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NEW YORK, THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 1874.

NUMBER 244.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.		CLAIMS FILED.						
		NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.		DESCRIPTION	ON OF C	LAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the wesk ending March 28, 1374.			-			-		
DEPOSITS IN THE TREASURY.	\$17,882 53	Cornelius Farley	\$1,954 00	Balance du	e on contrac	for ci	urb and guttering	Allicon & Shaw
On account of the Sinking Fund	98,158 99	John D. Taylor	212 34	For materia	Is furnished s	chools in	1 1870	Amos G. Hall.
" " City "	425,999 99	Boyce & Collins	18 00			"	***********	
	\$542,041 51	Charles Reynolds	35 00 20 35				1871	
THE PARTY OF THE P	234-7-1- 3-	James Fay	79 33	. "		**	1870	
STOCKS AND BONDS ISSUED.		S. F. Boyce & Co	41 00 217 60		"	"	1871	
7 per cent. Bonds	\$293,000 00	Robert Paton	187 00		**	"		**
7 per cent. Stocks		Charles Spiegal	25 75		"	"		
	\$559,230 30	P. Kerns	158 90		"			
WARRANTS REGISTERED AND READY FOR PAYMENT.		Moore & Furlong	80 95		**	**		"
Additional alterations of the Aqueduct	29 00	Henry Weinberg	80 15	"	"	".	1871	
A door page and maintenance	1,076 63	Butcher & Butler	283 15		"	**	1870 to 1872 1870 to 1871	
Agreerages of 1871.  Assessment Fund.			308 23		**	**	1870	"
A A Improvement Fund	4,019 90					**	1870 to 1872	
The state of American maintenance of	1,174 12		10 50			**	1870	
Boulevards, Roads and Avendes, maintenance of City Parks Improvement Fund. Cleaning Markets	2,040 25		1.225 2	Assignce o	f Christophe	Keye	s-amount due on	
			,,,	contract	for paving 110	th stre	et, from 3d ave. to	
				Ave. A	Chalatanhan	V aven	names sath streat	Johnson & Ward.
Contingencies—Comptrollers Office  Law Department  Coroners' Fees.	193 40	Automino Jr. married		from oth	to toth aves			
C W F	15 75			Acciones of	I F Keves	naving	Hudson st	4.
		Henry Weinberg	208 0	for glazing	school house	s in 13th	ward	
Croton Water Main Fund.  Dock Fund.  Fire Department Fund.		J. Thomas	171 0	and 1820	notices for a	treet L	Department in 1860	
		M. Manning	210 0	For service	s. September	to Dece	mber 31, 1869	
		Theodore F. Cole	10,000 0	For damage	es to Cole's M	ills, Put	nam Co	Field & Minor.
			131 0	For balance	lanuary, 1874.	public	markets, January	H. Parsons.
Indigment Fund.  Lamps and Gas.  Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.	666 48		315 0	of For service	s as cleaner a	City	fall, Sept. 1, to Dec	
Maintainenes and Covernment of Poods and Avenues			1	31, 1869				W H & D
	1,589 53		1,208 8	o For repairs	to Register's	omce		Van Cott.
Museum of Art Fund. New County Court House.								1
			d of the ad	lequacy and	sufficiency of	the su	reties upon the fol	llowing proposals
Observatory, Museum and Gallery of Art. 110th street Improvement Fund	40 22	went to be performed by cont	ract for the	Departmen	t of Docks, VI			
			ating derri	ck. Principal	G. H. Ferri	foot of	Court street, Brook	dyn, N. Y. Suret
	6,136 23	Benjamin P. Sherman, No. 120	Wall stre	et; Edwin F	erris, No. 105	vv asini	agton street.	
Printing, Stationery and Build Books, Public Buildings, Construction and Repairs. Public Charities and Co-rection.			g. Princip	oal, Word, St	anton & Co.,	Newbu	rgh, N. Y. Suretie	s, J. Bigler, No.
		Fulton street ; James H. Hol	dane, No.	wasning to	f street.	- N-	ush siver Delegies	Mark & St. In
Desired and assessed of minus stop cooks &co.	1,241 25		ones to bui	Motley N	o 116 E 18	th street	et : William P. Buc	kmasher, No. 252
Repairing and renewal of pipes, stop coess, ecc.  Road or Public Drive, B atlevard Fund  Salaries City Courts		55th street.	s, James M	. Moricy, 1	0. 1.9 1. 19		A Company of Man	
7 Th	125 00	John Market	d the openi	ing of propos	ais at the fol	lowing 1	Departments:	
			arities and	Correction-	For furnishin	z conde	nsed milk for the us	e of said Departme
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	3,482 45	for one year.	arres and	COTTOCTION-				
Unclaimed Warrants	120 00		or furnishin	ng 5,000 whit	te or yellow p	ine or s	pruce piles.	
	\$357,353 30							

