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OF CITY RECORD. BOARD

The Board of CITY RECORD met in the Mayors Office, Monday November 10th, 1873. Present, The Mayor, Commissioner of Public Works and Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion the reading of the minutes of last meeting was dispensed with.

The Counsel to the Corporation offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That in pursuance of section 19, chapter 757 of the Laws of 1873, the clerk of the Common Council, be and he is hereby authorized to have the work hereinafter specified, performed without contract such as is provided for in chapter 335 of said Laws known as the Charter, and without the formalities in said charter mentioned, and he is hereby authorized to procure the same in such manner and on such terms and conditions as shall reasonably insure its proper performances at the lowest cost, to be ascertained in such manner as by advertisement for bids or otherwise he shall find practicable.

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1.—For preparing index to the proceedings of the Boards of Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen, for the year 1872, the price per page for such preparation, to be similar to specimen, to be seen at this office.

2.—For printing the said index, which is to accompany each of the 4 volumes of the proceedings of each Board; the price per page for such printing:—for an edition of 250 copies of each volume.

3.—For binding 250 copies of each volume of proceedings, in full sheep, as per specimen shown—in all for both Boards 2,000 volumes; the price for binding each volume.

4.—For preparing index to the volume of documents for each Board for the year 1872; the price per page for such preparation—similar to specimens furnished at this office.

5.—For printing such index, when prepared, which is to be bound as part of each volume of documents; the price per page for an edition of 300 copies of each volume.

6.—For binding 300 copies of each volume—600 volumes in all—for both Boards; half muslin binding; to be equal to specimen furnished at this office.

7.—For printing, preparing index, printing the same, and binding the joint proceedings of the Common Council for the year 1872 (being volume 39 of the series); the price per page for preparing the index, and the price per page for preparing the index, and the price per page for such printing, indexing and binding to be in all respects equal to the sample work to be seen at this office.

8.—For re-printing any portion of the proceedings of either Boards that may be required, the price per page for such re-print, for an edition of 350 copies; as per sample to be seen at this office.

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The Clerk of the Common Council, Joseph C Pinckney, stated that the Board of Apportionment had made an appropriation of \$4,225 for said work, and explained the same.

The chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with such resolution; which was decided in the affirmative by the following

Affirmative-The Mayor, Commissioner of Public Works, and Counsel to the Corporation.

The Counsel to the Corporation offered for adoption the following:

Whereas, Direction has been given under misapprehension by the Board of Aldermen to print a letter of Mr. McMurdy in THE CITY RECORD,

Whereas, Said letter not being matter allowed by law to be published therein; therefore-

Resolved, That the publication of said letter in THE CITY RECORD be omitted.

Board would agree with said resolution; which was decided in the affirmative by the following

The Counsel to the Corporation offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to cause to be published in THE CITY RECORD the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Education, and the Board of Excise.

Which was adopted by the concurrent vote of all the members of the Board.

A claim of P. W. Rhodes, amounting to \$333, for "average standing matter on galleys, 60,000 ems per day for III issues, at 5 cents per 1,000 ems," was, on motion, referred to the Supervisor of THE CITY RECORD and Mr. Rhodes, to obtain the opinion of two experts thereon, and report the same to this Board.

The following bill was, on motion, referred to the Mayor for certification, and requisition on the Comptroller for payment:

New York Era, advertising\$121 40 On motion adjourned.

D. S. WENDELL,

REPORT

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

FOR THE

THREE MONTHS ENDING OCT. 31, 1873.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 5th November, 1873. To the Hon. Wm. F. Havemeyer, Mayor of the City of New York:

SIR:—The Department of Public Parks, in pursuance of section 27 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, hereby makes the following report of its operations and actions for the three months

of its operations and actions for the three months ending 31st October, 1873:

The following undertakings, which had been suspended in May last on account of the small amount of the stock of the "City Parks Improvement Fund" remaining unissued at that date, have been directed to be coutinued, viz.:

The construction of the base of the enclosing wall of the Central Park on Eighth avenue.

The Pergola, Central Park (now finished).

The road steps at the south end of the Mall and on the drive near the dairy, Central Park, Flagging the sidewalk of Stuyvesant Square; The adaptation of the surface of the Central Park to the grade of One Hundred and Tenth street.

The following new undertakings have been ordered, and are in progress, or have been com-

An additional building for the accommodation of the graminivorous animals of the Zoological

The repair of the draw of the bridge over Harlem River at Third avenue.

The flagging of the sidewalks of Jackson quare (completed).

The embellishment of the fountain in Union

Square.

The purchase of four thousand young trees for future use in the exterior walks of the parks.

The repair of the pavement of the City Hall Park with bituminous concrete, except where hydraulic concrete is now laid.

Two drinking fountains in Stuyvesant Square.

The excavation for the base of foundations of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

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The repair of the cottage, the removal of the posts and chains, and the protection of the wood pavement by the covering the same with a coat of tar and gravel in Washington Square (com-

The two gasoliers in Madison Square.

The foundation walls of the Museum of Natu-

ral History, below the sub cellar (completed).

The preparation of the following reports, plans and specifications has been ordered, viz.:

For the remainder of the enclosing wall of the Central Park on the Fighth avenue and on One

Hundred and Tenth street, between Sixth and

The working plans of the building for the merican Museum of Art.

For the walks around the music stand and the

fountains in Madison Square.

For the improvement of the planting in Tomp-

kins Square.

For the improvement of Morningside and Riverside Parks and the immediate preparation of plans for that part of Riverside Park which lies south of Seventy-ninth street.

The President was requested to obtain estimates of the cost of repairing the walks in the City

of the cost of repairing the walks in the City Hall Park.

The chairman put the question whether the loard would agree with said resolution; which was decided in the affirmative by the following one:

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Public Works, and Counsel to the Corporation. the durability of the concrete pavements laid by

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the Department.

The following plans have been adopted, viz:
For the Urinal in Astor Place.
For the pavillion in Mt. Morris Square.
For the improvement of Morningside Park.
The profile of the new grade at the Five Points

Proposals have been invited, by means of ad-ertisement in The CITY RECORD, for the fol-

lowing work and supplies, viz:

For the carpenter and iron work and the painting of the outset arch, Central Park.

For the mason and stone-cutters work of the

For the wood, tin, carpenter and glazier work on the building for the graminiverous animals, Central Park,

For 550 tons of coal.

For four months supply of gravel.

All of the proposals for the outset arch were rejected on account of informality.

Contracts have been awarded and executed for the following work and supplies: For the enclosing wall of the Central Park, on Eighth avenue, to the Wilson and Hughes Stone

Company.

For the delivery of dressed base stone for the same to the Bigelow Blue Stone Company.

For the delivery of dressed ashlar and coping for the same to Wm. H. Cromelin.

For the completion of the mason work of the Museum of Natural History to Messrs. D. C. Weeks & Company.

Museum of Natural History to Messrs. D. C. Weeks & Company.

For the masonry and granite construction as well as temporary bridge, of the Inscope Arch in the Central Park to Messrs Deeves and Parry.

For 550 tons of coal to Henry Sherwin.

For the bronze work for the fountain in the City Hall Park, to George Fischer & Brother.

For the iron work of the Museum of Natural History to True W. Rollins.

