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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, Resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor to and including December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. H. & F. Ford to put a small sign on sidewalk, near curb, in front of their premises No. 846 Third avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to P. O'Brien to erect and keep a meat-rack in front of No. 52 Roosevelt street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 30, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. Martin & Bro. to retain sign in front of their premises No. 379 Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Toner & Hope to place and keep an undertaker's sign on the curb line in front of their place of business No. 105 Madison street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That Charles A. Binder be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Joseph Schneider, resigned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the Seth Thomas Clock Company to remove the ornamental clock now in front of No. 581 Broadway to the new location of said clock company, at No. 20 Murray street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That section 7 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to regulate the laying of subterranean telegraph wires and electric conductors in the streets of the city," approved December 14, 1878, be and is hereby amended by striking out the word "or" in the fifth line of said section before the word "fire," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and one for the," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

VII. Resolved, That whenever routes of several wires shall be laid, by and under the provisions of this ordinance, that one wire in each route shall be reserved for the use of the police and one for the fire-alarm telegraph, and the use of same shall be donated to the City and County of New York by the parties laying such lines or wires free of any price or charge therefor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. K. Murphy to erect a watering-trough in front of No. 319 Seventh avenue, the water to be supplied and 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, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mark Levitaky to retain sign in front of No. 274 Bleecker street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Rumbold to retain sign in front of No. 411 Canal street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. K. Murphy to erect a storm-door at the Twenty-ninth street entrance of premises on the northeast corner of Twenty-ninth street and Sixth avenue, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That the resolution passed December 17, appointing James M. Moore a Commissioner of Deeds, be amended by striking out James M. Moore and inserting James M. More.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That the first and second floors in the new addition to the County Court-house be and they are hereby assigned to the Surrogate, which, together with the room now used for the Surrogate's Court, and a portion of the large room now used by the clerks in the Surrogate's office, on the first floor of the said County Court-house, shall constitute the court and offices of the Surrogate of this county.

Resolved, That the third floor in the new addition to the County Court-house be and is hereby assigned to and set apart for the uses of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, for a court library and other purposes connected with said court.

Resolved, That the fourth floor of the new addition to the County Court-house be and is hereby assigned to and set apart for the Commissioner of Jurors, as offices for the transaction of the public business of said Commissioner.

Resolved, That the apartment known as the Record room, and the portion of the large room now occupied by the clerks in the Surrogate's office, on the first floor of the Court-house, not required by the Surrogate after the occupation of the rooms above assigned that officer, be and they are hereby assigned to and set apart for the uses of the Collector of Assessments, as public offices for the transaction of the business of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, when said rooms shall be vacated by the Surrogate.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Willis and Brook avenues, in pursuance of section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted on one side of One Hundred and Ninth street, from First avenue to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in front of the Faith Methodist Episcopal Church, on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, commencing seventy-five feet east of First avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of Thomas Canary for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, in full payment of the annexed bill for coaches furnished on the occasion of the funeral of the late Assistant Alderman Henry A. Linden; the amount to be charged to the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of Stephen Beeching for the sum of thirty-six 34-100 dollars, to be in full for annexed bill for newspapers furnished the office of the Clerk of the Common Council from July 1 to December 31, 1878, and charge the amount to the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That a lamp-post be erected and boulevard lamp lighted in front of the Mission Church, Nos. 7 and 9 King street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and boulevards placed and lighted in front of Trinity Church, also two similar lamp-posts and lamps in front of St. Paul's Church, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of D. T. Ames, for the sum of two hundred and ten dollars, to be in full payment for engrossing and framing preamble and resolutions passed by the Common Council in commendation of the crew of the Columbia College Rowing Club for winning the "Visitors' Cup" at the Henley Regatta, July 4 and 5, 1878, the amount to be charged to the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 24, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 30, 1878.

Whereas, The Harlem Bridge, Morrisania and Fordham Railway Company, by resolution of their Board of Directors, and by consent of one-half in value of property owners on the line of the extension, as required by law, have taken proceedings for the extension of the tracks of their road from the present southerly terminus thereof to, along, and upon the Harlem Bridge and Third avenue to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; and

Whereas, The completion of the Elevated Railroad on Third avenue to that point makes it desirable that the application of the first named road for authority to extend its road should be granted, and that the facilities to be offered for rapid transit over the Elevated Road should be enjoyed by the people of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; therefore be it

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Harlem Bridge, Morrisania and Fordham Railway Company to extend its tracks to, upon, and across the Harlem Bridge, and on and along the Third avenue to a point at or near One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, and to operate said road so extended, and to run cars thereon, with such switches, turnouts, and tables as may be necessary, provided that said company shall run cars from said terminus until 1 A. M., and shall not charge any increased fares, by reason of such extension, provided that the said bridge be put into good repair after the laying of said tracks at the expense of said company, and that the said company keep said bridge in good repair between the tracks; and that this permission shall continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 17, 1878.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 20, 1878, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen December 31, 1878, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to notify the New York Elevated Railroad Company to remove the stairways in course of construction for the stations of their road on Houston street, corner of the Bowery, from their present location and construct them in the Bowery, also at Ninth street and Third avenue, remove the stairways on both corners from their present location and construct them on Third avenue, as the same in their present position leaves a space from the stoop line less than two feet wide for the use of pedestrians.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 10, 1878.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 20, 1878, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1878, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That the south side of Eighty-fifth street, one hundred feet west of Lexington avenue, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on east side of Madison avenue, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the southerly side of Seventy-fourth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, be flagged and reflagged a space 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, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to remove the water-box and pipe on the sidewalk on the south side of Forty-second street, east of Fourth avenue, in front of the Grand Union Hotel, used for watering the horses of the railroad companies having a terminus at the junction of Fourth avenue and Forty-second street, and place them on the north side of the said street, beneath the steps leading to the depot of the New York Elevated Railroad.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Police be and they are hereby requested to amend Rule 660, so that deductions from the pay of patrolmen and doormen, when absent from duty by reason of sickness or disability arising from the ordinary discharge of police duty, shall be one-half instead of three-fourths, as at present.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. F. Lyons to erect two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of his premises No. 259 Bowery, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. Fitzsimons to retain sign now in front of his place of business No. 213 East Twenty-second street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to McClain Bros. to retain awning and signs on awning in front of their premises Nos. 165 and 167 Spring street; the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the resolution heretofore adopted by the Common Council, making Second avenue, from Thirty-second to Thirty-third street, a stand for licensed venders, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded, and repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Isaac Jacobs to retain a sign in front of No. 108 Madison street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That James S. Williams be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Charles J. Bushnell, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That Sampson Lachman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of D. F. Curley, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That Maxwell Apple be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of James Wall, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Seventy-ninth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repair and put in good order the sidewalks on the west side of Centre street, between Leonard and Franklin streets; south side of Franklin street, from Centre to Elm street; east side of Elm street, from Franklin to Leonard street, and north side of Leonard street, from Elm to Centre street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Eighth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, as provided in chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in Eighty-first street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the street-lamp now in front of the Ashland House, on Fourth avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, be removed, and placed on the southeast corner of Fourth avenue and Twenty-fourth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the north side of Fifty-second street, between Madison and Fourth avenues, be flagged four feet in width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That a street-lamp be placed and lighted in front of No. 89 Vandam street, between Hudson and Greenwich streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted on the north side of Ninety-first street, between Third and Lexington avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the east side of Madison avenue, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, and in Eightieth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues, be fenced in, 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, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Nineteenth (119th) street, between Fifth (5th) and Sixth (6th) avenues, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Cox to place and keep a small wooden structure inside the stoop line in front of or adjoining No. 114 Church street, corner of Duane street, said structure to be not more than eight feet high, eight feet long, 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, December 27, 1878.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 31, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Lewis Miller to retain meat-rack in front of his premises No. 41 Grand street; the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 31, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That Rufus W. Fowler be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of D. S. Hart, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 28, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That James Brice be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Patrick H. Lydon, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 28, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That John J. Nolan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Charles M. Earle, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 29, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the resolution granting permission to Albert W. Harris, M. Ralph Tynan, and others to lay wires for conducting electricity in and through the streets and highways of New York City, approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1878, be and is hereby amended by inserting after the name William H. Heiss, Jr., the words "their heirs and assigns," so that said resolution, when so amended, shall read as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to Albert W. Harris, M. Ralph Tynan, William H. Heiss, Cornelius V. Sidell, Philip J. Kiernan, W. Clifford Harris, and William H. Heiss, Jr., their heirs and assigns, to lay wires for conducting electricity in and through the streets and highways of New York City, in accordance with the provisions of an ordinance entitled an "Ordinance to regulate the laying of subterranean telegraph wires and electric conductors in the streets of the city."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 28, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York respectfully memorialize the Legislature of the State of New York to pass the following:

