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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
January 5, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Communications.

From—
Medical Officer, recommending leave of absence, disability not attributable to duty, to Private E. W. Van Horn, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18. Granted on half pay.
Same, recommending excuse from fire duty to Fireman Richard Bell, of Engine Co. No. 29. Approved.
Superintendent of Horses, recommending sale of two condemned horses. Sale at auction ordered.
Lee Nutting, relative to collision with his truck. Referred to Chief of Department for investigation.
James E. Serrell, survey of lot on Division street, between Boston road and Cross street. Filed.
Van Tassel & Kearney, account sales of condemned materials, with check for \$1,212.91, net proceeds. Filed, with directions to turn over amount to City Chamberlain.
Superintendent of Telegraph, requisition of supplies, estimated cost \$4.00. Purchase ordered.
Superintendent of Horses, recommending selection of one horse each for Engine Cos. Nos. 29 and 38. Selection ordered.
Supply Clerk, requisition for repairs to clocks, fire extinguishers, etc., for current year, estimated cost, \$150. Expenditure authorized.
Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings, requisition for plumbing work at quarters of Engine Co. No. 10, estimated cost, \$12. Ordered.
Same, requisition for plumbing work at quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2. Filed.

Appointments.

John McQueen, as Private, Engine Co. No. 13, 6th instant.
Francis J. Nolan, as Private, Engine Co. No. 13, 12th instant.

Transfers.

—to take effect 6th instant:
Fireman Owen J. Shanley, Engine Co. No. 13 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7.
“ James Finn, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13.
“ Michael Logan, Engine Co. No. 8 to Engine Co. No. 23.
Private John Lynagh, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13.
On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

JANUARY 7, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Trials.

Pilot Peter Van Orden, Jr., of Engine Co. No. 43, charged with “absence without leave.” Found guilty, and fined three days’ pay.
Private John H. Mertens, of Engine Co. No. 32, charged with “careless driving.” Found guilty, but excusable under the circumstances, and charge dismissed.
Fireman John W. Doew, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, charged with “neglect of duty.” Found guilty, and fined five days’ pay.
Fireman John Banks, of Engine Co. No. 7, charged with “neglect of duty.” Found guilty, and reprimand ordered.
Fireman John Hope, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, charged with “absence without leave,” “intoxication,” and “conduct prejudicial to good order.” Found guilty; case laid over.
Fireman Thomas W. Relyea, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, charged with “violation of paragraph II., General Order 19, 1877.” Found guilty; case laid over.
Private Edward J. Morris, of Engine Co. No. 27, charged with “intoxication” and “absence without leave.” Found guilty, and fined five days’ pay.
Engineer of Steam Robert Gemmel, of Engine Co. No. 27, charged with “violation of paragraph II., General Order 19, 1877.” Found guilty; case laid over.
The minutes of meetings held on 3d and 5th instant were read and approved.

Resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to authorize the transfer of \$5,000, of the unexpended balances of the appropriation for this Department for the years 1878 and 1879, amounting in the aggregate to \$7,026.56, to the appropriation “Bureau of Chief of Department—Pay-roll,” for the current year. Adopted.

Communications.

From—
Chief of Department, returning application of F. De Bary & Co., for an alarm box, with the information that Station 228 is within 250 feet of the desired location. Filed.
Same, returning, with report of compliance, application for detail of Firemen at Academy of Music on 5th instant. Filed.
Same, transmitting detailed report of the rescue of Mrs. Avilla Staniford by Fireman Philip Bauer, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, at fire No. 407 West Fiftieth street, on 27th ultimo. Filed, with directions to enter on Roll of Merit.
Same—Report of investigation relative to collision of Engine No. 32 with truck, and returning complaint of Lee Nutting. Filed.
Inspector of Combustibles—Report of operations for month of December, 1879. Filed.
Same—Report of operations for quarter ending December 31, 1879. Filed, with directions.
Same—Report of licenses and permits issued to 6th instant. Filed.
Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted.
Resolved, That David Stegmeyer, 369 First avenue, and William Strauss, President, 1476 and 1478 Broadway, 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.
Superintendent of Telegraph, returning, approved, recommendation of the Chief of Department relative to locations for alarm boxes. Referred back for compliance.
Medical Officer, recommending leaves of absence to—
Chief of Battalion Samuel Campbell.
Fireman James Hackett, of Engine Co. No. 34.
Fireman James Flood, of Engine Co. No. 38.
Granted.
Same, recommending leaves of absence, disabilities not attributable to duty, to—
Engineer of Steamer, George C. Birkett, of Engine Co. No. 2, for five days.
Fireman Lawrence J. O’Orien, of Engine Co. No. 6, for two days.
Fireman William A. Robinson, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16, for ten days.
Granted on half-pay.

