a suitable temporary location, to be occupied by them during the time occupied in the erection of the new building intended for the use of said Courts, now under contract, at a rental not to exceed \$1,800 per annum; and that the Justices and Clerks of said Courts are hereby directed to occupy, for the purposes of said Courts, the premises so to be selected, which are hereby designated as the place for holding such Courts, temporarily, and the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to remove the fitting and furniture of the present Courts, and provide such others as may be necessary for the transaction of the business of said Courts, at such temporary location.

CHAS. M. CLANCY,

CHAS. M. CLANCY, PATRICK KEENAN, Committee on Law Department.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communication from the Comptroller, as fol-

CITY OF NEW YORK-DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 17, 1874.

To the Honorable the Board of Assistant Alder-

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, for carrying on the Common Council, from January I to December 31, 1874, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation:

Title of Appropriations. \$9,635 95 City Contingencies. \$9,557 87 Contingencies, Clerk of the Common

Council......
Salaries, Common
Council..... 1,500 00 551 35 185,000 00 135,844 73 AND. H. GREEN, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

PAPERS FROM THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Resolution, as follows:

Resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That the owner or owners of the property on the west side of Broadway, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, be and they are hereby authorized and permitted to erect one or more

street lamp-posts and lamps, in front of their pro-perty, said lamp-posts not to exceed in diameter the ordinary street lamp-post, the gas to be fur-nished at their own expense; the permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the

Which was decided in the state of the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—11.

And the same was directed to be sent to his Honor the Mayor for approval.

Resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That Walter J. Sutherland be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John Dunn, who has failed to qualify.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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Resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That Michael Miller be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Martin McGovern, who has failed to quality.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following yote:

following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and Beyea—II.

And the same was directed to be sent to his Honor the Mayor for approval.

Resolution, as follows: Resolved, That Gustavus Farnbach be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

(G. O. 783.)

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Resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the owner or owners of the building, now in course of erection, on the southwest corner of Lexington avenue and Fifty-seventh street, to erect bay-windows, as shown on the annexed diagram, provided the work be done entirely at his or their own expense, under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the permission hereby given shall continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Assistant Alderman Sommers moved to concur

Assistant Alderman Sommers moved to concur in the action of the Board of Aldermen.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following yets:

lowing vote: Aftirmative — Assistant Aldermen Foley, Clancy, Codington, the President, Assistant Aldermen Kreps, Keenan, Wade, Kehoe, Sommers, and

Bevea-10. Negative—Assistant Alderman Murphy—I.
Assistant Alderman Keenan moved to reconsider
the vote just taken, and that the paper be laid

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS RESUMED.

Assistant Alderman Clancy moved that when this Board adjourns it do so to meet on Monday, November 9, 1874, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Assistant Alderman Wade moved to adjourn.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Monday, November 9, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

WILLIAM H. MOLONEY, Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

OPINION OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION.

Candidates for the offices of Aldermen at Large of the City of New York, created by chapter 515 of the Laws of 1874, must be voted for on tickets separate from those bearing the names of candidates for the offices of District

Aldermen, and also separate from all other tickets.

And it is the duty of the Police Department to cause the

provision of separate boxes for the reception of tickets for Aldermen at Large in that city.

The act having omitted to provide for an indorsement of tickets for Aldermen at Large, it is recommended that they be indorsed with those words.

LAW DEPARTMENT-OFFICE OF THE Counsel to the Corporation, New York, October 24, 1874. The Honorable The Police Commissioners of the City of

GENTLEMEN -- I am in receipt of a communication from the Chief Clerk of the Police Department inclosing a resolution of the Board, adopted this day, as follows: "Whereas, application has been made to the Commissioners to provide a separate box for the reception of ballots to be cast for Aldermen at Large at the coming election; and whereas, no provision has been made by the Bureau of Elections for such box; Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to advise the Commissioners as to their duty and power in the premises."

Section 3 of chapter 675 of the Laws of 1872 (which is "An act in relation to elections in the City and County of New York, and to provide for ascertaining, by proper proofs, the citizens who shall be entitled to the right of suffrage thereat"), as amended by chapter 823 of the Laws of 1873, provides as follows: "At elections hereafter to be held in the City and County of New York, the boxes to be used in receiving the ballots thereat shall be marked and numbered successively as follows: "No. 1, President;" "No. 2, General;" "No. 3, Congress;" "No. 4, Senator;" "No. 5, Assembly;" "No. 6, City;" "No. 7, Justices." And at every election hereafter to be held in said city and county, such number of boxes, marked as aforesaid, shall be furnished as may be required by law to receive the ballots to be used at such elections.

Section 4 of said chapter 675, as amended by said chapter 823, provides as follows: "The ballot for electors of President and Vice-President shall be the same as now prescribed by law, and, when folded, shall be indorsed, or show on the outside, the words "President No. 1," and be deposited in box No. 1. All other officers in whose election all the voters of said city and county alike participate, except those herein designated, to be voted for upon one ballot, which upon the face thereof shall contain a designation of the offices and the name or names of the person or persons, to be voted for, or such of them as any voter may desire to vote for; and which when folded, shall be indorsed or show upon the outside thereof, the words "General, No. 2," and be deposited in box No. 2. And the section then provides what officers shall be elected on separate ballots: which officers are Representatives in Congress, Senators, members of Assembly, the Aldermen to be elected by Senate districts, and Justices of the District Courts.

