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### APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, Resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending June 15, 1878.

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance for paving Fourth avenue from Sixty-seventh to Ninety-fourth street with Belgian pavement, approved by the Mayor March 11, 1878, be and is hereby annulled, rescinded, and repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 28, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 10, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause boulevard lamps to be substituted for the ordinary street-lamps now on the posts in front of St. Ambrose Church, corner of Thompson and Houston streets; the church in University place, corner of East Tenth street; the Baptist Church in Sixteenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, and the Church of St. Anthony in Sullivan street, between Prince and Houston streets.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 28, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 10, 1878.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 28, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 10, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay Croton water-mains in the Southern Boulevard, between Berrian avenue and Tompkins street, as provided in section 2, chapter 477 of the Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 28, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 10, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Charles G. Franklyn to place two lamp-posts and lamps in front of premises on Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Twenty-sixth street, providing the said lamp-posts do not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the gas to be supplied and work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; this permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 4, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 10, 1878.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause one thousand copies of all laws relating particularly to this city, passed at the late session of the Legislature, to be printed in the usual manner, in document form, for the use of the Mayor, Common Council, and Departments; the expense of procuring certified copies of such laws, which shall not exceed the usual legal fees, to be paid from the appropriation for "City Contingencies" by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 4, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 10, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to hire or rent, for the term of one year from the first day of May, 1878, suitable rooms to be used as an office by the Engineer in Charge of Roads and Avenues and his assistants, the same to be located conveniently to the works now in progress under said engineer, at an annual rental not exceeding three hundred and twenty-five (\$325) dollars; the same to be paid out of the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 4, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 10, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to S. A. Lissberger to place and keep a bridge over the gutter in front of Nos. 519, 521 and 523 East Nineteenth street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 4, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1878.

Resolved, That boulevard lamps be placed on the lamp-posts in front of the church Transfiguration in Mott street, also in front of St. Andrew's Church in City Hall place, in lieu of the old lamps now there, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 4, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1878.

Resolved, That the south side of Fortieth street, between First and Second avenues, be flagged four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 4, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1878.

Resolved, That Edmund I. Brannan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in place of Edward Donohue, Jr., resigned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 11, 1878.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1878.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk Common Council.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, June 13, 1878.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending Saturday, June 8, 1878:

#### Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rent.....	\$44,139 35
For penalties on Croton water rent.....	113 40
For tapping Croton pipes.....	109 50
For vault permits.....	2,584 00
For sewer permits.....	168 00
For removing obstructions.....	5 50
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$47,119 75</b>

#### Permits Issued.

- 3 permits to construct street vaults.
- 10 permits to make sewer connections.
- 24 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 33 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 60 permits to repair water connections.
- 114 permits to place building material on streets.
- 1 permit to cut down a shade tree.

#### Obstructions Removed.

- 2 booths from Second avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets.
- 1 house from No. 178 South street.
- 1 cart from No. 158 Worth street.
- 1 truck from No. 24 North Moore street.
- One stand from northwest corner Eighth avenue and Twenty-seventh street.

