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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, July 18, 1873,
No. 301 Mott street.

The Board of Health met this day.

Orders.

Two hundred and thirty orders for the abatement of nuisances were made.

Suits for Penalties.

The attorney was directed to commence suits for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in thirty-four cases.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—
Report of the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent on the condition of the booths at Washington Market.

Application for permits on the condition of certain streets, &c.

On application for relief from orders of the Board.

Communications from City Department.

From the Comptroller.
Weekly Statement from his Honor the Mayor, calling attention to section 27, chapter 355, laws of 1873, requiring a report of the operations of this Department for three months ending July 31, 1873.

Reports referred to other Departments for the necessary action.

To the Department of Public Works on the condition of certain pavements, culverts, &c.

Permits Granted.

To keep 16 cows at north side of Sixty-fourth street, 200 feet east of Second avenue.

To keep 15 cows at north side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Second and Third avenues.

To keep 12 cows at 412 East Fifty-ninth street.

To keep 7 fowls at 44 East Forty-first street.

To keep 3 chickens at 389 East Houston street.

Permits Denied.

To render fresh lard at 210, 212 and 214 First avenue.

To render fresh lard at 14 Second avenue.

To render fresh lard at 14 First avenue.

To melt fat at 49 First avenue, until the necessary alterations are made.

Bill Audited.

T. F. Hascall \$40.00

Resolutions.

That the report of the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, on the present condition of the booths around Washington Market, dated July 18, 1873, be placed on file with his previous report on the same subject, and that in the opinion of this Board there is imminent danger from impending pestilence, and this Board hereby declares that the aforesaid booths, stalls and stands around Washington Market and in the neighboring streets constitute a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, which, in view of the imminent danger now existing from impending pestilence, should be immediately removed; also, that, whereas, due notice has already been given to the owners and occupants of the said booths, stalls and stands; and, whereas, the Department of Public Works has not been enabled to obey the previous order of this Board to remove the said booths, stalls and stands; and, whereas the plans of the Superintendent of Public Markets have been considered, and in the opinion of the Board will not remedy the evil, nor improve the position of the owners and occupants of the said booths, stalls and stands; and, whereas, any delay in the removal thereof is declared by this Board dangerous to life and detrimental to the public health; therefore—

That the Board of Police be requested and directed to stop and prevent the dumping of all street fifth and garbage on any vacant lots within the city limits.

Whereas, Commissioner Chandler and Stephen Smith report that, upon an inspection of the sheds upon premises occupied by William H. McNeil, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, near the North River, on the 17th inst., such sheds with barrels of offal therein were found in such an offensive condition, and immediately dangerous to life and detrimental to health, that they issued the following order to the Superintendent of the New York Rendering Company:

William Smith, Esq., Superintendent of New York Rendering Company.

East Forty-fifth street, and East Forty-seventh street, East River, he denied.

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William Smith, Esq., Superintendent of New York Rendering Company.

SIR—You are hereby requested to proceed at once to the shed between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, on the North River, and take away sixty barrels, more or less, of offensive offal, which as Health Commissioners, duly appointed according to law, we consider dangerous to life and detrimental to the public health, and as requiring immediate removal.

C. F. CHANDLER,
STEPHEN SMITH,
Health Commissioners.

Which has been complied with, as appears by the report submitted by the Superintendent of the New York Rendering company—viz.:

FOOT OF THIRTY-EIGHT STREET,
NORTH RIVER, N. Y., July 18, 1873.

C. F. Chandler, Esq., President of the Board of Health.

SIR—I have the honor to make the following report pursuant to an order received at 5:30 P. M., July 17th.

I removed from the above-mentioned locality (sheds between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, on North River), sixty barrels of very offensive hog entrails and four barrels of scrap, completing the removal, and placed the same in air-tight tanks at 7:10 P. M., July 17th.

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM SMITH,
Sup't. N. Y. Rendering Company.

Therefore, the action of Commissioners Chandler and Smith be confirmed, the report of the Superintendent of the New York Rendering Company, be placed on file, and he be directed to remove immediately any offal now remaining in the said place.

That unless the New York Rendering Company shall cease rendering within the city limits on or before the 21st day of July, 1873, this Board will cause the arrest of all the parties engaged in the rendering process, and also make arrangements with other parties for the removal of offal and dead animals, and the performance required of the said company by the terms of the contract.

That a copy of the order requiring the removal and destruction by combustion of certain sheds used for the storage of offal upon premises occupied by William H. McNeil, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, west of Eleventh avenue, New York, be forwarded to the Board of Police, and that they be respectfully requested and ordered to execute the same.