\$357.353 30

#### MARKET PERMITS.

MARKET.	NO. OF STAND.	FROM WHOM TRANSFERRED.	TO WHOM TRANSFERRED.
Jefferson	52 239 249 58	Catharine L Bowditch	Henry Pearsall. James E. Smith.

	1									
ORDERS OF COURT, ETC.										
COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	DESCRIPTION OF CLAIM.	ATIORNEY.						
Supreme	James Cayer	\$10,000 00	Value of buildings Nos. 34 to 36 on map of Church street extension, in land taken for such opening	Man & Parsons.						
	Anthony Hartman		Order directing warrant to be d awn for his salary as Justice, 4th District, from Sept. 1, 1871, to April 30, 1873	J. A. Dinkel.						
Supreme	Anna Van Wagenen	2,000 00	Damages for falling from bridge, 5th Ave. and 50th street, May 27, 1873	G. C. Blanke.						
Com Pleas	Frank E. Towle	12,116 31	Services as City Surveyor from 1870 to	Samuel Riker.						
	Wm. H. Michaels		Assignee of Dennis McCarthy—amount due on contract reg., &c., 122d street Mt. Morris Square and oth avenue	J. L. Lawrence.						
Superior	Wm. H. Fine and others		Application for injunction against collec- tion of assessment for opening 11th avenue, from 107th to 147th street, and to cancel sale of lot No. 1057 in such opening.	J. A. Deering.						
Supreme	William A. Hammond	400 00	Mandamus for payment of—for examining Jack Reynolds as to mental condition, in 1870.	C. B. Ripley.						
Com Pleas	Frederick Mathesind and		Mandamus for payment of—for work done on 9th Regiment Armory	C. M. Hall.						
Supreme .	George Frey Benjamin Wood		Mandamus for payment of advertising in N. Y. News in 1873	J. H. Strahan.						
Com Plea	William C. Peckham		Mandamus for payment of stenographers	E. Sandford.						
Com Plea	Daniel Garrison	5,753 43	Mandamus for—in payment of rent of Armory at 47th street and Broadway	Allison & Shaw.						
Com Plea	Thomas Fealey	. 687 cc	For reg., &c., 123d street, from 3d avenue	I. S. Lawrence.						
Com Plea	Charles Kinkel	. 2,638 40	Mandamus for payment of—for altera- tions to Centre Market in 1872							
Com Plea	S. C. E. Detmold	5,060 8	for the extension of Church street, \$72,100.11, from June 13, 1868, to June							
Supreme.	. Elizabeth F. Floyd	1	Value of materials No. 24 Courtland street and 56 Trinity place, taken for Church street extension.	Roe & Macklin.						
Supreme.	Patrick Maher	. 121 6	Balance for wages as Sweeper in Public Markets January 1873 to January, 1874							
Supreme	. Tuttle & Bailey Man'fg Co	471 7	4 Mandamus for payment of goods furnished	1						

# ORDERS TO VACATE ASSESSMENTS.

COURT.	PETTIONER.	WORK.	ATIORNEY.		
Supreme	Edward Burke		Elm st., from Broome to Spring st	J.hn Murphy. K. Simon.	

