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DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, NO. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1879.

SIR—I have the honor herewith to submit my report of the transactions of this Department for the three months ending March 31, 1879.

The number of plans and specifications submitted for new buildings was 211, and the number of buildings embraced therein was 393. Of these plans 165 were, upon examination, approved; 24 were rejected, but subsequently amended and approved, and 22 wholly rejected. The estimated cost of the erection of these buildings was \$3,137,663.

The number of new buildings commenced during the quarter was 237, the number completed 247, and 672 are now in process of erection. The classification of the buildings proposed to be erected was as follows:

Total.....	393
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## ALTERATIONS TO BUILDINGS.

The number of plans and specifications submitted for alterations to buildings was 339, and the number of buildings embraced therein was 361. Of these plans 286 were, upon examination, approved; 32 were rejected, but subsequently amended and approved, and 21 were wholly rejected; 112 were to be increased in height, 120 extended, 109 altered internally, and 218 externally.

The estimated cost of the alteration of these buildings was \$637,630.

The number of alterations commenced during the quarter was 253, the number completed 185, and 166 are now in process of alteration. The classification of the buildings proposed to be altered was as follows :

Total..... 361

	FIRST QUARTER OF 1878.	FIRST QUARTER OF 1879.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Plans submitted for new buildings.....	178	211	33	....
Number of buildings embraced therein.....	314	393	79	....
Estimated cost of same.....	\$2,884,250 00	\$3,137,663 00	\$253,413 00	....
New buildings commenced.....	223	237	14	....
New buildings completed.....	255	247	....	8
Plans submitted for alterations.....	296	339	43	....
Number of buildings embraced therein.....	323	361	38	....
Estimated cost of same.....	\$588,164 00	\$637,630 00	\$49,466 00	....
Alterations commenced.....	234	253	19	....
Alterations completed.....	159	185	26	....

### UNSAFE BUILDINGS.

The number pending on December 31, 1878, was 72, and the number since reported was 145, making a total of 217.

Of this number 11 have been taken down and entirely removed, 107 have been repaired and made safe, and 99 are in process of removal or repair.

The number of violations of the law reported during the quarter was 68, and in 39 of these cases the law has been complied with, and 66 violations reported prior to and pending on January 1 have been removed, making the total number removed during the quarter 105.

63 cases are now in the hands of the Attorney of the Department for prosecution.

Received from the public during the quarter, 78 ; in 32 cases no cause for complaint was found ; 13 were removed upon verbal notification given by the Examining Inspector ; 24 proved unsafe buildings ; and 9 violations of the various provisions of the law, of which the owners were duly notified.

The number of buildings reported as requiring means of escape in case of fire during the quarter was 140.

Of these 77 were made to conform to the law upon notice, and 63 are now under process.

The number of cases of this class reported prior to January 1 and since removed, is 160, making a total of 237 cases in which buildings were provided with means of escape in case of fire.

Arch girders tested during the quarter, 34 ; iron beams, 45 ; and iron lintels, 16 ; all of which having been found capable of sustaining the weight proposed to be imposed thereon were approved.

During the quarter 26 cases have been sent to the Attorney for prosecution, 14 of which were for insufficient means of escape in case of fire, 6 of which were for unsafe buildings, and 6 for violations of various provisions of the law.

The number of notices and notes issued and served during the quarter was 2,022.

Of this number 492 were for additional means of escape in case of fire, iron shutters, and unprotected hoistway and elevator openings, 136 for various other violations of the law, 495 were for unsafe buildings, and the balance, 800, miscellaneous.

In conclusion, I beg particularly to invite your attention to the conduct of this Department in relation to a matter now very properly exciting much public interest, viz., the "Tenement-house Question." I will state that since I have had the honor to be at the head of this Department I have insisted upon the carrying out of many material improvements in the manner of erecting this class of buildings, conforming not only to the Building and Health laws and rules, but in strict accordance with general sanitary principles, as to light, ventilation, etc., which are required to exist throughout all parts of the building, and not in front and rear alone as heretofore.

For full details of the work of the Department I respectfully refer to the annexed appendices.

(Created under the provisions of section 31, chapter 625, Laws of 1871, as amended by section 8, chapter 547, Laws of 1874.)

During the quarter ending March 31, 1879, seven meetings of the Board were held.

Thirty-nine petitions were filed to modify the law, relative to the erection of buildings, of which 29 were granted and 10 denied; 26 petitions were filed to modify the law relative to the alteration of buildings, 16 of which were granted and 10 denied, and 21 applicants were examined as to their qualifications to fill the position of Inspector of Buildings.

Respectfully,  
SAMUEL T. WEBSTER,  
Clerk to the Board.

TO HENRY J. DUDLEY, Esq.,  
Superintendent of Buildings.

HENRY J. DUDLEY, Esq., *Superintendent of Buildings :*

SIR—I herewith submit a report of the operations of this Bureau for the three months ending March 31, 1879.

Very respectfully,  
CHARLES K. HYDE,  
Chief of Bureau.

Chief of Bureau,		211
Plans and specifications filed for new buildings .....		393
Number of buildings embraced therein .....		339
Plans and specifications filed for alterations .....		301
Number of buildings embraced therein .....		237
New buildings commenced .....		247
New buildings completed .....		253
Alterations commenced .....		185
Alterations completed .....		672
New buildings in progress .....		166
Alterations in progress .....		166
During the quarter plans and specifications were submitted for new buildings, to cost .....	\$3,137,663	
“ “ “ “ “ “ alterations, to cost .....	\$637,630	

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR NEW BUILDINGS submitted, examined, etc., from January 1 to March 31, 1879.

	WARDS.																				
	First-class Dwellings.	Second-class Dwellings.	French Flats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Tenements.	Number of Families in House.	First-class Stores.	Second-class Stores.	Third-class Stores.	Office Buildings.	Manufactories and Workshops.	School Houses.	Churches.	Public Buildings.	Stables.	Frame Buildings.	Whole number of Buildings.	Approved.	Rejected, amended, and approved.	Wholly rejected.	Whole number of Plans.
First.....	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5	4	..	1	5
Second.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	3
Fourth.....	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	3	..	..	9
Fifth.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Sixth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Seventh.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	..	..	5
Eighth.....	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6	4	1	..	..	2
Ninth.....	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	4	1	6	4	2	..	12
Tenth.....	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	5
Eleventh.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	6	3	..	3	6
Twelfth.....	49	17	13	..	4	..	..	1	..	..	5	90	29	..	1	5	29	4	4	37	37
Thirteenth.....	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	3	3	..	..	..	3
Fourteenth.....	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	3
Fifteenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	2	..	..	5
Sixteenth.....	..	9	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	1	6	8	1	1	1	10
Seventeenth.....	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	9	5	2	1	8	18
Eighteenth.....	..	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	4	..	..	..	10
Nineteenth.....	73	10	22	..	15	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	2	1	126	38	2	3	43	..	43
Twentieth.....	..	1	2	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	6	1	..	7	..	7
Twenty-first ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	4	3	..	1	4	1
Twenty-second	11	13	4	..	1	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	5	38	14	4	1	19	..	19
Twenty-third ..	5	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	17	37	23	1	2	..	26
Twenty-fourth	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	1	..	..	2
Totals.....	138	55	46	..	68	..	7	2	5	1	17	..	1	6	18	29	393	165	24	22	288



EXHIBIT "B."