Chapter 823, above referred to, amending the Election Laws of 1872, was passed June 23, 1873, and at that time there was no provision of law for the election in the City of New York of any Aldermen at Large. The offices of Aldermen at Large was created by chapter 515 of the Laws of 1874, which amends section 4 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and was passed May 21, 1874. This law provides that there shall be twenty-two Aldermen elected at the general State election, which shall occur in the year 1874, three of whom shall be elected in each Senate District, except the Eighth; but that no voter shall vote for more than two of said Aldermen. In the Eighth district there are to be elected four Aldermen, but no voter shall vote for more than three of the same. The law then provides as follows: "There shall also be elected six Aldermen at Large, to be voted for on a separate ballot, but no voter shall vote for more than four of the said Aldermen at Large."

If the last mentioned statute of 1874 had simply provided that six Aldermen at Large should be elected, it would follow that, under the provisions of law above cited, they would be voted for upon the same ballot upon which all other officers, in whose election all the voters of the city alike participate, were voted for; and, of course, that ballot would be deposited in box No. 2. It is, however, expressly declared, that the six Aldermen at Large shall be voted for upon a separate ballot, and the question is as to the meaning of this provision. As this statute is the later, of course if this provision conflicts with the act of 1873, it must prevail, as being the latest expression of the will of the Legislature. I do not think there can be any doubt as to the meaning of the language used, nor as to its effect upon the main question, whether separate box is to be provided.

My reasons for this opinion are as follows:

First .- The word ballot as used in the various laws relating to elections means simply a piece of paper upon which are printed, or written, the names of the persons voted for; and when the statute declares that the Aldermen at Large shall be voted for on a separate ballot, it means that the names of the persons voted for shall be printed or written on a separate piece of paper.

Second .- I think the word separate as used in the statute clearly means that the ballots which contain the names of the persons voted for as Aldermen at Large shall not contain the names of persons voted for for any other office. The language used cannot mean that the Aldermen at Large were to be voted for on ballots separate from those used for Aldermen to be voted for in the different Senate districts. Such a provision would have been wholly unnecessary, because the law of 1872, as amended in 1873, already provided that all officers in whose election all the voters of 30th of April, 1873, treats of the office of Mayor,

the city alike participate should be voted for upon one ballot; and there was therefore no occasion to say that the Aldermen at Large and the Aldermen in the Senate districts should not be voted for upon the same ballot.

Third.-It follows, as a matter of necessity, that if no other names are to be printed, or written, upon the ballots used for Aldermen at Large, there must be a separate box for these ballots. The act of 1872, to be sure, does not provide for a such box, but the act of 1874 creates the new offices of Aldermen at Large, and declares that they shall be voted for upon a separate ballot; and the only way in which the intention of the Legislature can be carried out is by providing an additional box for these ballots; otherwise there are no means of determining in which of the boxes provided by the Police such ballots should be placed. The act of 1872 only provides for the placing of one ballot in box No. 2, and the only ballot which can be deposited in that box is that which contains the general ticket for state as well as city officers.

Aside from the difficulty arising from the language of the statute itself, there would be a practical difficulty in allowing the voters to deposit two ballots in this box. The person voting might deposit a general ticket, containing the names of Aldermen at Large; and also a separate ticket, containing the names of the same candidates; and as the inspectors who receive the votes have no right to open the tickets, it would follow that every voter would have an opportunity of voting twice for Aldermen at Large.

After a careful consideration of the whole matter I have no doubt it is the duty of the Commissioners of Police to instruct the Chief of the Bureau of Elections to provide a separate box for the reception of votes for Aldermen at Large.

I am, gentlemen, Yours, very respectfully, E. DELAFIED SMITH, Counsel to the Corporation.

P. S .- The act having omitted to provide for an endorsement of tickets for Aldermen at Large, it is recommended that they be endorsed with those words.

#### E. DELAFIELD SMITH.

The Common Council, as the Legislative branch and "department" of the Municipal Government, is entitled to the benefit of the amendatory act, constituting chapter 757 of the Laws of 1873, providing that section 111 of the Charter requiring all printing and stationery to be supplied by contract shall not apply to any department where the Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works so direct.

Leaving out of view what is known as the Charter of 1873. and also leaving out of view what is called the Consoli-dation Act, the courts and county officers of New York would be furnished with stationery by the Sheriff, and the bills therefor would be audited by the Board of

Again, leaving out of view the Charter, and giving consideration to the provisions of the Consolidation Act, supplies of stationery required for the use of the courts and county officers would be obtained through the Department of Public Works.

If section 111 of the Charter of 1873 is to be construed to impose upon the courts and county officers of New York as well as upon the municipal departments of the city government strictly so called the necessity of obtain ing printing and stationery only by contract, then the amendatory act (section 19, chapter 757, of the Laws of 1873) must also be applied to the courts and county officers as well as to the city departments strictly so des cribed, which amendatory act provides that a concurrent vote of the Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works may designate some other mode of procuring printing and stationery.

> LAW DEPARTMENT-OFFICE OF THE Counsel to the Corporation, New York, Oct. 24, 1874.

Hon. ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller :

SIR-Your letter of the 17th instant states that a great number of bills for stationery and printing furnished various courts, the District Attorney, the Board of Supervisors, and the Common Council, without contract, under authority of resolutions of the Mayor, Corporation Counsel, and the Commissioner of Public Works, are being presented at your department and payment demanded; and that after a thorough investigation of this question you do not feel convinced that supplies of this character can be furnished without contract. You request my official opinion as to whether these claims can be successfully defended, in order that, before suit, you may act thereon in the light of my views in the premises.