AN ACT in relation to assessment and other bonds of the city of New York.

The people of the State of New York represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows: Section 1. Whenever it shall be lawful to issue any bonds of the City and County of New York for assessments or other purposes, the same shall be issued in denominations of twenty dollars, fifty dollars, one hundred dollars, and five hundred dollars and upwards, each.

Sec. 2. Preference shall, as far as practicable, be given to applicants for the smallest amounts and smallest denominations of said bonds in issuing the same.

Sec. 3. All acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Whereas, It appears that the contractors for working the "Riverside Drive" have, in the most heartless manner, defrauded many of the workmen in their employ of the wages due them, and the poor men are now in the most abject want, themselves and their families being absolutely in need of the common necessities of life; and

Whereas, It also appears that there is still due the said contractors by the city certain moneys that might be made available to relieve the distress and misery these poor people are now suffering; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Department of Public Parks be and is hereby requested to pay the workmen each a pro rata share of the moneys so due to said contractors by the city, in order to relieve, temporarily at least, the sufferings of the workmen and their families.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay Croton water-mains in Ninety-ninth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard, pursuant to chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Third and Courtland avenues, as provided in chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 27, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Morris Jacobs to erect a sign in front of No. 86 Monroe street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 28, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Perzel to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp upon the sidewalk in front of his premises No. 290 Fifth avenue, the work to be done and gas supplied 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, December 28, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Stephen Harkins to keep a news-stand in front of No. 45 Monroe street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 28, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 31, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Roeder to place sign and post in front of premises No. 57 West Houston street, the said sign to be 4 x 2; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 31, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the name of Charles Taylor, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Charles J. Taylor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the name of Henry D. Metz, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Henry F. Metz.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

Resolved, That John McGinn be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John E. Hartley, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, December 31, 1878.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk Common Council.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
TUESDAY, December 31, 1878—2 o'clock, P. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—All the members, viz.:

Smith Ely, Jr., the Mayor of the City of New York; John Kelly, the Comptroller of the City of New York; William R. Roberts, the President of the Board of Aldermen; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held December 30, 1878, were read and approved.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of ninety-five dollars and fifty-one cents be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation for "Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessment," 1877, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation for "Cleaning Markets," 1878, which is insufficient.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman); the Comptroller of the City of New York; the President of the Board of Aldermen; and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution:

The Corporation Counsel having appeared before the Board, and stated that he had written an opinion and was ready to submit the same to the Board, to the effect that the expenses of the Dock Department were not to be included in the annual estimate and raised by taxation; stated, further, that he had conferred with Judge James Emott upon the subject, and it was suggested by him, after consultation with Professor Dwight, that the opinion sent in upon the subject by the Reform Society be withdrawn, and the request for an opinion from the Corporation Counsel be also withdrawn, as a final disposition of the matter.

Resolved, by the Board, that the disposition of the matter suggested be approved by this Board.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The objections to, and rectifications of, the Provisional Estimate for 1879, made by the Board of Aldermen, was acted upon, as follows:

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with the following item:

Add the following to the appropriations made to the Common Council: For legal expenses incurred by the Common Council in 1878, in defending the members thereof on indictment for passing ordinances relating to pretended obstructions in the streets. Approved by the Common Council by resolution adopted October 14, 1878. \$10,000 00

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with the following items:

Free Floating Baths, amended as follows: Free Floating Baths, including construction and maintenance of one additional bath, to be located at the Battery. \$23,500 00

Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues—Reduced from \$3,000 to 1,500 00

Repairing Streets and Avenues, under Chapter 476, Laws of 1875—Increased from \$300,000 to 500,000 00

Public Charities and Correction—Increase amount for support of out-door poor from \$40,000 to 60,000 00

Public Parks—Add new item as follows: Repairing and reflagging walks in and around the City Hall Park and other city parks. 129,930 00

Supplies for Police—Increase from \$60,000 to 70,000 00

Salaries—City Courts, Police Courts—Add item as follows: Salaries, six janitors. 7,200 00

Salaries—District Courts—Add Salaries, ten janitors. 12,000 00

Police—Salaries of Captains, Lieutenants, Sergeants, Post and Gate-keepers, and Night Watchmen, Department of Public Parks—Increase from \$75,000 to 110,000 00

Cleaning Streets under Police Department—Salaries, etc., etc., under this head, increased from \$650,000 to 754,231 25

Add to Police Department:

Purchase of lot and erection of new Station-house for Sixth Precinct Police. 50,000 00

Building new Station-house for Twenty-eighth Precinct Police. 40,000 00

Repairing and renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc., reduced from \$75,000 to 50,000 00

Police Department—Add for pay of one hundred additional Policemen. 150,000 00

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President of the Board of Aldermen.

Negative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessment—3.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following preamble, resolution, and final estimate for the support of the City Government for the year 1879.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment have considered the objections to, and rectifications of, the Provisional Estimate made by said Board on the 31st day of October, 1878, of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit, the year eighteen hundred and seventy-nine (1879); in which estimate is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said city and county, which become due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable during the said year; also the amount to be raised by tax annually, which will be sufficient, with the accumulations of interest thereon, to pay the bonds and stocks, payable from taxation, issued after June 3, 1878, pursuant to chapter 383, Laws of 1878; and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York, in said year, which objections to, and rectifications of, said Provisional Estimate made by the Board of Aldermen, were transmitted by the Clerk of said Board, under date of November 30, 1878, and presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 9, 1878; therefore

Resolved, That after such consideration of the said objections to, and rectifications of, said Provisional Estimate, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment does hereby make this a

FINAL ESTIMATE

of the amount required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit, the year eighteen hundred and seventy-nine (1879), in which is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said city and county, which become due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable during the said year; also the amount to be raised by tax annually, which will be sufficient, with the accumulations of interest thereon, to pay the bonds and stocks, payable from taxation, issued after June 3, 1878, pursuant to chapter 383, Laws of 1878; and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York, in said year, as follows:

FINAL ESTIMATE FOR 1879.

