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PROCLAMATIONS.

\$250 REWARD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
New York, Oct. 7, 1873.

WHEREAS, On the 16th day of September last, Mary Williams came to her death by injuries received through being run over by a wagon, on First Avenue, between 42d and 43d streets; and whereas active but unsuccessful efforts have been made to discover the person or persons in possession of said wagon, and through whose reckless driving the act was committed. Now, I, W. F. Havemeyer, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby offer a reward of two hundred and fifty dollars for the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who were guilty of the offence; the said reward to be paid on their conviction and the certificate of the District Attorney that such conviction was had upon the testimony of the person or persons claiming the reward. But all claims not presented to the Mayor within twenty days after such convictions shall be disregarded.

W. F. HAVEMEYER,
Mayor.

\$1,000 REWARD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
New York, September 23, 1873.

WHEREAS, On the 22d day of August last, a fiendish outrage was committed on the person of Mr. Walter Gibson, proprietor of the Harlem Local, by throwing a large quantity of vitriolic acid in his face, destroying the sight of the right eye, and endangering the sight of the other; and whereas active but unsuccessful efforts have been made to discover the perpetrators of the assault.

Now, I, W. F. Havemeyer, Mayor of the city of New York, do hereby offer a reward of one thousand dollars for the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who were guilty of the offense; the said reward to be paid on their conviction and the certificate of the District Attorney that such conviction was had upon the testimony of the person or persons claiming the reward. But all claims not presented to the Mayor within twenty days after such conviction shall be disregarded.

W. F. HAVEMEYER,
Mayor.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN. SPECIAL SESSION.

No. 16 CITY HALL,
MONDAY, October 13, 1873,
11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met, pursuant to the following call:
NEW YORK, Oct. 10th, 1873.

Constantine Donoho, Clerk of the Board of Assistant Aldermen:

SIR—You are hereby respectfully requested to notify the members of the Board of Assistant Aldermen to meet in the Chamber of the Board Room 16, City Hall, on Monday the 13th inst., at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of transacting such business as may become before the Board.

Signed:

George Kelly, Patrick Keenan, John C. Keating, Chas. M. Chancy, Joseph P. Strack, J. Murphy, Benjamin Beyea, Michael Healy, John Theiss, John J. Kehoe, G. F. Codrington.

Present—WILLIAM WADE, Esq., President, in the chair, and the following members:

Thomas Foley,	Joseph P. Strack,
Jeremiah Murphy,	William S. Kreps,
Charles M. Clancy,	Patrick Keenan,
John C. Keating,	John J. Kehoe,
Henry Wisser,	George Kelly,
Michael Healy,	Stephen N. Simonson,
Thomas L. Thornell,	Henry A. Linden,
John Theiss,	Isaac Sommers,
Geo. F. Codrington,	Benjamin Beyea.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Assistant Alderman Strack moved that the reading of the minutes of the last stated meeting be dispensed with.

Which was carried.

Assistant Alderman Thornell moved that the vote taken at the last meeting by which General Order No. 119 was lost, be reconsidered and the paper be again laid over.

Which was carried.

By Assistant Alderman Strack—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the Aschenbroedel Verein to substitute an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of their Hall, No. 74 East Fourth street, at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden Sommers and Beyea—17.

G. O. 207.

By Assistant Alderman Linden—

Resolved, That the sidewalk on west side of Ninth avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

G. O. 208.

By Assistant Alderman Linden—

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Fifty-sixth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenues, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, That the Committee of Ordinances of this Board be directed to request an informal meeting of the same committee of the Board of Aldermen for the purpose of repealing the ordinances of the Common Council in relation to receiving and delivering goods.

Resolved, That a special meeting of this Board be held on Thursday, 16th inst., at 1 o'clock, p.m., for the special purpose of considering the same.

Which was adopted.

By Assistant Alderman Theiss—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the firm of Brennan & Quinn, to erect two ornamental lamps at 105 Bowery, the gas to be supplied from his own meter, under the direction of Commissioner of Public Works, and to remain during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—17.