For the granite work of the same, to True W. Rollins.

For four months supply of screened gravel, to

Rollins.

For four months supply of screened gravel, to Jesse Ryder and Egbert L. Fairchild.

For the construction and setting of the iron work of the ornamental lamps, flagstaffs and decorations in Union Square, to William L. Miller and Company.

Henry G. Stebbins having resigned the office of President of the Board on the 31st July, 1873, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

adopted:
Resolved, That we hereby tender to the Hon.
Henry G. Stebbins our sincere thanks for the
courtesy he has uniformly manifested as presiding officer of this Board; that we have thoroughly
appreciated his valuable services as an efficient
President, and trust that, while he has for personal reasons resigned his official position, he
will continue to aid us with his knowledge and
experience in reference to matters connected with
this Department.

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this Department.
On 29th August the following Commissioners
were elected to be the officers of the Board:
Salem H. Wales, President.
Henry G. Stebbins, Vice President.
David B. Williamson, Treasurer.
The salary of the Treasurer was fixed at \$4,000
per annum.

The following standing committees were ap-

Executive Committee: Philip Bissinger, Henry

G. Stebbins.
Auditing Committee: David B. Williamson,
Dr. Samuel Hall.
Messrs. Bissinger, Williamson and Hall were
appointed a committee on re-appointment of the
personal force necessary to carry on the business
of the December. personal force neces of the Department. The resignation of Mr. E. T. Lagrave, assist-

The resignation of Mr. E. T. Lagrave, assistant head gardener, was accepted.

The services of the Consulting Engineer were dispensed with.

The following employes have been removed:
Isaac Jerome, General Foreman; Knut Forsberg, draughtsman; Robert P. Schofield, Lieutenant of Police (office discontinned); two Sergeants of Police; three patrol keepers; two gate keepers and three gardeners.

The following promotions have been made:
Two patrol keepers to be sergeants; eight gate keepers to be patrol keepers; four watchmen to be patrol keepers.

keepers to be patrol keepers; four watchmen to be patrol keepers.

The following appointments have been made:
An attendant at the cottage, Union Square; an attendant at the cottage, Washington Square; a draw-tender of the bridge over Harlem River in place of Dennis Hanley, deceased; ten gate-keepers, Central Park; William B. Dyer, assistant clerk to the landscape architect; James C. Aldch, assistant engineer; Isaac W. Maclay, assistant to the civil and topographical engineer.

The following persons who were in the services

The following persons who were in the services of the Department, previous to the passage of Chapter 335 of the laws of 1873, have been reappointed.

Columbus Ryan, Superintendent of Parks.

Wm. Van Valkenburg, Disbursing Clerk.

Two sergeants of Police.

Forty-two patrol keepers and Fourteen cate.

Forty-two patrol keepers and Fourteen gate

keepers.
The several amounts received for sales, licences, repts, &c., amounting to the sum of \$8,930.07 have been deposited with the Chamberlain, and returns thereof filed with the Comp-

artment for payment, to the amount of \$114-

576.97. Pay rolls for laborers wages, and tor salaries of officers, clerks and engineers have been certified and transmitted to the Finance Department, for the payment of the same to the amount of \$251,-

the payment of the same the payment of the same of \$15,000, which had been appropriated to this Department by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with Section 7 of Chapter 756 of the laws of 1873, for the keeping, preservation, and exhibition of collections was directed to be paid for those purpeses to the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

The \$10,000 of the Bonds of the town of Kingsbridge, received on requisition of 2d April

Ringsbridge, received on requisition of 2d April 1873, were sold at par and accrued interest, and the amount received thereof, viz. \$10,175, deposited in the United States Trust Company, to the credit of the Board of this Department. From said amount the sum of \$8,806.24 has been read for work done in the town of \$10,000 for \$10, paid for work done in the town of Kingsbridge, during the six months ending the 30th day of

September.
Requisition has been made on the Supervisor

Requisition has been made on the Supervisor and Town Clerk of the town of Kingsbridge for the issuing and delivery to this Department of the bonds of said town to the amount of \$10,000, to carry out the provisions of Chapter 89, of the laws of 1873.

The funds of this Department not especially disposed of under the authority of chapter 335 of the laws of 1873, were directed to be deposited in the Bank of the Metropolis to the credit of the Department, to be drawn only on the proper order signed by the Treasurer.

The number of park keepers having been found insufficient to prevent the misuse of the parks, it was resolved that the number of patrol keepers in the Central Park be increased from thirty-nine to fifty-six, and the number of city park keepers from nine to fifteen, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment was requested park keepers from nine to hiteen, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment was requested to appropropriate the sum of \$9,000, to defray the expenses to be incurred by such increase from the 1st September to 31st December, 1873. Application was also made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the transfer of the balances from the credit of the several special

the balances from the credit of the several special appropriations made to this Department to the credit of the appropriation for the general maintenance of parks and places.

The departmental estimates for the year 1874 were prepared and sent to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with a supplemental communication presenting a statement of the unadjusted and unpaid bills for gas supplied to the parks during the years 1872 and 1873.

The Commissioner of the Department of Public Works was requested to loan to this Department all maps and surveys, made by said Department, of the streets and avenues adjacent to the Morningside and Riverside Parks, and of Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth street to Mt. Morris Square.

Tith avenue, from Nineteen street to Mt. Morns Square.

The Comptroller was requested by resolution of 12th of August, under the provisions of section 6 of chapter 756 of the laws of 1873, to issue to an amount not exceeding the sum of \$300,000 of the public fund or stock, to be denominated the City Parks Improvement Fund for the improvement and regulation of the several parks, squares and public places which by law now are or may hereafter be under the control and management of the Department of Public Parks, and also for the construction and equipment of a Meteorological and Astronomical Observatory on Central Park.

The Comptroller was requested by resolution

Central Park.

The Comptroller was requested by resolution of 27th August, to issue \$15,000 of the public fund or stock of the County of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 7 of chapter 505 of the laws of 1865, for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses incurred, or to be incurred during the year ending on the 31st December, 1873, in laying out streets, avenues and squares north of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street in the City of New York.

The Comptroller was also requested by resolution of 14th August to inform the Board of this Department whether there remained any balance of moneys unexpended for the improvement of

of moneys unexpended for the improvement of the avenues and streets adjoining the Morning side Park, Riverside Fark and the Fifth avenue, from 90th street to Mt. Morris Square.

The Counsel to the Corporation was requested to furnish his opinion on the following subjects.

As to the proper method to be adopted under the existing laws for raising money to defray the expenses of laying out streets, avenues and squares, north of 155th street, in the City of New York.

As to the authority of this Department over the streets and avenues adjoining the parks and places under the control of this Department and reartically over 10th street.

particularly over 110th street.

As to the legality and validity of a contract made by the Department with the New York Mutual Gas Light Company.

Whether the Department would be justified in paying the claim of George S. Greene, Jr. out of the first moneys to be received on account of the funds provided by the Supervisors of the County of Westchester, pursuant to chapter 534, of the Laws of 1871.

Laws of 1871.

As to the authority of the Department over the hotel in High Bridge Park.

building fronting on City Hall Park, was granted

Conditionally.