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

City Contingencies	\$1,000 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council	250 00
Salaries—Common Council:	
President of the Board of Aldermen	\$5,000 00
Twenty-one Aldermen, at \$4,000 each	84,000 00
Clerks and officers of Board of Aldermen	18,000 00
	107,000 00

Legal expenses incurred by the Common Council in 1878, in defending the members thereof, on indictment for passing ordinances relating to pretended obstructions in the streets, under resolution of the Common Council of October 14, 1878. 10,000 00 \$118,250 00

THE MAYORALTY.

Contingencies—Mayor's office	\$4,000 00
Salaries—Mayor's office:	
Salary of the Mayor	\$12,000 00
Salaries of Clerks and subordinates	18,000 00
Salaries—Bureau of Permits	30,000 00
	12,000 00
	46,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Expenses of Conducting the Department.

Cleaning markets	\$25,000 00
Contingencies—Comptroller's office	7,500 00
Salaries—Department of Finance:	
Salary of the Comptroller	\$10,000 00
Salaries of the Attaches of the Department	173,400 00
Salaries of 25 Temporary Clerks in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, in months of October, November, and December, at \$3 per day each	6,600 00
Salaries—Chamberlain's office	190,000 00
	30,000 00
	252,500 00

Expenses of Conducting the City Government.

FOR THE STATE.

State Taxes:	
For General Purposes, 1 531-1,000 mills, as per chapter 289, Laws of 1878	\$1,979,495 52
For Canals, 3-10 mill, as per chapter 140, Laws of 1878	387,882 86
For salary of Shore Inspector, as per chapter 604, Laws of 1875	1,527 90
	\$2,368,906 28
Common Schools for the State:	
For Common Schools, 1 69-1,000 mills, as per chapter 289, Laws of 1878	1,382,155 91
	3,751,062 19

INTEREST ON THE DEBT OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Interest on the City Debt	8,790,153 84
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REDEMPTION OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE CITY DEBT.

Redemption of the City Debt:	
For amount to be raised by tax and applied to the redemption of the city debt due in 1879, pursuant to section 7 of chapter 383, Laws of 1878, and resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted October 22, 1878	\$1,000,000 00
Redemption of the Debt of the annexed Territory of Westchester County:	
Town of Morrisania	\$27,000 00
Town of West Farms	16,000 00
County of Westchester, for proportion of Bounty Loan and Central Park Avenue Bonds, incurred on account of annexed towns	25,110 38
	68,110 38
For redemption of Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, due November 1, 1879, issued and to be issued pursuant to chapter 411, Laws of 1878	50,000 00
For redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, payable November 1, 1879, issued pursuant to chapter 213, Laws of 1871	5,000 00
For redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, payable November 1, 1879, issued pursuant to chapter 418, Laws of 1877	775 50
For amount to be raised by tax annually, sufficient, with the accumulations of interest thereon, to pay the bonds and stocks, payable from taxation, issued after June 3, 1878, pursuant to section 8, chapter 383, Laws of 1878	36,179 55
For redemption of New York City Bonds, for construction of a bridge over Harlem river, due November 1, 1879, issued pursuant to chapter 534, Laws of 1871, and chapter 329, Laws of 1874	4,380 87
	1,164,446 30

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Armories and Drill-rooms:	
For wages of Armorer, in pursuance of section 39, chapter 223, Laws of 1875	17,520 00

Armories and Drill-rooms, Rent of:
For rent of the following premises for Armories and Drill-rooms, under leases made in conformity with section 120, chapter 223, Laws of 1875, viz.:

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSES.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	TERM OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENT.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR IN 1879.
1876. May 16	Wm. D. F. Manice and Ed. A. Manice	71st Regiment	2d story building on Broadway, 6th avenue, 35th and 36th streets.	3 years, from May 1, 1876. If renewed,	\$12,000 00 estimated	\$6,000 00 6,000 00
1876. May 10	Valentine G. Hall, sole surviving executor.	22d Regiment	14th street, between 6th and 7th avenues.	5 years, from May 1, 1876	15,000 00	15,000 00
1876. May 18	Cassius H. Reed	5th Regiment.	Halls and premises on 2d story of buildings, Nos. 139, 141 and 143 W. 23d street, etc.	5 years, from May 1, 1876	7,500 00	7,500 00
1877. Jan. 6	Chas. W. Dickel	First Troop Cavalry.	Nos. 7, 9, and 11 W. 13th street.	5 years, from Jan. 1, 1877	5,500 00	5,500 00
1877. Jan. 8	Mary Combes and Lewis H. Combes, her husband.	Companies A, G, & K, 27th Regiment.	2d floor of Morrisania Hall, Railroad avenue, between 166th and 167th streets.	2 years, from Jan. 1, 1877. If renewed,	750 00 estimated	..... 750 00
1877. Dec. 29	R. T. Ford	Washington Gray Troop.	2d story of building, south side of 45th street, near Broadway.	3 years and 4 months, from Jan. 1, 1878.	2,000 00	2,000 00
1877. Dec. 29	R. T. Ford	12th Regiment	2d story of building, east side of Broadway, between 44th and 45th streets.	3 years and 4 months, from Jan. 1, 1878.	7,000 00	7,000 00
1878. Jan. 4	Marietta R. Stevens, ex'x, and John L. Melcher and Chas. G. Stevens, ex'rs of the estate of Paran Stevens.	9th Regiment.	26th street, between 6th and 7th avenues.	3 years and 4 months, from Jan. 1, 1878.	8,000 00	8,000 00
1878. April 9	Cassius H. Reed	Battery K.	1st floor, etc., of building Nos. 139, 141, and 143 W. 23d street.	3 years, from May 1, 1878. For 6 months in 1878.	3,000 00 1,500 00	3,000 00 1,500 00
						62,250 00

Police Station-houses—Alterations, fitting up, additions to, and repairs of station-houses, steamboat "Seneca," and Central Department	20,000 00	
Supplies for Police	60,000 00	
Cleaning Streets under Police Department :		
For salaries of clerks, inspectors, foremen, steamboat superintendents and employees, wages of sweepers, laborers, watchmen, trimmers, cart-drivers, and hostlers; expenses for hired carts, supplies, new scows, harness, horses, and carts, rent of stables, and all expenses for this purpose; including \$7,500 for scows to receive the ashes, garbage or rubbish from the steamers plying in the Harbor of New York, as provided by chapter 148, Laws of 1875; and including a sum not exceeding \$40,000 for removing snow and ice	690,000 00	4,048,100 00

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Department Fund :		
For salaries, viz :		
Headquarters Pay-roll	\$42,400 00	
Telegraph Force Pay-roll	27,720 00	
Repair Shop Pay-roll	45,000 00	
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll	12,200 00	
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll	7,200 00	
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll	32,700 00	
Superintendent of Horses Pay-roll	7,000 00	
Pay of Foremen, Assistant Foremen, Engineers, Firemen, Ladder-men, and Hosemen, of Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, and of the Fire Steamboat	875,750 00	\$1,049,970 00
For building three new Engine-houses	30,000 00	
For apparatus, supplies, etc. :		
For new apparatus, rents, horses, hose, and all supplies and expenses of the Department not otherwise provided for, including maintenance of Fire Steamboat, and for repairs and alterations of buildings	175,000 00	1,254,970 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments	\$900 00	
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments :		
Salaries of Commissioners	\$16,500 00	
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks, and employees	73,100 00	89,600 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors :		
Salaries of the Assessors and their Clerks	17,400 00	107,000 00

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Public Instruction :		
For salaries of Teachers, Janitors, Superintendents, Clerks, and employees; for supplies, rents, incidental expenses, and current repairs to buildings, furniture, and heating apparatus, including the expense of compulsory education, as provided by chapter 421, Laws of 1874; and for the support of the Nautical School, established by chapter 288, Laws of 1873; and all expenses of the Board of Education not included under any other head of account; for purchasing, leasing, and procuring sites, and erecting buildings; furnishing, fitting up, altering, enlarging, and repairing buildings and premises under the charge of the Board of Education, and for repairing the furniture and heating apparatus; for the support of schools which shall have been organized since the last annual apportionment of school moneys; and such further sum or sums as may be necessary for any of the purposes authorized by law; and for school moneys apportioned to the corporate schools	3,400,000 00	

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

College of the City of New York :		
For salaries of professors and officers, scientific apparatus, books, and supplies, support and maintenance, and all other expenses, including repairs to buildings	140,000 00	

ADVERTISING, PRINTING, STATIONERY, AND BLANK BOOKS.