Superintendent of Horses—Report of operations for quarter ending December 31, 1879. Filed with directions.
Same—Weekly report of inspection. Filed.
Captain in Charge of Repair Shops, reporting that spare engine has been repaired and placed in service at quarters of Chief, Fifth Battalion. Filed.
Same, recommending that Repair Shops be connected with Head-quarters by telephone, approved; referred to Superintendent of Telegraph for compliance at a cost not exceeding \$3 per month.
Chief of Fifth Battalion—Report of inspection of premises Nos. 32 to 36 West Twenty-third street, under resolution of the Board adopted December 10, 1879. Filed, with directions to inform Department of Buildings.
Foreman of Engine Co. No. 25, recommending addition to heating apparatus in quarters. Referred to the Committee on Apparatus.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Copy of amount allowed for expenses of the Fire Department for the year 1880, as approved in the Final Estimate. Filed.
Fred. R. Gerhard, recommending use of canvas sheets as a means of saving life at fires. Referred to Chief of Department.
Superintendent of telegraph, recommending an appropriation of \$125, for repairs to telegraph machinery for first quarter. Expenditure authorized.
Superintendent of Horses—Reports of selection of one horse each for Engine Cos. Nos. 29 and 38, and recommending purchase at \$300 each. Purchase ordered.
Supply Clerk—Requisitions for articles required, estimated cost \$55.88, \$36, and \$140, respectively. Purchase ordered.
Reports of inspection (5) by company commanders, under resolution adopted November 26, 1879, were referred to the Inspector of Combustibles, with directions to examine, etc.

Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment.

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 65.

Baker, S. W. Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$108 00	Manhattan Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$172 95
Barber, M. & Nephew, apparatus, supplies, etc.	44 50	Metropolitan Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	40 40
Barron, James S. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	20 09	N. Y. Calcium Light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	6 90
Breves, Otto, apparatus, supplies, etc.	10 30	N. Y. Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	101 08
Central Gas-light Co., “	35 25	Northern Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	37 80
Composite Iron Works Co., “	15 00	Pearce & Jones, apparatus, supplies, etc.	185 61
Emerick, John H., “	30 01	Phelps, Dodge & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	14 50
Flanagan, George, “	25 00	Roebuck, S. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	6 53
Fuller, A. P., “	48 53	Secry, Peter, apparatus, supplies, etc.	37 59
Gregory, James, “	59 48	Serrell, James E., “	30 00
Harlem Gas-light Co., “	105 63	Schmidt, A. & Bros., “	1 50
Hayward, S. F., “	30 09	Schmidt, J. H., “	16 66
Joannes, Emile, “	10 35	Sheldon, George H., “	24 58
Jussen, Carl, “	49 52	Swett, Moses, “	38 76
Kingsland, H. P. & A. A., Trustees of, apparatus, supplies, etc.	500 00	Washburn & Moen Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	192 14
Kitchen, Geo. H. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	3 87		
McDonald, Jas., apparatus, supplies, etc.	28 00		
Mahony, Bros., apparatus, supplies, etc.	2,000 00		
Mahony, Bros., 3 new engine houses.	2,500 00		
			\$6,530 62

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

JANUARY 8, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott. The charges and evidence taken thereon on 7th instant, and then laid over, were considered and disposed of, as follows:
Fireman John Hope, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8. Dismissed the service of the Department from 9th instant.
Fireman Thomas W. Relyea, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8. Dismissed the service of the Department from 9th instant, by the following vote:
Affirmative—Commissioners Gorman and Van Cott.
Negative—President King.
Engineer of Steamer Robert Gemmel, of Engine Co. No. 27, a fine of one day’s pay imposed, and reprimand ordered.
On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

JANUARY 10, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott. Charge of “absence without leave” preferred against Fireman John Hope, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, under date of 8th instant, was filed, the accused having been dismissed the service on other charges.

Communications.