By order of the Board,
GEORGE H. HASTINGS,
Secretary pro tem.

SANITARY BUREAU, July 18th, 1873.

Col. Emmons Clark, Secretary.

SIR—My attention has been called to a recent communication from the Superintendent of Markets, addressed to the Comptroller, and published in the daily papers, and to the subsequent appearance of an editorial paragraph in the New York Times, both reflecting on a report I had previously made on the condition of certain booths around Washington Market, but which is erroneously interpreted as an attack on the market itself. Col. Devoe probably had not seen my report, but must have received his convictions from the perusal of an imperfect copy; for, by consulting the original paper now on file in the office of the Secretary, it will be seen that nothing is said against the condition of the market proper, by which I mean the area bounded by the sidewalks of the four streets adjacent thereto.

The report refers only to the booths located on the sidewalks extending to a greater or less distance towards the middle of the streets, and occupying so much of the public roadway, thus presenting serious obstructions to the legitimate use of the street, besides interfering greatly with the thorough and frequent cleansing of the pavements and gutters over which they stand.

On the 17th inst. I made a re-inspection of these booths in company with the President of the Board, and the Chairman of the Sanitary Committee, and although an apparent effort had been made to improve their condition as to cleanliness, the appearance of the gutters and pavement be-

neath the flows of the external surface of the standing wood work saturated with filth, of the adjacent pavement with its pools of filthy liquid and its adherent masses of decomposing organic matter, all emitting their noxious exhalations and their disgustingly offensive odors, were enough to convince the most casual observer that they constitute an unmitigated nuisance detrimental to the public health.

The superintendent proposes as a compromise, to remove a portion of each booth, by cutting away a certain number of feet next to the middle of the street, and giving up that portion of the street for the public use. He also proposes to re-adjust the flows so that the gutters and pavement underneath may be more readily cleaned, these alterations will remove a portion only of the obstructions, but I cannot see how they will improve the sanitary condition of the locality, for as long as they occupy their present position, these booths will continue to present the same impediment to proper street cleaning, that they do now, and will inevitably become again so saturated with filth as to constitute their presence a serious sanitary evil. Could we admit, however, the possibility of overcoming this objection, there is still another strong sanitary reason for their removal; I allude to the serious obstruction they present to the necessary light and ventilation of the market.

A building extending over so much area as does Washington Market, a place resorted to by so many of our citizens for the purchase of their daily provisions should have every facility for adequate light and ventilation, which cannot be afforded so long as it is enclosed by rows of booths, connected by an extended roof with the main building, and so constructed as to cut off the approach of every current of fresh air.

I must, therefore, adhere to the statements and recommendations made in my previous report, that in a sanitary point of view, the presence of these booths is a serious evil, and that the public interests and the public health require their immediate removal.

Respectfully submitted,
E. H. JANES, M. D.,
Assistant Sanitary Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
July 19, 1873.

The undermentioned appointments were made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, on Wednesday, the 16th July, 1873.

Wm. C. Roberts, M. D., Police Surgeon, \$1,250 per annum.

Geo. Z. Hunter, M. D., Police Surgeon, \$1,250 per annum.

Wm. Irwin, Secretary, \$4,500 per annum.

Isaac Evans, Ass't Sec'y, \$3,000 per annum.

D. P. Lord, Chief Clerk, \$2,500 per annum.

WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL SALARIES.

The following correspondence constitutes a portion of the operations of the Law Department for the week ending July 18th, 1873:

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 14, 1873.

To the Comptroller of the Corporation.
SIR—I sent you, on Saturday, an order of the Supreme Court, to show cause why a mandamus should not issue in the matter of salaries of the Judges.

The following provision of law is contained in section 116 of the new charter, chapter 335, laws of 1873:

"It shall not be lawful for any authority of the City or County of New York to authorize or pay, and hereafter no judicial officer of said City or County, or of the Supreme Court, shall be paid a salary exceeding in the aggregate, together with the salary paid by the State, the sum of ten thousand dollars per annum. The salaries of the Judges of the Marine Courts is hereby fixed at six thousand dollars each."

By the Supplemental Charter, chapter 757, passed June 13, 1873, the paragraph in which

the above question appears is so modified as to exclude it. The view I have taken is that under the provisions of chapter 335, I ought to pay the salaries as therein fixed up to the time of its repeal by the supplemental act.

Will you do me the favor before the return day of the writ, if practicable, to give me your official opinion whether my view of the law is correct, and oblige

Yours, respectfully,
ANDREW H. GREEN,
Comptroller.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
July 15, 1873.

Hon. Andrew H. Green, Comptroller.