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR ALTERATIONS TO BUILDINGS *submitted, examined, etc., from*  
*January 1 to March 31, 1879.*

WARDS.	Nature of Alterat'n.																										Whole number of Plans.	
	First-class Dwellings.	Second-class Dwellings.	French Flats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Tenements.	Number of Families in House.	First-class Stores.	Second-class Stores.	Third-class Stores.	Office Buildings.	Manufactories and Workshops.	School Houses.	Churches.	Public Buildings.	Stables.	Frame Buildings.	Whole number of Buildings.	Raised or built upon.				Extended.	Internal.	External.	Approved.	Rejected, amended, and approved.		Wholly rejected.
First.....	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	2	..	7	2	..	..	..	..	..	15	3	1	13	8	15	..	..	15			
Second.....	..	1	..	1	..	..	3	1	3	1	5	..	..	..	..	..	13	5	2	9	10	11	1	..	12			
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	3	1	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	10	2	2	28	5	9	1	..	10		
Fourth.....	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	10	1	1	6	6	9	..	..	9			
Fifth.....	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	6	2	5	6	5	..	4	9			
Sixth.....	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	2	9	3	1	12	5	7	1	1	9			
Seventh.....	..	4	..	9	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	5	4	15	9	12	1	..	13			
Eighth.....	..	5	1	1	..	..	4	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	7	27	28	22	15	22	1	1	24				
Ninth.....	..	7	3	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	4	..	..	1	..	1	20	10	6	9	19	19	1	..	20			
Tenth.....	..	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	3	1	..	1	..	9	18	6	6	8	13	11	4	1	16			
Eleventh.....	..	2	..	12	..	..	..	3	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	2	19	5	7	7	16	12	2	3	17			
Twelfth.....	..	1	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	3	10	5	3	7	5	8	..	1	9			
Thirteenth.....	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	7	1	3	2	6	..	1	7				
Fourteenth.....	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	1	8	2	2	3	4	5	3	..	8			
Fifteenth.....	..	1	5	1	6	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	3	20	6	8	10	12	19	..	1	20			
Sixteenth.....	..	5	..	7	..	2	..	..	..	1	5	..	1	..	1	1	21	4	9	19	14	10	3	1	23			
Seventeenth.....	..	1	5	4	..	8	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	6	12	19	14	20	8	..	18			
Eighteenth.....	..	1	5	..	10	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	22	5	6	15	10	15	1	1	17			
Nineteenth.....	..	2	1	1	7	..	1	..	1	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	17	1	8	10	8	15	1	1	17			
Twentieth.....	..	1	4	5	7	..	..	2	..	..	5	..	1	..	1	26	7	12	9	14	15	7	1	2	13			
Twenty-first.....	..	4	..	1	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2	3	6	6	2	1	9				
Twenty-second.....	..	..	..	1	4	..	1	..	..	4	..	..	1	5	20	11	20	1	28	38	9	18	1	2	21			
Twenty-third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	11	12	6	5	4	5	9	..	..	9				
Twenty-fourth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	1	2	..	..	..	2	..			
Totals.....	9	62	15	14	90	..	15	16	4	13	56	1	1	2	9	54	361	112	120	199	218	286	32	21	339			

## EXHIBIT "C."

NEW BUILDINGS COMMENCED, *from January 1 to March 31, 1879.*

WARDS.	First-class Dwellings.	Second-class Dwellings.	French Flats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Tenements.	Number of Families in House.	First-class Stores.	Second-class Stores.	Third-class Stores.	Office Buildings.	Manufactories and Workshops.	School Houses.	Churches.	Public Buildings.	Stables.	Frame Buildings.	Whole number of Buildings.
First.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Second.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fourth.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Fifth.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Sixth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seventh.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Eighth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Ninth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	5
Tenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Eleventh.....	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3
Twelfth.....	17	37	2	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	66
Thirteenth.....	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3
Fourteenth.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fifteenth.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Sixteenth.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Seventeenth.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
Eighteenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	2
Nineteenth.....	53	3	20	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	92
Twentieth.....	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Twenty-first.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	3
Twenty-second.....	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	15
Twenty-third.....	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6	13
Twenty-fourth.....	2	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	10
Totals.....	77	54	25	..	29	..	8	2	5	1	9	2	..	3	11	11	237

EXHIBIT "D."

NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED, *from January 1 to March 31, 1879.*

WARDS.	First-class Dwellings.	Second-class Dwellings.	French Flats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Tenements.	Number of Families in House.	First-class Stores.	Second-class Stores.	Third-class Stores.	Office Buildings.	Manufactories and Workshops.	School Houses.	Churches.	Public Buildings.	Stables.	Frame Buildings.	Whole number of Buildings.
First.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Second.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fourth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fifth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seventh.....	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Eighth.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Ninth.....	..	..	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	10
Tenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Eleventh.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Twelfth.....	16	12	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	31
Thirteenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Fourteenth.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Fifteenth.....	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Sixteenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Seventeenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Eighteenth.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Nineteenth.....	79	17	9	..	3	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	113
Twentieth.....	..	..	2	..	8	..	10	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	25
Twenty-first.....	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
Twenty-second.....	2	12	..	10	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	30
Twenty-third.....	6	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	10
Twenty-fourth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
Totals.....	103	32	28	..	36	..	5	13	3	1	12	..	..	1	7	6	247

EXHIBIT "E."

ALTERATIONS COMMENCED, *from January 1 to March 31, 1879.*

WARDS.	First-class Dwellings.	Second-class Dwellings.	French Flats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Tenements.	Number of Families in House.	First-class Stores.	Second-class Stores.	Third-class Stores.	Office Buildings.	Manufactories and Workshops.	School Houses.	Churches.	Public Buildings.	Stables.	Frame Buildings.	Whole number of Buildings.
First .....	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	2	..	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	13
Second .....	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	12
Third .....	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	9
Fourth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	6
Fifth .....	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	6
Sixth .....	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	5	..	..	5
Seventh .....	..	4	..	9	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
Eighth .....	..	2	..	2	..	2	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	11	11
Ninth .....	..	4	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	13
Tenth .....	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	2	6	3	15
Eleventh .....	..	1	..	1	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	10	10
Twelfth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	3	10
Thirteenth .....	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	6	10
Fourteenth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	10
Fifteenth .....	..	4	1	2	..	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	2	2	7	16
Sixteenth .....	..	2	..	4	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	14
Seventeenth .....	1	8	3	..	7	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	20
Eighteenth .....	1	1	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	13
Nineteenth .....	1	1	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	2	13	10
Twentieth .....	..	5	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	20	13
Twenty-first .....	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	5	15
Twenty-second .....	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	2	..	3	1	..	..	..	1	4	19
Twenty-third .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	9	15
Twenty-fourth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1
Totals .....	3	43	11	5	58	..	15	14	2	10	43	1	..	1	9	38	253

EXHIBIT "K."

ALTERATIONS COMPLETED, *from January 1 to March 31, 1879.*

WARDS.	First-class Dwellings.	Second-class Dwellings.	French Flats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Tenements.	Number of Families in House.	First-class Stores.	Second-class Stores.	Third-class Stores.	Office Buildings.	Manufactories and Workshops.	School Houses.	Churches.	Public Buildings.	Stables.	Frame Buildings.	Whole Number of Buildings.
First.....	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Second.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	1	..	..	6
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	7
Fourth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	5
Fifth.....	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	7
Sixth.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	4	..	..	4
Seventh.....	..	2	..	..	5	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Eighth.....	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	6
Ninth.....	..	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Tenth.....	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	7	11
Eleventh.....	..	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	7	..
Twelfth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	4	6
Thirteenth.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3	7
Fourteenth.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	6	..
Fifteenth.....	..	3	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7	..
Sixteenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	7	..
Seventeenth.....	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	7
Eighteenth.....	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	7
Nineteenth.....	7	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	3	21
Twentieth.....	1	4	1	4	..	..	3	..	3	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	17
Twenty-first.....	1	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Twenty-second.....	2	1	1	..	2	..	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
Twenty-third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	5
Twenty-fourth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals.....	11	32	5	3	32	..	8	11	2	4	47	..	..	3	4	23	185

## EXHIBIT "G."

SPECIAL APPLICATIONS for the erection of temporary frame structures, wooden signs, bay windows awnings, etc., made from January 1 to March 31, 1879.