Two hundred and fifty copies of the report of the director of the menagerie for the year 1872, and five hundred copies of the meteorological report for the same year, were ordered to be printed.

By laws for the government of the Department By-laws for the government of the Department,

were adopted.

In pursuauce of section 3, of chapter 756, of the Laws of 1873, the site for the Metropolitan Museum of Art, as designated by the Department on the 20th day of March, 1872, to wit, on that part of the Central Park, between 79th and 84th streets and the Fifth avenue and the Drive,

was approved.

The following resolution was passed on 24th
September, laying out the continuation of "F"

RESOLVED, That under and by virtue of an act entitled "An Act to provide for the laying out and improving of certain portions of the City and County of New York," passed April 24, 1865, the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks hereby lay out the street or road, fifty feet wide, in continuation northerly, from a Public Parks hereby lay out the street or road, fifty feet wide, in continuation northerly, from a street known as "F" street, the southerly end of said street a road hereby laid out being 272 63-100 feet from the northerly sile of Inwood street, as measured on the centre line of said "F" street, and extending northerly from said "F" street, and extending northerly from said "F" street 308 37-100 feet to or near the southerly side of a street or road known as Bolton Road.

The grade of said street was also established.

The grade of said street was also established, and maps, plans and profiles authorized to be prepared for filing, in accordance with the above mentioned act.

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mentioned act.

Several licences to occupy buildings on Riverside Park and Avenue have been issued.

Permission was given to the New York Mutual Gas Light Company to lay main and service pipes in the City Hall Park, the Bowling Green and the Battery.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on the re-organization of the park-keepers force, the "round system" was directed to be discontinued, and the "beat system" re-established. The park keepers were authorized to be provided with clubs, and the services of the "extra keepers" dispensed with.

keepers" dispensed with.

The Landscape Architect was relieved from the duties of superintendence, and directed to prepare plans for Morningside and Riverside Parks.

The following rules were adopted to regulate the action of the Board in accepting statues and monuments, and placing the same in the Central and other parks.

and other parks.

First—Before any engagement is made to place a statue, or allow a statue to be placed upon the Central Park, it shall be seen in a finished condition, or in the form of a finished model, and a judgment as to its merits shall have been requested from the respective Presidents of the American Academy of Design, the American Museum of Art, and the American Institute of Architects.

Architects.
Second—The determination of a site for any Second—The determination of a site for any statue shall be reserved until after its acceptance.

Third—On each side of the main walk of the Mall, on a line with the statue of Scott, now placed, a series of statues may be ranged commemorative of men and of events of far-reaching and permanent interest. At or near each of the gates of the park portrait or commemorative statues may also be placed appropriate to the name of the gate. Portrait or memorial statues shall hereafter be placed nowhere else in the Central Park.

Fourth—Statues or sculptured works designed

Fourth-Statues or sculptured works designed to represent objects of beauty or dramatic and poetic interest may be placed at any points in the park where they shall not dominate the land-scape, or, when seen in front, divide the view of the park when seen in front, divide the view of the control of the park and the park are a proposed and the park over an expanse, lawn or glade.

Fifth—A statue commemorative of any person shall not be placed in the Central Park, nor accepted with a condition that it shall be placed in the Central Park until after a period of at least five years from the death of the person represented.

Mr. Calvert Vaux was empowered to confer with the trustees of the Metropolitan Museum of

with the trustees of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, in order to meet their reasonable wishes as the work of the building progresses.

After obtaining the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation in the premises, Mr. E. Herbert was ejected from the High Bridge Hotel by the police of the Departmenti

It was ordered that no trees in the parks be cut down except by special order of the Board. It was ordered that a force be detailed from the employes in the office of the Civil and Topographical Engineer to place monument stones on the line of Sedgwick avenue, in the town of West Farms, at the expense of the property owners along said avenue.

On the 6th September the Commissioners made a visit to Kingsbridge for the purpose of making a personal inspection of the ground with reference to the determination of a plan for the laying out of the streets and avenues of that

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The following meetings with property owners

On 17th September with owners of property adjacent to the proposed continuation of the street termed "F" street, connecting Inwood with Bolton road.

On 24th September with owners of property in the town of Kingsbridge, to consider the proposed maps for laying out the streets and avenues in

On 15th October with property owners from the upper part of Kingsbridge (Riverdale) to consider the avenues and streets to be laid out as shown on a map prepared by the civil and topo-

graphical engineer. In consequence of the small amount of the appropriation for the maintenance and government of the parks and places remaining unexpended on the 27th October, the maintenance

VITAL STATISTICS. BUREAU OF

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF MORTALITY.

REPORTED MORTALITY (week ending Nov. 8th,) AND THE ACTUAL MORTALITY (each day in the week, ending at noon, Nov. 1st, 1873,) WITH AN ENUMERATION OF THE CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH.

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force of the Department was ordered to be reduced so as not to exceed the cost of two hundred and eighty-eight dollars per day for the remainder of the year, and the laborers were directed to be employed as far as practicable upon the construction of Morningside Park.

By order of the Board.

By order of the Board. S. H. WALES, President D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

NEW YORK, November 1, 1873.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335 of the laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transac-tions for the week ending this day:

tions for the week ending this day.	the City
Public moneys received and deposited with	n the City
Chamberlain:	\$11.91E 76
For croton water rent	502 50
For penalties on croton water rent	162 50
For vauit permits	2,203 75
For samer permits	310 00
For sewer pipe sold to contractors	241 65

The following contracts have been completed: Sewer in One hundred and fourth street, be-ween Second and Third avenues. Sewer in Avenue A, between Fifty-ninth and

A contract was executed with John P. Cummings, Jr., for receiving basin at southwest corner of Tompkins and Rivington streets. Surety,

Christopher Keyes, of 108 East Seventieth street. 302 receiving basins and 415 lineal feet of sewers have been cleaned.

Croton water was introduced in Twelfth street, between Avenue D and Dry Dock street, and in Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, between Avenue C and the East river.

Three new lamps were ordered to be lighted, viz.: Two in First avenue, between One hundred and ninth and One hundred and tenth streets; and one in Twenty-sixth street, east of Fifth avenue. Seven lamps were ordered to be temporarily removed and discontinued on account of street improvements in progress.

remporarily removed and discount of street improvements in progress.

Five permits to place building material on streets, two permits to cut down trees, and sixteets, two permits to flag and repair sidewalks have been issued.

James Coburn and Patrick Walsh, Inspectors

From Same—Statement, James Coburn discount of the Insane—

Consumption of Liquors during October, 1873.

Referred to Medical Inspector.

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Meyer Meyer was appointed Inspector of Regulating and Grading at the rate of \$3 per day, in place of Martin Stumpf. Robert Freeman was appointed Inspector of Sewers at the rate of \$4

There is a decrease in the laboring force of the Department of 147 men.