First.-In an opinion, dated October 2, 1874, addressed to the Comptroller, published in No. 397, Volume 2, of the CITY RECORD, issued October 7, 1874, I stated that in my judgment the Common Council is a department of the City Government, to wit, the Legislative, within the meaning of the special act of the Legislature, passed subsequently to the adoption of the Charter of 1873, providing that printing and stationery for any department may be furnished without contract, if the Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works shall so decide. In that opinion I remarked that the act called the new Charter, passed on the

and also of the Common Council, and then goes on to make provisions in relation to what are expressly described as the "other departments" of the City Government. I said further that nothing can be clearer to my mind than that the Common Council is the Legislative Department of the City Government, and that there is no reason why in law or in the considerations which led to the amendatory statute the Common Council may not be relieved from the inconvenience of applying the contract rules. The act known as the Charter of 1873, provided in effect that printing and stationery should be supplied under contracts to be entered into by the Mayor, Corporation Counsel, and the Commissioner of Public Works. (Laws of 1873, Chapter 335, Section 111.) A statute subsequently passed enacted that nothing contained in the section of the Charter above cited, should apply to any printing or supplies of stationery for "any Department" where, by the concurrent vote of the Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, and the Corporation Counsel, it should be decided to have such printing done or such stationery furnished without contract, but in such case such printing and stationery should be procured such manner and on such terms and conditions as the said officers shall deem to be for the best interests of the city. (Laws of 1873, chapter 757, section 19.) There can be no doubt that the Common Council, as the legislative branch and department of the municipal government, is entitled to the benefit of this amendatory law.

Second.-With regard to the courts, the District Attorney, and the Board of Supervisors, the question does not appear to be so clear; at least it may be said not to be beyond cavil. The courts, the District Attorney, and the Board of Supervisors are not in strictness "departments of the city government," as expressly described and enumerated in the charters of the city. They are offices or officers of the county of New York, as known to the constitution of the state. The county of New York is preserved, for certain purposes, even by the very terms of the statute known as the act to consolidate the governments of the city and the county of New York. (Laws of 1874, chapter 304.) See also the act explanatory of the act to consolidate the governments of the city and county of New York, and further to regulate the same, chapter 305, Laws of 1874. As to the true construction of what is called the Consolidation Act see the opinions printed in No. 285 of volume second of the CITY RECORD, issued May 27th, 1874.

Leaving altogether out of view what is known as the Charter of 1873, and also leaving out of view what is called the Consolidation Act, the courts and county officers would undoubtedly be furnished with stationery by the Sheriff, and the bills therefor would be audited by the Board of Supervisors, and be paid without doubt or difficulty. Again leaving out of view the charter and giving consideration to the provisions of the Consolidation Act it seems clear that supplies of stationery required for the use of the courts and county officers must be obtained through the Department of Public Works. (See the opinions already referred to, published in No. 285, volume second of the CITY RECORD, issued May 17th, 1874.) You will perceive, therefore, that if in reference to the courts and county officers we regard the Charter and the special act in relation to stationery as having no application, then there is no alternative but the conclusion that they must obtain their stationery by direct application to the Commissioner of Public Works without reference to any action of the three officers mentioned in such amendatory act. This is what they have done. If the charter and special act do apply, the same result is reached, because in pursuance of the authority vested by the special act in the Mayor, Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works, a resolution was duly passed authorizing them to dispense with the contract system, and obtain their printing and stationery through the Commissioner of Public Works. It will be remembered that the Supreme Court, at a Special Term held by Mr. Justice Fanher in the matter of the claim of the Aldermer of this city to additional compensation for their services as Supervisors, held that the Charter of 1873 had no application to county and therefore that the provision officers, of the Charter forbidding the Aldermen to receive extra compensation was nugatory. In the judgment of the Court, the Supervisors, as county officers, were not controlled by anything contained in the Charter, the latter having no force except with regard to city affairs. Under this judgment of the Supreme Court, section III of the Charter, providing that all printing and stationery must be supplied upon contract, can have no application to the courts and county officers.

But assuming that this section of the Charter does apply to the courts and county officers, then the question arises whether they may be relieved from the contract system by the concurrent vote of the Mayor, the Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works, under

the amendatory statute already referred to, being chapter 757 of the Laws of 1873. The answer to this seems to me inevitable. If section 111 of the Charter, as originally enacted, applies to the courts and county officers, then, certainly, the amendment to that section by chapter 757 of the laws of the same year must also be applied to them. The words "any department" in the amendatory act are evidently not used in any technical or strict sense. The plain intent of the amendatory act is to avoid the practical difficulties and inconveniences which an inexorable adherence to the contract system would cause to the public service. Looking to the reason of the amendatory act, it is certainly as desirable that the courts and county officers should, in the discretion of the three officers named, be relieved from the contract system, as that the municipal departments, strictly so described, should be so relieved. The words are not "department of the municipal or city gov-ernment," but simply "any department." Of what? Department of the city or department of the government? You answer, Department of the city, for the Charter treats of city affairs. But if the contract system under section III of the Charter is to be applied not only to the municipal departments but also to the county departments, why also should not the amendatory act, which furnishes a relief from the inconveniences of the contract system, be applied not only to the municipal departments but also to the county departments? If this amendatory act is a part of the Charter, and the Charter is to be applied to the county officers, why not also the amendatory act? If the amendatory act be not a part of the Charter, but stands by itself, then certainly no reason can be given why it does not apply to the county departments or officers. (See published opinions of the Counsel to the Corporation dated respectively September 29, September 29 again, and October 2, 1874, No. 397, Volume Second of the CITY RECORD, issued October 7, 1874.)

My conclusion is that the bills for stationery and printing furnished the courts, the District Attorney, and the Board of Supervisors, as well also the Common Council, must be paid, and that if brought to suit these claims could not be successfully defended.

I am, sir,

Very respectfully, yours, E. DELAFIELD SMITH, Counsel to the Corporation.

#### ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS,

&c., &c.,

PASSED BY BOTH BRANCHES OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR,

DURING THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 24, 1874.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Broadway to Hudson river, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged where not already done, under the direction of the Commis-sioner of Public Works; and that the accompany-ing ordinance therefor be adopted. ing ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen,

March 16, 1874.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 19, 1874, without his approval or objections there-to; therefore, under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local govern-ment of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That Seventy-sixth street, from the Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen,

April 13, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October

8, 1874. Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 19, 1874, without his objections or approval there-19, 1074, without his objections of approval there-to; therefore, under the provisions of an act en-titled "An act to reorganize the local govern-ment of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the north side of Fifteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, be flagged full width, where not al-ready done, under the direction of the Commis-sioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 14,

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen,

October 5, 1874. Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 19, 1874, without his approval or objections there to; therefore, under the provisions of an act en titled "An act to reorganize the local govern ment of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That on both sides of Fifty-fourth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, curb and gutter stones be reset, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefore be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, April 20, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 19, 1874, without his approval or objections there-to; therefore, under the provisions of an act en-titled "An act to reorganize the local govern-ment of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the resolution, approved October 7, 1874, appointing James E. Eustis a City Surveyor, be and is hereby amended so that the name shall appear as John E. Eustis.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October

15, 1874.
Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen,
October 20, 1874.
Approved by the Mayor, October 21, 1874.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on south side of Fifty-sixth street, 275 feet east of Ninth avenue, extending east 50 feet, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Approved by the Mayor, October 21, 1874.

#### DIRECTORY

OF THE

# COMMON COUNCIL

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

- 1. Samuel B. H. Vance, 206 West 23d street.
  2. Oliver P. C. Billings, 143 East 34th street.
  3. Jenkins Van Schaick, 1 University place.
  4. Stephen V. R. Cooper, 318 West 51st street.
  5. John Falconer, 308 East 15th street.
  6. George Koch, 638 Lexington avenue.
  7. Peter Kehr, 50 Seventh street.
  8. Robert McCafferty, 840 Lexington avenue.
  9. Oswald Ottendorier, 7 East 17th street.
  10. Edward Gilon, 557 Hudson street.
  11. Patrick Lysaght, 27 City Hall place.
  12. Richard Flanagan, 312 West 22d street.
  13. John Reilly, 314 East 14th street.
  14. John J. Morris, 117 West 21st street.
  15. Joseph A. Monheimer, 233 East 31st street.
  SAMUEL B. H. VANCE, Presider t,
  JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, Clerk, 27 Stuyvesant street.

### STANDING COMMITTEES.

ARTS AND SCIENCES, INCLUDING PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.— Aldermen Billings, Monheimer, and Reilly. FERRIES.—Aldermen Falconer, Cooper, and Lysaght. FINANCE.—Aldermen Van Schaick, Gilon, Kehr, Morris,

and Ottendorfer.

LANDS AND PLACES.—Aldermen McCafferty, Koch, and Gilon.

LAW DEPARTMENT. - Aldermen Cooper, Billings, an

Flanagan.

MARKETS. Aldermen Morris, Kehr, and Lysaght.

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.—Aldermen Kehr, Ottendorfer, and Falconer.

PUBLIC WORKS.—Aldermen Koch, Morris, and Gilon.

RAILROADS.—Aldermen Billings, Van Schaick, and Otten-

REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.—Aldermen Kehr, Cooper, and

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ferty.

STREET PAVEMENTS.—Aldermen Falconer, Monheimer,

# BOARD ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

- 1. Thomas Foley, 18 West street.
  2. Jeremah Murphy, 45 Cherry street.
  3. Charles M. Clancy, 167 Mott street.
  4. John C. Keating, 333 Cherry street.
  5. Henry Wisser, 151 Frince street.
  6. Michael Healy, 19 Ridge street.
  7. Thos. L. Thornell, 169 West 12th street.
  8. John Theiss, 223 Bowery.
  9. George F. Codington, 62 P rry street.
  10. Joseph P. Strack, 179 Third street.
  11. William S. Kreps, 354 West 27th street.
  12. Patrick Keenan, 217 Lewis street.
  13. William Wade, 144 West 21st street.
  14. John J. Kehoe, 138 First avenue.
  15. Edward Brucks, 422 West 39th street.
  16. George Kelly, 318 West 20th street.
  17. Stephen N. Simonson, 305 West 48th street.
  18. Philip Cumisky, 525 First avenue.
  19. Henry A. Linden, 68th st., bet. 10th and 11th aves.
  20. Isaac Sommers, 165 East 62d street.
  21. Benjamm Beyea, 131st street near 4th avenue
- W. H. MOLONEY, Clerk.

#### STANDING COMMITTEES.

- ARTS AND SCIENCES.—Assistant Aldermen Cumisky Murphy, and Codington. DONATIONS.—Assistant Aldermen Sommers, Wisser, and
- FERRIES. Assistant Aldermen Healy, Kehoe, and
- FINANCE.—Assistant Aldermen Clancy, Sommers, and
- LAMPS AND GAS.—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Beyea,

- and Brucks.

  LAW DEPARTMENT.—Assistant Aldermen Clancy, Keenan, and Thornell.

  MARKETS.—Assistant Aldermen Kelly, Kehoe, Keating,
  oley, and Beyea

  NATIONAL AFFAIRS.—Assistant Aldermen Theiss, Murphy, Cumisky, Simonson, and Codington.

  ORDINANCES.—Assistant Aldermen Wisser, Kehoe, and
  Sommers.

- PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.—Assistant Aldermen Keating, Kreps, Beyea, Sommers, and Theiss.
  PUBLIC HEALTH.—Assistant Aldermen Theiss, Wisser, and Cumisky.
- and Cumisky.
  PUBLIC BUILDINGS.—Assistant Aldermen Keenan, Murphy, and Wisser.
  PUBLIC WORKS.—Assistant Aldermen Sommers, Keating,
- PUBLIC WORRS.—Assistant Aldermen Healy, Keenan, Linden, umisky, and Theiss.