Publication of the City Record	\$22,500 00	
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies	7,200 00	
Advertising, including the expense of advertising a summary of the Official Canvass of the Election	7,500 00	
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books :		
For all printing, stationery, and blank books required by the Common Council, the Departments and Offices of the City Government, except printing the City Record, including the Publishing of Calendars of Courts, under Chapter 656, Laws of 1874	100,000 00	137,200 00

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Coroners' Fees :		
Salaries of four Physicians, at \$3,000 each, under chapter 256, Laws of 1878	\$12,000 00	
For fees of Coroners, as authorized by chapter 565, Laws of 1868; and for salary of Clerk to the Board of Coroners, as provided by chapter 462, Laws of 1871	58,000 00	70,000 00
Contingencies—District Attorney's office	4,000 00	
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses, exclusive of Sheriff's fees	5,000 00	
Election Expenses	135,000 00	
Jurors' Fees, including expenses of jurors in criminal trials	35,000 00	
Harbor Incumbrances, Removal of	1,000 00	
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts :		
For salaries of two Commissioners of Accounts, at \$3,000 each	\$6,000 00	
For Clerk hire	4,000 00	10,000 00
Support of Prisoners in County Jail, in pursuance of chapter 251, Laws of 1875	15,000 00	
Sheriff's Fees	40,000 00	
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of	2,000 00	
Salary of the Physician to the Jail of the City and County of New York, as provided for in the new Code of Civil Procedure	1,000 00	
For the Support, Treatment, and Care of Pauper, Destitute, and Delinquent Children, committed to Asylum; and Institutions, under chapter 404, Laws of 1878	10,000 00	
Salaries of Janitors of Civil and Police Courts :		
To pay salaries of twelve Janitors, at \$1,200 each per annum, in the Civil and Police Courts, as follows :		
One in First District Civil Court	\$1,200 00	
One in Second District Civil Court	1,200 00	
One in Fourth District Civil Court	1,200 00	
One in Fifth District Civil Court	1,200 00	
One in Sixth District Civil Court	1,200 00	
One in Eighth District Civil Court	1,200 00	
One in First District Police Court	1,200 00	
One in Third District Police Court	1,200 00	
One in Third District Civil and Second District Police Courts	1,200 00	
One in Seventh District Civil and Fourth District Police Courts	1,200 00	
One in Ninth District Civil and Fifth District Police Courts	1,200 00	
One in Tenth District Civil and Sixth District Police Courts	1,200 00	
	14,400 00	14,400 00

(The above appropriation of \$14,400 is made specially, as no provision is otherwise made in this Final Estimate for the salaries of the Janitors of these Courts. No portion of this appropriation, however, is to be paid by the Comptroller until the question is judicially determined on an adjusted case or otherwise, in whom by law the appointment of Janitors of these Courts is placed. It is claimed on one hand that the appointment is in the Board of Police Justices and the Justices of the Civil Courts, and on the other, that the appointment is in the Commissioner of Public Works. The City is not to be burdened with the expense of two sets of janitors.)

THE JUDICIARY.

Salaries—City Courts :		
(Police Courts.)		
Salaries of eleven Police Justices, at \$8,000 each per annum	\$88,000 00	
Salaries of clerks, attendants, stenographers, interpreters, the Record Clerk, and Secretary of the Board of Police Justices	62,600 00	\$150,600 00
(District Courts.)		
Salaries of nine District Court Justices, at \$6,000 each per annum and one at \$8,000 per annum	\$62,000 00	
Salaries of clerks, stenographers, interpreters, and attendants	117,200 00	179,200 00
Salaries—Judiciary		329,800 00
(The Supreme Court.)		
Five Justices, at \$11,500 each	\$57,500 00	
Clerks, criers, stenographers, and librarian	34,500 00	
Twenty-four attendants, at \$1,200 each	28,800 00	
Compensation of Judges from other districts	8,000 00	128,800 00
(The Superior Court.)		
Six Justices, at \$15,000 each	\$90,000 00	
Clerks, assistants, and stenographers	46,200 00	
Fourteen attendants, at \$1,200 each	16,800 00	153,000 00
(The Court of Common Pleas.)		
Six Justices, at \$15,000 each	\$90,000 00	
Clerks, assistants, and stenographers	48,000 00	
Fifteen attendants, at \$1,200	18,000 00	156,000 00
(The Marine Court.)		
Six Justices, at \$10,000 each	\$60,000 00	
Stenographers and interpreters	7,500 00	
Clerk, deputy clerks, and assistant clerks	33,500 00	
Thirteen attendants, at \$1,200 each	15,800 00	116,800 00

(The Court of General Sessions and Oyer and Terminer.)		
Clerk	\$7,000 00	
Deputy clerk	5,000 00	
Assistant clerk	3,000 00	
Two additional deputy clerks, one at \$2,500 and one at \$1,200	3,700 00	
Stenographer	2,500 00	
Additional stenographer	2,000 00	
Interpreter	2,500 00	
Additional interpreter	1,200 00	
Thirty-six attendants, at \$1,200 each	43,200 00	70,100 00

(The Court of Special Sessions.)		
Clerk	\$6,000 00	
Deputy clerk	5,000 00	
Stenographer	2,500 00	
Interpreter	2,000 00	
Three subpoena servers, at \$2,000 each	6,000 00	
Messenger	1,500 00	23,000 00

(The County Clerk's Office.)		
County clerk, deputies, assistants, clerks, and messenger		40,725 00

(The Surrogate's Office.)		
The Surrogate	\$12,000 00	
Chief clerk, clerks, assistants, stenographers, attendants, and messenger	42,000 00	54,000 00

(The District Attorney's Office.)		
The District Attorney	\$12,000 00	
Assistants, clerks, stenographers, and messenger	55,600 00	67,600 00

(The Recorder's Office.)		
The Recorder		12,000 00

(The City Judge's Office.)		
The City Judge		12,000 00

(Judge of the Court of General Sessions.)		
The Judge of the Court of General Sessions		12,000 00

(The Commissioner of Jurors Office.)		
Salary of the Commissioner, in accordance with opinion of the Corporation Counsel	15,000 00	

For deficiency in fines and penalties collected in 1878, required to pay part of the salaries of assistants, clerks, etc., in 1878	4,659 87	19,659 87
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865,484 87

ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES, AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Asylum for Idiots :		
(Chapter 739, Laws of 1867.)		
For furnishing clothing for twelve inmates from New York County, at \$30 each	\$360 00	