The contracts for public improvements, 'the proposals for which were opened on the 31st October, were awarded to the following named persons, who were the lowest bidders:

Sewers. in 5th avenue, between 40th and 41st streets, to Patrick Haggerty for

22,705 00 3,037 50 4,251 00 4.754 00 1,109 00 1,303 50 99,925 00 Between 92d and 106th streets, and 3d avenue and Harlem river, to Jones & McQuade for \$\$158,100 00\$

Between 62d and 69th streets, and Boulevard and Hudson river, to A. Lutz for \$\$9,400 00\$ Clark for.
92d street, from 8th avenue to the Eoulevard,
to J. T. Doyle for.
Madison avenue, from 124th street to Harlem
river, to F. Stollmeyer for. 6,518 20 Curb, Gutter and Flagging. \$1,726 50 3,308 36 48th street, between 9th and 10th avenues, to J, Gillespie for...
57th street, between 11th avenue and Hudson river, to J. Slattery for...
69th street, between 3d and 4th avenues, to D. Crowley for... 1,501 00

Paving.

2d avenue, from 63d to 66th streets, to J. W.
Pettigrew for.

48th streets, from 10th to 11th avenues, to J.

Clark for. 48th streets, from 10th to 11th avenues, to 7,087 50
57th street, from 2d to Lexington avenues, to W. A. Cumming for 10,911 50
68th street, from 4th to 5th avenues, to D. Cotterell for 2d avenue, from 66th to 86th streets, to W. A. Cumming for 73,587 50
The above awards were transmitted to the Finance Department for approval of sureties on

the 6th inst.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department upon the Finance Department during the week is \$249,196.10.

GEO. M. VAN NORT,

Commissioner of Public Works.

\$7,740 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC

CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS NOV. 3D TO NOV. 8TH, 1873.

Present - Commissioners Laimbeer, Bowen,

Present — Commissioners Laimbeer, Bowen, Stern.

Communications.

From Almshouse, Charity, Small-pox, Fever, Bellevue, Reception Hospitals, Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island—Reporting daily census of these institutions. Ordered on file.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, and New York City Asylum for the Insane on Ward's Island—Reporting number of inmates and how employed. Ordered on file.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, and New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island—History of patients admitted. Referred to Examining Clerk.

From Almshouse—Statement of the amount of labor performed by mechanics (inmates), for week ending Nov. 8, 1873. Ordered on file.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island—History of patients admitted. Referred to Examining Clerk.

From Charity Hospital—Consumption of Liquors during October, 1873. Ordered on file.

From Same—Attendance of visiting Physicians and Surgeons, during October, 1873. Ordered on file.

From Medical Board of Bellevue Hospital—From Medical

From Medical Board of Bellevue Hospital— Minutes of monthly meeting, October 31st, 1873.

Ordered on file.

From Bellevue Hospital—Attendance of Visiting Physicians and Surgeons, during October, 1873. Ordered on file.

From Bureau of Medical and Surgical Relief

From Bureau of Medical and Surgical Keller for out door poor—Attendance of Consulting and Visiting Physicians and Surgeons, during October, 1873. Ordered on file.

From same—Number of prescriptions issued on orders of district physicians, during October, 1873. Ordered on file.

From Inebriate Asylum-Consumption of gas during October, 1873. Ordered on file.
From Nursery and Infants Hospital—Consumption of liquors during October, 1873. Referred

tion of liquors during October, 1873. Releases to Medical Inspector.

From Warden, Hart's Island—Appearing before Grand Jury, against John Cody and Frank Hysen for arson, William Smith detained as witness. Ordered on file.

From Nursery, Infants Charity Hospital, New York City Asylum for the Insane—Statement of drugs and medicines on hand October 31, 1873. Referred to Medical Inspector.

From Charity Hospital—Statement of extra

diet issued during October, 1873. Referred to

diet issued during October, 1873. Referred to Medical Inspector.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Statement of extra diet issued during October, 1873. Referred to Medical Inspector.

From same and Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital—Consumption of liquors during October, 1873. Referred to Medical Inspector.

From Physician, City Prison—Monthly report for October, 1873. Ordered on file.

From Examination Office, Bellevue Hospital—Monthly report for October, 1873. Ordered on file.

Monthly report for October, 1073.

file.

From Work House—Report of clopements and deaths during October, 1873. Ordered on file.

From George Campbell—Resignation as keeper at City Prison. Accepted.

From Bellevue Hospital—Complaint against William Bowles, orderly.—Discharged.

From Hart's Island—Transmitting to Department of Interior, Washington. Report on Educational Department. Ordered on file.

From City Prison—John Behan, reporting for duty as keeper. Ordered on file.

duty as keeper. Ordered on file.

From New York City Asylum for the Insane,
Ward's Island—Resignation of Edward L. Farr,
M.D., assistant physician. Accepted.

From Bellevue Hospital. Consumption of
liquors during October, 1873. Referred to Med-

ical Inspector.

Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island. Lizzie McEwen appointed nurse. Nov. 3, 1873. By the Board. Free Labor Bureau.

By Commissioner Bowen—
Resolved, That Mrs. Clara A. Molon be promoted to the office of Matron of Labor Bureau, and that her salary be \$50 per month from this

date. Nov. 3, 1873. Adopted. Executive Department.

New York, Nov. 3, 1873.

To the Commissioners of Charities and Correc-

By virture of Chapter 538, of the Laws of 1873, I have appointed, and the Board of Aldermen has confirmed, the following named persons

men has confirmed, the following named persons as Police Justices of this City:
Bankson T. Morgan,
Butler H. Bixby,
Charles A. Flammer,
Frank S Smith,
Henry Murray,
These officers have been duly sworn into office and will erker upon the discharge of their duties on Tuesday, the 4th inst., at noon. You will please communicate the fact to all officers in your Department, who have charge of the retention and discharge of prisoners, in order that the authority of the Police Justices herein named may be fully recognized.

Very respectfully,
W. F. HAVEMEYER,
Mayor.

Nov. 3, 1873. By the Board.
Ordered, That the secretary notify the heads
of the several institutions of the above.

Inebriate Asylum.

By Commissioner Laimbeer—
Resolved, That George Campbell, cook of Inebriate Asylum, be discharged.
Nov. 6, 1873. Adopted.

By Commissioner Stern—
Resolved, That John Miller be and is hereby appointed cook to the Inebriate Asylum for one month on trial, at a compensation of \$10 per

Nov. 6, 1873. Adopted. Penitentiary.

By Commissioner Laimbeer—
Resolved, That the warden of the Penitentiary furnish to-day a gang of men suitable for repairing small-pex pavilion, with a good keeper, viz.: I mason, I carpenter, 8 laborers; subject to orders of Supervising Engineer Knapp.
Nov. 6, 1873. Adopted.

City Prison.

John Behan, appointed keeper, vice George Campbell, resigned.

Nov. 6, 1873. By the Board.

Wara's Island Improvement.

By Commissioner Laimbeer—
Resolved, That Mr. Dilts be informed by the secretary that hereafter he must perform his duties with his hands out of his pockets, and devote his entire time and attention to the details required quired.

Nov. 6, 1873. Adopted. City Prison.

By Commissioner Laimbeer—
Resolved, That Peter Collins be discharged as keeper at the Tombs for neglect of duty.
Nov. 6, 1873. Adopted.

All Institutions.

By Commissioner Laimbeer-Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to upon this Department up to and until January, 1874, must be confined to the positive wants of the institutions under their care, and that no ar-ticle will be allowed unless the wants of the notify all wardens that their re inmates demand it for actual use up to January

Nov. 6, 1873. Adopted. Storekeeper.