#### CONTRACTS FILED.

DEPARTMENT.	CONTRACTOR.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
Department of Public Works	The Harlem Gastight Co	For furnishing and lighting, etc., all the public lamps with gas, from 70th st. to Spuyten Duyvel creek, and from Harlem and East river to Hud- son river, for one year from January 1, 1874, \$166,670.
Department of Public Works	The Manhattan Gaslight Co	For furnishing and lighting, etc., all the public lamps with gas, from Grand, Sullivan and Canal streets, to 34th street, and from the East to the Hudson river, for one year from January 1, 1874 8222,279
Department of Public Works.	The New York Gaslight Co	For furnishing and lighting, etc., all the oublic lamps with gas, from the Battery to Grand Sullivan and Canal streets, for one year from January 1, 1874, \$100,830.
Department of Docks Board of Education	Starbuck Bros	For building two steam dredges, for \$21,157 each For additions, alterations and repairs to heating apparatus in Grammar Schools Nos. 17 and 58 53,125.

#### APPOINTMENTS.

Norman A. Beach as clerk in the Bureau of Arrears. | George M. Johnson as Clerk in the Bureau of Arrears. 82 official communications and letters were transmitted. AND. H. GREEN,

Comptroller.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

STATEMENT AND RETURN of moneys received by H. M. RUGGLES, Corporation Attorney, for the month of March, 1874, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Sec. 26, Art. 1, Chap. 5, of the Revised Ordinances of 1866; and of Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335, of the Laws of 1873.

DATE.		WHAT	FOR.		JUDGMENTS.	PENALTIES.	COSTS.	AMOUNT.
	APP Accion	Communican	Ordina	vea		\$25 50	\$52 50	\$78 00
Mar. 2,	Violation	Corporation	oruma.			5 50	30 00	35 50
" 3,			14			13 00	22 50	35 50
4,		**		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	87 50	6 00	17 50	31 00
" 5,	"	ü	***		61 2	23 50	37 00	60 50
" 6,						2 50	9 50	12 00
" 7		"	**			47 50	64 50	112 00
" 9,	1		***		1	10 00	17 5C	27 50
" 10,	1		**			20 00	37 25	57 25
" 11,		**	**			18 00	27 50	45 50
" 12,		**				34 50	24 50	59 00
" 13,	1	**	**			10 50	25 00	35 50
" 14,			**			36 00	34 50	70 50
" 16,			**			18 50	32 50	51 00
" 17,	1	**	**		2 50	5 00	10 00	17 50
" 18,		**	**		- 3-	12 50	22 50	35 00
" 19,		**	***			5 50	7 50	13 00
" 20,		**	**		15 00	22 50	39 50	77 0
" 21,			44		5 00	8 50	22 10	36 ox
" 23,			**		500	2 50	10 50	12 5
" 24,			**			3 00	2 50	5 5
" 25,	• 1			***********	5.00	6 00	17 50	28 5
" 26,	. "		**		7 50	7 50	7 50	22 5
" 27,			**		10 00	1 1	2 50	12 5
" 28,			**		7 50	28 50	45 00	81 o
" 30,					1 -6	8 50	17 50	188 5
" 31,			1.00	***********	102 30			-
					\$222 50	\$381 00	\$636 75	\$1,240 2
Less	amount c	harges per vo	ouchers :	attached				561 5



#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, New York, April 7, 1874. The Board of Health met this day.

Orders. 411 orders for the abatement of nuisances.

Suits for Penalties. The attorney was directed to commence suits for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in 70 cases.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: Weekly report on operations of the Sanitary Weekly report on contagious diseases.