SIR—I am in receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, asking my opinion as to the rate at which the salaries of the Justices of the Supreme Court, and of other judicial officers of the city and county of New York, should be paid for the period from April 30, 1873, to June 13, 1873, and calling my attention to chapters 335 and 757 of the laws of 1873.

The question submitted by your letter received my consideration at the time of the passage of the new charter; and I had no doubt then, and I have none now, that the provisions of section 116 were clearly unconstitutional.

Section 14 of the amended Judiciary Article of the Constitution of this State provides as follows: "The judges and justices hereinbefore mentioned shall receive for their services a compensation to be established by law, which shall not be diminished during their official terms."

Among the judges and justices referred to in said section are the judges of the Superior Court of the city of New York, and of the Court of Common Pleas of the City and county of New York, and the justices of the Supreme Court.

Subsequently to the adoption of the amended judiciary article above cited the salaries of the judges and justices of the three courts above mentioned were fixed by the Board of Supervisors of the county of New York, by a resolution adopted by said Board May 26, 1870, and approved by the Mayor, May 27, 1870.

See proceedings of the Board of Supervisors for 1870, volume 1, page 384.

This action of the Board of Supervisors was legalized and confirmed by an act of the Legislature, passed April 19, 1871, being chapter 573 of the laws of that year.

The compensation of the judges and justices, which was thus, in the language of the amendment of the Constitution, "established by law," was for the judges of the Superior Court and the Court of Common Pleas \$15,000 per annum, and for the justices of the Supreme Court, \$17,500 per annum, and such compensation, so established, continued to be and was the lawful compensation of said judges and justices on the 30th day of April, 1873, when Chapter 335, of the Laws of 1873, became a law.

By the last subdivision of section 116 of said charter it is provided that "it shall not be lawful for any authority of the city or county of New York, to authorize or pay, and hereafter no judicial officer of said city or county, or of the Supreme Court shall be paid a salary exceeding in the aggregate, together with the salary paid by the State, the sum of ten thousand dollars per annum."

Now, if the legislature could lawfully reduce the established compensation of judicial officers from \$17,500 or \$15,000 to \$10,000, the provisions of the constitution can be practically disregarded, and the salaries of the judges be reduced to \$1,000 or even to a merely nominal sum. Such a construction of the constitution would be a fatal blow to the independence of the judiciary, and render it subject to the capricious or inadvertent action of every legislature.

I am strongly inclined to the opinion that the clause in the charter, above quoted, must have been inserted through inadvertence or a misapprehension of the provisions of the Constitution. The fact that this clause was repealed by the same legislature that enacted it a few weeks afterwards, tends very strongly to sustain this view of the matter.

It seems to me that the provisions of section 116, above quoted, are in direct conflict with

section 14 of the amended judiciary article above cited.

It is not, of course, ordinarily within the province of executive or administrative officers to treat any enactment of the Legislature as unconstitutional.

It was therefore, doubtless proper, for you, as the Head of the Finance Department, to treat the law in question as of binding force until otherwise advised.

But the question having been submitted to me, as the legal adviser of your Department, and my convictions being such that I should do injustice to myself and be wanting in candor toward the court if I attempted to maintain the constitutionality of the law, I deem it my duty to advise you that the law in question is clearly unconstitutional, and that the judges and justices referred to should be paid their salaries for the period named in your letter, at the rate at which they had been and remained established at the time of the passage of the new charter.

A judicial decision of the question could, of course, be obtained from the very eminent justice of the Supreme Court now holding chambers and Special Term in this city. His honor Judge Daniels, resides in another district, and would be wholly disinterested in the matter. But I think it is due to the judiciary of this city that they should receive their hard earned salaries at the rate fixed by law, without being compelled to submit to the delay and annoyance of litigating the matter in the courts.

I am, sir, yours very respectfully, E. DELAFIELD SMITH, Counsel to the Corporation.

I have perused the above opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation on the matter submitted, and am happy to say that it fully accords with my judgment of the question. W. F. HAVEMEYER, Mayor.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 16th day of July, 1873. All the Commissioners present. Leaves of Absence Granted.

Capt. A. S. Wilson, 32d precinct, four days. Patrolman E. O. Tyler, 25th precinct, half-day without pay. Patrolman G. S. Smock, 10th precinct, half-day without pay. Patrolman D. O'Callahan, 27th precinct, one day without pay.

Resolved, That the fine of three day's pay imposed, July 15th, on Patrolman Andrew Clark, 19th precinct, be remitted.