Negative—Assistant Alderman Clancy—1.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Lamps and Gas, of the Board of Assistant Aldermen, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permit-

ting Sawyer & Cream to place an ornamental lamp on lamp post now standing in front of 243 Broadway, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having carefully examined the subject, they are in favor of granting the permission asked for, believing the work to be necessary, and no objection having been made thereto. Accordingly, your Committee recommend that said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sawyer & Cream to place an ornamental lamp on the lamp-post now standing in front of their place of business, No. 243 Broadway, at their own expense and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, such permission to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

WM. S. KREPS,
BENJAMIN BEYEA,
Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Assistant Alderman Simonson moved that the report be recommitted to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Which was lost by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Keating, Wisser, Thornell, Codrington, the President, Kehoe and Simonson—7.

Negative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Healy, Theiss, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, Kelly, Linden, Somers and Beyea—11.

And the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Keating, Healy, Theiss, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, Kelly, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—11.

Negative—Assistant Aldermen Clancy, Wisser, Thornell, Codrington, the President, Kehoe and Simonson—7.

The Committee on Lamps and Gas of the Board of Assistant Aldermen, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the East Side Association to place four lamps on North East corner of Eighty-sixth street and third avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having carefully examined the subject, they are in favor of the proposed improvement, believing the work to be necessary, and no objection having been made thereto. Accordingly, your Committee recommend that said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the East Side Association to erect four lamps in front of their Hall, situated on north-east corner of Eighty-sixth street and Third avenue, the gas to be supplied from their own private meter under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, such permission to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

WM. S. KREPS,
BENJAMIN BEYEA,
Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers, and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Kelly moved that this Board do now adjourn.

Which was lost by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Healy, Keenan, Kelly.

Negative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Keating, Wisser, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, the President, Kehoe, Simonson, Linden, Sommers, Beyea.—14.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Assistant Alderman Beyea called up

G. O. 188,

being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That Eighty-fifth street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue, be paved with granite block pavement, and that, at the several intersecting streets and avenues, crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was concurred in by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Sommers called up

G. O. 198,

being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That Sixty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to East River, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was concurred in by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Linden called up

G. O. 182,

being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be authorized to have Eighty-sixth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues, brought up to the grade of September 2, 1871, in such manner as he deems most advantageous to the public interest under the direction of the said Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Theiss, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers, Beyea—16.

Negative—Assistant Aldermen Thornell, Codrington—2.

Assistant Alderman Simonson called up.

G. O. 149,

being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That Twelfth avenue, between Thirty-fifth and Forty-second streets, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Kehoe called up.

G. O. 157,

being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That gas lamps be placed at the junction of Stuyvesant and Tenth streets, opposite the Second avenue, similar to the one in Chatham square, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Keenan called up.

G. O. 183,

being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalk on both sides of Ninth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth streets, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Kreps called up.

G. O. 107,

being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalk on both sides of Fifty-first street, between the Tenth and Eleventh avenues, and on the north side of Fifty-first street, from Eleventh avenue to North river, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codrington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Strack called up

G. O. 115.

Being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That from and after the approval of this resolution by his Honor, the Mayor, all persons shall be prohibited, under the full penalty now prescribed by law from constructing or placing any show or bay window, balcony, piazza or other like projections, on any house or building on any street, avenue or public place within the corporate limits of the City of New York, unless permission therefor be first given by the Common Council, nor shall any petition for, or resolution giving permission for the construction of any such bay or show window, balcony, piazza, or like projection, be received, entertained or passed, in either branch of the Common Council, unless the owner of such building shall request permission, by written application, signed by such owner, personally, which shall contain street, number of the house, a diagram showing the exact location and dimensions of the proposed projection, and be accompanied by the written consent of the owners of fifty feet of the property on each side, of such house, if in or near the centre of a block, and of fifty feet adjoining such house, exclusive of the lot upon which said house is built, if on a corner building fronting a street, and fifty feet adjoining, it on a corner building, and fronting on an avenue. The provisions of this resolution in no way to affect any bay or show window, balcony, piazza, or like projection, now erected, or in process of erection, by virtue of any resolution of the Common Council, or other legal authority; the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby empowered and directed to enforce the provisions of this resolution.

Assistant Alderman Strack moved to refer this matter to the Committee on Public Buildings. Which was carried.

Assistant Alderman Codington called up. G. O. 204.

Being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That permission be, and is hereby given to Mr. Walter Gurnee, to erect 2 bay windows on his premises, on the Northwest corner of 5th avenue and 50th street—

Which was concurred in by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, Mr. President, Kehoe, Simonson, Sommers, Beyea—15

Assistant Alderman Theiss called up. G. O. 153.