#### Public Lamps.

- 82 new lamps lighted.
- 2 old lamps relighted.
- 7 lamps discontinued.
- 6 lamp-posts removed.
- 16 lamp-posts reset.
- 16 lamp-posts straightened.
- 3 columns refitted.
- 11 column reladded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending June 8, 1878, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure at point of Ignition.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
June 3	11.30 A.M.	69.	30.10	New York.....	Sugg-Letheby....	IN. .05	5.00	120.0	16.54	16.54
" 4	5 P.M.	72.	29.94	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	119.4	17.52	17.43
" 5	5 P.M.	74.	29.96	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	120.0	16.48	16.48
" 6	10 A.M.	71.	30.08	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	120.0	16.20	16.20
" 7	9 A.M.	70.	30.08	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	121.8	15.44	15.67
" 8	11.30 A.M.	71.	29.78	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	120.0	16.90	16.90
									Average.	16.53
June 3	11 A.M.	68.	30.10	Manhattan ....	" ..	.05	5.00	124.8	16.54	17.20
" 4	5.30 P.M.	72.	29.94	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	115.2	17.30	16.60
" 5	4.30 P.M.	74.	29.96	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	120.0	16.38	16.38
" 6	9.30 A.M.	70.	30.08	" .....	" ..	.05	5.03	126.0	16.10	16.80
" 7	9.30 A.M.	70.	30.08	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	118.2	17.24	16.98
" 8	12 M.	71.	29.78	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	120.0	16.98	16.98
									Average.	16.82
June 3	12 M.	70.	30.10	N. Y. Mutual..	" ..	.05	3.86	117.0	14.94	18.86
" 4	4.30 P.M.	72.	29.94	" .....	" ..	.05	3.92	120.0	14.88	18.98
" 5	5.30 P.M.	75.	29.96	" .....	" ..	.05	3.80	115.2	14.62	18.46
" 6	9 A.M.	70.	30.08	" .....	" ..	.05	3.72	121.2	13.28	18.02
" 7	10 A.M.	70.	30.08	" .....	" ..	.05	3.65	124.8	13.66	19.46
" 8	11 A.M.	70.	29.78	" .....	" ..	.05	3.74	120.0	14.80	19.78
									Average.	18.92
June 3	9.30 A.M.	78.	30.10	Metropolitan...	" ..	.05	5.00	117.6	18.32	17.95
" 4	9 A.M.	80.	30.04	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	114.6	18.04	17.22
" 5	9 P.M.	83.	30.09	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	117.6	16.74	16.40
" 6	11 A.M.	78.	30.09	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	118.2	17.56	17.29
" 7	11.30 A.M.	80.	30.09	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	114.0	17.90	17.00
" 8	9 A.M.	78.	29.85	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	116.4	16.88	16.37
									Average.	17.04
June 3	9 A.M.	76.	30.10	Harlem.....	" ..	.05	5.00	126.0	16.23	17.04
" 4	9.30 A.M.	81.	30.04	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	114.0	18.14	17.23
" 5	8.30 P.M.	83.	30.09	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	118.2	16.52	16.27
" 6	11.30 A.M.	78.	30.09	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	119.4	16.26	16.17
" 7	11 A.M.	78.	30.09	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	121.2	16.26	16.42
" 8	9.30 P.M.	80.	29.85	" .....	" ..	.05	5.00	114.0	17.68	16.79
									Average.	16.65

E. G. LOVE, Gas Examiner.

*Public Baths.*

The six public free baths were opened on Saturday, June 1. The attendance during the week ending Friday June 7th, was as follows:

	Males.	Females.
Bath foot of Fifth street, East river .....	14,225	1,233
" Bethune street, North river .....	7,100	1,300
" Gouverneur street, East river .....	12,729	999
" Thirty-fifth street, North river .....	2,774	1,083
" Thirty-seventh street, East river .....	4,400	1,550
" One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Harlem river .....	2,708	576
Totals .....	43,936	6,732

*Replacing Pavements over Croton Pipes.*

- In First avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, and between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets.
- In Fifth avenue, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets and between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.
- In Eighth avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-ninth streets.

*Repairing Pavements.*

- In Lexington avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, and between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.
- In Madison avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-sixth streets.
- In Second avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets.
- In Second avenue, between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets.
- In Second avenue, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.
- In One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.
- In Sixty-fourth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.
- In Fifty-eighth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.
- In Forty-seventh street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
- In Thirty-third street, between Fifth avenue and Broadway.
- In Twenty-ninth street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.
- In Twenty-sixth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.
- In Twenty-fourth street, between Sixth avenue and Broadway.
- In Twenty-second street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
- In Nineteenth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.
- In Fifteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- In William street, between Duane and Pearl streets.
- In Duane street, between Hudson street and West Broadway.
- In Elm street, between Canal and Howard streets.
- In Bayard street, between Bowery and Mulberry street.
- In Ludlow street, between Stanton and Houston streets.
- In Mangin street, between Broome and Grand streets.
- In Greene street, between Prince and Houston streets.
- In Bedford street, between Downing and Houston streets.
- In South street, between Catharine and James streets.
- In Broad street, between Exchange place and Beaver street.
- In Front street, between Peck slip and Beekman street.

*Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.*

- 114 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 200 lineal feet of sewers cleaned.
- 11 lineal feet of culverts rebuilt.
- 18 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
- 1 receiving-basin repaired.
- 1 new basin cover put on.
- 7 man-holes repaired.
- 7 new man-hole frames and covers put on.
- 3 new manhole covers put on.
- 7 cubic yards of earth excavated.
- 8 cubic yards of earth filled in.
- 7 square yards of pavement relaid.
- 225 cart loads of dirt removed.

*Discharged on Completion of Work.*

- Christopher Collins, Inspector on Sewers.
- John Maguire, Inspector on Regulating and Grading.

STATEMENT of Laboring Force employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending June 8, 1878.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs .....	9	49	3	..
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street .....	2	19	..	..
Repairing 6-foot Pipes .....	4	21	..	..
Laying and repairing Croton pipes .....	25	96	..	21
Repairing pavements .....	59	217	..	67
Repairing and cleaning sewers .....	3	22	..	8
Maintenance of Boulevards and Avenues .....	2	30	16	8
Repairing roads .....	1	17	7	2
Total .....	105	471	26	106
Increase over previous week .....	..	9	..	1
Decrease from previous week .....	..	..	..	..

*Requisitions drawn on Comptroller.*

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department upon the Comptroller during the week is \$103,884.84.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held June 5, 1878.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meeting held 29th May, were read and approved.

A communication was received from the Captain of the Port stating that he has no knowledge of the pier at Twenty-third street, East river, having been used for the purpose of loading or unloading vessels regularly employed in foreign commerce and having a draft of more than 18 feet; and, being read,

On motion, the application of the Manhattan Beach Railroad Company was taken from the table and placed on file, and the following resolution adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to the Manhattan Beach Railroad Company to erect and maintain on the outer end of pier at Twenty-third street, East river, an open shed, with tight roof, about 75 feet by 25 feet, as a shelter for passengers and for the protection of property received and discharged thereat, the said shed to be constructed subject to the regulations of the Superintendent of Buildings as required by chapter 249, Laws of 1875, and in accordance with the directions of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and to become the property of the city when so erected.

A communication was received from Superintendent Butler, stating that a quantity of lumber encumbered the bulkhead at Thirty-first street, East river, owned by E. Russell & Co., which said owners had refused to remove, although repeatedly notified by him so to do; and, being read, on motion, the Secretary was directed to notify the owners of said lumber to remove it from said bulkhead without further delay, and in case of failure so to do, this Department will take proceedings to effect that object.

A communication was received from Thos. E. Broadway, surety on lease to "Oceanic Steam Navigation Co.," of Piers, new 44 and 45, North river, etc., dated June 8, 1874, requesting that action be taken whereby he may be relieved from the position of surety; and, being read, on motion, the Secretary was directed to advise, in reply, that this Department has no power to grant his request, and to refer him to the communication addressed to his counsel, on March 13 last, in answer to a similar application.

An application was received from Richard Heckscher, Jr., to place a small platform for discharging ice at pier at Twenty-third street, East river; and, being read,

On motion, it was Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to Richard Heckscher, Jr., to erect a small platform at the lower end of pier at Twenty-third street, East river, for the purpose of discharging ice, provided he shall first file in this Department the consent in writing of the lessee of said pier to the erection of the same, and to construct it under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department; said platform to be removed when not in use, or whenever it shall be so requested by the Harbor Master of the District, the Department reserving the right to revoke this permission at any time.