Bills referred to the Finance Committee.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes A. M. Burroughs (\$90 00), Chas. Dowd (3 00), T. J. Murphy (7 10), R. C. Brown (15 50), R. C. Brown (80 62), R. C. Brown (29 95), P. Madden (15 00), Wm. Waters (114 00).

Surgeon's Bills Referred to the Finance Committee.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes J. F. Saville (\$299 00), Daniel Cook (115 00), J. V. Merrill (341 00), E. C. Harwood (123 00), G. Steinert (54 00).

Resolved, That it be referred to the Counsel of the Corporation to defend (if there are any good grounds of defence) in the matter of complaint of Jeremiah McCarthy against Patrolman Patrick Dempsey, 7th precinct, for an alleged assault, and for which bail was given in the sum of \$300 to appear at the General Sessions.

Reports (daily) from the several precincts of service rendered by the physicians. Referred to the Committee on Surgeons.

Parades Allowed.

Bukru Cholom—funeral. Ancient Order Hibernians—funeral. Scotia Lodge—funeral. German Singing Society—procession.

Resignation Accepted.

Patrolman James Connelly, 19th precinct. James F. Aitken and Henry Gross were denied leave to apply for reappointment. Leave was granted, under the rule, to Patrolman M. Thein, 13th precinct, to receive \$25.

Weekly statement from the Comptroller, showing amount of appropriations and amount of payments up to 12th July. Referred to the Treasurer.

The Chief Clerk reported that a copy of testimony in the case of Adolph Nascher has been sent to the Mayor, and that the papers received from the Mayor were returned to him.

Resolved, That the Captains direct all special duty men to report to the President at 10 1/2 A. M. on Thursday.

Remonstrances from Jno. Whittaker, of "Empire Transportation Company," and from the "Black Star Line," and sundry other companies and shipping lines, against the proposed changes in regard to detailed men. Referred to the Committee on Station Houses.

Resolved, That Captains report the location of, by streets and numbers, tenement houses in their precincts, to the Board of Police immediately.

Communication from the Health Department transmitting a copy of report of the Sanitary Superintendent on the condition of the streets. Referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Resolved, That the Department of Docks be requested to sink crib work on the north or north-east side of Randall's Island, on or inside of the exterior water line, where the water at low tide is over five feet deep, in such form and location as shall be approved by that Department, to facilitate the disposition of material collected by the Bureau of street cleaning.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 17th day of July, 1873.—All the Commissioners present.

Communications from H. S. Olcott, with photographic copies of the Flag of Honor presented to the force on the 25th of November last. Referred to the Committee on Station Houses to place one copy in each Station House.

Parades Allowed.

German Benevolent Society—Funeral. Clark Mattison and Dennis Welch, were denied leave to apply for re-appointment.

Reports (daily) from the several precincts of service rendered by the physicians. Referred to the Committee on Surgeons.

Resignation Accepted.

Pat'l Henry Lerch, Twenty-third precinct.

Bills Referred to the Finance Committee.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes A. Herrick's Sons (\$22 00), National Stone Works (17 80).

Transfers ordered.

Captain John Sanders, from 16th to 23d precinct.

Captain Thomas Cherry, from 23d to 16th precinct.

Captain Ira. S. Garland, from 13th to 28th precinct.

Captain Henry Hidden, from 28th to 13th precinct.

Serg't James Rockwell, from 5th to 13th precinct.

Serg't Wm. A. Lines, from 13th to 5th precinct.

Pat'l Jacob Moore, from 20th to 26th precinct.

Door. Chas. W. Clark, from 25th to 21st precinct.

Door. James Martin, from 21st to 8th precinct.

Door. Leonard Walling, from 8th to 29th precinct.

Door. Hugh P. Beeney, from 29th to 25th precinct.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Pat'l Geo. A. Bennett, Seventh precinct, ten days without pay.

Pat'l Wm. Granger, Sixth precinct, 1 day without pay.

Pat'l John W. Folk, Tenth precinct, one day without pay.

Pat'l H. F. Jones, Twenty-eighth precinct, half day without pay.

Pat'l J. Sprague, Mounted Squad, one day without pay.

Pat'l J. Hesse, Eighth precinct, half day, without pay.

Captain McElwayn, Twentieth precinct, half day.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, calling attention to section 27, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, requiring once in three months a report to be made to him, of the operations and actions of this Department, to be published in "THE CITY RECORD." Referred to the Chief Clerk to prepare and submit a report.

Street Cleaning.

Resolved, That application for appointment as foremen of street cleaning and inspectors of dumps, in all cases be referred to the Committee on street cleaning with power. Their action to be reported to the Board for approval.

Bill Referred to Finance Committee.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes A. Herrick's Sons (\$83 38).