WARDS,	APPROVED.	NOT APPROVED.	TOTALS.
First.....	I	..	I
Second.....	I	..	I
Third.....	..	..	..
Fourth.....	..	..	..
Fifth.....	I	..	I
Sixth.....	..	..	..
Seventh.....	3	I	4
Eighth.....	I	I	2
Ninth.....	I	..	I
Tenth.....	..	..	..
Eleventh.....	..	4	4
Twelfth.....	16	15	31
Thirteenth.....	I	..	I
Fourteenth.....	..	..	..
Fifteenth.....	..	..	..
Sixteenth.....	I	I	2
Seventeenth.....	I	I	2
Eighteenth.....	..	I	I
Nineteenth.....	6	7	13
Twentieth.....	6	..	6
Twenty-first.....	2	3	5
Twenty-second.....	5	2	7
Twenty-third.....	35	I	36
Twenty-fourth.....	14	..	14
Totals.....	95	37	132



## BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

HENRY J. DUDLEY, Esq., *Superintendent of Buildings:*

SIR—I herewith respectfully submit a report of the operations of this Bureau, for the three months ending March 31, 1879.

ANDREW OWENS, Chief of Bureau.

## UNSAFE BUILDINGS.

*Cases reported from January 1 to March 31, 1879.*

Reported by the Inspectors, from January 1 to March 31, 1879..... 145  
Of which, taken down and removed..... 8  
Of which, repaired and made safe..... 65  
Of which, in process of removal or repair..... 72

*Cases remaining undisposed of on December 31, 1878.*

Of which, taken down and removed..... 3  
Of which, repaired and made safe..... 42  
Of which, in process of removal or repair..... 27

*Recapitulation.*

Unsafe buildings taken down and removed..... 11  
Unsafe buildings repaired and made safe..... 107  
Unsafe buildings in process of removal or repair..... 99

Fifteen thousand six hundred and twenty-eight dollars (\$15,628) were expended by the parties in interest, in securing and repairing the foregoing buildings under the orders of the Department. The number of cases of unsafe buildings sent to the Attorney of the Department for prosecution during the quarter was six (6), and in six (6) cases legal surveys were held, the proper parties having failed to comply with the requirements of the Department within the time allowed.

Four hundred and ninety-five (495) notices of unsafe buildings, consisting of "cautionary or first notices" and "second notices," etc., were issued and served during the last three months.

The location and disposition of the unsafe buildings reported may be seen by reference to Exhibit "H," appended.

## VIOLATIONS.

*Cases reported from January 1 to March 31, 1879.*

Reported by the Inspectors, from January 1 to March 31, 1879..... 68  
Of which, removed upon notice..... 39  
Of which, in process of removal..... 29

*Cases remaining undisposed of on December 31, 1878.*

Of which, removed upon notice..... 66  
Of which, in process of removal..... 268

*Recapitulation.*

Violations removed..... 105  
Violations in process of removal..... 297

Six (6) cases of violations have been referred to the Attorney for prosecution during the last three months.

Of the cases in process of removal sixty-three (63) are in the hands of the Attorney.

The number of notices of violations served during the quarter was one hundred and thirty-six (136).

## COMPLAINTS

Received from the public, from January 1 to March 31, 1879..... 78  
No cause for complaint found..... 32  
Removed on verbal notification by the Inspector..... 13  
Proved unsafe buildings..... 24  
Proved violations of the law..... 9

Total..... 78

## EXHIBIT "H."

## UNSAFE BUILDINGS, CHIMNEYS, WALLS, ETC., reported from January 1 to March 31, 1879.

WARDS.	TAKEN DOWN AND REMOVED.	REPAIRED AND MADE SAFE.	IN PROCESS OF REMOVAL OR REPAIR.	TOTALS.
First.....	..	2	9	11
Second.....	..	2	1	3
Third.....	..	2	1	3
Fourth.....	..	4	..	4
Fifth.....	..	5	2	7
Sixth.....	..	1	5	6
Seventh.....	..	6	8	14
Eighth.....	1	5	1	7
Ninth.....	..	1	2	3
Tenth.....	2	14	9	25
Eleventh.....	1	1	3	5
Twelfth.....	..	2	4	6
Thirteenth.....	..	9	6	15
Fourteenth.....	..	2	2	4
Fifteenth.....	..	2	3	5
Sixteenth.....	..	..	2	2
Seventeenth.....	..	..	4	4
Eighteenth.....	2	1	2	5
Nineteenth.....	..	1	1	2
Twentieth.....	1	1	3	5
Twenty-first.....	..	2	..	2
Twenty-second.....	..	2	4	6
Twenty-third.....	1	..	..	1
Twenty-fourth.....	..	..	..	..
Totals.....	8	65	72	145
Reported prior to January 1, 1879.....	3	42	27	72
Grand Totals.....	11	107	99	217

## BUREAU OF FIRE ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

HENRY J. DUDLEY, Esq., *Superintendent of Buildings:*

SIR—I hereby respectfully submit a report of the operations of this Bureau for the three months ending March 31, 1879.

CHARLES K. HYDE, Chief of Bureau.

*Cases reported from January 1 to March 31, 1879.*

Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire..... 140  
" " trap-doors and railings to hoistways..... 34  
" " iron shutters..... 35

Total..... 209

Of which, provided with additional means of escape in case of fire..... 77  
" " trap-doors and railings to hoistways..... 24  
" " iron shutters..... ..  
" in process of removal (of which 35 are iron shutter and 10 are hoistway cases)..... 108

Total..... 209

*Cases reported prior to January 1, 1879.*

Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire..... 160  
" " trap-doors and railings to hoistways..... 29  
" " iron shutters..... ..  
Cases in process of removal (of which 6 are iron shutter and 4 are hoistway cases)..... 108  
Total..... 297

*Recapitulation.*

Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire..... 237  
" " trap-doors and railings to hoistways..... 53  
" " iron shutters..... ..  
Cases in process of removal (of which 41 are iron shutter and 14 hoistway cases)..... 216

Four hundred and ninety-two (492) notices for fire escapes, hoistways, iron shutters, etc., consisting of "cautionary or first notices" and "second notices," were issued and served during the last three months, and fourteen (14) cases have been sent to the Attorney for prosecution. Seven hundred and seventy-nine (779) buildings have been examined by the Inspectors of this Bureau, and, except those reported, have been found provided with all the requirements of the law.

By referring to Exhibit "I," it will be noticed that there are one hundred and sixty-one (161) cases for additional means of escape in case of fire still in process of removal, for many of which contracts are out and the proper work is being done. Of these cases in process of removal seventy-nine (79) are in the hands of the Attorney for prosecution, in addition to which the Attorney also has one (1) case for repairs to hoistways and three (3) cases for iron shutters.