Weekly report on contagious diseases.
Weekly report on slaughter houses.
Monthly report on modification of orders.
Monthly report on small-pox.
Monthly report on work performed by Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors.
Quarterly report on operations of the Sanitary

On goats running at large at Harlem.
On cancellation of orders.
On applications for permits.
On street pavements, &c.
On dangerous condition of premises No. 215
E. Houston street.
On condition of certain streets.

On want of drainage in 23d ward. On condition of receiving basin at corner of

169th street and 3d avenue.
From the Register of Records:
Weekly mortuary report.
Weekly letter on mortality.
From the Attorney:
Monthly report.

Monthly report.

On sanitary condition of "Sailors' Home, 190 Cherry street.

Communications from City Departments. From the Police Department: Weekly report of the Sanitary Company of

On violation of section 95 of the Sanitary

Code. From the Department of Public Works: Transmitting maps of sewerage districts.

Bills Audited. Permits Granted.

To render fresh lard at 230 W. 27th street.
To keep 5 cows at south side 163d street, 4
houses west of Washington avenue.
To keep 25 chickens at 243 Stanton street.
To keep ten chickens at 363 W. Houston

street.

Permits Denied.

To keep 3 cows at 534 W. 29th street. To keep 15 chickens at 525 W. 27th street. To keep 12 chickens at 279 3d street. Communications Received.

From General E. S. Viele:

In respect to maps, &c.
Petition of citizens for appointment of Dr.
Bronson as Assistant Sanitary Inspector.
Petition of citizens in respect to ventilation of

schools in the 12th ward.

Resignation of Elisha Alvord to date from

Application of Dr. J. W. Robie for appoint-

Application of John E. Gutekuntz for relief from order on No. 991 1st st.

Reports Referred to other Departments for the Necessary Action.

To the Department of Public Works:
On condition of street pavements, sunken lot,

&c., as follows:
Gutter at 10th avenue, between 14th and 16th

Street pavement at Williams Bridge, between Frankfort and New Chambers streets. Street pavement at Rose street.

Street pavement in front of No. 316 E. 39th

Sunken lot, adjoining gas works, east side Broadway, 1000 feet south of Inwood street.

Plot of ground south side 181st street, 100 feet south of Broadway.

To the Department of Buildings: On dangerous condition of 215 E. Houston

To the Department of Public Parks:

On want of drainage in the 23d ward. On condition of receiving basin at corner 169th street and 3d avenue.

To the Department of Police: Report of goats running at large in Harlem. Report on condition of certain streets. Resolutions.

That all orders of this Board on premises Nos. 329, 343, W. 53d street (Empire Laundry) be suspended for 30 days.

#### VITAL STATISTICS. BUREAU OF

#### CONDENSED STATEMENT OF MORTALITY.

REPORTED MORTALITY (week ending April 4, 1874,) AND THE ACTUAL MORTALITY (each day in the week, ending at noon, March 28, 1874,) WITH AN ENUMERATION OF THE CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH.