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL.

Licenses issued and amounts received for licenses and fines by Marshal D. S. Hart, for week ending July 19, 1873:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Licenses issued (328), Amount received (\$2,347 25).

THE CITY RECORD.

The following compilation of the requirements of the Charter with reference to matter to be published and advertised in THE CITY RECORD has been prepared for the convenience of Heads of Departments of the City government.

A. DISBECKER, Supervisor of the City Record.

MATTER TO BE PUBLISHED AND ADVERTISED IN THE CITY RECORD IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 335 OF THE LAWS OF 1873.

SEC. 16. Immediately after the adjournment of each meeting of either board, it shall be the duty of the clerk of such board to prepare a brief abstract, omitting all technical and formal details, of all resolutions and ordinances introduced or passed, and of all recommendations of committees, and of all final proceedings, as well as full copies of all messages from the Mayor and all reports of departments or officers. He shall at once transmit the same to the person appointed to supervise the publication of THE CITY RECORD.

In all cases the yeas and nays upon the final passage of the resolution or ordinance shall be published.

§ 17. §. 26. The ordinances of the Common Council shall, as far as practicable, be reduced to a code, and be published as such in THE CITY RECORD.

§ 24. The Mayor shall render to the Board of Aldermen every three months, an account of the expenses and receipts of his office, and therein shall state, in detail, the amounts paid and agreed to be paid by him for salaries to his clerks and subordinates respectively, and the general nature of their duties which shall be published in THE CITY RECORD.

§ 27. The Departments of the City government shall, once in three months, and at such other times as the Mayor may direct, make to him in such form and under such rules as he may prescribe, reports of the operations and action of the same and each of them, which reports shall be published in THE CITY RECORD.

§ 32. The Comptroller of the City of New York shall appoint and at pleasure remove for cause to be stated in writing and published in THE CITY RECORD, a Deputy Comptroller.

§ 38. The sworn statement of the Corporation Attorney and Public Administrator, with a detailed list of costs, commissions, fines and penalties collected shall be published in THE CITY RECORD monthly, as furnished.

§ 44. The name, residence and occupation of each applicant for appointment to any position in the Police Department; as well as the name, residence and occupation of each person appointed to any position, shall be published, and such publication shall, in every instance, be made on the Saturday next succeeding such application or appointment in THE CITY RECORD.

§ 64. All property transmitted to the property clerk of the Police Department shall be advertised in THE CITY RECORD for the benefit of all persons interested, and for the information of the public as to the amount and disposition of the property.

§ 65. All property and money that shall remain in the custody of the property clerk for the period of six months without any lawful claimant thereto, shall be sold at public auction, after having been advertised in THE CITY RECORD for a period of ten days.

§ 75. Real or personal property belonging to the city, or city and county shall be duly advertised previous to the sale thereof at public auction.

§ 82. The Health Department is authorized and empowered to add to the "Sanitary Code" from time to time, and shall publish additional provisions for the security of life and health in the City of New York, and therein to distribute appropriate powers and duties to the members and employes of the Board of Health, which shall be published in THE CITY RECORD.

§ 91. All contracts shall be entered into by the appropriate heads of departments, and shall, except as otherwise provided, be founded on sealed bids or proposals, made in compliance with public notice duly advertised in THE CITY RECORD, said notice to be published at least ten days.

§ 92. All property sold shall be sold at auction, after previous public notice.

§ 105. The "Board of Street Opening and Improvement" is authorized and empowered, after laying its proposed action before the Board of Aldermen, and publishing full notice of the same for ten days in THE CITY RECORD, to alter the map or plan of New York City so as to lay out new streets, &c., &c. &c.

§ 106. It shall be the duty of the Commissioners of Accounts, once in three months, and oftener if they deem it proper, to examine all vouchers and accounts in the offices of the comptroller and chamberlain, and to make and publish in THE CITY RECORD a detailed statement of the financial condition of the city, showing the amount of its funded and floating debt, the amount received and expended since the last preceding report, with a classification of the sources of revenue and expenditure, and such other information as they shall deem proper.

§ 108. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller to publish in THE CITY RECORD, two months before the election of charter officers, a full and detailed statement of the receipts and expen-

ditures of the corporation during the year ending on the first day of the month in which such publication is made, and the cash balance or surplus; and in every such statement the different sources of city revenue, and the amount received from each the several appropriations made, the objects for which the same were made, and the amount of moneys expended under each, the moneys borrowed on the credit of the Corporation, the authority under which each loan was made, and the terms on which the same was obtained, shall be clearly and particularly specified.