Ordered, That previous to acting on the present requisitions, the storekeeper to see the several wardens, and ascertain what articles or portions of them can be dispensed with. Nov. 6, 1873. By the Board.

All Institutions.

Ordered, That special requisition for lumber, nails, &c., for improvements, repairs, &c., be made on the first of each month only. Nov. 6th, 1873. By the Board.

City Prison.

By Commissioner Stern— Resolved, That Abraham Newfield be, and is hereby promoted from his present position as guard at the Penitentiary to that of keeper of the City Prison, in place of Abraham Curran, dis-

Nov. 7, 1873. Adopted. Penitentiary.

By Commissioner Stern—
Resolved, That William Pierce be, and is hereby appointed guard at Penitentiary in place of Abraham Newfield, promoted.

Nov. 7, 1873. Adopted.

Free Labor Bureau.

Ordered, That the rooms over male department, formerly occupied by Mrs. West, be assigned to Paul Schmitzler, in consideration of his additional services as assistant janitor.

Nov. 7, 1873. By the Board.

Store House, Blackwell's Island.

Ordered, That the storekeeper instruct the baker that on receipt of flour, bills are to be certified immediately and transmitted to this office on the following day.

Nov. 7, 1873. By the Board.

All Institutions.

By Commissioner Stern:
Resolved, That the wardens of the several institutions be requested to aid Mr. Flagler in getting up the clothing for the Children at Randall's Island, by applying all the available assistance of persons under their charge for that purpose, in preference to all other work to be done for their own department.

Nov. 7, 1873. Adopted.

Charity Hospital.

By Commissioner Laimbeer—
Resolved, That Doctor Herman Knapp be appointed Visiting Physician to Charity Hospital, in place of Henry D. Noyes, M.D., re-

signed. Nov. 7, 1873. Adopted. District Physician.

By Commissioner Laimbeer—
Resolved, That Benjamin Wilson, M.D., be appointed a District Physician in place of Wm. P. Wooster, M.D., being for 8th District, 18th and 21st wards.

Nov. 8, 1873. Adopted. Central Office.

Estimate for building coal vault. Laid over

for 1874.
Nov. 8, 1873. By the Board.
JOSHUA HHILLIPS,
Secre Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 10th day of November, 1873. All the Commissioners pres-

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Captain J. Siebert, 24th precinct, 2 days.
Patrol'n Jas. McCabe, 16th prect., ½ day, with't pay.

"Wm. Z. Ripley, 28th "½"

"Edward Rigney, 3d "½"

"Geo. P. Osborn, 20th "½"

"Henry Laird, 20th "6"

"Charles Carter, 13th "½"

"Miles Keon, 11th "1"

"Geo. Archer, 27th "½"

"John Boyle, 12th "½"

"Boht Roberts, 21st "½"

"Peter J. Monahan, 6th "½"

"Peter J. Monahan, 6th "½"

"Jas. P. Geraghty, 23d "1"

"Tho. Mulvey, 18th "1"

"B. Birmingham, 2d "1"

"Thos. O'Grady, 23th prect., ½"

"Thos. Mulvey, 18th "2½"

"Thos. O'Grady, 23th prect., ½"

"Thos. O'Grady, 23th prect., ½"

"Thos. Mulvey, 18th "2½"

"Michael J. Hickey, 6th "½"

"Wm. S. Kellogg, 1st "½"

"Serg'nt J. F. Maloney, 2d "½"

"Parades Allowed.

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Eighth Avenue Volunteers, Nov. 10, target excu

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United German Butchers, Nov. 8, target excursion.

Edward Walsh Musketeeers, Nov. 8, target excursion.

Michael Reilley Guards, Nov. 10, target excursion.

Knox Memorial Mission School, Nov. 27, parade.

Putnam Lodge No. 38, Nov. 7, funeral.

Farragut Lodge, Nov. 9, funeral.

Lafayette Lodge No. 64, F. & A. M., Nov. 9, funeral.

J. W. Keegan and Geo. Boldwell (election wager),

Nov. 8, procession.

Down Town Rangers, Nov. 26, target excursion.

Smiths' Guard, Nov. 11, target excursion.

Citizens' Association, Nov. 10, target excursion.

Gutenberg Lodge No. 1, Nov. 10, funeral.

Humboldt Lodge, Nov. 10, funeral.

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Ancient Order Hibernians, Nov. 11, funeral.

Alantic Lodge G. F., Nov. 10, funeral.

United Musketeers, Nov. 12, target excursion.

Morgue report for the month of October was

Morgue report for the month of October was ordered on file.

Bills ordered Paid.	
P. Fitzsimmons. John Devlin. Park & Tilford. Robert C. Brown. Coomes, Lawrence & Co. do. do. Wm. B. Parkin & Co. John Brady. Henry L. Griffin.	65 50 6 00 7 1; 17 50 26 2; 5 00 29 00
The Treasurer reported the following paid by him from October 22d to November 1873:	bill:

Del. & Hudson Canal Co.

Metropolitan Gas Lignt Co.
—Eliza Cronin.
Mary Reynolds.

W. E. Armstrong
A. M. Burroughs.
E. M. Van Tassel.

Bramhall, Deane & Co.
Arnold, Constable & Co.
Phelps, Dodge & Co.
William Moore.
Estate of E. D. Bassford.
Reeves & Co.
James Crowley
D. Rooney.
J. D. Patch.
Isaac J. Stillings.
J. Cairns.
A. M. Burroughs.
Nathusius, Kugler & Morrison.
Toch Bros.
Meyers & Gedney.
Mackey's Guide.
Connecticut Clock Co.
Pollock & Van Wagenen.
Wm. Radloff.
Jno. Russe.
Roper Caloric Engine Co.
E. J. March Del. & Hudson Canal Co..... Oct. 25. ro.—Kennard & Kay...... Robt. C. Brown..... Street Cleaning Bills.

Oct. 23.—Thos. W. Thorne.
Thos. H. Smith.
Thos. W. Thorne.
Thos. H. Smith.
Thos. W. Thorne.

Oct. 25.—Manhattan Gas Light Co.
H. & J. Irwin.
Phelps, Dodge & Co.
Jno, C. Baxter & Son.
Burkhalter, Masten & Co.
Judd Linseed & Sperm Oil Co.
Estate of E. D. Bassford.
Reeves & Co.
Oct. 27.—Blakeslee & Busteed.
Oct. 29.—King & Co.
Oct. 29.—King & Co.
Oct. 29.—King & Co. Isaac H. Dahlman Samuel Van Winkle....

Patrick Broderick was denied leave to apply for re-appointment.
Patrick H. Warren and Joseph D. White were

allowed leave to apply for re-appointment.

Weekly reports of the District Surgeons, transmitted by the Medical Director, were referred to the Committee on Surgeons.

Resignation Accepted.

Patrolman James Grove, Mounted Squad.

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Street lamp reports for the week ending Nov. 9th were ordered to be transmitted to the Departof Public Works.

Communication from Capt. Petty 5th precinct suggesting that premises 49 Leonard Street, formerly used as Station Houses, be opened for the reception of vagrant and indigent persons during the inclement season, was reterred to the Committee on Station Houses to conter with His Honor the Mayor and the Comptroller in relation thereto.

Appointment.