American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless :		
(Chapter 754, Laws of 1872)		25,000 00

Children's Aid Society :		
(Chapter 70, Laws of 1865)	\$10,000 00	
(Chapter 163, Laws of 1867)	30,000 00	
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1871)	30,000 00	70,000 00

Children's Fold of the City of New York :		
(Chapter 506, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated number of inmates, 48, at \$2 each per week		4,992 00

Foundling Asylum, under charge of the Sisters of Charity :		
(Chapter 635, Laws of 1872.)		
(Chapter 644, Laws of 1874.)		
(Chapter 43, Laws of 1877.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 1,575, at 38 cts. per day each	\$218,452 50	
Estimated number of homeless or needy mothers nursing their own infants, 75, at \$18 each per month	16,200 00	234,652 50

Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society :		
(Chapter 230, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 295, at \$110 each per annum		32,450 00

Hudson River State Hospital :		
(Chapter 446, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 3, at \$4.50 per week each and expenses		780 00

Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes :		
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)		
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1870.)		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
For education and support of 35 county pupils, at \$300 each	\$10,500 00	
For clothing 15 State pupils, at \$30 each	450 00	10,950 00

Institution for the Blind :		
(Chapter 166, Laws of 1870.)		
For clothing 125 pupils, at \$50 each		6,250 00

Le Couteux St. Mary's Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes in Buffalo, N. Y. :		
(Chapter 548, Laws of 1871.)		
For education and support of 2 county pupils, at \$300 each	\$600 00	
For clothing of 1 State pupil	30 00	630 00

New York Catholic Protectory :		
(Chapter 647, Laws of 1866.)		
(Chapter 428, Laws of 1867.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 2,150, at \$110 each per annum		236,500 00

New York Infant Asylum :		
(Chapter 263, Laws of 1872.)		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
(Chapter 90, Laws of 1877.)		
Estimated average number of children 175, at 38 cents per day each	\$24,272 50	
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 80, at \$25 each	2,000 00	
Estimated number of homeless or needy mothers, nursing their own infants, 40, at \$18 per month each	8,640 00	34,912 50

New York Infirmary for Women and Children :		
(Chapter 101, Laws of 1877.)		
Estimated number of obstetrical cases 80, at \$25 each	\$2,000 00	
Estimated average number of homeless and needy mothers nursing their own infants 3, at \$18 per month each	648 00	2,648 00

New York Juvenile Asylum :		
(Chapter 245, Laws of 1866.)		
Estimated number of inmates, 750, at \$110 per annum each		82,500 00

New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb :		
(Chapter 325, Laws of 1863.)		
(Chapter 386, Laws of 1864.)		
(Chapter 721, Laws of 1867.)		
(Chapter 253, Laws of 1874.)		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
For furnishing clothing for 100 State pupils, at \$30 each	\$3,000 00	
For education and support of 58 county pupils, at \$300 each	17,400 00	20,400 00

New York Magdalen Benevolent Society :		
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 36, at \$110 per year each		3,960 00

New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled :		
(Chapter 835, Laws of 1872.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 175, at \$150 per annum each		26,250 00

New York State Lunatic Asylum :		
(Chapter 135, Laws of 1842.)		
Estimated average number of inmates 2, at \$250 per annum each		500 00

Nursery and Child's Hospital :		
(Chapter 650, Laws of 1866.)		
(Chapter 366, Laws of 1869.)		
(Chapter 643, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated average number of children, 465, at \$120 per annum each	\$55,800 00	
Estimated average number of Lying-in Women, 170, at \$260 per annum each	44,200 00	100,000 00

Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy :		
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 28, at \$110 per annum each		3,080 00

Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd :		
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 116, at \$110 per annum each		12,760 00

St. Joseph's Improved Institute for the Instruction of Deaf Mutes :		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1877.)		
For education and support of 40 county pupils, at 300 per annum each	\$12,000 00	
For clothing 24 State pupils, at \$30 each	720 00	12,720 00

State Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn : (Chapter 895, Laws of 1869.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 5, at \$4 each per week and clothing.....	1,165 00
State Homeopathic Asylum for the Insane : (Chapter 146, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated number of inmates, 4, at \$4.50 per week each and clothing.....	1,040 00
Union Home and School for Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers : (Chapter 309, Laws of 1870.) (Chapter 583, Laws of 1871.) (Chapter 143, Laws of 1873.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 70, at \$150 each per annum.....	10,500 00
Total appropriations.....	935,000 00
Deduct amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund not otherwise specifically appropriated by law.....	2,500,000 00
Amount of Final Estimate.....	\$27,507,097 20

Twenty-seven million, five hundred and seven thousand, and ninety-seven dollars and twenty cents.

Dated New York City, Mayor's Office, December 31, 1878.

SMITH ELY, JR.,
Mayor,
JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller,
WILLIAM R. ROBERTS,
President of the Board of Aldermen,
JOHN WHEELER,
President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments,
BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution, and adopt said Final Estimate for 1879.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

In connection with the Final Estimate for 1879, the Comptroller presented the following statement :

Comparative Statement of the Appropriations made for 1878, the Appropriations asked for by the Departments, and the Appropriations made for 1879.

OBJECTS AND PURPOSES.	APPROPRIATIONS MADE FOR 1878.	APPROPRIATIONS ASKED FOR BY DEPARTMENTS FOR 1879.	APPROPRIATIONS MADE FOR 1879.
The Common Council.....	\$107,500 00	\$114,500 00	\$118,250 00
The Mayoralty.....	45,000 00	42,000 00	46,000 00
The Department of Finance.....	225,000 00	252,500 00	252,500 00
State Taxes.....	3,911,326 66	3,751,062 19	3,751,062 19
Interest on the City Debt.....	9,164,383 65	8,790,153 84	8,790,153 84
Redemption of the City Debt.....	1,155,297 66	1,105,599 54	1,104,446 30
Armories and Drill-rooms—Rents.....	69,037 50	62,250 00	62,250 00
Judgments and Claims.....	300,000 00	400,000 00	450,000 00
Rents (leases in force).....	70,175 00	61,200 00	61,200 00
The Law Department.....	148,000 00	143,000 00	155,500 00
The Department of Public Works.....	1,611,100 00	1,796,500 00	1,576,860 00
The Department of Public Parks.....	341,000 00	667,920 00	479,000 00
The Department of Buildings.....	70,000 00	75,000 00	71,500 00
The Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	1,100,000 00	1,355,541 00	1,257,000 00
The Health Department.....	190,000 00	218,416 00	190,000 00
The Police Department.....	3,999,895 00	4,116,611 00	4,048,100 00
The Fire Department.....	1,220,870 00	1,291,842 50	1,254,970 00
The Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	108,000 00	106,800 00	107,900 00
The Board of Education.....	3,400,000 00	3,584,000 00	3,400,000 00
The College of the City of New York.....	135,000 00	149,000 00	140,000 00
Advertising, Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	133,500 00	164,000 00	137,200 00
Salaries—City Courts.....	329,800 00	336,400 00	329,800 00
Salaries—Judiciary.....	833,223 00	864,025 00	865,484 87
Coroners' Fees.....	70,000 00	80,000 00	70,000 00
Sheriff's Fees.....	30,000 00	40,000 00	40,000 00
Election Expenses.....	135,000 00	143,500 00	135,000 00
Miscellaneous.....	170,726 15	92,870 00	117,920 00
Asylums, Reformatories, and Charitable Institutions.....	948,840 50	1,120,181 50	935,000 00
Total.....	\$30,104,077 12	\$30,976,072 57	\$30,007,097 20

Which was placed on file.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following preamble and resolution, giving the reasons for the action of the Board on the objections to, and rectifications of the Provisional Estimate for 1879, made by the Board of Aldermen :

Whereas, The Board of Aldermen made certain "objections to and rectifications of" the Provisional Estimate for the year 1879, which were presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 9, 1878; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has duly considered such "objections and rectifications" as provided by section 112 of the Laws of 1873; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has this day overruled said "objections and rectifications," made by the Board of Aldermen, in some cases, and adopted or amended them in other cases; therefore

Resolved, That "the reasons" for such action by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in regard to each item, are as follows :

1. The addition of \$10,000 to the appropriation made to the Common Council, "For legal expenses incurred by the Common Council in 1878, in defending the members thereof on indictment for passing ordinances relating to pretended obstructions in the streets," is approved and adopted as a necessary expense which has been incurred, and which it is just and proper should be so provided for.