A communication was received from the New York, Lake Erie, and Western Railroad Company, requesting that an abatement of rent in the sum of \$3,750 be allowed by this Department of the rent due 1st May last, for Pier 30 and one-half of the bulkhead between Piers 30 and 31, North river, in consequence of said premises being occupied by this Department in the work of improving the waterfront at that point in accordance with the new plans adopted; and, being read,

On motion, the Secretary was directed, in reply, to call attention to the communication from this Department to the Erie Railway Company, under date, July 14, 1875, in reference to the proposed lease of the wharf property, when improved, at the foot of Chambers street, North river, and to state that, as the Erie Railway Company could not be called upon by this Department to pay any increased rent until the completion of the piers therein referred to, and in view of the probability that the Company would occupy and use, for a considerable time, a large portion of the premises so improved, subject only to the smaller rent now in force, as stated in said communication, the Commissioners are of the opinion that the claim for a rebate of the rent due 1st May last in the sum of \$3,750 is not well founded, and cannot be allowed by this Department.

A communication was received from S. L. Merchant & Co., offering to sell to the Department English Portland cement, to arrive, at \$2.45 per barrel; also from Jackson & Wilson, offering to sell 1,000 barrels "Taylor's" Portland cement, barrels to be returned, at \$2.50 per barrel; and, being read, were,

On motion, placed on file, and the Secretary directed to advise, in reply, that this Department is not in need of any cement at present, and will not require any further supply for some weeks.

A communication was received from Department of Public Charities and Correction, requesting that repairs be made to the Store House Dock, Blackwell's Island, new piles, etc., being required; and being read, was,

On motion, laid on the table, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report the repairs needed and the cost of doing the work.

A report was received from the Engineer-in-Chief in reference to the amount of dredging required at Piers 27 and 28, East river, to secure a depth at low water of twenty feet; and, being read,

On motion, the communications from Edward Hinken and Thomas Dunham's Nephew & Company, in reference thereto, were taken from the table and placed on file, and the following resolution adopted.

Resolved, That the owner or owners of Piers 27 and 28, East river, be and are hereby notified to dredge the slips adjacent thereto, to such depth as may be required to float the vessels berthed thereat, complaint having been made to this Department that ships ground while loading, and the Engineer-in-Chief reporting that 39,000 cubic yards of mud should be removed to secure a depth of about 20 feet.

A communication was received from John M. C. Scully, contractor, for furnishing riprap and broken stone, inclosing an affidavit by him, wherein it is stated that one Patrick H. Lydon has not now and never has had any claim, legal or equitable, against the contract entered into between himself and this Department, and, being read, was,

On motion, placed on file.

An application was received from T. & A. Walsh to sink a crib and repair platform between Forth-fifth and Forty-sixth streets, East river; and, being read, was, on motion, laid on the table, and the applicants requested to forward to this Department the water grant, if any has been issued by the city, to the premises sought to be improved.

The following communications were received, read, and placed on file:

- From Engineer-in-Chief—
- 1st. In reference to the repairs being made to the ferry-buildings at James slip, East river, and that the work was finished.
- 2d. As to sheathing of deck of Pier, new 46, North river, finished May 30th.
- 3d. As to the cleaning of certain piers on the North river, as directed on April 3, 1878.
- 4th. Report of work performed during week ending June 1, 1878.

From Treasurer—Report of receipts and disbursements for week ending June 4, 1878.

A communication was received from Department of Public Works requesting this Department to co-operate with it in placing the "butts" for the gas-lamps to be erected on Pier, new 1, North river; and, being read,

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to do the work necessary to be performed, and report the cost incurred.