William Glass as Patrolman 16th precinct, Transfers ordered. Roundsman Ed. F. Buckley, from Fourth to Tenth recinct.
Patrolman Adolph Schmidt, from First to Nineteenth Patrolman James Burke, from First to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Matthew McConnell, from Thirtieth to

ecinct, Patrolman Rebert A. Chapman, from Ninth to Fifprecinet. olman Peter McDermott, from Twenty-sixth to Fifteenth precient.
Patrolman Thomas Kernan, from Twenty-ninth to
Nineteenth sub precinct.
Patrolman Edward Webber, from Second to First

Patrolman Edward Bauman, from Twentieth to Mounted Squad. Patrolman Wm. O'Toole, from Sixteenth to Fourth precinct.
Patrolman Wm. Granger, from Seventh to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Chester E. Merrill, from Seventh to Nine-teenth precinct.
Patrolman John Rieley, from Eleventh to Nineteenth Patrolman John Laslee, from Eleventh to Nineteenth Patrolman Alex. McClernan, from Eleventh to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Samuel Bryan, from Eighteenth to Nine-teenth precinct.
Patrolman George Burns, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Thos. Foley from Eighteenth to Nineteenth

precinct.
Patrolman Richard Hogan, from Eighteenth to Nine-Patrolman Martin Lankenan, fron Eighteenth to Nine-Patrolman Martin Lankenan, fron Eighteenth to Nine-teenth precinct.
Patrolman Robert P. Reilley, from Twenty-seventh to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman George Conners, from Twenty-seventh to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Wm. H. Eustace, fron Seventh to Twenty-third precinct.

Patroiman Will II. Sandrey, from Nineteenth to San.
Patrolmon James N. Morey, from Nineteenth to San. Fines imposed.

Patrolman Michael Devine, 18th precinct, three days Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Richard Hogan, (2 cases) 18th precinct. Street Cleaning.

Daily reports (3) of the Supt. of Boats, were referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Bills ordered Paid.

transmitting report of the Sanitary Superinten-dent on the condition of the Streets, was referred to the Inspector of Street Cleaning.
Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS

New York, November 10, 1873.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending November 8, 1873.

BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND ALTERATION OF BUILDINGS.

Plans, Specifications and Special Applications, filed, examined and passed upon.

NEW BUILDINGS.

No. of Plans and Specifications filed and examined... 3
No. of Buildings embraced in same...... 3 CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS: Tenements.... Thiid class Stores. Manufactories and Workshops.... Total..... Plans &c., approved, including those previously filed.
" amended and approved.
" pending.

ALTERED BUILDINGS.

No. of Plans and Specifications filed and examined... 7
" Buildings embraced in same...... 7 CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS: Second class Dwellings.
Tenements.
Hotels and Boarding Houses.
Manufactories and Workshops.

BUILDINGS EXAMINED AND PLANS RELATING THERETO PASSED UPON INCLUDING THOSE PREVIOUSLY FILED :.. 14 Approved. 11
Amended and approved. 1
Disapproved. 1
Pending 1 Total..... 14

SPECIAL APPLICATIONS.

Number filed examined and passed upon:.... Approved.
Amended and approved.
Pending... Total..... 14 HENRY J. DUDLEY,
Deputy Supt.
and Chief of Bureau.

BUREAU OF UNSAFE BUILDINGS, VIOLATIONS AND COMPLAINTS.

Abstract of operations for the week ending ovember 8, 1873: Patrolman Michael Brennan, from Fourteenth to Sixth precinct.
Patrolman Patrick McGuire, from Nineteenth to Eighteeth precinct.
Patrolman Chas. Sheehy, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Jacob M. Hendricks, from Ninth to Eighth precinct.
Patrolman Jacob S. Van Riper, from Ninth to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Jacob S. Van Riper, from Ninth to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Frank Ehlers, from Ninth to Nineteenth precinct.
Patrolman Rebert A. Chapman, from Ninth to Fif-

The classification of the unsafe buildings reported are as follows:

Total..... ANDREW OWENS, Chief of Bureau.