The following iron work has been tested during the last three months:

STYLES.	APPROVED.	NOT APPROVED.	TOTALS.
Arch Girders.....	34	..	34
Iron Beams.....	45	..	45
Iron Lintels.....	16	..	16
Totals.....	95	..	95

## EXHIBIT "I."

## FIRE ESCAPES—Buildings reported as requiring the same from January 1 to March 31, 1879.

WARDS.	PROVIDED.	IN PROCESS OF ERECTION.	TOTALS.
First.....	2	1	3
Second.....	3	1	4
Third.....	5	3	8
Fourth.....	2	..	2
Fifth.....	11	15	26
Sixth.....	1	2	3
Seventh.....	2	1	3
Eighth.....	2	2	4
Ninth.....	2	4	6
Tenth.....	..	3	3
Eleventh.....	2	2	4
Twelfth.....	..	2	2
Thirteenth.....	2	..	2
Fourteenth.....	2	..	2
Fifteenth.....	1	3	4
Sixteenth.....	1	7	8
Seventeenth.....	5	1	6
Eighteenth.....	1	2	3
Nineteenth.....	8	2	10
Twentieth.....	5	9	14
Twenty-first.....	12	1	13
Twenty-second.....	8	2	10
Twenty-third.....	..	..	..
Twenty-fourth.....	..	..	..
Totals.....	77	63	140
Reported prior to January 1, 1879.....	160	98	258
Grand Totals.....	237	161	398

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,  
NEW YORK, April 8, 1879.

The Board of Health met this day.

*Reports Received.*

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on work performed by Disinfecting Corps; on applications for permits; on slaughter-houses; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on application for relief; on contagious diseases; on condition of certain streets; on application for relief from certain orders; on premises 1089 First avenue; on work performed by the Vaccinating Corps; on school buildings; on street pavements.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.

From the Register of Records: Weekly mortality statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstracts of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report of deaths from contagious diseases; on attendance of clerks; on violation of the Sanitary Code.

From the Sanitary Architect: Reports on Tenement House Plans.

*Communications from other Departments.*

From the Department of Finance: Comptroller's Weekly Report.

*Communications Received.*

Applications from Drs. Thos. Peddie and J. B. Cosby for appointment.  
An application from Isaac R. Staples, for blank permits for vessels loaded with fruit to discharge cargo.

*Reports referred to other Departments.*

To the Board of Education: On Primary School building Nos. 93 and 95 Attorney street; on Grammar School building east side Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets.

To the Police Department: On condition New Chambers street, opposite No. 59; on condition walk and lot west of No. 8 East Seventy-third street.

To the Department of Public Works: On street pavement in Rivington street, between Sheriff and Willett streets.

*Hearings.*

Ebbitt & Archer appeared before the Board in respect to withdrawal of permit to bale manure. Statement accepted and permit renewed.

John B. Dutcher, President of the Union Stock Yard and Transit Co., appeared before the Board in answer to complaint as to sanitary condition of stock yards. Laid on table until the next meeting.

*Report of Standing Committees.*

From the Sanitary Committee—Report on school sinks. Adopted.







## BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY\* for the week ending April 5, 1879, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending March 29, 1879.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register.

SIR—There were 534 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, April 5, 1879, which is a decrease of 23, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 25 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1878. The actual mortality for the week ending March 29, 1879, was 558, which is 20.4 above the average for the corresponding week of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 26.52 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,093,901.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending April 5, 1879, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending Mar. 29, 1879.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending Apr. 5.	Week ending Mar. 29.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1879.							AGE BY YEARS.														SEX.														
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.		38.3	41.9																																				
" reading of barometer		29.408	29.914																																				
" humidity for the week was.		62	73																																				
Number of miles traveled by the wind was.		2,054	1,206																																				
Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week.		.18	1.60																																				
CAUSES OF DEATH.				Total Deaths reported during the week ending April 5, 1879.	Total Deaths reported during the week ending Mar. 29, 1879.	DATE.							Total Actual Mortality during the week ending March 29, 1879.	Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1878.	Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,093,901).																							
						March 23.	March 24.	March 25.	March 26.	March 27.	March 28.	March 29.				Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.	Male.	Female.	COLOR.	
Total Deaths from all Causes.				534	557	76	82	83	78	77	78	84	558	514	537.6	26.52	115	54	29	23	9	230	35	9	12	18	17	28	34	21	28	28	20	22	16	40	284	274	7
Total Zymotic Diseases.				108	131	17	20	21	17	21	18	19	133	100	121.2	6.32	31	26	10	19	6	98	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Constitutional Diseases.				126	132	18	16	18	21	18	16	13	120	113	126.2	5.70	13	8	4	1	1	27	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Local Diseases.				242	240	35	38	31	33	32	40	38	247	253	240.0	11.74	48	19	9	3	1	80	14	7	2	11	5	9	16	4	14	5	5	6	3	6	136	111	4
Total Developmental Diseases.				46	43	6	7	10	4	6	4	11	4	33	33.8	2.28	23	1	1	1	1	24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Deaths by Violence.				12	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	15	10.4	4.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Small-pox.				1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8.2	1.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Measles.				1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	8.2	0.9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Scarlatina.				42	54	12	9	7	10	7	5	6	56	28	22.8	2.66	4	12	7	13	5	41	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diphtheria.				13	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	24	24.6	4.3	1	2	1	1	1	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Membranous Croup.				9	12	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	13	13	1.6	57	2	4	3	2	1	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Whooping Cough.				12	25	4	4	1	3	5	3	3	22	4	9.2	1.05	12	6	1	2	1	21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Erysipelas.				3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	4.2	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Typhus Fever.				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Typhoid Fever.				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.				2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	2.2	19	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive, and Simple Continued Fevers.				4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	5.2	1.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Puerperal Diseases.				17	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	7	7.8	1.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diarrhoeal Diseases.				13	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	7	10.0	1.57	5	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Inanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc.				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	4.4	14	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Alcoholism.				3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3.0	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Rheumatism and Gout.				5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	1	3.0	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cancer.				80	14	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	13	14	9.8	6.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Phthisis Pulmonalis.				88	93	11	13	15	11	11	12	7	80	79	85.2	3.80	2	1	1	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bronchitis.				32	24	4	2	3	4	6	4	0	29	34	30.4	1.38	13	3	2	1	1	18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pneumonia.				76	74	13	11	9	8	10	5	10	66	70	71.0	3.14	12	11	4	1	1	28	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Heart Diseases.				18	21	4	3	5	2	4	0	3	27	28	18.6	1.28	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Aneurism.				1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.2	0.5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Marasmus—Tabes Mesenterica and Scrofula.				11	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	9.6	24	4	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.				13	17	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	17	12	10.4	1.81	5	5	3	1	1	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Meningitis and Encephalitis.				8	14	2	5	2	2	1	1	1	2	15	10	11.8	71	3	3	1	1	7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Convulsions.				12	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	10	10.6	48	9	1	1	1	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Apoplexy.				9	10	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	11	11.2	52	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.				41	55	4	11	8	7	5	8	11	54	51	49.8	2.57	16	4	1	2	1	23	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.				7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	4.8	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Enteritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Peritonitis, and Gastritis.				12	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	3	7.8	38	2	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.				25	35	6	4	3	6	5	4	4	32	24	26.4	1.52	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cyanosis and Atelectasis.				3	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	9	4	4.0	43	8	1	1	1	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Premature and Preterm Births.				12	13	2	1	3	1	2	1	3	12	9	10.6	57	12	1	1	1	1	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Surgical Operations.				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.2	0.5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths by Suicide.				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths by Drowning.				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total Deaths in Children.				110	118	15	15	18	18	13	13	23	115	115	126.8	5.47	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
" Under 1 year.				151	167	22	20	26	28	19	19	35	169	164	177.6	80.03	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	
" 2 years.				205	224	32	30	33	35	24	31	45	230	221	236.6	10.93	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	
" 5 years.																																							