2. The addition of \$11,500 to the appropriation for "Free Floating Baths, including construction and maintenance of one additional bath to be located at the Battery," is considered too large an increase for this object, and \$9,500 is added to the appropriation for "Free Floating Baths," for the purpose of providing for the construction and maintenance of a bath at the Battery.

3. The reduction of the appropriation for "Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues," from \$3,000 to \$1,500 is overruled, for the reason that the Commissioner of Public Works states that a larger appropriation is necessary, and the sum of \$2,000 is allowed under the head of "Salaries—Department of Public Works," to pay Inspectors of Incumbrances, and \$1,500 is allowed for the expense of removing incumbrances from the streets.

4. The increase of the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," under chapter 476, Laws of 1875, from \$300,000 to \$500,000, is overruled, because it is believed that the former sum is a sufficient amount to expend for this purpose in any one year.

5. The increase of the appropriation made to the Department of Public Charities and Correction for "Support of Out-door Poor," from \$40,000 to \$60,000, is overruled, because the provision for aiding and assisting the poor of all classes in this city is so extensive and thorough, by the various charitable and benevolent institutions, and the appropriations made to them in pursuance of law, from annual taxes and the Excise moneys, are for so large an amount that it is not deemed necessary to increase the appropriation for this purpose.

6. The addition of \$129,920 to the Department of Public Parks, for "Repairing and reflagging walks in and around the City Hall Park and other city parks," is overruled as an excessive expenditure for this purpose, and an appropriation of \$50,000 is made for the purpose, which is believed to be sufficient.

7. The increase of the appropriation "Supplies for Police," from \$60,000 to \$70,000, is overruled as unnecessary.

8. The addition to the appropriation for "Salaries—City Courts," of the sum of \$19,200, to pay the salaries of Six Janitors in the Police Courts, and Ten Janitors in the District Courts, at \$1,200 each per annum, is overruled, and instead thereof a special appropriation of \$14,400 is made under the head of "Miscellaneous," to pay the "Salaries of Janitors in Civil and Police Courts," subject to the decision of the Courts upon the question to be submitted as to the lawful authority for the appointment of the Janitors.

9. The increase of the appropriation made to the Department of Public Parks, for "Police—Salaries of captains, lieutenants, sergeants, post and gate-keepers and night-watchmen," from \$75,000 to \$110,000, is overruled as an excessive amount, but the sum of \$25,000 is added to the original appropriation on account of apparent public necessity for the increase of the police force in the Central Park.

10. The increase of the appropriation made to the Police Department for Cleaning the Streets of this City, from \$650,000 to \$754,231.25, is overruled, as an expenditure in excess of what is required for the purpose, but in order to provide an amount necessary to perform the service efficiently, the appropriation made in the Provisional Estimate is raised to the sum of \$690,000.

11. The addition of \$90,000 to the appropriations for the Police Department for the "Purchase of lot and erection of new Station-house for Sixth Precinct Police," \$50,000, and for "Building new Station-house for Twenty-eighth Precinct, Police," \$40,000, is overruled, and an appropriation of \$60,000 is made for the purpose of building and completing two new Station-houses, one of which shall be in the Sixth Ward.

12. The reduction of the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for "Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stopcocks, etc.," from \$75,000 to \$50,000, is overruled, and the sum of \$62,500 is appropriated for the purpose, exclusive of salaries, because the Commissioner of Public Works states that at least that amount is necessary for the purpose.

13. The addition to the appropriation to the Police Department of "Pay for 100 Additional Police-men," is overruled, as an increase in the expenditure for the service which should not be incurred at this time, and may, in the interest of the public, be dispensed with.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending December 28, 1878 :

<i>Deposits in the Treasury.</i>	
On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$169,781 53
" " City Treasury.....	2,010,433 69
Total.....	\$2,180,215 22
<i>Bonds and Stocks Issued.</i>	
Four per cent. Bonds.....	\$958,400 00
Five per cent. Bonds.....	289,000 00
Five per cent. Stock.....	20,000 00
Total.....	\$1,267,400 00

<i>Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.</i>	
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$42 14
Armories and Drill-rooms, Rents of.....	1,562 50
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	166 74
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	745 43
Cleaning Streets under Police Department.....	58,333 37
College of the City of New York.....	9,875 98
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	480 73
Contingencies—Department of Buildings.....	25 00
" Department of Public Works.....	10 05
" Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	55 50
" Public Administrator's Office.....	78 00
Croton Water Main Fund.....	1,552 01
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	255 50
Dock Fund.....	5,009 74
Election Expenses.....	1,025 74
Fire Department Fund.....	83,695 37
Flagging Sidewalks in front of City Property.....	148 22
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Care of Contagious Diseases.....	622 29
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance.....	5 80
Health Fund.....	8,880 66
Interest on the City Debt.....	109,715 65
Judgments.....	19 00
Lamps and Gas.....	11,132 28
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	3,062 63
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,051 46
New York Infant Asylum.....	2,909 37
New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	325 00
Police Fund.....	267,179 24
Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting up and Repairs.....	1,666 74
Police Station-houses—Rents.....	75 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,372 55
Public Charities and Correction.....	4,734 72
Public Instruction.....	121,608 63
Real Estate, Expenses of.....	68 80
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stopcocks, etc.....	632 67
Revenue Bonds of 1877.....	21,000 00
Revenue Bonds of 1878.....	3,501,200 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors.....	1,450 08
" Bureau of Permits.....	1,391 64
" Chamberlain's Office.....	2,500 00
" Commissioners of Accounts.....	816 66
" City Courts.....	34,416 72
" Common Council.....	9,084 58
" Department of Finance.....	833 37
" Department of Public Works.....	7,345 74
" Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	7,442 05
" Judiciary.....	106,699 26
" Law Department.....	7,602 61
" Mayor's Office.....	3,191 69
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	44 00
Street Improvement Fund.....	7,259 90
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth Street.....	5,319 90
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	223 75
Supplies for Police.....	5,000 00
Total.....	\$4,420,946 46

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Chas. H. Brennan, assignee.....	\$730 93	For salary of O. W. Brennan, Commissioner of Charities and Correction, May 1 to 19, 1873.....	M. Diefendorf.
Julius Frankel.....	1,450 00	For salary as Physician to County Jail, to November 30, 1877.....	Morrison & S.
John O'Brien.....	583 33	For salary as Second Clerk to City Judge, September 1, 1871, to March 31, 1872.....	"
James H. Walters, assignee.....	777 71	For salary of Owen Murphy, Excise Commissioner, from December 11, 1877, to January 26, 1878.....	Morris & Donnelly