BUREAU OF IRON WORK.	
Abstract of operations for the week ending	Comm
November 8, 1873: Buildings reported for fire-escapes	Regist peri 7 a.
Buildings reported for increased 18	to 5
Iron beams tested (all approved)	Comn
Notices for Fire Escapes served	Com
John Vanderbeck, Chief of Bureau.	DEP
BUREAU OF THEATRES, HOTELS, SCHOOL-	Com
HOUSES, FACTORIES AND SPECIAL SURVEYS.	a. i
Abstract of operations for the week ending	Boar
Saturday, November 8, 1873: THEATRES.	Supe
Nine theatres have been officially inspected during the week, viz.:	Com
The Olympic, Booth's, Bowery, Academy of	Offic
seum, Niblo's Garden, and the Broadway, and no violations of section 29 of the building law re-	Supt
ported as occurring. A special survey was held upon the Olympic Theatre.	Com
HOTELS,	THI
Eight hotels have been officially examined and inspected, as follows, to wit:	co
The Arlington House, 22, 24 and 26 East 14th street; Ashland House, 315, 317 and 319 4th ave-	Core
nue; Belmont Hotel, 133, 135 and 137 Fulton street; Astor House, Broadway, Vesey and Bar- clay streets: Madison Avenue Hotel, 63 Madison	Cou
clay streets: Madison Avenue Hotel, 63 Madison avenne; Lennox House, 72 Fifth street; Glen-	Surr
avenne; Lennox House, 72 Fifth street; Glen- han, southwest corner 3d avenue and 24th street, and the Compton House, northeast cor-	
ner 3d avenue and 24th street, of these, the As-	Dist O St
reported as being provided with ample means	men
The Madison avenue, Glenhan and Belmont,	tre
means of egress and escape, and additional fire escapes, ladders, &c. recommended therein.	Spe
SAMUEL T. WEBSTER,	Circ
Chief of Bureau.	
To Henry Dudley—Surveys on unsafe buildings\$50 \times	Sup
W. W. ADAMS, Supt. of Buildings.	Cle
OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.	Co
Statement of the hours during which all public office	Ge
n the City are open for business, and at which eac Court regularly opens and adjourns, as well as of the	e
places where such offices are kept and such Courts ar held. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.	e Oy
and the same of th	
Mayor's Office. No. 5, City Hall. 10 a.m. 3 p.n Mayor's Marshal. No. 5, City Hall. 10 a.m. 3 p.n Permit Bureau. No. 1, City Hall. 10 a.m. 2 p.n License Bureau. No. 1, City Hall. 10 a.m. 2 p.n License Sureau. 10 a.m. 2 p.n 2 p.n	a. Sp
License BureauNo. 1. City Hall10 a.m 2 p.m LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.	Fr
Cl'k of the Common Council and of B'd of Supervisors.	1.
Clerk of B'd of Assist- ant Aldermen. FINANCE DEPARTMENT.	I. Se
Office hours from 9 a.m. to 4 p. m. Comptroller's Office, West end, New County Cou	
House. 1-Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruir	g Fi
from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, as revenue arising from the use or sale of property belon ing to or managed by the City— Ground floor, West end, New County Court House, 2—Bureau for the Collection of Taxes— Brown-stone building, City Hall Park.	g- Si
Ground floor, West end, New County Court House. 2—Bureau for the Collection of Taxes— Brown-stone building, City Hall Park.	E
3-Bureau for the collection of arrear of taxes a Assessments and of water rents— Ground floor, West end, New County Court House.	nd
4-Auditing Bureau-	
5—Bureau of Licenses. Ground floor, west end, No. General of Markets County Court House.	ew G
Main floor, west end, New County Court Flouse. 5—Bureau of Licenses. Ground floor, west end, N. 6—Bureau of Markets— County Court House. 7—Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid it the Treasury, in the City and for the payment of money warrants drawn by the Comptroller and count on warrants drawn by the Markets— 6. **Electric Markets** 1. **Electric Market	ey C
signed by the Mayor- (Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer.)	F
signed by the Mayor- Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer.) Main floor west end, New County Court House. 8—Bureau for the Collection of Assessments— Governor's room, City Hall (temporarily.) LAW DEPARTMENT County of Companying S. Nassau St., o.a. m., 5.D.	
	m. S
Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Corporation Att'y, "8:30 a.m., 4:30 p. Corporation of Arrears of Personal Tax	es.
Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 20 Nas Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 20 Nas street, Room SQ, 0 a. m. to 5 p. m. POLICE DEPARTMENT.	sa u T
street, Room 52, 0 a. m. to 5 p. m. POLICE DEPARTMENT. Central Office, 300 Mulberry street, always op	en.
Supt's Office, " "	I
Inspector's Office, " 8 a. m., 5 p.	m.
Property Clerk, Bureau of S't Clean'g, Bureau of Elections,	
Bureau of Elections, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. Commissioners' Office, 19 City Hall, 9 a.m., 4 p. Chief Clerk.	m.
Chief Clerk, 20 Contract Clerk 21 " " Engineer in charge of sewers, 21 City Hall, "	
Engineer in charge of Boulevards and avenues, 18 ½ City Hall,	1
Bureau of Lamps and Gas, 13 City Hall, " Bureau of Incumbrances, 13 City Hall, 9 a, m. to 4 p	m. i
Bureau of Street Improvements, it City Hall Bureau of the Chief Engineer of the Croton	1
Bureau of Water Register, 10 City Hall, Bureau of Water Purveyor, 4 City Hall,	
Chief Cerk Contract Clerk Engineer in charge of sewers, 21 City Hall, Engineer in charge of Boulevards and avenues, 18 ½ City Hall, Bureau of repairs and supplies, 18 City Hall, Bureau of Lamps and Gas, 13 City Hall, Bureau of Imcumbrances, 13 City Hall, Bureau of Imcumbrances, 13 City Hall, Bureau of Street Improvements, 11 City Hall Bureau of Water Improvements, 11 City Hall Bureau of Water Register, 10 City Hall, Bureau of Water Register, 10 City Hall, Bureau of Water Purveyor, 4 City Hall, Bureau of Water Purveyor, 4 City Hall, Bureau of Streets and Roads, 12 City Hall, CORRECTION. CORRECTION. Central Office, 66 Third av. 8 a.m., 10 5 p	ND
Central Office, 66 Third av. 8 a. m., to 5 p Out Door Poor Dep't, 66 Third av., always open.	. m.
Out Door Poor Dep't, 66 Inird av., aways open. Entrance on 11th Street. Free Labor Bureau, 8 and 10 Clinton pl. 8 a. m. to 51 Reception Hospital, City Hall Park, N. E. Corner	. m.
ways open.	ren
Bellevue Hospital, 1001 of ZOARTMENT	
Commissioner's Office, 127 and 129 Mercer St., 9 a. n.	. to
In spectors of Combustibles, 127 and 129 Mercer St.,	9 a.
m. to 4 p. m. Fire Marshall, 127 and 129 Mercer St., 9 a. m. to 4 p.	m. 1

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

nmissioner's Office, 301 Mott St. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. itary Superintendent, 301 Mott St., always open gister of Records, 301 Mott St., for granting burial ermits, on all days of the week except Sundays from a. m. to 6 o'lock p. m., and on Sundays from 8 a. m. o 5 o'clock p. m.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS. sioners' Office, 36 Union Square, 9 a, m. to 5 p m

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS. missioners' (Hice, 346 and 348 Broadway, corner mard St., q a. m. to 4 p. m.

missioners' Office, Brown Stone Building, City Hall ark, 32 Chambers St., 9 a. m. 4 p. m., on Saturday 9 m. to 3 p. m. eyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham St., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. ed of Assessors, ARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS. antendent's Office, a Fourth av., a. m. to 4 p. m

BOARD OF EXCISE. ers Office, 290 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. BOARD OF EDUCATION.

BOARD OF Elbed Elm sts, 9 A. M. 5 P. of the Board, cor Grand and Elm sts, 9 A. M. 5 P. COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION.

nmissioners, Office, Castle Garden, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. erintendents, Office, Castle Garden, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. E CITY RECORD Office, No. 2 City Hall, N. W.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.
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Coroner's Office, 40 E. Houston st. Sherift's "first floor, S. W. cor. New Court House. County Clerk's Office, first floor, N. E.
cor. New Court House. Surrogate's Office, first floor, S. E. cor.
Register's Office, Hall of Records, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Old Court House, 82 Chambers 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Street. Commissioner of Jurors, Commissioner's Office, base- ment, brown stone building, City Hall Park 32 Chambers
treet, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. COURTS.
Supreme Court. Second Floor, 10,a. m. to 3 p. m.

New Court House.) 10:30 a. m. to 3 p. m. SUPERIOR COURTS.

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" Part I. Sourt House. 11 a. m. — 11 a. COMMON PLEAS

mmon Pleas, 3d fl., New Court House, 9 a. m., 4p. m GENERAL SESSIONS enera Sessions, 32 Chambers street, 10 a. m., 4 p. erk's Office, 32 Chambers st., Room 14,

OYER AND TERMINER. rer and Terminer.
General Term.
Special Term.
To a. m. SPECIAL SESSIONS.

occial Sessions, Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thurs-days and Saturdays, 10 a. m. JUSTICE'S (OR DISTRICT) COURTS.

District, 1st, 2d, 3d, and 5th rds, S. W. corner of Centre and 10a. m., 4p. m Wards, S. W. corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

cond District, 4th, 6th, and 14th 9 a.m., 4p.m.

Wards, 514 Pearl street.

hird District, 8th, 9th, and 15th Wards, 12 Greenwich avenue.

ourth District, 10th, and 17th Wards, 163 East Houston street.

ifth District, 7th, 11th, and 13th Wards 154 Clinton street.

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1 Sth District, 19th and 22d Wards, 57th street, between Third and Lex-9a. m., 4p. m. ington avenues.

ighth District, 16th and 20th Wards,
S. W. cor, 22d st. and 7th ave.

inth District, 12th Ward, 2374 Fourth

9 a. m., 4p. m

MARINE COURT (Brown stone building.) reneral Term, 32 Chamber Room 17, to a. m., 3 p. m. Room 15, "" hambers, "" Room 18, "" Room 19, 9 a. m. 4 p. m.