Actual number of Deaths each day

Ann Dear Dear

E. HARRIS, M. D., Registrar.

	mual Death-rate per 1,000 during week (Population estimated at 1,040,000.)	1873sponding week	ponding week for the past by years.	tal actual Mortality during) he Week ending March 28.	March 28	March 27	March 26	March 25	March 24	March 23	March 22	CAUSES OF DEATH.	aths Reported during the leek ending April 4.
1	25.75	582	544.6	515	64	55	80	79	76	72	89	Total Deaths from all Causes.	510
s	5,75	105	128.2	115	9	15	17	22	15	17	20	Total Zymotic Diseases.	123
d	5.70	130	129,2	114	20	4	16	17	16	21	20	Total Constitutional Dis-	120
1	11,30	232	229.4	226	27	23	38	32	40	29	37	Total Local Diseases.	210
y	1.85	51	39.8	37	5	5	9	4	3	4	7	Total Developmental Dis- eases.	34
	1.15	14	18.0	23	3	8	-	4	2	1	5	Deaths by Violence.	23
	.30	_	14.0	6	-	-	3	1	-	2	-	Small Pox.	4
-	.55	3	6.2	11	2	2	2	1	-	1	3	Measles.	9
y	1.15	16	18.4	23	2	4	1	2	6	1	7	Scarlatina.	23
	.70	10	7.8	14	-	2	4	5	1	1	1	Diphtheria.	30
	.50	14	12,6	10	1	1	-	4	2	2	-	Memb. Croup.	9
5	.35	11	8.4	7	-	2	1	1	1	1	1	Whooping Cough.	5
	-	1	1.6	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Typhus Fever.	1
of	.40	7	6.8	8	-	2	-	-	1	2	3	Typhoid Fever.	2
	.65	19	17.4	13	2	-	1	5	2	2	1	All ages. Diarr-	8
	.30	14	14.6	6	1	-	1	3	-	1	-	Under 5 years. Diseases.	5
	.15	4	5,0	3	1	-	-	1	-	1	_	Alcoholism.	4
,,	.40	5	5.8	8	-	-	1	2	1	2	2	Cancer.	4
	3,50	102	89.8	70	14	1	11	10	10	11	13	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	90
of	.50	4	11.4	10	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	Marasmus—Tabes Mes- enterica and Scrofula.	6
y	1.00	14	16.8	20	4	1	2	4	1	4	4	Hydrocephalus and Tu- bercular Meningitis.	16
2	.60	19	20.8	12	1	1	3	3	1	2	1	Convulsions.	9
	.45	15	19.2	9	2	-	-	1	3	-	3	Encephalitis and Menin- gitis.	13
1	2.50	62	63.4	50	6	4	8	6	13	4	9	All Diseases of Nervous System.	43
2	.90	20	20.0	18	3	3	3	3	-	4	2	Heart Diseases.	17
6	3.40	61	57.6	68	10	9	12	9	10	8	10	Pneumonia.	60
	1,60	23	18.2	32	3	-	5	7	5	3	9	Bronchitis.	20
4	1,20	20	19.0	24	2	1	5	2	4	6	4	Bright's Disease and Ne- phritis.	18
n	.15	3	2.2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	Deaths by Suicide.	2
**	-	1	3.0	0	_	-	-		-			Deaths by Drowning	0
	.25	15	9.6	5	-	-	2	-	-	1	2	Puerperal Diseases.	10
	4.65	107	108.2	93	15	9	14	18	11	14	12	Deaths in Institutions.	102
	1.80	35	27.4	36	2	4	7	8	5	6	4	All Deaths of Persons 70 years old or more.	27
	6.35	126	139.2	127	22	13	23	23	15	10	21	Under 1 year.	115
r.	8,80	162	184.4	176	26	21	29	28	22	20	30	Under 1 year. Under 2 years. Under 5 years.	159
of	11.65	207	236,2	233	34	28	35	40	32	24	40	Under 5 years.	221

That the complaints of citizens in respect to the dumping board at the foot of Market street, be referred to the Sanitary Superintendent for in-

restigation and report.

That the vote to dispense with an inspector at the offal dock be reconsidered, and that C. Y. Hammond be re-appointed to that position, with same salary as heretofore.

That the Secretary he directed to purchase

That the Secretary be directed to purchase eight of Viele's topographical maps of New York City, for the use of this Department, at an expense not to exceed \$40.

That the subject of the purchase of disinfectants for the ensuing year be referred to the President for consideration and report

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That the reports of the Police Department of violations of sections 95 of the Sanitary Code be referred to the Attorney, with power to take such action as he may deem advisable for the enforcement of said ordinance.

That a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Inspector Comfort, on want of drainage in cer-tain parts of the 23d ward, be forwarded to the Department of Public Parks, and that said De-partment be respectfully requested to inform this Board whether it has the same powers in respect to drainage in the 23d and 24th wards, by other means than sewers, as are conferred on the Department of Public Works by chapter 566, Laws of 1871; and whether the Department of Parks can and will perform the work necessary in the said wards whenever this Beard shall duly certifie to the processity of the same, and shall direct tify to the necessity of the same, and shall direct the same to be done under the provisions of the act above referred to.