From—
Chief Third Battalion, report relative to collision of Bleecker street car with tender of Engine Co. No. 24, on the 5th instant. Filed with directions to furnish copy to Co. and request that instructions be given to obviate such occurrences.
Captain in charge of Repair-shops, reporting that certain articles and materials had been levied upon by a U. S. Marshal to satisfy a judgment. Filed, with directions to inform the Law Department.
Department of Docks, relative to building a landing place for the Fire Steamer. Referred to President with power.
Alexander Fletcher—Relative to a claim against a member of the Department. Referred to Chief of Department for proper action.
Secretary—Requisitions for ice, care of clocks, etc., for the current year, \$90. Expenditure authorized.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That all officers and members of the Department whose names are inscribed on the Roll of Merit, be furnished with a certified abstract of the service rendered, as thereon recorded. Adopted.
Resolved, That an expenditure of \$396, for rent of eleven telephones for the use of the Department for the current year, be and is hereby authorized. Adopted.
Resolved, That an expenditure of \$75, for rent of premises No. 735 East Eleventh street, from 1st to 31st instant inclusive, for temporary quarters of Engine Co. No. 28, be and is hereby authorized. Adopted.
Resolved, That an expenditure of \$60, for rent of premises No. 448 West Thirty-third street, from 1st to 31st instant inclusive, for temporary quarters of Engine Co. No. 34, be and is hereby authorized. Adopted.
Resolved, That James E. Serrell, City Surveyor, be requested to survey the lot on east Seventy-fifth street, purchased for the use of this Department, at a cost of not exceeding \$15, and to report with diagram of the same. Adopted.
Resolved, That Chief of Battalion Hugh Bonner be and is hereby relieved from duty as a member of the Examining Board of Engineers, at his own request, and that Charles O. Shay, Assistant Chief of Department, be and is appointed a member of said Board. Adopted.

Appointed.

Michael F. Reilly, as Private, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, 13th instant.
On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 8th day of January, 1880. Present—Commissioners Wheeler, MacLean, French, and Voorhis.

Leave of Absence Granted.

- Patrolman Michael Hartigan, Twenty-ninth Precinct, two days, without pay. Leaves of Absence Granted under Rule 564.—Approved. December 30. Patrolman Patrick McGearty, Seventeenth Precinct, one and a half days.

Parades Approved.

Bergischi Quartette Club, January 2. Parade. A. O. Hibernians No. 8, January 4. Funeral. A. O. Hibernians No. 16, January 4. Funeral. New York Turn Verein, January 8. Funeral. Report of the Superintendent, relative to the enforcement of the Excise Law on Sunday, 4th instant, was ordered on file.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Precinct. Rows include Patrolman William Casey (Precinct 22), John G. Taylor (Precinct 9), James Flynn (Precinct 10), Patrolman Aaron H. Hoyt (Precinct 4), John H. Kershaw (Precinct 15), Francis Smith (Precinct 1).

Masked Balls Allowed.

Ladies' United Social Coterie, at Turn Hall, January 7, 1880. Friendship Association, at Tammany Hall, January 12, 1880. Sause's Dancing Academy, at Clarendon Hall, January 13, 1880. St. Rose of Lima Association, at Apollo Hall, January 20, 1880. Adelpia Benevolent Association, at Wendel's Assembly Rooms, February 9, 1880. The following applications were referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline:

Patrolman William J. Ryder, Eighth Precinct, for half pay while sick. Application of Mrs. Helen Kerns, wife of ex-Patrolman Thomas F. Kerns, for payment of balance of salary for December, was referred to the Treasurer with power. Application of Johanna Daily, widow of late Roundsman Michael Daily, for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

The following report of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies was approved and adopted: The Committee on Repairs and Supplies report back to the Board the accompanying communication from the President of the Fire Department, relative to certain hose, etc., reported as lost from Police Boat "Seneca," and requesting an investigation of same; also the annexed report of Captain Schultz in reference thereto; and the Committee recommend that a copy of the report be forwarded to the President of the Fire Department, with the information that the seven lengths of hose referred to will be returned to the Fire Department on its order.

Resolved, That the proposal of Andrew H. Green, executor and trustee, to lease to the Police Department for the term of one year (with privilege of renewals on terms therein specified) the house on southeast corner of Commerce avenue and Depot place, at Highbridge, with lots 50 x 100 feet, on which it stands, at the rate of \$700 per annum, until January 1, 1881, be and is hereby accepted; and that the acting President of the Board of Police be and is hereby authorized to execute the said lease for and on behalf of the said Board.