Being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street lamps lighted in Seventy-second street, from Second to Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Wisser called up. G. O. 120.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of A. D. Selleck, attorney, for the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars, to be in full for all obligations incurred by the Corporation in alterations to building on the corner of Waverly place and Macdougall street; that all the property of the city, coal, iron work, &c., shall be removed from the premises. The amount to be charged to the appropriation for "Rents."

Which was lost by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Keating, Wisser, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, the President, Kehoe, Simonson, Beyea—11.

Negative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Healy, Keenan, Kelly, Linden, Sommers—7.

This vote was subsequently reconsidered and the paper was again laid over.

Assistant Alderman Keating called up. G. O. 186.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That gas mains be laid, lamp posts erected, and street lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers, and Beyea—18

Assistant Alderman Kelly called up. G. O. 146.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That Ninety-first street, from the Fifth to the Third avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavements, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues, crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers, and Beyea—18

Assistant Alderman Murphy called up. G. O. 147.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That Ninety-first, street from Fifth to Third avenues, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—18.

The President called up. G. O. 56.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That a receiving basin and culvert be built on the southeast corner of Twenty-third street and Thirteenth or Exterior avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, Mr. President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—18

Assistant Alderman Healy called up. G. O. 187.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That gas mains be laid, lamp posts erected, and street lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between the Fourth and Fifth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—18.

The President called up. G. O. 14.

(For the purpose of placing the same on file.) being a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid from the south east corner to the north east corner of seventh avenue and Fourteenth street under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was ordered on file. Assistant Alderman Simonson moved that this Board do now adjourn.

Which was lost by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Healy, Thornell, Kelly and Sommers—4.

Negative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden and Beyea—14.

Assistant Alderman Murphy called up. G. O. 92.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to have the building on the corner of Elm and White streets, known as the Arsenal Building, thoroughly repaired, and the defects mentioned in the accompanying letter of R. G. Hatfield, architect, remedied at the earliest possible period.

Which was concurred in by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Clancy called up. G. O. 75.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That One hundred and seventh st., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was lost by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Theiss, Strack, Kreps, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden and Beyea—14.

Negative—Assistant Aldermen Thornell and Codington—2.

Subsequently reconsidered and again laid over.

Assistant Alderman Keating called up. G. O. 131.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That a free drinking hydrant be placed on the south-west corner of Eighth avenue and Eighty-third street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Keenan, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Sommers and Beyea—18.

Assistant Alderman Healy called up. G. O. 50.

being a resolution as follows: Whereas, The edition of the Corporation Ordinances, compiled and published in the year 1859, is exhausted, and many of the public officers are complaining of their inability to procure a copy of the same; and

Whereas, Many of the ordinances, as at present in force, are conflicting and oppressive to the taxpayers, and there is a well founded doubt as to whether the Legislature of the State has not repealed all the existing ordinances; therefore

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare and revise all the ordinances heretofore in force, and submit the same, as revised by him, to the Board of Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen, for their approval, with his opinion as to whether the same are now in force and of legal effect at the date of this resolution, and that three thousand copies of the same be printed under his direction, and the sum of five thousand dollars is hereby appropriated to the Corporation Attorney for the compilation and revision of said ordinances, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant for the same on presentation of proper vouchers,

Assistant Alderman Kelly moved to amend by inserting ten thousand dollars instead of five thousand.

Which was lost by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Clancy, Kehoe, Kelly—3.

Negative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, the President, Simonson, and Beyea—12.

Assistant Alderman Clancy moved to amend by making the amount seven thousand five hundred, which was lost.

The question being upon the adoption of the General Order, it was lost by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy,

Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Theiss, Strack, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Beyea—12.

Negative—Assistant Alderman Thornell, Codington, Kreps, the President—4.

Which was subsequently reconsidered and again laid over.

Assistant Alderman Kehoe called up. G. O. 190.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That the sidewalk on south side of Forty-ninth streets, between the Eighth and Ninth avenues, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was concurred in by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, and Beyea—16.

Assistant Alderman Simonson called up. G. O. 202.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That Fifty-fourth street from Tenth to Eleventh avenues be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues cross-walks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was concurred in by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Mr. President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, Beyea—16

Assistant Alderman Linden called up. G. O. 38.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Tenth avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden and Beyea—16.