§ 110. In every Department or Board there shall be kept a record of all its transactions, which shall be accessible to the public, and once a week a brief abstract, omitting formal language, shall be made of all transactions, and all contracts awarded and entered into for work and material of every description, which abstract shall contain the name or names, and residences by street and number, of the party or parties to the contract, and of their sureties, if any. A copy of such abstract shall be promptly transmitted to the person designated to prepare THE CITY RECORD, and shall be published therein. Notice of all appointments and removals from office, and all changes of salaries, shall, in like manner, within one week after they are made, be transmitted to and published in THE CITY RECORD.

§ 111. There shall be inserted in THE CITY RECORD nothing aside from such official matters as are in this act (Chap. 335 Laws of 1873,) expressly authorized.

All advertising required to be done for the city, and all notices required by law or ordinance to be published in corporation papers, shall be inserted, at the public expense, only in THE CITY RECORD, and a publication therein shall be a sufficient compliance with any law or ordinance requiring publication of such matter or notices.

There shall be published in THE CITY RECORD, within the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any Department (except laborers), with their salaries, and residences by street numbers, and all changes in such subordinates or salaries shall be so published within one week after they are made.

It shall be the duty of all Heads of Departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publication of THE CITY RECORD, everything required to be inserted therein. The said person shall have power to make requisitions in writing upon the Heads of Departments, to furnish the information necessary to make up such list, according to rules prescribed by him and approved by the Comptroller; and such information must be supplied by the department within ten days after such requisition. He shall have power to require such information in the same manner, every three months, and all other information in the control of said Heads of Departments necessary to perform his duties under this section. He shall include in his list the number of laborers, designating the department in which they are employed, and, if practicable, the numbers employed in the prosecution of specific work, and the amounts paid to them. He shall also cause to be printed in each issue of said CITY RECORD a separate statement of the hours during which all 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.

The detailed canvass of votes at every election shall be published at the expense of the city only in THE CITY RECORD.

The Mayor may order the insertion of any official matter or report in THE CITY RECORD.

§ 112. After the provisional estimate is made by the Board of Apportionment, it shall be submitted by said board, with their reasons for it in detail, within ten days, to the Board of Aldermen, whereupon a special meeting of said Board shall be called to consider such estimate, and the same shall simultaneously be published in THE CITY RECORD.

Should the said Board of Apportionment overrule objections or suggestions made by the Board of Aldermen the reasons for such action shall be published in THE CITY RECORD.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

From the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen, July 16th, 1873:

The following statement was received from the Department of Public Parks:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Salary. Includes Isaac Evans, assistant secretary, \$3000 per annum; Fred. Law Olmsted, landscape architect, \$6500 per annum; George S. Green, consulting engineer, \$9 West 32d street, \$5000 per annum; Samuel T. Houghton, bookkeeper, 349 West 24th street, \$2200 per annum; Albert C. Pratt, assistant bookkeeper, 245 East 26th street, \$1500 per annum; David P. Lord, clerk, 22 East 35th street, \$2500 per annum; Howard A. Martin, clerk, 74 1/2 7th avenue, \$1800 per annum; Fred. C. A. Hecker, messenger, 116 St. Mark's place, \$1200 per annum; Wm. Van Valkenburgh, disbursing clerk, 108 West 22d street, \$3500 per annum; Wm. H. Hoyt, clerk, 225 East 32d street, \$2800 per annum; Joseph F. Belton, clerk, 336 East 78th street, \$1800 per annum; George H. Harrison, clerk, 78 1/2 6th avenue, \$1200 per annum; Columbus Ryan, superintendent, 151 East 127th street, \$5,000 per annum; Charles B. Trimble, clerk, 519 East 118th street, \$2,000 per annum.

COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION. Commissioners, Office, Castle Garden, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Superintendents, Office, Castle Garden, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES. Coroner's Office, 40 E. Houston st. Sheriff's Office, first floor, S. W. cor. New Court House.

COURTS. Supreme Court, Second Floor, 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. General Term, Chambers, New Court House.

SUPERIOR COURTS. Superior Court, 3d floor, New Court House, 11 a. m. to 1 p. m.

COMMON PLEAS. Common Pleas, 3d fl., New Court House, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

GENERAL SESSIONS. General Sessions, 32 Chambers street, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

OVER AND TERMINER. Oyer and Terminer, 32 Chambers st., 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS. Special Sessions, Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

JUSTICE'S (OR DISTRICT) COURTS. First District, 1st, 2d, 3d, and 5th Wards, S. W. corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

POLICE COURTS. First District, 14th, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, and portion of Sanitary Precinct.