Resolved, That the following bills be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—Commissioners Wheeler, French, and Voorhis voting aye; Commissioner MacLean voting no.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Rows include Anthony J. Allaire, cartages (\$3 00), Nathaniel Buckbee, meals (11 25), Mary A. Baker, meals (3 00), Martin B. Brown, stationery (3 63), Robert C. Brown, ventilating pipe (47 00), M. Creenan & T. S. Lear, expenses (7 52), James Crosby, expenses (3 00), James Crowley (19 15), Thomas J. Cox (3 81), Thomas J. Cox, Jr. (2 55), C. D. Cunningham, keeping horse (25 00), John Doran, newspapers (4 86).

Appointments as Patrolmen.

William Hogan, Fourth Precinct. Mark F. Healy, Eighteenth Precinct. Resolved, That Commissioner Voorhis be added to the Committee on Clerical Force. Resolved, That the Committee on Clerical Force be directed to report at the next meeting of the Board a schedule of clerks and employees, as to number and rates of compensation in each case, so that the same shall conform, in total amount of salaries, to the appropriation made by the Board of Apportionment for that purpose for the year 1880.

Street Cleaning.

Communication from J. C. Hamilton and H. A. Hurlbut, asking that certain material be removed from surface of street in front of premises 11 and 17 West Twentieth street, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning. Resolved, That the bill of \$250 for rent of Eighteenth Ward Market for the month of December, 1879, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer. All voting aye. Resolved, That the pay-rolls of the Bureau of Street Cleaning for the month of December, 1879, amounting to \$42,181.85, as per schedule, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer. Commissioners MacLean, Wheeler, and French voting aye; Commissioner Voorhis voting no. Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$2,292.79, for expenses incurred by the Bureau of Street Cleaning in removing ice and snow during the month of December, 1879. Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, DECEMBER 29, 1879, TO JANUARY 3, 1880.

Present—Commissioners Cox, Brennan, and Hess.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending December 27, 1879: Males, 24; females, 5. On file. List of prisoners to be discharged from January 3 to 10, 1880 (45). Transmitted to Prison Association. From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 4 patients received during week ending December 27, 1879. On file. From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 8 patients received during week ending December 27, 1879. On file. From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending December 27, 1879 (\$279). On file.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the proposals of David P. Arnold, to furnish fresh meats during the year 1880, of the kinds and prices enumerated in the minutes of December 27, 1879; The American Condensed Milk Co., to furnish condensed milk for six months, at 20 cents per quart (January, February, March, October, November, December); condensed milk for six months at 15 cents per quart (April, May, June, July, August, September); —be accepted, and the contract awarded to them, their sureties having been approved by the Comptroller. Adopted. Resolved, That the proposal of H. E. Bowns, to furnish and deliver 5,000 tons white ash coal for Out-Door Poor, at \$3.53 per ton, be accepted, and the contract awarded to him, his sureties having been approved by the Comptroller. Adopted. Resolved, That proposals for groceries, feed, fish, potatoes, etc., be advertised for in the CITY RECORD. Adopted. Resolved, That proposals for 2,000 tons white ash coal be invited through the CITY RECORD until January 14, 1880; all of said coal to be delivered, as required, in the sizes and quantities as enumerated in the CITY RECORD of January 3, 1880. Adopted.

Appointments.

- December 31. Joseph Murphy, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. January 2. Eliza Mahon, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum. " 3. Edward Walsh, Inspector of Coal, temporarily.

Resignations.

- December 29. William Gorman, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. January 2. Emma Harris, Nurse, Charity Hospital.

Dismissal.

- January 3. John Sheehan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, January 12, 1880.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending January 10, 1880.

HENRY J. DUDLEY, Sup't of Buildings. SAMUEL T. WEBSTER, Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Count. Rows include No. of plans and specifications filed (23), No. of buildings embraced in same (59), Classified as follows: First-class dwellings (30), Second-class dwellings (20), French flats (20), Tenement-houses (4), Hotels and boarding-houses (4), First-class stores (2), Second-class stores (2), Third-class stores (2), Office buildings (2), Manufactories and workshops (2), School-houses (2), Churches (2), Public buildings (2), Stables (2), Frame buildings (in upper districts) (1).

Table with 2 columns: Description, Count. Rows include Plans passed upon, including those previously filed (32), Approved (14), Amended and approved (5), Disapproved (5), Pending (8), Total (32).