Assistant Alderman Beyea called up. G. O. 138.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That Avenue A, from Eighty sixth street, to Ninety-second street, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues, crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden and Beyea—16.

Assistant Alderman Simonson called up. G. O. 158.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That the vacant lots on west side of the Boulevard, commencing on the north-west corner of Sixtieth street, and running north to within one hundred feet of Sixty-first street, be fenced in under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, Mr. President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden and Beyea—16

Assistant Alderman Simonson called up. G. O. 37.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Sixty-third street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Aldermen Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden and Beyea—16.

Assistant Alderman Simonson called up. G. O. 174.

being a resolution as follows: Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street lamps lighted in Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—Assistant Alderman Foley, Murphy, Clancy, Keating, Wisser, Healy, Thornell, Theiss, Codington, Strack, Kreps, the President, Kehoe, Kelly, Simonson, Linden, and Beyea—17.

Assistant Alderman Simonson moved that this Board do now adjourn.

Which was carried.

And the President declared the Board adjourned.

CONSTANTINE DONOHO, Clerk.

[STATED SESSION.] BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN

MONDAY, October 13, 1873. 2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, in their chamber, No. 16 City Hall.

No member answering at roll call, the clerk declared the Board adjourned until Monday next, the 20th inst, at 2 o'clock P. M.

CONSTANTINE DONOHO, Clerk.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, Comptroller's Office, NEW YORK, Oct. 13, 1873.

AB'N DISBECKER, ESQ., Supervisor CITY RECORD.

DEAR SIR:—Please publish enclosed Abstract (as corrected) of the proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at the meeting held on the 11th inst. I find that the proceedings as published in the RECORD of to-day contain a "Statement of the Investments of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt" (the same having been erroneously furnished after my abstract had been prepared) instead of the "Report of the Committee appointed to examine the securities held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund," as called for in said abstract.

Yours respectfully, W. H. DIKEMAN, Clerk.

Abstract of the proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the meeting held October 11, 1873.

Present—Hon. William F. Havemeyer, Mayor, (Chairman), Hon. Andrew H. Green, Comptroller, George W. Lane, Esq., Chamberlain, and Jenkins Van Schaick, Esq., Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The application of "The Butchers' Hide and Melting Association," for water grant on the East river, between 44th and 45th streets; and of "The Orphan Asylum," for water grant on the North river, between 73d and 75th streets, were received and laid over for consideration.

The Committee (George W. Lane, Chamberlain,) appointed September 5, 1873, to examine the securities held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, submitted the following report, which was accepted and ordered printed, viz.:

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund: The undersigned having been appointed at a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, held September 5, 1873, a committee to examine the securities held by said Commissioners, and having given careful attention to the duty imposed on him, now respectfully

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that the investments of the Sinking Fund in the Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York, amounting on the 30th day of August, 1873, to the sum of \$23,660,146.80, (of which amount, \$87,000 were represented by the customary receipts of the Chamberlain, pending the printing and execution of the Bonds,) were, by personal inspection found to be correct.

That at the same date there was in the Depository Banks, to the credit of "The Sinking Fund" for the redemption of the City Debt, the further sum of \$208,040.13 in cash.

And that at the same date there were Bonds and Mortgages for the further sum of \$772,776.67 to which may be added two mortgages for \$7,500 and \$390 respectively, sent some years since to the office of the Corporation Counsel, and for which the present Counsel to the Corporation has caused search to be instituted, making an aggregate amount of \$780,666.67, the net proceeds of which when collected, are paid to the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt.

In conclusion I submit the following recapitulation of the assets of the Sinking Fund on the 30th day of August, 1873.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Cash \$208,040.13; Less outstanding warrants at above date 101,900.00; Bonds and Stock, City and County 23,660,146.80; Bonds and Mortgages 780,666.67; Total \$24,546,953.60

Respectfully submitted, (Signed) GEO. W. LANE. New York, Oct. 11, 1873.

The Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, submitted the following resolution, which was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to invite Messrs. Robert Lenox Kennedy, President National Bank of Commerce; Sheperd Knapp, President Mechanics' National Bank, and Jacob D. Vermilye, President Merchants' National

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, CITY HALL, New York, October 9, 1873.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE with the title of the work, and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon...