## Births reported during the week ending April 5, 1879.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.										NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.	
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.				
480	477	3	248	232	....	252	125	70	25	....	....	10	4	....	385	94	

## Marriages\* reported during the week ending April 5, 1879.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.						CONDITION.												
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.	NOT STATED.	FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.				
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.		Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.		Female.			
123	120	120	3	3	71	48	51	75	1	..	..	..	..	93	104	20	11	..	..	..	..	10	8

\* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

## Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending April 5, 1879, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending March 29, 1879.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
3	Austria .....	6	7	5	4	6	5	..	1
3	British America .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3	England .....	10	10	14	17	3	3	..	2
3	France .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
45	Germany .....	128	112	171	146	37	28	13	13
122	Ireland .....	221	227	96	82	4	1	12	13
..	Italy .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	Poland .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	Scotland .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	Switzerland .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
362	United States .....	136	149	150	203	51	75	12	15
..	Unknown or not stated .....	16	10	10	..	..	..	..	..
1	West Indies .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7	Other countries .....	12	9	11	7	11	8	..	..

## Still-Births reported during the week ending April 5, 1879.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.											
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.											Unknown or not stated.
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
48	28	20	..	47	1	12	34	2	15	31	2	..	..	1	4	1	6	5	4	26	1	..	

## Deaths reported during the week ending April 5, 1879.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.											RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.							
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses.	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.					
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.				Top.	Not stated.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not Stated †
534	79	294	150	3	6	..	8	104	144	110	55	26	..	..	..	532	2	..	55	157	64	26

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 79 were in institutions, 294 in tenement-houses, 150 in houses containing 3 families or less, 3 in hotels and boarding-houses, 6 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 8 were on the basement floor, 104 on the first, 144 on the second, 110 on the third, 55 on the fourth, 26 on the fifth, 0 on the sixth. 532 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 2 non-residents. 52 were stated to be single, 157 married, 64 widowed, and the condition of 261 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 534; still-births, 48; bodies in transit, 29; of the total burial permits issued for city deaths and still-births, 46 were upon certificates received from the Coroners. 480 births, 123 marriages, 48 still-births, 534 deaths, 29 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated. 35 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 1 transcript of the birth record, 6 of marriage, and 28 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending April 5, 1879, was 38.3 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.468, the mean humidity was 62, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 2,054, and the total amount of rain-fall was .18 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 532 deaths and still-births, or 89.86 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 8; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 246; City, (pauper burial ground—undenominational), 48; Greenwood (undenominational), 40; Lutheran, (undenominational), 69; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 28; Evergreen (undenominational), 42; Woodlawn (undenominational), 16; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 7; Union (Methodist Protestant), 2; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 6; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 2; St. Raymond's Roman Catholic, 5; Washington (undenominational), 4.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality), for the week ending March 29, 1879, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 9; Second, 1; Third, 7; Fourth, 12; Fifth, 11; Sixth, 11; Seventh, 14; Eighth, 12; Ninth, 25; Tenth, 20; Eleventh, 42; Twelfth, 38; Thirteenth, 22; Fourteenth, 9; Fifteenth, 7; Sixteenth, 28; Seventeenth, 32; Eighteenth, 30; Nineteenth, 85; Twentieth, 43; Twenty-first, 47; Twenty-second, 39; Twenty-third, 11; Twenty-fourth, 3.

The actual mortality for the week ending March 29, 1879, was 558; this is 44 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1878, and 20.4 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 26.52 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,093,901.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns, of Philadelphia was 18; Brooklyn, 19.80; St. Louis, 11.84; Baltimore, 21.22; Boston, 19.69; Cincinnati, 17.13; New Orleans, 23; Richmond, 19.74; Charleston, 28.68; Dayton, 14.05; Erie, 18.57; Lowell, 15.65; Worcester, 12.91; Cambridge, 15.21; Fall River, 20.43; Lynn, 19.94; Springfield, 21.52. Monthly returns—Providence, 19.24; New Haven, 19.2; Plattsburgh, N. Y., 21.33; Lynchburg, Va., 25.41; Salt Lake, Utah, 16.15; Yonkers, N. Y., 14.40; Wheeling, W. Va., 18.8; Quincy, Ill., 11.66; Chattanooga, Tenn., 21. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 30; Liverpool, 28.2; Birmingham, 25.5; Manchester, 26.7; Glasgow, 25.3; Edinburgh, 15.4; Dundee, 20.3; Dublin, 33.7; Belfast, 36; Cork, 31; Brussels, 32.8; Antwerp, 29.1; Ghent, 30.4; Buda-Pesth, 43.2; Paris, 28.6; Naples, 35.9; Turin, 24.5; Berlin, 26.1; Munich, 32; Breslau, 34.28; Vienna, 33.4; Copenhagen, 24.8; Stockholm, 20.1; Christiania, 20.41; Amsterdam, 28.4; Rotterdam, 34.3; The Hague, 29; Calcutta, 31.5; Bombay, 28.1; Madras, 35.3; Geneva (with suburbs), 35.2; Basel, 22.7; Bern, 37.4; St. Petersburg, 44.48; Warsaw, 21.28; Salford, 28.1. Monthly returns—Melbourne, 24.9; Hamburg (State), 28.1; Sydney, 28.

The Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 15, at 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

## Appointment of Commissioners.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, April 2, 1879.

It appearing by the application, made to me on the 4th day of March, 1879, by fifty reputable householders and taxpayers of the City and County of New York, in the State of New York, verified upon oath before a Justice of the Supreme Court, that there is need in said city and county of a street railway or railways for the transportation of passengers, mails and freight; and thirty days not having expired since said application, now, in pursuance of the provisions of the act entitled, "An Act further to provide for the construction and operation of a steam railway or railways in counties of the State," passed June 18, 1875, three-fifths being present, I, Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby appoint the following five persons, residents of said city and county, to be commissioners under and in pursuance of the provisions of said act, namely: Henry F. Spaulding, Benjamin G. Arnold, Henry G. Stebbins, Lewis G. Morris, Samuel R. Filley.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name, the 2d day of April, 1879.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

## DAILY MEETINGS, MARCH 31 TO APRIL 5, 1879.

## Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending March 29, 1879: Males, 39 females, 12. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending March 29, 1879, \$218. On file.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 7 patients received during week ending March 29, 1879. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 13 patients received during week ending March 29, 1879. On file.

From Examination Office, Bellevue Hospital—Number of patients admitted to Hospitals of the Department during March, 1879, 1,215. On file.

Proposals for dry goods, groceries, hardware, opened in presence of Commissioners Cox, Brennan, Bailey, and the Comptroller.

By the Board—Resolved, That the proposals of J. M. Ingersoll to furnish and deliver 2,000 Bates' quilts at 90 cents each.

John M. Conway &amp; Co., 2,500 pounds knitting cotton at 18½ cents per pound.

R. M. Masterton, 103,000 pounds brown sugar at 6 14-100 cents per pound; 20,000 pounds Rio coffee at 11 85-100 cents per pound.

Everett Trask, 5,000 pounds cheese at 4½ cents per pound.

Charles T. Goodwin &amp; Co., 3,750 pounds crackers at 2½ cents per pound, less 15 cents each barrel returned.

Baker &amp; Co., 4,000 pounds dried apples at 2 47-100 cents per pound.

John T. Wilson, 3,750 pounds crackers at 2½ cents per pound, less 15 cents each empty barrel returned.