An application was received from George Penniman, executor, for permission to widen Pier No. 36, East river, and being read, was

On motion, laid on the table. Superintendent Butler having reported that the spring piles at the upper corner of the Pier, foot of Thirty-third street, East river, had been broken and needed to be replaced,

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to make the necessary repairs, and report the cost of doing the work.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to drive a proper cluster of piles south of Pier 55, East river, in order to afford facilities for the landing of steamboats.

A communication was received from C. W. Durant & Son, stating that the pier at Twenty-fifth street, East river, was in need of repairs to the surface; and being read, was,

On motion, laid on the table, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report the nature of the repairs required, and the cost of doing the work.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of twenty-three bills or claims amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$8,444.68; and being read, was,

On motion, accepted and adopted; and the Secretary directed to forward the said bills, together with proper requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment.

A report was received from the Engineer-in-Chief, stating that there remained about 1,100 cubic yards to be removed from slips adjacent to Pier at Fortieth street, North river, to secure a depth of ten feet at mean low water; and, being read,

On motion, the petition of James McClenahan, lessee of said pier, to have said work done, was ordered on file, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to make requisition for necessary dredge-scows and labor required to excavate and remove about 1,100 cubic yards of mud from the slips adjacent to said premises.

A communication was received from Joseph V. Brown, to have dredging and repairs done at Piers 46 and 60, and bulkhead adjoining, and bulkhead between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, East river; and, being read,

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to make requisitions for the necessary dredges, scows, and labor to excavate and remove the quantities of mud as stated, respectively, from the slips adjacent to the following-named wharf property, to wit:

- To Pier 46, East river, 300 cubic yards.
- To Pier 60, and bulkhead adjoining, 700 cubic yards; and to bulkhead between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, 1,400 cubic yards; and to superintend the work of such dredging, said estimated quantities having been stated in his report thereon as being required in order to secure a depth of ten feet, at mean low water; and,

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to make repairs to Piers 46 and 60, East river, in accordance with his report thereon.

On motion, the following appointments were made, to wit:

- Lawrence McDonnell, as a dock builder, and Edward Barry, as a watchman on the 100-ton derrick.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 12th day of June, 1878.  
Present—Messrs. Smith, Erhardt, and Nichols, Commissioners.

*Resignations Accepted.*

- Patrolman Thomas Fay, Fourth Precinct.
  - Patrolman James McCabe, Eighth Precinct.
- Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.



every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at this office.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

TOWNSEND COX, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, ISAAC H. BAILEY, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 8, 1878.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Twenty-ninth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man; aged about 60 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on blue flannel sack coat, black cloth vest, dark gray mixed pants, blue shirt, boots.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Alexander Eads; aged 38 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; black hair mixed with gray; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, gray coat, black vest and pants, colored shirt, black felt hat, boots.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Kate Harrison; aged 40 years; 5 feet high; black eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, blue dress, white skirt, red shawl, black hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Catherine Boylan; aged 42 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, dark skirt and 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, June 12, 1878.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from off Blackwell's Island—Unknown man, body in an advanced state of decomposition; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on black coat and pants, brown vest, brown and white mixed shirt, white shirt, boots.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Myles Christie; aged 44 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, gray coat, dark pants, black vest, white drawers and undershirt, black felt hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Cassidy; admitted March 25, 1879; aged 50 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—William Walsh; aged 55 years; 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 11, 1878.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 3 North river—Unknown man; aged about 20 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on black diagonal pants, green plaid shirt, white knit undershirt, blue cotton socks.

Unknown man from Pier 46 North river—aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; light brown hair; brown moustache. Had on dark mixed frock coat, black vest, dark ribbed pants, white shirt, white flannel undershirt, ribbed socks; 5 steel keys, 1 brass key, 2 buttons, 60 cents found on his person.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 10, 1878.