That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Lockwood, on the sanitary condition of No. 190

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending April 4, 1874:

The total number of inspections made by the inspectors was 2485, as follows, viz.:
Public buildings.

Tenement houses.

To89
Private dwellings.

Other dwellings.

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Dumping grounds.
Manure dumps.
Gut-cleaning establishments.
Fat-rendering establishments.
Public sewers and drains. Sunken and vacant lots..... Yards, courts and areas..... 

Other nuisances. 24
Together with 20 visits of the inspectors to cases of contagious diseases.

The number of reports thereon received from

received from citizens, and referred to the inspectors for investigation and report.

The disinfecting corps have visited 20 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 50 houses, 50 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, &c.

13 cases of small-pox were removed to the hospital by the ambulance corps.

48 permits were granted to consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the health officer of the Port.

115 permits have been granted to scavengers to

the health officer of the Port.

115 permits have been granted to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy vaults.

The following number of cases of contagious diseases were reported for the week ending Apr.ll 4, 1874: typhoid fever, 2; scarlet fever, 101; measles, 55; diphtheria, 50; smallpox, 19, and cerebro spinal meningitis, 5.

373 loads of night soil were removed by the night scavengers from the privy vaults of the city.

The amount of meat and fish condemned by the officers as unit for human food during the week ending April 4, 1874, as follows:

ı	Sheep, carcasses	2
	Veal (bob), carcasses	186
1	Veal (cut), pounds	260
į	Poultry, pounds	109
	Fish, pounds	,000

#### Bureau of Vital Statistics.

During the week ending April 4, 1874, there were issued from this Bureau 510 burial permits for city deaths, 17 for bodies in transitu, and 41 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 510 deaths, 144 marriages, 471 births, 41 still-births, 17 applications for transit permits, and 49 returns from Coroners. There were 21 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths, and 2 transcripts of birth record, 5 of marriage and 21 of death were issued from this Bureau. Three cases of death were referred to Coroners.

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By order of the Board. EMMONS CLARK,

Secretary

THE LIABILITY OF CAR DRIVERS TO CERTAIN FORMS OF DISEASE.

NEW YORK, March 17th, 1874. To Dr. W. De F. Day, Sanitary Superinten-

Sir:—My attention was called over a year ago to an evil which I do not think has hitherto engaged the attention of the Board—I allude to the condition and working hours of the car drivers on the various city horse railways. I was first made aware of the suffering of these men by the statement of one of their number, who informed me that a great many of them were effected with various diseases of circulation of the lower extremities, that these evils are due to their occupations I have no doubt, and feeling certain that some power higher than the President of the Railroad Company should take the matter into its own hands and protect these overworked men, that the physical condition of many hundreds of poor fellows would be improved.

It is very hard to believe that fifteen or seventeen hours is the working time of some of them—but it is true. Scarcely an hour is given in this whole time for meals and recreation, and when food is taken, according to the statement of a veteran, "We bolts it down and takes it in our hands and eats it on the cars."

It is rare for men to work for less than twelve hours, and the time is usually much longer. I have interviewed many drivers during the last year, and more than half of them have some story to tell of their own or others suffering. A new hand who is taken on the road, and who begins this hard work, keeping the same hours dent: SIR:-My attention was called over a

new hand who is taken on the road, and who begins this hard work, keeping the same hours on the track as the rest, will find that his legs begin to swell, the skin grows tense and shiney, and it is impossible to wear the same boots or shoes he did before he became an employe of the company.

He may have extreme pain in his legs and feet

He sometimes has neuralgic pains, which may continue till his "day off," he then seeks his bed, tired out, and is benefitted to some degree by the recumbent position. This perpetual gravitation of the fluids of the body will eventually produce a change in the veins, their walls become badly nourished, the raso-motor nerves are paralysed,

and there is a general atony—a varicose condition occurs which extends to a remarkable degree.