Table with 2 columns: Description, Count. Rows include No. of plans and specifications filed (23), No. of buildings embraced in same (24), Classified as follows: First-class dwellings (6), Second-class dwellings (1), French flats (1), Tenement houses (4), Hotels and boarding-houses (4), First-class stores (2), Second-class stores (1), Third-class stores (1), Office buildings (1), Manufactories and workshops (6), School-houses (1), Churches (1), Public buildings (1), Stables (1), Frame buildings (2).

Table with 2 columns: Description, Count. Rows include Buildings examined and plans relating thereto passed upon, including those previously filed (31), Approved (18), Amended and approved (3), Disapproved (5), Pending (5), Total (31).

Special Applications.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Count. Rows include Number filed and examinations made (13), Approved (4), Disapproved (5), Pending (4), Total (13).

Respectfully submitted, ROBERT MCGINNIS, Chief of Bureau. JOHN J. TINDALE, Plan Clerk.

BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Count. Rows include Operations for the week ending Jan. 10, 1880: Complaints received from outside sources (23), Violations of the law reported (5), Unsafe buildings reported (16), Surveys held on unsafe buildings (11), Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution (24), Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution (55).

Respectfully submitted, ANDREW OWENS, Chief of Bureau. WILLIAM H. CLASS, Clerk.

BUREAU OF FIRE-ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Count. Rows include Operations for the week ending Jan. 10, 1880: Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire (33), Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways (5), Buildings reported for iron shutters (5), Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire (7), Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways (3), Arch girders tested (approved) (1), Iron beams tested (approved) (5), Iron lintels tested (approved) (5), Notices for fire-escapes, trap-doors, iron shutters, etc., served (55), Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution (55).

Respectfully submitted, CHAS. K. HYDE, Chief of Bureau. VICTOR W. VOORHEES, Clerk.

Bills Incurred.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 1880. Jan. 6—To F. Meyer, for rent "Westchester" office for December, 1879 (\$8 00), " 6—To S. T. Webster, Chief Clerk, for office expenses for December, 1879 (103 43), " 9—To Law Telegraph Co., for use of telephone in office for December, 1879 (17 50).

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office. No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary. Mayor's Marshal's Office. No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal. Permit and License Bureau Office. No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. DANIEL S. HART, Registrar. Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures. No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. WILLIAM EYLER, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner's Office. No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner. Bureau of Water Register. No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register. Bureau of Incumbrances. No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent. Bureau of Sewers. No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge. Bureau of Chief Engineer. No. 11 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEORGE W. BIRDSALL. Bureau of Street Improvements. No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent. Bureau of Repairs and Supplies. No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent. Bureau of Water Purveyor. No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor. Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park. JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall. Bureau of Lamps and Gas. No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent. Bureau of Streets. No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office. Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORIS, Deputy Comptroller. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes. First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park. MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes. Bureau of the City Chamberlain. No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain. Auditing Bureau. No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts. Bureau of Arrears. No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ARTEMAS CADY, Clerk of Arrears. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments. No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD GILON, Collector. Bureau of City Revenue. No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue. Bureau of Markets. No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation. Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation; ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk. Office of the Public Administrator. No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator. Office of the Corporation Attorney. No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney. Attorney to Department of Buildings' Office. Corner Cortland and Church streets. JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office. No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. PETER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff.

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

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street. MORITZ ELLINGER, GERSON N. HERRMAN, THOMAS C. KNOX, and JOHN H. BRADY, Coroners.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street. JOHN J. CRANE. GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green. CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 Nassau street. WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, 6 Bowery.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Room No. 10. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15. NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. General Term, Room No. 29. Special Term, Room No. 33. Chambers, Room No. 34. Part I., Room No. 35. Part II., Room No. 36. Part III., Room No. 37. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32. Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31. WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22. General Term, Room No. 24. Special Term, Room No. 21. Chambers, Room No. 21. Part I., Room No. 25. Part II., Room No. 26. Part III., Room No. 27. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23. CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I., Room 15, City Hall, Trial Term Part II., Trial Term Part III., third floor, 27 Chambers street.

Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY ALKER, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Chief Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor southeast corner, Room 13, 10:30 A. M. Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN CALLAHAN, Justice. Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards. Nos. 112 and 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice. Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards, Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street. GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice. Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Nos. 20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN A. DINKEL, Justice. Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street. TIMOTHY J. CAMPBELL, Justice. Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue. WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 1, 1879. APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given. Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters. Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, received from those who, for business or other reasons, are unable to serve at the time selected, pay the expenses of this office, and if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents. All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt. Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted. THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner, County Court-house (Chambers street entrance).