George P. Trigg &amp; Co., 300 quintals codfish, at \$3.24 per quintal.

Remington Agricultural Co., 6 dozen garden rakes, at \$4.65 per dozen; 6 dozen drawing hoes, at \$3.35 per dozen.

Loudback, Gilbert &amp; Co., 3 dozen hay rakes, at \$2.30 per dozen.

Quackenbush, Townsend &amp; Co., 6 dozen pushing hoes, at \$3.77 per dozen; 6 dozen garden spades, at \$9.19 per dozen.

Horace Ingersoll, 250 bales of hay, at 59 cents per 100 pounds.

Candee &amp; Smith, 50 barrels cement, at 94 cents per barrel; 50 barrels jointa lime, at 88 cents per barrel;

—be accepted, and the contracts awarded to them, provided the adequacy and sufficiency of their sureties are approved by the Comptroller.

Adopted.

## Appointments.

April 1. James I. Clark, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

2. Daniel Delaney, Night Watchman, Store-house.

2. Patrick Merry, Orderly, Alms-house.

3. Michael Brennan, Gas Man, Homoeopathic Hospital.

## Dismissal.

April 3. Jane Holmes, Cook, Homoeopathic Hospital.

## Resignations.

April 2. Joseph E. Donovan, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

2. James McGrath, Night Watchman, Store-house.

2. Jeremiah Leahy, Orderly, Alms-house.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.



## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

**Mayor's Office.**  
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON,  
Secretary

**Mayor's Marshal's Office.**  
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

**Permit and License Bureau Office.**  
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

**Office of Clerk of Common Council.**  
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JORDAN L. MOTT, President; LORD of Aldermen.  
JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., Clerk Common Council.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

**Commissioner's Office.**  
No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMILIN, Deputy Commissioner.

**Bureau of Water Register.**  
No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

**Bureau of Incumbrances.**  
No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

**Bureau of 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.  
STEVENSON 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 Street Improvements.**  
No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS KEECH, 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 City Revenue.**  
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.

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

**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 the City Chamberlain.**  
No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
J. 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; EDWARD P. BARKER,  
Secretary.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

## 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.

## 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.  
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, ROBERT F. HATFIELD.

## 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.  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, 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.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

- No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, flagging, and super-  
structure of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from  
Ninth avenue to the Hudson river.
- No. 2. Paving Seventy-sixth street, from Eighth ave-  
nue to the Riverside Park, with granite blocks.
- No. 3. Sewer in Tenth avenue, between Seventy-sev-  
enth and Eighty-first streets, with branches in Seventy-  
seventh, Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth, and Eightieth  
streets.
- No. 4. Extension of sewer at foot of Fifty-seventh street  
and East river.
- No. 5. Laying crosswalks across Fordham avenue, near  
Eleventh street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward (Central  
Morrisania).
- No. 6. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of  
Seventieth street and Fifth avenue.
- No. 7. Tree planting on Seventh avenue, from One  
Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth  
street.
- No. 8. Sewers in First avenue, between Ninety-second  
and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and in Second ave-  
nue, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundred and Ninth  
streets, with branches in Ninety-third, Ninety-sixth, Ninety-  
seventh, Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and  
First, One Hundred and Second, One Hundred and Third,  
One Hundred and Fourth, One Hundred and Fifth, One  
Hundred and Seventh, and One Hundred and Eighth  
streets.
- No. 9. Paving intersection of Sixty-eighth street and  
Fourth avenue with granite blocks.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the  
several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces  
and parcels of land, situated on—  
No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street,  
from Ninth avenue to the Hudson river, and to the extent  
of half the block at the intersecting avenues.  
No. 2. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from Eighth  
avenue to the Riverside Park, and to the extent of half the  
block at the intersecting avenues.  
No. 3. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Seventy-  
seventh and Eighty-first streets, and both sides of Seventy-  
seventh, Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth, and Eightieth  
streets, between the Eighth and Ninth avenues, and south  
side of Seventy-eighth street, extending 200 feet westerly  
from Tenth avenue.  
No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth  
streets, between First avenue and the East river, and both  
sides of Avenue A and east side of First avenue, between  
Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets.  
No. 5. Both sides of Fordham avenue, extending 275  
feet 4 inches north of Eleventh street, in the Twenty-  
fourth Ward.  
No. 6. East side of Fifth avenue, between Seventieth  
and Seventy-first streets, and north side of Seventieth  
street, extending 175 feet easterly from Fifth avenue.  
No. 7. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hun-  
dred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.  
No. 8. All that property situated between Ninety-third  
and One Hundred and Ninth streets, and First and Second  
avenues (including the east side of First avenue). Also  
property situated between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred  
and Ninth streets and Second and Third avenues.  
No. 9. To the extent of one-half the block on all sides  
of the intersection of Fourth avenue and Sixty-eighth  
street.

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

The above described list will be transmitted as pro-  
vided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of  
Assessments for confirmation, on the 15th day of May  
ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
EDWARD NORTH,  
DANIEL STANBURY,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. OF CENTRE),  
NEW YORK, April 15, 1879.

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

- No. 1.—Sewer in Eleventh avenue, between  
Sixty-sixth and Seventy-sixth streets,  
with branches in Sixty-seventh,  
Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Seventy-  
first, Seventy-second, and Seventy-  
third streets, with connections of pre-  
sent sewer in Seventieth street.... \$65,427 45
- No. 2.—Paving Sixty-eighth street and Fourth  
avenue (the intersection of)..... 956 21

\$66,383 66  
WM. H. JASPER,  
Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),  
NEW YORK, April 3, 1879.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,  
NEW YORK, March 15, 1879.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk of the Police Department, City of New York,  
300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property  
now in his custody without claimants: Ladies' wrappers,  
revolvers, male and female clothing, axle grease, silver  
watch, tub butter, small amount of money found and  
taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 14, 1879.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FARM-**  
ers and others who may desire street dirt, that they  
can procure the same from the Bureau of Street Cleaning,  
without cost, by making application to Captain John  
Gunner, Inspector of the Bureau, at the Central Depart-  
ment building, No. 300 Mulberry street.

The material can be loaded in carts upon the streets  
be designated by the Inspector, or will be delivered in  
scows or other water craft at the several dumping boar-  
d By Order of the Board,

S. C. HAWLEY,  
Chief Clerk

## THE CITY RECORD.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 9, 1879.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS**  
of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real  
and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York  
for the year 1879, will be opened for inspection and revision,  
on and after Monday, January 13, 1879, and will remain  
open until the 30th day of April, 1879, inclusive, for the  
correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments  
of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

By order of the Board.  
ALBERT STORER,  
Secretary

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
NEW YORK, April 10, 1879.

## PROPOSALS FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC LAMPS.

**PROPOSALS IN SEALED ENVELOPES WILL**  
be received at the office of the above-named Depart-  
ment, No. 36 Union square, New York, until Wednesday,  
the 23d day of April, 1879, at the hour of half-past nine  
o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the  
head of said Department and read, for furnishing illumi-  
nating material to and lighting, etc., all or any portion of  
the public lamps on the public parks, places, and bridges  
of the City of New York (except the ornamental lamps on  
the north side of Union square) under the control of the  
Department of Public Parks, from the first day of May,  
1879, until the thirty-first day of December, 1879, both  
days inclusive.

Each proposal must state the description or kind of  
illuminating material proposed to be used, and also a  
price for the illuminating material for each lamp, which  
price shall also include the lighting, cleaning, and relaying  
the same, and replacing the cocks, tubes, stand-pipes,  
burners, and other appliances which may be used for a  
like purpose, and cross-heads, lamp-irons, and lanterns  
thereto, and keeping each lamp and lamp-post in repair in  
the manner mentioned in the specifications during the  
period above mentioned.