  ROADS.—Assistant Aldermen Cumisky, Thornell, and
- SALARIES AND OFFICES.—Assistant Aldermen Brucks, ehoe, and Wisser. SEWERS.—Assistant Aldermen Kelly, Wade, and Wisser STREETS.—Assistant Aldermen Brucks, Theiss, and
- STREET PAVEMENTS.—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Som
- JOINT COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTS.—Assistant Aldermen Sommers, Keenan, and Linden.

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH all the Public Offices in the City are open for busiall the Public Offices in the City are open for busi-ness, and at which each Court regularly opens and ad-journs, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held.

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Mayor's Marshal, No. 5, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 2 P. M. License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of persors, 7 and 8, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk of Board of Assistant Aldermen, 9½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 5 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, West end.

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

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

3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Ax essments and Water Rents; Ground floor, west end.

4. Auditing Bureau; Main floor, west end.

5. Bureau of Licenses; Ground floor, west end.

6. Bureau of Markets; Ground floor, west end.

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

8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments; Rotunda.

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

- Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, 3d floor: 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
  Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10
- Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
  Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8½ A. M. to 4½ P. M.
  Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park, 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
  Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 20 Nassau treet, room 52, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT. NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN

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Central Office.
Commissioners' Office
Superintendent's Office.
Inspectors' Office.
Chief Clerk's Office, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Property Clerk, ""
Bureau of Street Cleaning, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Bureau of Elections, ""
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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

Commissioners' Office, No. 19.
Chief Clerk's Office, No. 20.
Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21.
Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.

" Lamps and Gas, No. 13.

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" Lamprovements, No. 11.

" Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11½

" Water Register, No. 10.

" Water Purveyor, No. 4.

" Streets and Roads, No. 13.

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, al ways open; entrance on Eleventh street.

Free Labor Bureau, Nos. 8 and 10 Clinton place, 8 A. M.

ception Hospital, City Hall Park, northeast corner

always open. Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth avenue, always open. Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, always open.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT,

NOS. 127 AND 129 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
mmissioners' Office.
cpectors of Combustibles.
Chief of Department,
Fire Marshal. Commissioners' Office. Inspectors of Combustibles.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 MOTT STREET.

Commissioners' Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Sanitary Superintendent, always open.

Register of Records, for granting burial permits, on all days of the week, except Sunday, from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. and on Sundays from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS. Commissioners' Office, brown stone building, City Hall Park, 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturday A. M. to 3 P. M. Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Assessors, "

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS Superintendent's Office 2, Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION. CORNER GRAND AND ELM STREETS. Office of the Board, g A. M. to 4 P. M. Superintendent of Schools, g A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS. Office, No. 32 Chambers street (basement).

## COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION

CASTLE GARDEN.
Commissioners' Office, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Superintendent's Office, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

THE CITY RECORD. Office, No. 2, City Hall, northwest corner, basement, A. M. to 6 P. M.

## MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street. Sheriff's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New Court-

County Clerk's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New Surrogate's Office, first floor southeast corner of New Court-house.

Court-house.
Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park.
District Attorney's Office, second floor, Old Court-house
32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS. Commissioner's Office, New County Court-house, 9 A. M,

#### COURTS

General Term, Special Term, Chambers, Circuit Part I, Circuit Part II, second floor, New Court-house, 10 A. M. to

SUPERIOR COURT. Part I, Part II, Third floor, New Court-house, 11 A. M. Clerks' Office. Third floor, New Court-house, 9 A. M. COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, 32 Chambers street, room 14, 10 A. M. to

OVER AND TERMINER.

General Term, Special Term, No. 32 Chambers street, room 11, 10 A. M. MARINE COURT.

General Term, room 17; Special Term, room 15; Chambers, room 18; 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Clerk's Office, room 19, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No. 32 Chambers street SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.

JUSTICES' (OR DISTRICT) COURTS.

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First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

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

Sixth District—Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue. Seventh District—Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue. Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 9 A. M. to M.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, south-

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, south-est corner Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue, 930

N. M. to 4 P. M.
Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and
Twenty-fifth street near Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-tourth Wards,
northeast corner of Third avenue and Southern Boulevard,
Harlem Bridge, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Precinct, Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, 7 A. M. to 3 P. M. Second District—Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-fifth, Thirty-third, Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Precincts, Greenwich avenue, corner of Tenth street, 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Third District—Seventh, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth Seventeenth, Eighteenth, and portion of Sanitary Precinct, No. 66 Essex street, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fourth District—Nineteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third and Nineteenth Sub-station, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Fifth District—Twellth Ward, One Hundred an Twenty-fifth street near Fourth avenue, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.

# FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,

127 and 129 Mercer Street,

New York, Oct. 16, 1874.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles, to wit.:

80,000 lbs. of Hay, of the quality and standard known as
good sweet Timothy.

15,000 lbs. of good clean Straw.

600 bags of White Oats, 80 lbs. to the bag.
400 bags of Fine Feed, 60 lbs. to the bag.
All of which is to be delivered to the various Company
quarters from time to time, and in such qua tities as the
Department may require, will be received at these headquarters until to o'clock A. M., October 28, 1874, at which
time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, will be required with each proposal, who must justify in double the
amount of the bid. Proposals will not be considered unless
sureties are named.

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

Blank proposals and information will be furnished upon

Proposals must be indorsed, Proposals
Forage."
Blank proposals and information will be furnished upon application to these headquarters.
The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
ROSWELL D. HATCH,
CORNELIUS VAN COT1,
Commissioners.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL, No. 8 CTTY HALL,

THE STATED SESSIONS OF THE BOARD OF Aldermen will be held in their Chamber, room No. 15, City Hall, on Thursday of each week, at 3 o'clock, P.M. JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, Clerk

#### DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, Commissioners' Office, 19 City Hall, Commissioners' Office, 19 City Hail, 19
CONSUMERS OF CROTON WATER ARE hereby notified that the water rens for 1874 are now due, and are payable at the office of the Water Register, Room No. 10, City Hall, from 10 A. M. 10 4 P. w. each day. A penalty will be added to all water rents remaining unpaid on the 1st of August.