There are many cases where the veins burst, sometimes when the men are on duty the condi-

of course there are exceptional cases when the subject goes about his work for many years and perhaps is benefitted but the converse is the rule.

perhaps is benefitted but the converse is the rule. The drivers are constantly on their feet from the beginning of their long days work till the end, they stand on their heels and not on the ball of the foot, so that the line of gravity falls behind the heels. The perpetual jolting of the cars then is transmitted directly through the bones of the leg and thigh to the vertebrae, and acts upor the spinal cord, a constant jarring of this organ therefore occurs, and in many of the drivers a congestion of the cord or meninges followed by a heavy pain and sense of weight in the legs symptomatises various nervous diseases. When we consider the exposure and unusual labor of these people, and make comparison with other laborers, I do not think we can help, but arrive at a conclusion that the car drivers are forced to at a conclusion that the car drivers are forced to perform an unreasonable amount of labor. The protracted marches of the soldier, when at least the inspectors was 735.

During the past week 53 complaints have been exercise is a redeeming feature and the close

application of the artisan who has the benefit on noon day rest, proper meals, and regular and short hours are nothing to be compared to the unnatural drudgery of the car driver, where morbid pathological changes are fairly invited. Degeneration of tissue, through mechanical changes, disturbance of digestion, secretion and excretion, are the evils that come to the car driver. to the car driver.

It may be impossible to aim at the root of the the may be impossible to aim at the root of the system, for it is useless to attempt to work a change, sanitary or otherwise, that will touch the pockets of the railway director; but if such could be the case it would be well to regulate the working hours of the over-taxed car driver, and provide for him a comfortable seat, such as are now placed on the cars of the Fourth avenue road at its upper end.

If this could be accomplished I am certain the

physical comfort and health of the driver would

greatly advanced.
Respectfully submitted.
ALLAN McLANE HAMILTON, M. D. Assistant Sanitary Inspector.

HEALT: I DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF New YORK, Bureau of Vital Statistics, April 7, 1874.

To the Secretary of the Board of Health :

SIR-In the week ending on Saturday, the 4th inst., there were 510 deaths reported in this city. inst., there were 510 deaths reported in this city. In the previous week 515 was the actual number of deaths, or 29 less than the average number in the corresponding period for the past five years. Last week there was a decrease in the mortality by diseases of the respiratory organs both acute and chronic. Two deaths were charged to typhoid and I to typhus fever, 4 to small-pox and 30 to diphtheria. The public institutions reported 102 deaths. There has been some increase of mortality in the 23d or Morrisania ward. 21 deaths were reported in the 23d and 24th wards during the past two weeks. Four perished in the Morrisania tenement fire on 3d avenue, 141st the morning of March 27th. The wards in the older section of the city which suffered the heaviest death-rate the past months are the First, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth and Sixteenth.

Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth and Sixteenth.

The death-rate the past two weeks for the entre city was equal to 25.75 per 1,000 inhabitants yearly; but in the wards just mentioned it exceeded 35 per 1,000 exclusive of patients sent to die in hospitals in other wards.

The latest reports of death-rates in foreign cities read as follows: In 21 large cities of Great Britain during the first two weeks in March, the mortality was at the rate of 26 per 1,000 yearly; in London 24 and 23 per 1,000 in the successive weeks; in Edinburgh 28 and 21 successively, 28 and 30 per 1,000 in Glasgow and in Dublin; 28 per 1,000 in Liverpool; and in Paris, the second week in March, 24 per 1,000; in Brussels 28; in Berlin, the previous week, 32 per 1,000; in Vienaz 31; and in Amsterdam 37 per 1,000.