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, Etc.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme...	Emigrant Industrial Bank.....	\$196 89	Notice of Judgment.....	Develin & Miller.
"	Sarah E. Cornish, executrix, etc.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for paving One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Seventh avenue to Boulevard.....	J. A. Deering.
"	Wm. E. Cauldwell.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for paving One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Seventh avenue to Boulevard.....	H. A. Shipman.
"	John H. Heckman.....	.....	To vacate assessment for regulating Seventy-seventh street, First avenue to East river.....	G. C. Genet.
"	Ernst Van An.....	588 00	To vacate tax of 1875, on Lot No. 36, Block 31, Nineteenth Ward.....	J. P. Schuchman.
"	David F. Gibb and Patrick O'Reilly.....	2,450 00	For loss and damage in not being allowed to fulfill contract for building Reception Hospital at Bellevue Hospital.....	Field & Deyo.
"	Ashley H. Ball, ass'ee.....	1,500 00	For services of A. S. Cady—paying laborers—1863 to 1865.....	J. A. Bush.
"	Edward L. Carey.....	2,684 25	For coal furnished in 1872, 1873, and 1874.....	Morris & Donnelly.
"	Catharine Aure.....	190 10	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	G. S. Wilkes.
"	Francis Arnheim.....	191 45	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
"	Anna Balser.....	225 66	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
"	Margaretta Dryer.....	188 81	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
"	Amelia Rothschild.....	179 04	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
"	Freideretta Schlamp.....	188 88	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
"	Daniel Schumpf.....	195 44	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
"	Herman Taylor.....	196 17	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
"	Philip Weber.....	165 45	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
"	George Weber.....	196 75	To vacate assessment for paving Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.....	"
Com. Pleas	Thomas Riley.....	1,532 16	Notice of Judgment.....	W. Allan.
Superior..	Jeremiah R. Russell..	544 60	For amount due from Terence Smith for materials, etc., furnished for regulating Ninth avenue, Seventy-second to Eighty-first street.....	L. L. Kellogg.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals on December 27, 1878, at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, for supplying the institutions under their charge, for 1879, with condensed milk, beef, mutton, veal, etc., and fresh cod, porgies, and blue fish.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

December 24—For furnishing 13,650 lbs. of poultry for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

A. & E. Robbins, 125 Fulton Market, Principals.

Willet P. Whitson, 224 Fulton Market, Sureties.

Martin Clear, 412 East Eighty-fifth street, Sureties.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

THE CITY DEBT.

Comptroller Kelly's debt statement for December 31, 1878, shows a decrease in the amount during the past year of \$4,282,338.81. The debt statement of the same date for the last three years is as follows:

December 31, 1876..... \$119,811,310 39
December 31, 1877..... 117,700,742 30
December 31, 1878..... 113,418,403 49

It will thus be seen that the reduction of city bonded debt since December 31, 1876, is \$6,392,906.90.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
BUREAU OF FIRST MARSHAL.

Licenses granted and amount received for licenses and fines by Marshal John Tyler Kelly, for week ending December 28, 1878:

Number of Licenses..... 172
Amount..... \$187.25

JOHN TYLER KELLY,
Mayor's Marshal.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Names, Residences, and Places of Business of the Members of the Board of Aldermen, 1878.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	PLACE OF BUSINESS.
William Bennett.....	18 Clarkson st.....	271 Bowery.
Bernard Biglin.....	231 E. 30th st.....	.....
Thomas Carroll.....	156 E. 54th st.....	156 E. 54th st.
Ferd. Ehrhart.....	130 E. Houston st.....	137 E. Houston st.
Robert C. Foster.....	214 E. 19th st.....	Contractor.
William H. Gedney.....	67 Horatio st.....	143 W. 40th st.
John W. Guntzer.....	83 Second st.....	83 Second st.
George Hall.....	54 Eldridge st.....	51 Bowery.
John W. Jacobus.....	16 Morton st.....	100 Worth st.
Patrick Keenan.....	253 E. 7th st.....	216 Avenue B.
Terence Kiernan.....	317 E. 83d st.....	305 Fifth st.
Samuel A. Lewis.....	314 W. 14th st.....	.....
John J. Morris.....	117 W. 21st st.....	59 University pl.
Henry C. Perley.....	716 Lexington av.....	7 Murray st.
Lewis J. Phillips.....	24 E. 74th st.....	6 Pine st.
Joseph C. Pinckney.....	27 Stuyvesant st.....	27 Stuyvesant st.
Bryan Reilly.....	73 Monroe st.....	73 Monroe st.
William R. Roberts.....	119 Crosby st.....	.....
William Sauer.....	346 Fourth av.....	55 E. 20th st.
Thomas Sheils.....	55 Pike st.....	71 E. Broadway.
James J. Slewin.....	131 Mott st.....	25 Spring st.
Louis C. Wachner.....	534 Fifth st.....	13 Chambers st.

WILLIAM R. ROBERTS, President.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor; GEORGE B. VANDERPUIT, Secretary

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

Permit and License Bureau Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM R. ROBERTS, President; Board of Aldermen;
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner's Office.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register; WILLIAM R. FARRELL, Deputy Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Sewers.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEVENS TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.
No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.

Bureau of Arrears.
No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADDY, Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.
No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Collector.

Bureau of Markets.
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.
First floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of City Revenue.
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.
No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
I. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.
No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.
No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney

Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.
Corner Cortland and Church streets.
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM F. SMITH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.
Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES R. CROES, Engineer.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
Fordham, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

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

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LINDSAY I. HOWE, JOHN H. MOONEY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY A. GUMBLETON, County Clerk; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
CHARLES F. WOOD, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WALTER W. ADAMS, Superintendent.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
No. 236 West Forty-third street.
ELIJAH W. ROE.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD REILLY, Sheriff; JOHN T. CUMMING, Under Sheriff.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street.
HENRY WOLTMAN, MORITZ ELLINGER, RICHARD CROKER, and RICHARD FLANAGAN, Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10¼ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 13.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I, Room No. 34.
Part II, Room No. 35.
Part III, Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.
WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOS. BOZES, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.
Part I, Room No. 25.
Part II, Room No. 26.
Part III, Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, Room 15, City Hall.
Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street.
Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY ALKER, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, Room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN K. HACKETT, Recorder; JOSIAH SUTHERLAND, City Judge; HENRY A. GILDERSLLEEVE, Judge-Sessions; JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor southeast corner, room 13, 10:30 A. M. to 1 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN CALLAHAN, Justice.
Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, Nos. 112 and 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards, Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street.
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Nos. 20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN A. DINKEL, Justice.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
TIMOTHY CAMPBELL, Justice.
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.
Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.
WALTER S. PINCKNEY, Justice.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.
FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.
Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.
Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge Road.
JOHN FLANAGAN, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street near Fourth avenue.
Sixth District—Tremont.
Judges—BUTLER H. BIXBY; PATRICK G. DUFFY; CHARLES A. FLAMMER; GEORGE E. KASBIRE; JAMES T. KATHRETH; BANKSON T. MORGAN; HENRY MURRAY; MARCUS OTTERBOURG; F. SHERMAN SMITH; BENJAMIN C. WANDELL; and NELSON K. WHEELER.
GEORGE W. CREIGIER, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

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 HALL,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
BERNARD BIGLIN,
Committee on Public Works

JURORS.

NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR
STATE COURTSOFFICE 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)

THE CITY RECORD.