GEO. M. VAN NORT?

'Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Commissioner's Office, Room 19, City Hall,
NEW YORK, October 15, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A
petition of the property owners, with map and plan,
for the change of grade in Sixty-third street, between
Avenue A and the East river, is now pending before the
Common Council.
All persons interested in the above-mentioned change of
grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same, in writing, to the undersigned, at his office
on or before the 28th instant.
GEO. M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, nmissioner's Office, Room 19, City Hall, New YORK, October 16, 1874.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTING A PUBLIC HIGHWAY ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE STORAGE RESERVOIR AT BOYD'S COR-NERS, PUTNAM COUNTY.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THIS WORK WILL
be received at the office of the Department of Public
Works until 12 o'clock, M., on the 28th day of October, 1874,
at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.
The plans for the proposed work may be seen at the Engineer's office at Carmel, and specifications and blank form
of proposals may be obtained there, or on application to
the Contract Clerk, Room 21, City Hall.
The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to
reject any or all proposals, as he may deem for the best interest of the city.

GEO. M. VAN NORT,

GEO. M. VAN NORT, Commissioner of Public Works. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, Commissioner's Office, Room 19, City Hall, New YORK, October 16, 1874.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A STORAGE RESERVOIR ON THE MIDDLE BRANCH OF THE CROTON RIVER, IN THE TOWN OF SOUTH EAST, PUTNAM COUNTY, NEW YORK, NEAR WOOD'S MILL.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THIS WORK WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Works, until 12 o'clock, M., on the 28th day of October, 1874, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The plans for the proposed work may be seen, and specifications and blank form of proposals may be obtained at the Engineer's Office in Carmel, and also on application to the Contract Clerk, Room 21, City Hall.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, as he may deem for the best interest of the city.

GEO. M. VAN NORT,

# DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NO MOTT STREET, NEW YORK, Oct. 16, 1874.

GEO. M. VAN NORT, Commissioner of Public Works.

A TAMEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, on the 13th day of October, 1874, the following resolution was adopted:

held at its office, on the 13th day of October, 1874, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law on the Health Department, the following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 184. That on and after the fourth day of July, 1876, the business of slaughtering animals in the City of New York shall not be conducted south of One Hundred and Tenth street, unless the same shall be done in buildings located directly upon the water front, each having a capacity sufficient for the yarding and slaughtering daily of one-half of the entire number of cattle, or hogs, or small stock (all or separately according to the particular object of each abattor) slaughtered in this city at the time this ordinance shall go into effect, and so constructed as to receive all stock deliverable thereat directly from cars or transports; and to discharge therefrom all liquid refuse below low-water mark; and to secure the proper care and disposition of all parts of the slaughtered animals upon the premises, or the immediate removal thereof by means of boats; and on and after the fourth day of July, 1876, no cattle, sheep, hogs, or calves shall be driven in the streets of such city below One Hundred and Tenth street; nor shall any offensive business growing out of that of slaughtering, as fat-melting, hide-curing, gut-cleaning, bone-boiling, glue-making, etc., etc., be conducted, except on the premises constructed and prepared as herein required, and devoted to the slaughtering and the disposing thereon of all parts of the slaughtered animals (except fat or tallow attached to meat exposed for sale, or collected by licensed dealers) be transported in said streets; nor shall any fat, hides, hoofs, or entrails, or other refuse parts of slaughtered animals (except fat or tallow attached to meat exposed for sale, or collected by licensed dealers) be transported in said stre

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary,

## 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 the opening of Brook avenue, from tide-water to the Harlem railroad at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE STATE of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said city will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the second day of November, A. D. 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the opening of Brook avenue, from tidewater to the Harlem railroad at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, as laid out on a certain map of the Commissioners appointed by an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An act for the laying out, opening, and closing of streets, roads, and avenues, in the Town of Morrisania, in the County of Westchester," passed May 19, 1868, and filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County, on the sixth day of January, A. D. 1871.

Dated New York, Cotober 7, 1874.

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ary, A. D. 1871.

Dated New York, October 7, 1874.

E. DELAFIELD SMITH,

Compact to the Corporation,

No. 2 Tryon Row

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, October 15, 1874.

PROPOSALS ARE DESIRED TO SUPPLY BUTtons for uniforms of the Police force.
For particulars apply to the subscriber.
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk,
300 Mulberry Street.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERG'S OFFICE, No. 300 MULBER 17 STREET, NEW YORK, October 19, 1874.

SEVENTEENTH AUCTION SA UNCLAIMED PROPERTY. SALE OF

AMOS STOOKEY, Auctioneer,

THE NEXT SALE OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY will take place at 300 Mulherry street, Friday, October 30, 1874, consisting of miscellaneous articles, boars, rope, lead, blue beaver bloth, gray cloth, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, placed ware, boots, shoes, trunks, bags, tobacco, revolvers, etc., etc.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
PropertyClerk.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE,

No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 39.

NEW YORK, September 24, 1874

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY

Clerk, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the folowing property, now in his custody without claimants:
Eight can salad oil; three black bags and contents; casegar-paper; two trunks and contents, lot furniture; rope;
locket; thury-six pair shoes; two skiffs; thirteen revolvers, etc.

Police Depart Int of the City of New York,
No. 300 Mulberry Syrret,
Bureau of Street Cleaning,
New York, October 12, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the Police Department is prepared to receive propositions for the purchase of ashes, garbage, and streets weepings, delivered at the various dumps, located on the East
and North rivers or at any part of the city and vicinity.
Additional information can be obtained at Police Headquarters, No. 300 Mulberry street.