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, January 10, 1880. TO CONTRACTORS. PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Friday, January 23, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department and read, for the following: No. 1. LAYING CROTON WATER-MAINS in Walton, Ogden, Courtland, Tenth, and Morris avenues, and in One Hundred and Third, Sixty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, One Hundred and Sixty-fifth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Tenth, One Hundred and Ninth, One Hundred and Sixty-first, Thomas, and Inwood streets. No. 2. LAYING CROTON WATER-MAINS for Aqueduct purposes in Tenth avenue, Eighty-fifth street, and Central Park, from Ninety-third street to aqueduct in Central Park. No. 3. SEWER in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets. No. 4. SEWER in One Hundred and Third street, between Third and Lexington avenues. No. 5. SEWER in Avenue B, between Seventy-ninth and Eighty-second streets. No. 6. SEWER in Fifth avenue, east side, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets. Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained for each class of work at the following offices: Laying Croton Water-mains, Room 11 1/2, and Sewers, Room 21 City Hall. The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if, in his judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the city. ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, } No. 66 THIRD AVENUE. } PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR. TO CONTRACTORS. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING FLOUR. 3,000 barrels of good extra Wheat Flour, to be equal in quality to the samples to be seen at this office (empty barrels to be returned and deducted in proposals from the price of flour), to be delivered at the Bakehouse, Blackwell's Island, in quantities as required, free of all expense to the Department. —will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday the 24th day of January, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before sixty (60) days after the date of the contract. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, January 10, 1880.

PROPOSALS FOR STOP-COCKS, STOP-COCK BOXES, HYDRANTS, AND HYDRANT-BOXES.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELOPES, with the above title and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Friday, January 23, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following: FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOP-COCKS, STOP-COCK BOXES, HYDRANTS, AND HYDRANT-BOXES. Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 11 1/2 City Hall. The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the City. ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

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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

- 1. Fencing Fifth and Madison avenues and Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets..... \$243 58
2. Basin at the junction of Beaver and Pearl streets..... 180 73
3. Regulating, grading, resetting curb and gutter, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue..... 999 99
4. Sewer in New avenue, west of Morningside Park, and in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Tenth avenue..... 17,428 16
5. Crosswalk at the northerly and southerly intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street..... 141 20
6. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues..... 1,057 77
7. Sewer in Fifty-eighth street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer..... 1,562 70
\$21,614 13
Secretary.

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary. OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. OF CENTRE), NEW YORK, January 13, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, December, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS AND BUILDERS.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF THEIR INTERESTS, property owners and builders are requested to refuse admission into their buildings to any officer of this Department who does not show his proper badge of office on demand.

All badges issued from this office are shield shaped, with the title of the officer, the name of this Department, and the number engraved thereon, and are numbered from 1 to 50. The following badges are lost or stolen: Inspectors, badges Nos. 4, 8, 9, 11, 12, 21, 22, 23, 36, 38, 39, 42, 43, 45, 46, 48, 49, and 50. Fire Escape Examiners, badges Nos. 3 and 8, and Messenger's badge No. 7. All parties professing to be officers of this Department not provided with badges of the above description, or who attempt to use badges of the above named missing numbers, or an oval shaped badge, formerly used in the Department, are impostors, and the public are cautioned against recognizing such persons, and are requested to report the same to this office in any case that may come to their notice. HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent of Buildings.

THE CITY RECORD

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING FLOUR.

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

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday the 24th day of January, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before sixty (60) days after the date of the contract. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the

contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, January 12, 1880. TOWNSEND COX, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, JACOB HESS, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, January 9, 1880.

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

At Hart's Island Hospital—Dora Haywood; aged 23 years. Had on when admitted light wrapper, gray skirt, plaid shawl. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, January 10, 1880.

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

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Bernard McNulty; aged 19 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat and pants, cardigan jacket, laced shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, January 8, 1880.

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

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Gray; committed December 8, 1879, aged 41 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR COMPLETING THE NEW WING TO INSANE ASYLUM, WARD'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following named works, to wit:

- 1. The mason work yet to be done (including the blue stone and granite work) required in building a west wing to the Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.
2. Furnishing and setting the cut stone for such wing.
3. The carpenter work required in building such wing.