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

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1—Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Second to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	\$10,740 84
No. 2—Flagging north side of Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.....	145 20
No. 3—Tree planting in Sixth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street....	4,353 75
Total.....	\$15,239 79

WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary.OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. CENTRE),
NEW YORK, December 18, 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—Laying crosswalks at the northerly and southerly intersections of One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets and Fourth avenue....	\$874 48
No. 2—Paving Eighty-fourth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.....	4,563 89

WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary.OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. CENTRE),
NEW YORK, December 6, 1878.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, December 23, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 20, 1878.

10th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., and superstructure, from 155th to 164th street.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before February 21, 1879, 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.DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, December 6, 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 DECEMBER 3, 1878.

2d avenue, flagging, east side, between 64th and 65th streets.

4th avenue, regulating and paving, from 49th to 67th streets.

Washington street, sewer, between Perry and West 11th streets.

8th avenue, sewer, between 92d and 105th streets, with branches.

119th street, sewer, between 4th and 5th avenues, and in 4th avenue, etc.

124th street, fencing, northwest corner of Madison avenue.

24th street, fencing, south side, eighty-two feet east of 1st avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 4, 1879, 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.DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, December 20, 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 DECEMBER 17, 1878.

69th street sewer, between 1st and 3d avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 18, 1879, 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.

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 1875 prepared under the direction of the Commissioners Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00

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Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY,
ComptrollerCOMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1877.DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, December 13, 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 DECEMBER 10, 1878.

93rd street, regulating, grading, etc., from Boulevard to 8th avenue.

115th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 8th avenue to Harlem river.

Waverly place, sewer, between West 10th street and Charles street.

Madison street, basin, northwest corner Birmingham street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 11, 1879, 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.DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, November 26, 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 NOVEMBER 22, 1878.

22d street, regulating, grading, etc., between Avenue A and East river.

81st street, regulating, grading, etc., between 5th and 10th avenues.

107th street, regulating, grading, etc., between 5th avenue and Harlem river.

76th street, curb, gutter and flagging, between 1st avenue and Avenue A.

114th street, paving, from 2d to 4th avenue.

120th street, paving, from 1st avenue to Harlem river.

Nassau street, sewer, from Backman to Spruce street.

Ann street, sewer, from William to Gold street.

132d and 133d streets, sewer, from 6th to 7th avenue.

11th avenue, sewer, from 60th to 64th street.

75th street, fencing, north side, between 2d and 3d avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before January 25, 1879, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 28, 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 Penitentiary Blackwell's Island—Mary Murray, alias Mary Vail, aged 45 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted plaid shawl and wrapper, muslin skirts, black calico sacque, gaiter shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Almshouse, Blackwell's Island—George Lambert, admitted October 22, 1878. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 27, 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 Hart's Island Hospital—John Fisher; aged 60 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 2, 1879.PROPOSALS FOR 3,000 TONS OF WHITE
ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-
DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 14, 1879, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for 3,000 tons White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality; each ton to consist of two thousand pounds, to be well screened, and delivered in such quantities after the 14th day of January 1879, and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time in the following districts, viz.:

From Battery to Fortieth street, 1,800 tons.

From Fortieth street to Harlem river, 1,200 tons.

—to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time, and manner of delivery in every respect.

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, January 2, 1879.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, LEATHER, ETC.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 14, 1879, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department—

50,000 yards Brown Muslin.	20,000 "	Bandage Muslin.
5,000 "	"	Ticking.
5,000 "	"	Hickory Stripes.
5,000 "	"	Cottonades.
2,500 "	"	Red Flannel.
1,000 "	"	White Flannel.
5,000 "	"	Canton Flannel.
5,000 "	"	Farmers' Linen.
5,000 "	"	Brown Denims.
5,000 "	"	Jeans.
2,000 "	"	Calico Prints.
250 "	"	Linen Dowels.
100 "	"	Infantry Overcoats.

GROCERIES.

50,000 pounds	Brown Sugar.
3,500 "	Crushed Sugar.
3,500 "	Granulated Sugar.
3,500 "	C Coffee Sugar.
3,500 gallons	Molasses.
1,000 "	Syrup.
40,000 pounds	Hard Soap.
20,000 "	Rice.
14,000 "	Rio Coffee.
10,000 "	Oolong Tea.
6,000 "	Barley.
3,000 "	Dried Apples.
2,000 "	Chicocory.
1,000 "	Prunes.
1,000 "	Black Pepper.
500 "	Corn Starch.
300 "	Prepared Cocoa.
50 boxes	Laundry Starch.
50 "	Raisins.
100 barrels	Soda Crackers.
100 "	Wheaten Grits.
100 "	Hominy.
100 "	Oatmeal.
20 "	Pickles.
12 dozen	Chow Chow (Pints).
6 "	Gherkins (Pints).
6 "	Worcestershire Sauce (Pints).
5,000 pounds	Sweet Dairy Butter.
25 bushels	Beans.
250 "	Peas.
250 "	Rye.

	GRAIN, FEED, ETC.
2,500 bushels Oats.	
500 bales Long Rye Straw.	
200 bags Shorts.	
250 " Coarse Meal.	
250 " Fine Meal.	
1,000 barrels Potatoes.	

300 quintals Georges Bank Codfish.	100 sacks Salt.
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1,000 sides Sole Leather.	500 "	Waxed Kip Leather.
100 gross Cotton Shoe Laces.	100 bunches Leather Shoe Laces.	

5 gross Bed Chambers.	5 "	Dinner Plates.
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20 coils Manila Rope (9 thread)	20 bales broom Straw.
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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 Corpora-

tion 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, January 2, 1879.PROPOSALS FOR 3,700 BARRELS OF
FLOUR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 14, 1879, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering, at the Brickhouse, Blackwell's Island, free of all expense to the Department—

3,000 barrels Extra Wheat Flour.	500 "	Fine Wheat Flour.
200 "	"	Rye Flour.

—all to be equal in quality to the samples to be seen at this office, empty barrels to be returned and deducted in proposals from the price of flour, and to be delivered in quantities as required.

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.

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TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
Commissioners.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 2, 1879.PROPOSALS FOR 18,000 TONS WHITE
ASH COAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 14, 1879, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering 18,000 tons of White Ash Coal, of the best quality; to be well screened and in good order. Each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds. None other will be accepted. All of said coal to be delivered as required, in about the following sizes and quantities, free of all expense, at the following places:

At Blackwell's Island.	5,500 tons, grate size.
250 "	stove size.
At Ward's Island.	4,500 tons, grate size.
At Bellevue Hospital.	2,000 tons, grate size.
250 "	stove size.
At Ninety-ninth street Hospital.	40 tons, egg size.
At Hart's Island.	750 tons, egg size.
At Randall's Island.	1,000 tons, egg size.
500 "	stove size.
200 "	nut size.
At steamboat Dock, foot of East Twenty-sixth street for use of steamboats, in cargoes of about 200 tons per month.	2,000 tons, grate size.
At Second District Prison.	350 tons, grate size.
At other City Prisons.	600 tons, egg size.
At No. 66 Third avenue.	50 tons, egg size.

Proposals to state the particular description of coal to be delivered as known in the market, from what mine produced, and all particulars, to enable the Board to arrive at a proper decision.

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

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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.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, January 2, 1879.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Municipal Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Revolvers, clothing (male and female), two gold watches, towels, pails, locks, trunk and contents, two silver watches, ten pieces buckram, barrel beans, also small amount of cash taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.