The said Department reserves the right to determine,  
after the proposals are opened, what illuminating material  
shall be used in said public lamps during the period, and  
will award the contract to the lowest bidder whose pro-  
posal is made in accordance with the law and ordinances in  
such case, and who proposes to furnish the illuminating  
material so determined to be used.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by  
the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or  
freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective  
places of business or residence, to the effect that if the con-  
tract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid  
or proposal they will, on its being so awarded, become  
bound as his or their sureties in the penal sum of ten  
thousand dollars for its faithful performance, and that if  
he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same they  
will pay to the Corporation any difference between the  
sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its com-  
pletion and that which the Corporation may be obliged  
to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded  
at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be  
calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by  
which the bids are tested.

The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied  
by the oath or affirmation in writing of each of the persons  
signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder  
in the City of New York, and is worth the said sum of  
ten thousand dollars over and above all his debts of every  
nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety  
and otherwise, that he has offered himself as a surety in  
good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond re-  
quired by section 27, article 2, chapter 8 of Revised Ordi-  
nances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be  
awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to  
become surety.

Each proposal must state the name and place of resi-  
dence of the person making the same: the names of all  
persons interested with him therein, and if no other per-  
son be so interested it shall distinctly state the fact; also  
that it is made without any connection with any other  
person making any estimate for the same supplies and  
work; and that it is in all respects fair, and without col-  
lusion or fraud, and also that no member of the Common  
Council, head of a Department, chief of a Bureau, deputy  
thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corpora-  
tion, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the  
supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of  
the profits thereof; which proposals must be verified by  
the oath in writing of the party making the estimate, that  
the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.  
Where more than one person is interested it is requisite  
that the verification be made and subscribed by all the  
parties interested.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all  
proposals.

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of  
the contract (including the specifications), settled as re-  
quired by law, seen at the office of the Secretary, at the  
above address.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the De-  
partment of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for  
Lighting Public Parks and Places," and shall also be in-  
dorsed with the name or names of the person or persons  
presenting the same and the date of presentation.

JAMES F. WENMAN, President,  
WM. C. WETMORE,  
SAMUEL CONOVER,  
SMITH E. LANE,  
Commissioners D. P. P.

E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
NEW YORK, April 10, 1879.

## POLICE UNIFORMS.

**PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL**  
be received at the office of the Department of Public  
Parks, No. 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wed-  
nesday, the 23d day of April, 1879, at the hour of half  
past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened  
by the head of the said Department and read.

For making, furnishing and delivering uniforms for the  
Police Force of said Department.

The work to be executed in accordance with the terms  
of the contract and specifications prepared by said Depart-  
ment therefor and be similar to the samples on exhibition  
at the office of said Department.

The number and kind of uniforms required is as fol-  
lows:

- Six (6) uniform body coats for Captain and Sergeant.
- One (1) double breasted blouse for Sergeant.
- Six (6) pairs of summer wear pants, for Captain and  
Sergeants.

Ninety-two (92) uniform body coats for Patrolmen and  
Gate-keepers.

Ninety-two (92) pairs of summer wear pants for Patrol  
men and Gate-keepers.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will  
be thirty days (30) after the date of the contract.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing,  
a price for each article of uniform, and must be accom-  
panied by two samples of the cloth proposed to be  
furnished.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their sev-  
eral names and places of residence, the names of all persons  
interested with him or them therein; and if no other person  
be so interested, they shall distinctly state that fact; also  
that the bid is made without any connection with any  
other person making any estimate for the same purpose,  
and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or  
fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council,  
Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof  
or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is  
directly or indirectly interested in said proposal or esti-  
mate, or in the work or supplies to which it relates, or in  
any portion of the profits thereof; which proposals must  
be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties  
making the estimate, that the several matters stated there-  
in are in all respects true. *Where more than one person  
is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made  
and subscribed by all the parties interested.*

Each proposal or estimate shall be 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 to  
the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so  
awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful  
performance; and that, if he shall omit or refuse to  
execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any  
difference between the sum to which he would be entitled  
on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be  
obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the con-  
tract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the  
amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated  
amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath  
or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the  
same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of  
New York, and is worth the amount of the security re-  
quired for the completion of this contract, over and above  
all his debts of every nature, and over and above his  
liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has  
offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the in-  
tention to execute the bond required by section 27 of  
chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New  
York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or  
persons for whom he consents to become surety. The  
adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be  
approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all  
proposals, if deemed for the interest of the city.

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of  
the contract (including the specifications), settled as re-  
quired by law, seen at the office of the Secretary as above.

The envelope inclosing the proposal must be addressed  
to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and  
indorsed "Proposals for Police Uniforms," and shall also  
be indorsed with the name or names of the person or  
persons presenting the same and the date of presentation.

JAMES F. WENMAN, President,  
WM. C. WETMORE,  
SAMUEL CONOVER,  
SMITH E. LANE,  
Commissioners D. P. P.

E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary D. P. P.

**BY DIRECTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF**  
Public Parks, Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auc-  
tioneers, 22 Union Square, will sell at Public Auction, on  
the ground, two two-story and attic brick dwellings, situ-  
ate on Riverside avenue, near Eighty-seventh and Eighty-  
eighth streets.

The sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday  
the 22d day of April, 1879.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Only those parts of the buildings or fences standing  
within the limits of Riverside avenue will be sold.

The sale is on the condition that the buildings, etc.,  
sold, be removed by the purchaser within ten days from  
the date of sale.

The purchaser to be liable for any and all damage to  
persons, animals or property, by reason of the removal of  
the buildings, etc.

The amount of purchase money to be paid in bankable  
funds to the Commissioners of the Department of Public  
Parks, immediately after the sale, or the buildings, etc.,  
not so paid for, will be resold.

The purchaser to pay auctioneer's fees.

JAMES F. WENMAN,  
President, Department of Public Parks  
Dated April 9, 1879.



## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

**THE COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS WILL** meet on Thursday, April 17, at 2 o'clock P. M.  
**ROBERT HALL,**  
**JOHN W. JACOBUS,**  
**WILLIAM R. ROBERTS**  
 J. M. PATTERSON, Jr.,  
 Clerk.

**THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT** of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday in the City Library, Room No. 12 City Hall, at 1 o'clock P. M.

By Order of the Committee,

J. GRAHAM HYATT,  
 Chairman.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
 NEW YORK, April 12, 1879.

**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 Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Francis Jordan; aged 28 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat, vest, and pants, white shirt, black felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
 Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
 NEW YORK, April 11, 1879.

**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 Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—James McOne; aged 28 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted black coat, vest and pants, colored shirt, black felt hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
 Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
 NEW YORK, April 10, 1879.

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

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Bridget McGuire; aged 70 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
 Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
 NEW YORK, April 8, 1879.

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

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Robert Hilliard; aged 25 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, gray coat and vest, dark pants, laced shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—James Corcoran; aged 75 years. Had on when admitted, black coat, gray pants, dark vest, white shirt. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
 Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
 NEW YORK, April 4, 1879.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Tenth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair and moustache; blue eyes. Had on black frock coat, black vest, brown striped pants, white shirt, striped stockings, gaiters, black felt hat.

Unknown man from Pier 45, East river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair. Had on black cloth pants, blue flannel shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, gaiters. (Supposed to be one of the crew of ship "Glen Eagle," drowned on New Year's Eve).