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 Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Moore; aged 70 years; 4 feet 10 1/2 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Nothing known of her friend or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Kate Dewey; aged 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; dark hair. Had on when admitted, dress, skirt, shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, June 5, 1878.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Tuesday, June 18, 1878, at 9.30 o'clock A. M., the following articles, which may be seen at Store-house, Blackwell's Island—

- 15,000 lbs. mixed Rags. 250 lbs. old Brass. 250 lbs. old Copper. 2,500 lbs. old corrugated Iron. 250 iron bound Barrels.

under the following terms. Twenty-five per centum of estimated value to be paid on day of sale and balance on delivery. All to be removed within ten (10) days from the day of sale, or the deposit will be considered forfeited and the articles resold.

Also on the same day, at 10 o'clock A. M., at Van Tassell & Kearney, No. 110 East Thirteenth street, the chessnut horse Kildare, formerly Milner by Leamington.

By order, JOHN E. FLAGLER, General Store-keeper.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Tenth avenue, from Eighty-second to Ninety-third street.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Ninety-ninth street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Eighty-fifth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

No. 5. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Tenth avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets.

No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Third street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue, and Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fourth street, with Belgian pavement.

No. 7. Laying crosswalks at the northerly and southerly intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

No. 8. Sewer and its appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from a point 75 feet west of Third avenue to said avenue, and in Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

No. 9. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Fifty-ninth street and Madison avenue.

No. 10. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of Seventy-fourth street and Avenue A.

No. 11. Sewer in Fifty-first street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 12. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of Fourth street and Sixth avenue.

No. 13. Flagging sidewalks on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 14. Fencing vacant lots on the northeast corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-sixth street.

No. 15. Fencing vacant lots on the northeast corner of Eighty-third street and Second avenue.

No. 16. Fencing vacant lots on south side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 17. Laying crosswalks at each of the intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.

No. 18. Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Sixty-third street, from the First avenue to the East river.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Eighty-second and Ninety-third streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Tenth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

No. 4. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

No. 5. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets, and to the extent of half the block at the northerly intersection of Eighty-first street and the southerly intersection of Eighty-second street.

No. 6. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, and both sides of One Hundred and Third street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersections of One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets and Lexington avenue, and the intersection of One Hundred and Third street and Fourth avenue.

No. 7. To the extent of half the block on each side of the intersection of One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Lexington avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

No. 9. East side of Madison avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.

No. 10. Block bounded by Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets, and Avenue A and First avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of Fifty-first street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 12. North side of Fourth street, between Sixth avenue and Barrow street.

No. 13. North side of Fifty-eighth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 14. North side of Fifty-sixth street, extending easterly 75 feet from the northeast corner of Madison avenue, and on the east side of Madison avenue, extending 100 feet 5 inches north of Fifty-sixth street.

No. 15. North side of Eighty-third street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 16. South side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 17. To the extent of half the block on either side of the intersections of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets and Lexington avenue.

No. 18. Both sides of Sixty-third street, from First avenue to the East river.

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

The above described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 20th day of June ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MULLALLY, EDWARD NORTH, JOHN R. MUMFORD, Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE), NEW YORK, May 20, 1878.

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

No. 1.—Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to the East river..... \$45,240 25

No. 2.—Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging four feet wide in Fourth avenue, from Seventy-first to Seventy-ninth street..... 2,580 23

No. 3.—Sewers in the Boulevard, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets..... 222,720 83

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 114 WHITE STREET, NEW YORK, May 28, 1878.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 9 City Hall, every Monday at 1 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS SHEILS, THOMAS CARROLL, GEORGE HAI L, JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, BERNARD BIGLIN, Committee on Public Works

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 10, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 3, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder, the title and number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Tuesday, June 18, 1878, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department and read, for each of the following works:

No. 1. SEWER in Fourth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets.

No. 2. SEWER in Seventieth street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 3. SEWER in One Hundred and Fourth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

No. 4. SEWER in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Fifth avenue and summit west of Fifth avenue.