4. The iron work required for such wing.
5. Doing the slating and tinning required for such wing.
will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, the 17th day of January, 1880, at which place and time the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the awards of the contracts will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons making any estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department, on or before the day and hour above named. The envelope containing the estimate shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

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

The above several works will be required to be completed as follows, viz:

- No. 1, in (6) six months after the date of the contract.
" 2, in (6) six " " "
" 3, in (8) eight " " "
" 4, in (10) ten " " "
" 5, in (10) ten " " "

For the amount of work to be performed in each case reference must be made to the plans and specifications for the same, on file in the office of the Department.

Any bidder for a contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

The person or persons to whom the several security for the faithful performance of the several contracts will be required, which security will be by the bond of the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, with two sufficient sureties in penal sums, as follows, viz.:

- For No. 1, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars.
" 2, " " two "
" 3, " " five "
" 4, " " three "
" 5, " " two "

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

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

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for doing the whole work by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued as set forth in the respective forms of contract.

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

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

Dated New York, January 5, 1880. TOWNSEND COX, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, JACOB HESS, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, January 6, 1880.

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

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Johnson; aged 70 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted blue coat and vest, dark pants. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—James Delisle; aged 59 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair; dark eyes. Had on when admitted blue coat, dark vest and pants, brown overalls, shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, January 12, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, January 12, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1880, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 12, 1880, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1880, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

By Order of the Board, ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 & 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, January 6, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit: 165,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Good Sweet Timothy.

37,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw. 1,200 bags clean White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag. 800 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

will be received at these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 21st instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 & 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, January 6, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TWO (2) horses and one old covered buggy will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirteenth street, on Friday, the 16th instant, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers.

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

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

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

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

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York, will be held on Tuesday, January 20, 1880, at 4 o'clock P. M. at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 145 Grand street, New York City.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due February 1, 1880, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from January 15, to February 1, 1880.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 10, 1880.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1879, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$700 00. The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price 50 00. Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price 15 00. Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price 10 00. Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, Dec. 13, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 10, 1879. 83d street sewer, between 10th avenue and Boulevard. 95th street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues, etc. 107th street sewer, between 4th and 5th avenues. Water street basin, southeast corner Jefferson street. 92d street basin, southwest corner 8th avenue. 99th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 1st to 3d avenue.

9th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from 63d street to Boulevard. 74th street, paving from Avenue A to East river. 45th street, flagging south side, between 1st and 2d avenues. 4th avenue, flagging east side, between 65th and 66th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 11, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of January, 1880, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

THOMAS W. PITTMAN, A. M. SOTELDO, GEORGE F. MARTENS, Commissioners.

Dated New York, January 3, 1880.

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

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

That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Charles H. Haswell, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the twenty-first day of January, 1880, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said twenty-first day of January, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at three o'clock P. M.

That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-first day of January, 1880.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue, distant one hundred feet and eight inches northwesterly from the northwesterly corner of Eighty-ninth street and Eighth avenue, and running thence westerly and parallel with Eighty-ninth street to the established bulkhead line on the Hudson river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line two hundred and sixty-two feet and six and one-half inches; thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-ninth street to the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue; and thence northerly along the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue two hundred and sixty-one feet and four inches to the point or place of beginning.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 3rd day of February, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 3, 1879. CHARLES H. HASWELL, BERNARD SMYTH, RICHARD CROKER, Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-second street, from First avenue to Avenue B in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Menzo Diefendorf, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 71 Broadway, Room 124, in the said city, on or before the 20th day of January, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 20th day of January, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 20th day of January, 1880.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of First avenue distant one hundred and two feet two inches from the northerly side of Eighty-second street; thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-second street to a point distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly side of Avenue B, and one hundred and two feet and two inches northerly from the northerly side of Eighty-second street; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly side of Avenue B, to a point distant one hundred and two feet two inches southerly from the southerly side of Eighty-second street; thence westerly and parallel with Eighty-second street to a point on the easterly side of First avenue distant one hundred and two feet two inches southerly from the southerly side of Eighty-second street; and thence northerly along the easterly side of First avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 3rd day of February, 1880, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 2d, 1879. MENZO DIEFENDORF, GEORGE H. SWORDS, THOMAS L. FEITNER, Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39, NEW YORK, January 2, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, male and female clothing, watches, revolvers, two cases goods, seed, wagons, tea, coffee, etc.; also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.