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
 Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
 NEW YORK, April 5, 1879.

## PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BRICK, 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 Friday, April 18, 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—

## DRY GOODS.

2,000 yards Calico Prints.  
 100 great gross Suspender Buttons.  
 100 great gross Bone Buttons.  
 10 gross Pearl Shirt Buttons.

## GROCERIES, ETC.

500 pounds Ground Mustard.  
 200 pounds Baking Powder.  
 250 barrels Onions.  
 1,000 barrels Potatoes.

## BRICK.

100,000 Hard North River Brick.  
 The quality of the goods furnished must conform in every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at this office, and bidders must examine specifications for particulars of goods required before making their proposals.  
 All proposals must be made on blanks furnished by the Department.  
 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.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

By order of the Board,

VINCENT C. KING, President,  
 JOSEPH L. PERLEY,  
 JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,  
 CARL JUSSEN, Secretary,  
 Commissioners.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
 FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING) NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
 CITY HALL PARK,  
 NEW YORK, April 12, 1879.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

**PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI-** fied that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection;

CONFIRMED MARCH 28, ENTERED APRIL 12, 1879.

One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street opening, from the northeastern line of Lawrence street, parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, to the westerly side of a road or avenue, closed by chapter 290, section 10, Laws of 1871.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 1st, 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.

## WILLIAM KENNELLY, Auctioneer.

**PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, THE LEASE** of the following described property, belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, will be sold by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at PUBLIC AUCTION, at the New County Court House, on THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 1879, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the term of Two YEARS, from May 1, 1879.

GOVERNOR MARKET—Market building (not occupied for stands) and cellar.

## TERMS OF SALE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
 NEW YORK, April 10, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller.

## INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

**THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS** of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1879, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from March 28 to May 1, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller,  
 CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 March 20, 1879.

## 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 of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price... \$100 00  
 The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price... 50 00  
 Complete sets, folded, ready for binding... 15  
 Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound... 10 00

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

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller

WILLIAM KENNELLY & HUGH N. CAMP,  
 Auctioneers.

## CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY** virtue of the powers vested in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, they will offer for sale, at public auction, on Thursday, April 24, 1879, at noon, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz:

No. 1146 Broadway.  
 No. 18 Renwick street.  
 No. 128 West Broadway.  
 No. 202 West 21st street.  
 No. 594 Grand street.  
 No. 128 East 50th street.  
 No. 352 West 35th street.  
 No. 61 Chatham street.  
 No. 81 Chatham street.  
 No. 83 Chatham street.  
 No. 89 Chatham street.  
 No. 91 Chatham street.  
 No. 93 Chatham street.  
 No. 458 East Houston street.  
 No. 160 Wooster street.  
 No. 53 Spring street.  
 No. 61 Thompson street.  
 Stables, Tompkins and Mangin streets.  
 No. 442 West 33d street.  
 Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, Harlem market property, south side 121st street, near Third Avenue.

Old school-house, Fordham, Avenue C and 2d street, subject to lease to December, 1879.

East side 13th avenue, between Bloomfield and Little West 12th streets, lots Nos. 61 to 72.

West side 3d avenue, between 66th and 67th streets, lots Nos. 1 to 8. Nos. 4 to 8 subject to lease to May 1, 1880.

West side 3d avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 1 to 7.

South side 68th street, between 3d and Lexington avenues, lots Nos. 10 to 16.

East side Lexington avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 22 to 25.

North side 7th street, between Lexington and 3d avenues, lots Nos. 26 to 33.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be obtained at the Comptroller's office at the New County Court-house, on and after April 15, 1879.

Full warrantee deeds will be given to all purchasers.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
 March 24, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
 No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,  
 NEW YORK, February 27, 1879.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED FEBRUARY 24, 1879.

65th street, paving, from 1st to 3d avenue.

75th street, paving, from 4th to Madison avenue.

84th street, paving, from Boulevard to Riverside drive.

Goerck street, sewer, from Houston to 3d street.

10th avenue, sewer, between 116th and Manhattan streets.

57th street, flagging, (north side), between Lexington and 3d avenues.

85th street, fencing, between 1st avenue and Avenue A and southwest corner of 86th street.

74th street, fencing, between 4th and Madison avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before April 28, 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 PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
 NEW YORK, April 9, 1879.

## PROPOSALS FOR ONE FLOATING SWIMMING BATH.

**PROPOSALS ENCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE,** with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, April 21, 1879, at 12 o'clock, M., at which hour they will be publicly opened and read.

FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND LABOR FOR BUILDING ONE FLOATING SWIMMING BATH.

Plans and blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to enclose the bids, and any further information desired can be obtained on application at the office of the Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies, Room 18, City Hall.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
 Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
 NEW YORK, April 4, 1879.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A** petition of the property owners, with a map and plan for changing the grade of Forty-second street, between First and Second avenues, is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned, at his office, on or before April 16, 1879.

The map showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at the Bureau of Street Improvements, Room 11, City Hall.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
 Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
 NEW YORK, April 3, 1879.

**NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION** ON Wednesday, April 16, 1879, at 11 o'clock, A. M. The Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under the direction of the Superintendent of Incumbrances, by PETER BOWE, Esq., Auctioneer, on the premises, so much of the brick and frame building, situated on Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets, as stands within the lines of said avenue.

## TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the building entirely out of the line of the avenue, on or before Monday, April 28, 1879, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, or the building to be resold.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
 Commissioner of Public Works.

## SUPREME COURT.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Menzo Diefendorf, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 206 Broadway, Room 72, in the said city, on or before the second day of May, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said second day of May, 1879, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the nineteenth day of May, 1879.

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

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on the tenth day of June, 1879, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 26, 1879.

MENZO DIEFENDORF,  
 GEO. H. SWORDS,  
 THOS. L. FEITNER,  
 Commissioners.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,  
 No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
 NEW YORK, March 7, 1879.

**AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH** of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 4th day of March, 1879, the following resolution was adopted:

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

Section 202. Any cattle, meat, birds, fowl, fish, fruits, or vegetables, found by any inspector or officer of this Department in a condition which is, in his opinion, unwholesome or unfit for use as human food, shall, upon the order of the Sanitary Superintendent, be removed from any market, street, or public place, and the owner or person in charge thereof, when so directed by the said inspector or by such order of the Sanitary Superintendent, shall remove, or cause the same to be removed, to the place designated by the Sanitary Superintendent, or to the offal dock, and shall not sell, or offer to sell, or dispose of the same, for human food. And when, in the opinion of the Sanitary Superintendent, any such meat, fish, fruits, or vegetables shall be unfit for human food, or any such animal, cattle, sheep, swine, or fowls, by reason of disease, or exposure to contagious disease, shall be unfit for human food, and improper or unfit to remain near other animals or to be kept alive, the Board of Health may direct the same to be destroyed, as dangerous to life and health, and may order any such animals, sheep, swine, or fowls, to be removed by any inspector, police officer, officer, or agent of this Department, and to be killed and taken to the offal dock.

Section 203. That hereafter no person shall gather, collect, accumulate, store, expose, carry, or transport in any manner through the streets and public places of this city, or in or to any tenement-house, cellar, or house in said city, any bones, refuse, or offensive material, without a special permit in writing from the Board of Health, in accordance with the conditions and subject to the limitations thereof, and in such manner as not to cause offensive odors or any nuisance whatsoever.

[L. S.]

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

CHARLES F. CHANDLER,  
 President.

## JURORS.

## NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

**APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE** heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice" requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, served 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)