By order of the Board.

SPTH C. HAWLEY.

SETH C. HAWLEY. Chief Clerk

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-ITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
Corner of Third Avenue and Eleventh Street,
New YORK, October 26, 1874.

PROPOSALS FOR POTATOES, COD FISH, TEA, SOAP, EGGS, WHITE LEAD, OIL, GLUE, TURPENTINE, LINEN THREAD, HICKORY SHIRTING, MUSLIN.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock a. M., of the 7th day of November, 1874, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all

they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense—

1,500 barrels Potatoes,
150 quintals Cod Fish
2,500 pounds Common Tea.
15,000 pounds Hard Soap.
1 ton Best White Lead.
1 barrel Rolled Oil.
1 barrel Raw Oil.
1 barrel Spirits of Turpentine.
50 pounds Linen Thread.
2 bales Hickory Shirting.
1 case Shroud Muslin.
1,000-0 Eggs, with privilege of increasing to 30,000.
Samples of the above can be seen at this office.
The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the Cty of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent, for its fluthful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.
The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter as security or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 65 Third Avenue,
New York, October 22, 1874.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council "In relation to the burial of

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

At New York City Asylum for Insane, October 21, 1874—Cornelius Early, admitted August 13, 1874; age, 59 years; height, 6 feet, 1 inch; grey hair; blue eyes. Had on blue blouse, brass buttons, army pants, pland woolen shirt, black slouch hat. There has been no person to visit him, nor could any information be obtained from him in regard to his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

By Order,

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,

DEFARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 65 THIRD AVENUE,
New YORK, October 19, 1874.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDINANCE
of the Common Council "In relation to the burial of

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

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, October 18, 1874—Darby Lock, admitted December 20, 1871; born in Ireland; age, 40 years; height, 5 feet 4 inches; grey hair; light eyes. Had on Corporation clothes.

Was transferred from old Asylum, Blackwell's Island. There has been no person to visit him, nor could any information be obtained from him in regard to his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

By order.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, October 17, 1874.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDINANCE
of the Common Council "In relation to the burial of
strangers and unknown persons who may die in any of the
public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:
At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island,
October 15, 1874—John Bowman, alias Roquemdus, admitted August 6, 1874; born in Germanv; aged 64 years;
height 5 feet, 3 inches; gray hair; brown eyes. Had on
pepper and salt coat, light small plaid pants, black satin vest,
white shirt, slouch hat. There has been no person to visit
him, nor could any information in regard to his friends or
relatives be obtained from him. No effects found on his
person.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

# FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, New York, October 10, 1874.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

that the following assessment ists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED OCTOBER 2, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging 8 feet wide in Sixty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river.

Flagging Forty-ninth street (south side), between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Sewer in Macison avenue and New avenue (east), between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-firth streets, with branches.

Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Sixth avenue and Mount Morris square.

Basin on the southwest corner of Seventy-fifth street and Lexington avenue.

Basin on the northwest corner of Seventy-fifth street and Lexington avenue.

Easin on the northwest corner of Seventy-sixth street and Lexington avenue.

Underground drains between Seventy-fourth and nine-ty-second streets, and between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

Paving Fifty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Paving Sixty-eighth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

Paring Sixty-eighth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.
Paving Sixty-eighth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.
All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 11th day of December, 1874, will be exempt according to law from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 F. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 F. M. for general information.

information.

SPENCER KIRBY Collector of Assess

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, )
BUREAU OF ARREARS,
September 1, 1874.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEments for Unpaid Assessments for Streets, Avenues, and Park Openings, Widenings, and Extensions.
Under the direction of Andrew H. Green, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the collection of taxes, assessments, and Croton water rents in the City of New York, and to amend the several acts in relation thereto, passed April 8, 1871," that the respective owners of all the lands and tenements on which assessments have been laid and confirmed, and are now due and unpaid, and have remained due and unpaid since the confirmation of said assessments for streets, avenues, and park openings, widenings, and extensions, confirmed prior to January 1, 1871, are required to pay the amount of the assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Clerk of Arrears, at his office, in the Finance Department, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of twelve per cent per annum to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction at the New Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, December 15, 1874, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years, at which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessments to due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of the sale, and together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon.

And that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements here advertised for sale shall be sold.

shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessments, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Clerk of Arrears in the Finance Department, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY, Clerk of Arrears,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
COURT-HOUSE, PARK, NO. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
September 4, 1874.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS—NOTICE IS HEREBY.
Real Estate, for the year 1874, will be opened for payment
at this office on Thursday next, September 10, 1874.
Payment can be made between the hours of 8 A. M. and
2 F. M.

2 F. M.

A deduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, calculated from the date of payment to the first day of December, will be made on all taxes paid previous to the first of November.

MARTIN T. McMAHON.

MARTIN T. McMAHON

Department of Finance, Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, Rotunda, Court-House, New York, September 18, 1874.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED

CONTRIBED SETTEMBER 11, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones
One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Fourth
Eighth avenue, excep between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Seventy-fifth street, from Eighth to Tenth ave-

nue.

Flagging, and curb and gutter East Seventy-eighth street, between Third and Flifth avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven [7] per cent, from the date of

confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general in

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Assess

#### INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1874, will be paid on that day, by the Chamberlain, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 25 to November 1, 1874. ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 19, 1874.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, October 2, 1874.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 25, 1874.

Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging in Sixty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before December 1, 1874, will be exempt (according to law), from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M or the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general infor

SPENCER KIRBY,

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
New YORK, October 3, 1874-

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS are hereby notified that the following assessment list was received this day, m this Bureau for Collection:

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 29, 1874

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, from Harlem river to Eighth avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before December 3, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of (7) seven per cent, from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A.M. to 2 P.M., for the collection of money, and until 5 P.M., for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Assessments

Department of Finance,
Bereau for the Collection of Assessments,
Rotunda, Court-House,
New York, Sept. 17, 1874

# NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AUGUST 31, 1874. Underground drains, between Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth streets, and between Eighth and Ninth avenues. Sewer in Sixty-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth

Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Har-lem river to Manhattan street, and Manhattan street, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to North river.

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 3, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging Sixty-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue. Curb and gutter Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

Flagging Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

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North river.
Flagging sidewalks in Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Eighth avenue.
Sewer in Montgomery street, between Henry street and East Broadway.
Sewer in Mangin street, between Stanton and Houston

Basin on the northwest corner of Manhattan street and

Basin on the hortiwest based on the Broadway Underground drains between Ninety-six and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, and between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 16th day of November, 1874, 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 dates of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIREY,

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Assessments

# THE CITY RECORD.

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

# CORPORATION NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOL-lowing Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works: Persons interested are requested to call and examine the

No. 1. For building sewer in Tompkins street, between nd Delancey streets No. 2. For flagging sidewalks in Fifty-sixth street, be-veen Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 3. For laying Belgian pavement in Forty-third street, between Madison avenue and the Grand Central Railroad Depot.

No. 4. For paving with stone blocks in Second avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Eighty-sixth street. The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz. : 1. Both sides of Tompkins street, between Broome

and Delancey streets.

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No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Forty-third street, between Vanderbilt and Madison avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Second avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Eighty-sixth streets, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THOMAS B. ASTEN.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, Chairman. OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 19 Chatham street, New YORK, October 22, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOL-lowing Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works: Persons interested are requested to call and examine the same.

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No. 1. For regulating, grading, curb and gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street to the Harlem river.

No. 2. For sewer in Madison street, between Gouverneur and Scammel streets.

No. 3. For sewer in Twelfth street, between Fourth avenue and Broadway.

No. 4. For curb, gutter and flagging East-side Thirteenth or Exterior avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 5. For receiving-basin on northeast corner Tenth street and Broadway.

No. 6. For curb, gutter and flagging East Eleventh street, between Dry Dock street and East river.

No. 7. For flagging sidewalks on the south side of Thirty-fourth street, between Lexington and Fourth avegnues.

Thirty-fourth street, between Leanger, between Broome and Delancy street.

No. 8. For sewer in Cannon street, between Broome and Delancy street.

The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz.;

No. 1. Both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street to Harlem river, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Madison street, from Gouverneur to Scammel street.

No. 3. Both sides of Twelfth street, from Fourth avenue to Broadway, except lot on northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth street.

No. 4. The property known as Ward Nos. 61 to 64 inclusive.

No. 5. The property known as Ward Nos. 1,078 and 1,079. 1,803 and 1,804, and 1,810 to 1,819 inclusive.

No. 6. Both sides of Eleventh street, from Avenue D East river.

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East river.

No. 7. Southside of Thirty-fourth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of Cannon street, between Broome
and Delancy streets.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,

THOMAS B. ASTEN, Chairman. OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, 19 Chatham Street, New York, October 1, 1874.

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

No. 1. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Sixty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth

No. 2. For regulating grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to the East river. No. 3. For curb, gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, east side, from Sixty-third to Sixty-fourth street.

For flagging Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth

and Sixth avenues.

No. 5. For flagging east side of Lexington avenue, between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets.

No. 6. For flagging north side of Thirty-sixth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

No. 7. For laying Belgian pavement in Eightieth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 8. For laying Belgian pavement in Forty-eighth street, from Tent to Eleventh avenue.

No. 9. For building sewer in Lewis street, between Sixth and Eighth streets.

No. 10. For building sewers in Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets, with branches.

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

1. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to East river, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersections of Third and Second avenues and Avenue A.

No. 3. The property known as Ward Numbers Twenty-one and Fifty-two.

No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 3. The property known as Ward Numbers Twentyno and Fifty-two.
No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth
and Sixth avenues.
No. 5. The property known as Ward Numbers Two
Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-nine to Two Thousand
Eight Hundred and Sixty-six, inclusive.
No. 6. The property known as Ward Numbers Two
Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-eight to Two Thousand
Eight Hundred and Seventy-one, inclusive.
No. 7. Both sides of Eightieth street, from Madison to
Fifth avenue, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.
No. 8. Both sides of Forty-eighth street, from Tenth to
Eleventh avenue, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.
No. 9. Both sides of Lewis street, from Sixth to Eighth
street, except lots on corner of Sixth and Eighth streets,
No. 10. Both sides of Sixth avenue, between One
Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortyseventh streets, and the blocks bounded by One Hundred
and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh
streets, and Sixth and Seventh avenues.
All persons whose interests are affected by the abovenamed assessments, and who are opposed to the same or
either of them, are requested to present their objections, in
writing, to Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of
Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within
thirty days from the date of this notice.

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THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MCHARG,
MUNSON H. TREADWELL,
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,
ASSESSORS.
Board of Assessors. OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, New YORK, Oct. 14, 1874.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter ones, and flagging Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to East river.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Ninety-second street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Sixth street, from Third avenue to East river.

No. 4. Flagging Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz.:

No. 1. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, from Third ave-ue to East river, to the extent of one-half the block at the

No. 2. Both sides of Ninety-second street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard, to the extent of one-half the block at intersection of Tenth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street from Third avenue to East river, to the extent of one-hal the block at intersections of First avenue and Avenue A. No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, Chairman

Office of the Board of Assessors, No. 19 Chatham street, New York, Sept. 19, 1874.