- No. 1. Sewer in Fifth avenue between Fortieth and Forty-first street. No. 2. Sewers in Ninth avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Seventy-fifth streets, with branches. No. 3. Sewer in Tenth avenue between Lawrence and One Hundred and thirtieth streets. No. 4. Sewer in Little West Twelfth street between Tenth avenue and Hudson river. No. 5. Sewers in Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets between First and Third avenues, and in First avenue between Ninety-fifth and One Hundredth streets, with branches. No. 6. Sewers in One Hundred and eleventh and One Hundred and twelfth streets between First avenue and Avenue A. No. 7. Sewer in Broome street between Mulberry and Mott streets. No. 8. Sewer in Elm street between Grand and Broome streets. No. 9. Outlet sewer in One Hundred and sixth street, between Harlem river and Fifth avenue, with branches in First, Second, Third and Fourth avenues, and in One Hundred and third street. No. 10. Sewer in Cannon street, between Grand and Broome streets. No. 11. Underground drains between Ninety-second and One Hundred and sixth streets, and between Third avenue and Harlem river. No. 12. Underground drains between Sixty-second and Sixty-ninth streets, and between Boulevard and Hudson river. No. 13. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in Madison avenue, from the centre of Ninety-ninth to the centre of One Hundred and Fifth street—second section. No. 14. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Twenty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to the North river. No. 15. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Forty-third street, from First avenue to the East river. No. 16. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Fifty-sixth street, from the Third avenue to the East river. No. 17. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Sixtieth street, from First avenue to Avenue A. No. 18. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Sixty-first street, from the Boulevard to the Ninth avenue. No. 19. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Sixty-fourth street, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue. No. 20. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Ninety-second street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, except between Broadway and the Boulevard. No. 21. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Madison avenue, from One Hundred and twenty-fourth street to Harlem river. No. 22. Curb, gutter and flagging Seventy-eighth street, between Third and Fifth avenues. No. 23. Curb, gutter and flagging Forty-second street, from Madison to Third avenue. No. 24. Flagging sidewalks on Fortieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue. No. 25. Flagging sidewalks on Forty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. No. 26. Flagging sidewalk on Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to Hudson river. No. 27. Flagging sidewalk on Sixtieth street, between First and Second avenues. No. 28. Flagging sidewalk on Sixty-ninth street, from Third to Fourth avenue. No. 29. Paving Forty-eighth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, with Belgian pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required. No. 30. Paving Fifty-seventh street, from Second avenue to Lexington avenue with Belgian pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required. No. 31. Paving Sixty-eighth street from Fourth to Fifth avenue with Belgian pavement and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required. No. 32. Paving Second avenue from Sixty-sixth street to Eighty-sixth street with Belgian pavement and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required. 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 to the Contract Clerk at his office. 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.

THE BUILDINGS, &c., ON THE LINE OF MADISON AVENUE, as extended from 124th street to Harlem River, will be sold at public auction on the ground, on Thursday, October 23, 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M. For catalogues and further particulars, apply to GEO. M. VAN NORT, Commissioner of Public Works.

October 10, 1873.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 346 AND 348 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, Oct. 7, 1873.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FRESH BURNT ENGLISH PORTLAND CEMENT. SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS material, endorsed as above, will be received at the office of the Department of Docks until 12 o'clock, noon, of October 20th, 1873, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. The period of this contract will commence November 1st, 1873, and extend to November 1st, 1874, and the material must be delivered as called for by the requisitions of the Treasurer.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

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 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.

Bidders will state the price in their proposals for each barrel of 400 lbs., net minimum weight, by which the bids will be tested.

The quantity to be delivered is: 5000 barrels more or less, each barrel weighing not less than 400 lbs. net.

Samples of the material required must be deposited at the Department of Docks, labelled with the name of the contractor, and locality from which the material is obtained, on the delivery of the proposals, and will be subjected to a test as per specifications before an award is made.

The Department of Docks reserves the right to decline any and all proposals, if deemed to be for the public interest;

and no proposal will be accepted from, or contract awarded to 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.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application at the office of the Department.

Proposals must be endorsed as above, and addressed to 'Commissioner Budd, Treasurer of Department of Docks,' JACOB A. WESTERVELT, WILLIAM GARDNER, WILLIAM BUDD, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

STREET OPENINGS.

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

We, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Robert Sutherland, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the 3d day of November, 1873, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 3d day of November, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock M.