No. 5. SEWERS in One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

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 Engineer in charge of 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 WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 10, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 3, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1, chapter 476, Laws of 1875, inclosed in a sealed envelope, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder, the title and number of the work, as designated in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Tuesday, June 18, 1878, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read for—

No. 1. FOR PAVING, WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT, Fifth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 4, City Hall.

Contractors, before depositing their bids in the estimate box, are particularly requested to take notice of the changes which have been made in the specifications.

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.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOIT STREET, NEW YORK, June 14, 1878.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 11th day of June, 1878, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following sections of the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health be and the same are hereby amended, and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 196. That it shall be the duty of every owner, lessee, or tenant of any vacant, sunken, or excavated lot in the City of New York, to keep the same at all times clean and unoffensive, and to provide around the same a proper fence so as to effectually prevent the throwing or depositing therein or thereupon any garbage or offensive thing whatsoever, and also to prevent persons passing from falling into such excavation.

Section 198. That on and after the 10th day of May, 1878, no cows or cattle shall be led or driven through or along any of the streets of that portion of the City of New York bounded by Fifty-seventh and Sixty-fourth streets, Tenth and First avenues, exclusive of these boundary streets and avenues, without a permit in writing from this Department, and in strict accordance with the routes, hours, and terms prescribed and designated therein.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.

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)

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

PREMISES AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, TO BE LEASED AT AUCTION ON FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 1878.

THE LEASE OF PREMISES ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF Eighty-fifth street and Third avenue, for the term of four years, ten months and sixteen days, from June 15, 1878, will be sold at public auction at the New County Court-house, on Friday, June 14, 1878, at 10 1/2 o'clock A. M.

TERMS OF SALE.

Twenty per cent. on the yearly rent bid to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue at the time and place of sale; and the successful bidder will be required, at the same time, to have an obligation executed by two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, for carrying into effect the terms of sale.

Twenty per cent., when paid, will be credited on the first quarter's rent; or forfeited, if the lessee does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen days after the sale; and the Comptroller shall be authorized, at his option, to resell the premises bid off by those failing to comply with the terms as above; and the party so failing to comply to be liable for any deficiency that may result from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation. No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation (sec. 99 of Charter of 1873).

The leases will contain the usual covenants and conditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the lease whenever the premises may be required by them for public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees, and no deduction whatever will be allowed for damage by reason of any sickness or epidemic that may prevail in the city during the continuance of the lease.

The lessees will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarter-yearly, and the fulfillment on their part, of the covenants of the lease.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 31, 1878.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The above sale is adjourned to Friday, June 28, 1878, at 10 1/2 o'clock A. M., at the same place.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 14, 1878.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 9, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, May 9, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED MAY 4, 1878.

113th street, regulating, grading, etc., from Morningside to Riverside Drive.

146th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 10th avenue to Boulevard.

Washington street, curb, gutter, and flagging, west side, from Gansevoort to Little 12th street, etc.

5th avenue, sewer, west side, between 35th and 36th streets.

5th avenue, sewer, west of Mount Morris Square, between 122d and 123d streets.

10th avenue, sewer, between 57th and 59th streets.

57th street, sewer, between 8th and 9th avenues, etc.

127th street, sewer, between 6th avenue and summit west of 6th avenue.

127th street, sewer, between 7th avenue and summit east of 7th avenue.

4th street, paving, between Lewis and Mangin streets.

23d street, paving, between Avenue A and East river.

121st street, paving, between 1st avenue and Avenue A.

Grand street, basin, southwest corner Ridge street.

Lincoln avenue, basin, northeast corner 135th street, etc.

127th street, basin, southwest corner Lexington avenue.

5th avenue, basin, west side, opposite 108th and 109th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before July 8, 1878, 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.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 6, AND ENTERED MAY 7, 1878.

91st street, regulating, grading, etc., from 4th to 5th avenue.

Lawrence street, paving, from 9th avenue to Boulevard.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before July 10, 1878, 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