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.

No. 1—For regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Fourth avenue to Eighth avenue.

No. 30—For building basin on west side of Mott street, forty feet north of Chatham square.

No. 31—For building basin on northwest corner of Chrystie and Grand streets.

No. 32—For building basin on northeast corner of Chrystie and Stanton streets.

No. 33—For building sewer in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Fourth avenue and Harlem River.

No. 34—Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from New avenue to Eighth avenue.

No. 35—Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Ninth avenue to Mount Morris square.

No. 36—Both sides of Thirty-eighth street, from First avenue to East River.

No. 37—Both sides of Thirty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenues, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

No. 38—Both sides of Fortieth street, from Madison to Third avenue, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

No. 39—Both sides of Thirty-first street, from Second avenue to East River, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

No. 40—Both sides of Thirty-second street, from Second avenue to East River, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

No. 41—Both sides of Thirty-first street, from Fourth to Fifth avenues, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

No. 42—Both sides of Second avenue, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

No. 43—Both sides of Twenty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenues, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

No. 44—West side of Eighth avenue, the property known by Ward Nos. 32 to 35 inclusive.

No. 45—West side of Eighth avenue, the property known by Ward Nos. 33, 34, and 35.

No. 46—The block bounded by Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets and First and Second avenues.

No. 47—The property known as Ward Nos. 33, 34 and 35.

No. 48—The property known as Ward Nos. 49, 52 and 54 1/2.

No. 49—West side of Third avenue, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, except two lots next Twelfth street.

No. 50—Both sides of Sixty-fifth street, between First and Third avenues.

No. 51—Both sides of Second avenue, from One Hundred and Eleventh to One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, between First and Third avenues and one-half the block of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Third and Second avenues.

No. 52—Both sides of Eleventh street, between Dry Dock street and East River to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

No. 53—Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Avenue A and First avenue.

No. 54—Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, to the extent of half the block.

No. 55—Both sides of Sixty-sixth street, between Avenue A and First avenue and between Second and Third avenues.

No. 56—South side of Fourteenth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 57—North side of Fourteenth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 58—North side of Twenty-third street, between Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues.

No. 59—East side of First avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, and north side of Sixty-fifth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, to the extent of half the block.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JULY 17, 1873. PROPOSALS FOR \$500,000 ASSESSMENT FUND STOCK OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Comptroller's Office until Wednesday, July 30, 1873, at two o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly opened.

The proposals will state the amount of stock desired, and the price per one hundred dollars thereof; and the persons whose proposals are accepted will thereupon be required to deposit with the Chamberlain the sums awarded to them respectively, together with any premiums thereon.

On presenting to the Comptroller the receipts of the Chamberlain for such deposit, the parties will be entitled to receive certificates for equal amounts of the par value of the sums awarded to them, bearing interest from the dates of payment.

Each proposal should be sealed and endorsed "Proposals for Assessment Fund Stock of the County of New York," and enclosed in a second envelope addressed to the Comptroller.

The right is reserved on the part of the Comptroller to reject any or all of the bids, if in his judgment the interests of the Corporation require it.

ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JULY 14, 1873. INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.—THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, due August 1st, 1873, will be paid on that day, by the Chamberlain, at his office in the New Court House.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS will be closed from July 7th to August 1st, 1873.

ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.

INDICES OF RECORDS.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JULY 14, 1873. A LIMITED NUMBER OF COMPLETE SETS OF THE INDICES OF RECORDS are offered for sale, full bound in sheep, as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Item, Quantity, Price. Includes Grants, Grantees, Notices of Suits in Equity, Insolvents, Judgments, Sets unbound, Incomplete sets.

Communications in relation to the Records should be addressed "Superintendent of Records, Comptroller's Office."

ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, July 30th, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for the Desks, Seats and other Furniture required for Grammar School No. 19, on East Fourteenth street near First Avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand st., third floor.

Two responsible and approved sureties will be required from the successful bidder.

Proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals offered.

HENRY MERZ, WM. BALSER, M. D., ADAM WEBER, OWEN MURPHY, FRED'K C. WAGNER, Board of School Trustees, 17th Ward.

Dated, New York, July 17th, 1873.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, (127 and 129 Mercer street,) Office Board of Commissioners, New York, July 11th, 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SEVEN condemned horses will be sold at auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Tuesday, July 29th, 1873, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Hospital Stables of this Department, No. 199 Chrystie street.

JOSEPH L. PERLEY, ROSWELL D. HATCH, CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 127 and 129 MERCER STREET, OFFICE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, NEW YORK, JULY 7, 1873.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT these headquarters until 12 o'clock noon, of Friday, July 25th, 1873, for building an Engine House in Carmansville.