That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the city of New York, there to remain until the 15th day of November, 1873.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the said city of New York, and included and contained within the following described limits or bounds, that is to say: on the north by the centre line of the blocks between 140th and 141st streets; on the south by the centre line of the blocks between 140th and 139th streets; on the west by the easterly line of the avenue Saint Nicholas; and on the east by the westerly line of Exterior street at the Harlem river.

And that our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court House, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 2d day of December, 1873, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, September 27, 1873. ROBERT SUTHERLAND, GRATZ NATHAN, MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Commissioners.

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

We, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to William Hitchman, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 51 Chambers street, (Room No. 3), in the said city, on or before the 25th day of October, 1873, and that we, the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 25th day of October, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock M.

Second.—That the abstract of said 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 6th day of November, 1873.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, that is to say: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the city of New York, and contained, lying and being within the following bounds or limits: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line or side of Third avenue and the northerly line or side of Fifty-ninth street; running thence northerly along the said westerly line or side of Third avenue to the southerly line or side of Exterior street; thence northerly and westerly along the southerly side of Exterior street to the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence westerly along the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street to the easterly line or side of Fourth avenue; thence southerly along the said easterly line or side of Fourth avenue to the northerly line or side of Fifty-ninth street; and thence easterly along the northerly line or side of Fifty-ninth 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, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of November, 1873, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, September 22, 1873. WILLIAM HITCHMAN, SHEPARD F. KNAPP, DANIEL WHALEN, Commissioners.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER OF THE application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Seventieth street, from Fifth avenue to Fourth avenue, and from Third 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 or 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 Cyrus H. Loutrel, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the 11th day of October, 1873, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 11th day of October, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock M.

Second.—That the abstract of 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 23d day of October, 1873.

THIRD.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, that is to say:

All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the city of New York, and which taken together are bounded and contained as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the easterly line or side of Fifth avenue, equi-distant from Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, and running thence easterly and parallel with Seventieth street to the westerly line or side of Avenue B; thence southerly along the westerly line or side of Avenue B to a point equi-distant from Seventieth and Sixty-ninth streets; thence westerly and parallel with Seventieth street to the easterly line or side of Fifth avenue; and thence northerly along the easterly line or side of Fifth 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 at the City Hall in the City of New York, on the 7th day of November, 1873, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, Sept. 6th, 1873. CYRUS H. LOUREL, GRATZ NATHAN, HENRY McDONNELL, Commissioners.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

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

- 1. For paving 53d street, between 8th and 10th avenues, with Belgian pavement. 2. For paving 53d street, from 4th to 6th avenue, except where now paved from 5th to 6th avenues with Belgian pavement. 3. For regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging New avenue, east and west, between 120th and 124th streets. 4. For building sewer in 88th street, between 2d and 3d avenues, and in 91st street between 2d and 4th avenues with branches. 5. For building sewer in 11th avenue, between 52d and 54th streets.

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

- 1. Both sides of 53d street, from 8th to 10th avenues, to the extent of half the block on the intersecting streets. 2. Both sides of 53d street, from 4th to 5th avenues, to the extent of half the block on the intersecting streets. 3. Both sides of New avenue, east and west, between 120th and 124th streets, to the extent of half the block on the intersecting streets. 4. Both sides of 88th street, between 2d and 3d avenues, both sides of 91st street, between 2d and 4th avenues, east side of 3d avenue, between 90th and 91st street, west side of 3d avenue, between 90th and 91st street, and east side of 4th avenue, between 91st and 92d street. 5. Both sides of 53d street, between 10th and 11th avenues, to the extent of half the block, at the intersection of west side 10th avenue; on both sides of 11th avenue, between 52d and 53d streets, and half the block between 53d and 54th streets.

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 Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19, Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MCHARG, MUNSON H. TREADWELL, VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF, Board of Assessors.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS, New York, October 8th, 1873.

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

- 1.—For flagging sidewalk, northerly side of 13th street, from No. 415 to Avenue A, full width. 2.—For paving 60th street, from 1st avenue to 3d avenue. 3.—For flagging sidewalk of southeast corner of Broadway and 3d street, about 100 feet on Broadway, and 100 feet on 3d street. 4.—For paving 37th street, from 7th avenue to North River, with Belgian pavement. 5.—For regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stone, and flagging 60th street, between 10th avenue and Hudson river.