FIRST District, 14th, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, and portion of Sanitary Pre-7 a. m., 3 p. m. of Sanitary Pre-cinct.
Second District, 8th
9th, 15th, 16th,
20th, 25th, 33d,
28th, and 29th
Precincts.
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17th, 18th, and
portion of Sanitary Precinct. Greenwich ave., corner of 10th street. ga. m., 6p. m 69 Essex street. ry Precinct,
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19th, 21st, 22d,
23d, and 19th 57th street, be-tween 3d and Lexington ave 8 a. m., 5 p. m. sub station.
Fifth District, 12th Ward, 2374 Fourth avenue (Harlem.) 8 a. m . 4 p. m

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL, No. 8 City Hall, NEW YORK, November 12, 1873.

New York, November 12, 1873.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ALdermen, as provided by section 112, chapter 335, laws of 1873, as amended by section 20, of chapter 757, laws of 1873, will be held in the Chamber of the Board, in the City Hall, on Wednesday, November 19, 1873, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of considering the PRO-VISIONAL ESTIMATES made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for conducting the public business of the City of New York for the YEAR 1874, as presented to the Board of Aldermen, at a meeting thereof held on the 10th inst., in a communication from the Comptroller. The heads of the several departments of the City Government authorized to be present and to participate in the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen, are hereby requested to attend without further notification.

OBERT CITER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL.

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

THE STATED SESSIONS OF THE BOARD OF
Aldermen will be held on Thursday of each week, at
3 o'clock, P. M., in the chamber of the Board, room No.
15, City Hall.

JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,

STREET OPENINGS.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER OF THE application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fortieth street, between the Eighth avenue and the Harlem 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:

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 Robert Sutherland, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the 3d day of November, 1873, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 3d days of November, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock 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 15th day of November, 1873.

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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 said city of New York, and included and contained within the following described limits or bounds, that is to say: on the north by the centre line of the blocks between 140th and 141st streets; on the south by the centre line of the blocks between 140th and 139th streets; on the west by the easterly line of the avenue Saint Nicholas; and on the east by the westerly line of Exterior street at the Harlem river.

And 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 2d day of December, 1873, 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, September 27, 1873.

ROBERT SUTHERLAND, GRATZ NATHAN, MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Commissioners.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER OF THE application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, relative to the opening and extending of Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Second street to the Harlem 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:

fected 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 William Hitchman, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 51 Chambers street, (Room No. 3), in the said city, on or before the 25th day of October, 1873, and that we the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting within the ten week. Aays next after the said 25th day of October, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock M.

Second.—That the abstract of said the 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 Publ c Works, in the city of New York, there to remain until the 6th day of November, 1873.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment

New York, there to remain until the 6th day of November, 1873.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, that is to say: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the city of New York, and contained, lying and being within the following bounds or limits: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line or side of Third avenue and the northerly line or side of Third avenue and the northerly along the said westerly line or side of Third avenue to the southerly line or side of Exterior street; thence northerly and westerly along the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence westerly along the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street to the easterly line or side of Fourth avenue; thence southerly along the said easterly line or side of Fourth avenue; thence southerly along the said easterly line or side of Fourth avenue; thence southerly along the said easterly line or side of Fourth avenue to the northerly line or side of Fourth avenue to the northerly line or side of Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to

erly line or side of Fifty-mint to the 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 20th day of November, 1873, 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, September 22, 1873.

WILLIAM HITCHMAN, SHEPARD F. KNAPP, DANIEL WHALEN, Commissioners.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER OF THE Application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the Opening of Avenue B, from 71st street to 83d street, and from 86th street to the Harlem 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 proceeding in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court House at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of November 1873, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon.

JOHN BRVAN,

HENRY A, SMITH,

FRANCIS M, BIXBY,

Commissioners.

Dated New York, November 7th, 1873.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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PARADE GROUND.

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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 acquiring title to certain lands in the City of New York, for a public place or parade grounds, in said city.

Pursuant to statutes in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that, in compliance with the act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An act to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out thereon a public place for a parade ground, and to authorize the taking of the same," passed April 20, 1871, three-fifths being present, the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term of said Court, to be held at the chambers thereof in the Court House of the City of New York on Thursday, the 20th day of November, 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, and that the nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, are the laying out and opening of a public place for a parade ground, between River street and Sherman avenue, and between Inwood street and a certain New street in the City of New York, the exact locality and extent of such parade ground being shown by the duplicate maps thereof, filed pursuant to the third section of said act, one copy in the Department of Public Parks, and the other copy in the Department of Public Works in said city, to which maps reference is hereby made.

Dated New York, October 25, 1873.

E. DELAFIELD SMITH, Counsel to the Corporation.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Office of the Board of Education, Corner Grand and Elm Streets, New York, November 11, 1873.

Corner Grand and Elm Streets,
New York, November 11, 1873.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until the 26th day of November instant, at 3 P. M., for supplying for the use of the l'ublic Schools under the jurisdiction of the Board of Education, books, stationery, and other articles required for one year, commencing on January 1, 1874.

City and country publishers of books, and dealers in the various articles required, are hereby notified that preference will be given in all cases to the bids of principals, the Committee being desirous that commissions (if any) heretofore paid to agents or middle-men shall be deducted from the price of the various articles bid for.

A sample of each article must accompany the bid.
A list of articles required will be furnished on application to the Clerk of the Board of Education.

RUFUS G. BEARDSLEE,
ANDREW J. MATHEWSON,
JAMES M. HALSTED,
DAVID WETMORE,
ROBERT HOE,
COMMITTEE PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
of the Committee on Buildings, at the ocffie of the clerk
of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm
streets, until Monday November 24th, 1873, and until 4
o'clock P. M., on said day, for iron stairs, for primary
schools Nos. 17, and 33.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the
Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street,
third floor.
The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all
of the proposals offered.
WILLIAM DOWD,

WILLIAM DOWD, SAM'L P. PATTERSON, CHARLES V. LEWIS, ROBERT HOE, V. DAVID F. BAKER, Committee on Buildings.

Dated New York, Nov. 8th, 1873.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, on the 14th day of October, 1873, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon 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 182, That the owners, lessees and occupants of any building in the City of New York, in which hatchways or well-holes exist, or shall hereafter be constructed shall cause the same to be effectually barred or enclosed by railing, gates or by other contrivances approved by the Board of Health, for the prevention of accidents therefrom.

CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
President.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
Office No. 2 Fourth av., opposite Sixth st. J
A RCHITECTS, BUILDERS AND OTHERS, HAVation or repair of buildings to file with this Department,
are hereby notified, that m all cases where iron girders
or lintels are provided to support brick walls, it will be
necessary for them to submit properly drawn and figured elevations of the walls to be so supported.
W. W. ADAMS
Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, NOV. 10, 1873.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A
a petition of the property owners, with map and
plan, for the change of grade in Park street, between
Baxter and Pearl streets; also of Little Water street,
between Park and Worth streets, is now pending before
the Common Council.

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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 Twenty-first (21st) day of Novem-GEO. M. VAN NORT, Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39. OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, 300 Mulberry street, room 39, for the tollowing property now in his custody, without claimants: Revolvers, boat, pig iron, straw braid, canal boat, gold watch, gold eye-glasses, clothing, combs, dog collars, knives, etc.

C. A. St. JOHN, Property Clerk.

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