Two responsible and approved sureties will be required from the successful bidder, and proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals offered.

Plans and specifications can be seen and all information obtained on application at this office.

JOSEPH L. PERLEY, ROSWELL D. HATCH, CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, (127 and 129 Mercer street,) Office Board of Commissioners, New York, July 11, 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FIVE SECOND HAND Steam Fire Engines will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, July

28th, 1873, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Repair Shops of this Department, No. 21, Elizabeth street. The purchaser or purchasers required to remove the same within five days after the purchase.

JOSEPH L. PERLEY, ROSWELL D. HATCH, CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 Union Square, New York, July 17, 1873. PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks at their office, until twelve o'clock, noon, of the thirtieth day of July, 1873, for FIVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY TONS OF GRATE COAL.

Said coal will be delivered on dock foot of 79th street, East River. Proposals to state the particular description, endorsed as above and addressed to H. G. Stebbins, President.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

H. G. STEBBINS, S. H. WALES, PH. BISSINGER, S. HALL, D. B. WILLIAMSON, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 Union Square, New York, July 14, 1873. PROPOSALS FOR BONDS OF THE TOWN OF KINGSBRIDGE.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Department of Public Parks, until Monday, the twenty-eighth day of July 1873, at 12 o'clock noon, for the whole or any part of the sum of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS OF BONDS OF THE TOWN OF KINGSBRIDGE, authorized by chapter 89, section 3 of the laws of 1873.

Said bonds are in sums of Five hundred Dollars (500) dated May 1, 1873, and payable at the office of the clerk of the town of Kingsbridge, on the first day of May 1874, and will bear interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum, payable semi-annually at the same place, upon the presentation and surrender of the coupons thereto annexed, as they severally shall become due—viz., November 1, 1873, and May 1, 1874.

The proposals will state the amount desired, and the price per one hundred dollars thereof which shall not be below par as required by law. Each proposal should be properly endorsed, and addressed to H. G. Stebbins, President.

H. G. STEBBINS, S. H. WALES, PH. BISSINGER, S. HALL, D. B. WILLIAMSON, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 Union Square, New York, July 15, 1873. PROPOSALS FOR SCREENED GRAVEL.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioners of the Departments of Public Parks, at their office until 12 o'clock noon of the twenty-ninth day of July 1873 for furnishing for four months from this date, SCREENED GRAVEL for walks and roads, to be delivered in such quantities and at such times and places as may be required.

Proposals endorsed as above to be addressed to H. G. Stebbins, President. This Department reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

H. G. STEBBINS, S. H. WALES, PH. BISSINGER, S. HALL, D. B. WILLIAMSON, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS, No. 66 Third Avenue, New York, July 17, 1873.

PROPOSALS FOR THE PURCHASE OF HOGS. PROPOSALS SEALED AND ENDORSED AS above will be received by the Commissioners of Charities and Correction at their office until 2 o'clock, P. M., of the 23d July, inst., for the purchase of about 120 HOGS in good condition on Blackwell's Island, where they can be examined.

The proposals to state the price per pound, live weight, and the party whose proposal may be accepted will be required to remove them immediately on being notified of the acceptance of their offer, and make payment in cash.

Any information required will be furnished on application at this office.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER, JAMES BOWEN, MYER STERN, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, JULY 10, 1873. PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

PROPOSALS WITH SAMPLES WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Corrections until Tuesday, 22d July, inst., at 1 o'clock, P. M., for furnishing this Department 600 bbls Flour. The flour to be equal in quality to the brand known as the "Napier."

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any bid not deemed advantageous to the interests of this Department.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER, JAMES BOWEN, MYER STERN, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, JULY 10, 1873.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WILL receive sealed proposals until the 22d day of July, 1873, at 1 o'clock P. M., for furnishing two hundred tons of Pig Lead, at the Pipe Yard, foot of Twenty-fourth st., East River, to be delivered at the rate of ten tons each week, and as much faster as the Department may require.

The lead must be soft American lead, free from arsenic, zinc, iron, bismuth, nickel, sulphur and copper, and be in all respects equal to Schomberg's best quality of soft refined lead.

The lead must be in pigs weighing not less than seventy-five pounds nor more than one hundred and fifty pounds each. The bidders must name a definite price at which they will deliver the lead at the Pipe Yard, free of cartage and of all expenses of every kind. Security in ten per cent. of the amount of the contract will be required for the faithful performance of the same.

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 interest of the city.

GEORGE M. VAN NORT, Commissioner of Public Works.