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

- 1.—North side of 13th street, between Avenue A and 1st avenue, to the extent of 400 feet toward 1st avenue. 2.—Both sides of 60th street, from 1st to 3d avenues, to the extent of half the block on the intersecting streets. 3.—The property known as Ward Nos. 533, 536, 537, 538, 539. 4.—Both sides of 37th street, from 7th avenue to the North river, except half the block between 11th avenue and North river, to the extent of half the block on the intersecting streets. 5.—Both sides of 60th street, from the 10th avenue to Hudson river, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

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 Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19, Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MCHARG, MUNSON H. TREADWELL, VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF, Board of Assessors.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS, New York, Sept. 30, 1873.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the Twelfth ward, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, the 15th day of October, 1873, and until 9 1/2 o'clock A. M. on said day, for fitting up and furnishing for school purposes the premises on the north west corner of 105th street and Third avenue.

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

Two approved responsible sureties will be required from the successful bidder; proposals will not be received unless sureties are named.

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

DAVID H. KNAPP, JOSEPH P. FALLON, LAWSON N. FULLER, ANDREW SMITH, GRANVILLE P. HAWS, Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward. New York, Sept. 30th, 1873.

THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE OBTAINED at No. 2, City Hall, (N. W. corner basement.) Price five cents each.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU OF COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROOM NO. 14, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, September 9, 1873.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

DATE OF CONFIRMATION. Aug. 25, 1873.

- Eighty-third street—regulating, setting and resetting curb and gutter, and flagging and reflagging sidewalks between Fourth and Fifth avenues. One Hundred and Thirty-third street—regulating, grading, curb gutter and flagging between Fourth and Eighth avenues. One Hundred and Ninth street—sewer between Fourth avenue and Harlem river. Eleventh street—sewer between Dry Dock street and East river. Sixty-fifth street—sewer between First and Third avenues. Fifty-fifth street—sewer between Avenue A and First avenue. One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street—sewer between Boulevard and Hudson river. Fifty-fifth street—sewer between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Sixty-sixth street—sewer between Avenue A and First avenue, and between Second and Third avenues. Second avenue—sewer between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets; in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between First and Third avenues and in One Hundred and twenty-seventh street between Second and Third avenues. Third avenue—sewer between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. Worth street—sewer between Baxter street and Chatham Square. Underground drains between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets, and First and Second avenues. Fencing vacant lots south side Ninetieth street, between Third and Lexington avenues. Fencing vacant lots west side Eighth avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets. Eighth avenue (west side)—flagging sidewalk 25 feet south Fifty-sixth street, southerly, 75 feet. Thirty-eighth street—regulating and grading from First avenue to East river. Second avenue—trapblock pavement between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets. Eighth avenue (west side)—flagging south-west, between Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth street.

All payments made at this office within sixty days from this date, are, by law, exempted from the charge for interest at seven per cent., which runs from the date of confirmation. The collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ANDREW W. LEGGAT, Acting Collector.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU OF THE RECEIVER OF TAXES, September 30, 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE books for taxes on BANK STOCK will be opened for payment at this office on Thursday next, October 2. The books for REAL ESTATE will be opened for payment on Monday next, October 6.

Payment can be made between the hours of 8 A. M. and 2 P. M. A deduction at the rate of seven per cent per annum, calculated from the date of payment to the 1st day of December, will be made on all taxes paid previous to the first of November.

MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes.

BUREAU OF THE RECEIVER OF TAXES.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU OF THE RECEIVER OF TAXES, September 24, 1873.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.—THE BOOKS FOR Taxes on Personal Property will be opened for payment at this office on Saturday next, September 27, 1873. Due notice will be given when the books for Real Estate and Bank Stock are ready.

MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND Stocks of the City and County of New York, due November 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 September 27th to November 1st, 1873.

ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Sept. 23, 1873.

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 (28 volumes), Notices of Suits in Equity (8), Insolvents (&c.) (1), Total (\$100.00), Judgments (25), Sets unbound (15).

Incomplete sets may be completed on application at this office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, Office No. 2 Fourth av., opposite Sixth st.

ARCHITECTS, BUILDERS AND OTHERS, HAVING plans and specifications for the erection, alteration or repair of buildings to file with this Department, are hereby notified, that in all cases where iron girders or hntels are provided to support brick walls and figured elevations of the walls to be supported.

W. W. ADAMS, Superintendent. New York, August 27th, 1873.