The mean temperature during the past two weeks at the Central Park Observatory was 36.9 degrees Fahr, and the range of extremes was 57.

degrees Fahr, and the range of extremes was 30.9 degrees. The mean temperature in the first two weeks of March at the Greenwich Observatory, England, was 38.6 degrees. The mean of the recorded temperature reported by Director Draper at the Central Park for the same weeks was 33.9 degrees.
Respectfully submitted,
ELISHA HARRIS, M.D.,
Registrar of Vital Statistics.

#### BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESS-MENTS.

At a meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, held at the Comptroller's office March 19, 1874, the following assessment lists were confirmed, viz.:

Fifty-sixth street, paving, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.
One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, regulat-

ing and grading, from Seventh avenue to Boule-

Eighty-second street, regulate, grade, curb, gutter and flag, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

Gansevoort street, regulate, grade, set curb, gutter and flag, from West street to North river.

Sixth avenue, sewers, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-

Fifty-ninth street, flagging, between First and econd avenues. Fifty-third street, north side, fencing, between

Fifty seventh street, north side, fencing, be-tween Ninth avenue and 250 feet east. Sixty-first street, north side, fencing, between Second and Third avenues.

Sixty-first street, curb, gutter and flag and re-flag, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. Fifty-first street, sewer, between Sixth and

Sixty-fifth street and Lexington avenue, basin, north-west corner of.
Tompkins and Rivington streets, basin, south-

Tompkins and Stanton streets, basin, south-

Peck Slip and Water street, basin, north-east

Fifty-first street, flag, from First to Third Front street, north-side, flag, from Mont-

gomery to Governeur streets.

Fifty-seventh street, flag, from Ninth to Tenth

Fifty-fourth street, north-side, flag, between

Fifty-second street, north-side, flag, from Fifth

avenue about 175 feet west.
Fifty-fourth street, south-side, flagging, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Fourteenth street, east, flag, north-side, beveen Nos. 331 and 347. Fifty-seventh street, north-side, flag, between

Ninth avenue and 250 feet east.

Corlears street, west-side, flag, from No. 1 to

Monroe street. Monroe street, north side, flag, from No. 311

to Corlears street.

One hundred and fifth street, reg., grading, set, curb, gutter and flagging, from Third avenue to Harlem River.

Forty-eighth street, paving, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

The assessment list for underground drains, between Seventy-first and Seventy-fourth streets, and between Ninth avenue and Boulevard, on motion, was laid over.

The assessment list for reg, grading, setting, curb and gutter and flag One hundred and thirtyfifth street, from Harlem River to Eighth avenue,

was taken up.

An injunction having been served, on motion, action was deferred.

The following assessment lists were presented to the Board, viz.:

Seventh-fifth street, reg., grading, curb, gutter and flag, from Fifth avenue to East River.

Sixth avenue, macadamizing, curbing and flagging, from One hundred and tenth street to Hailem River.

One hundred and twenty second street, regu-lating and grading, from Mount Morris Square to Ninth avenue.

One hundred and twenty-third street, regu lating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging, from Mount Morris Square to Eighth avenue. On motion, the said lists were laid over.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Chief Clerk Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.

At a meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, held at the Comp-troller's Office March 26, 1874, the following

sessment lists were confirmed, viz.:

First avenue, paving with stone block, from Thirty-sixth to Sixty-first street.

One hundred and seventeenth street, paving with stone blocks, from Fourth avenue to Harlem

Underground drains between Seventy-first and seventy-fourth streets, and Ninth avenue and

The following assessment lists laid over at last meeting were taken up, viz.:

One hundred and twenty-second street, regulating and grading, from Mount Morris Square to Ninth avenue.

One hundred and twenty-third street, regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flag, from Mount Morris Square to Eighth avenue.

On motion, the said lists were ordered to be returned to the Board of Assessors, with request to make the assessment conform to the certificates of the Comptroller, and omit assessments for, and awards of damage, on account of change

of grades.

The assessment list for regulating and grading, setting curb, gutter and flagging Seventy-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to East River, laid on

for consideration.

On motion, said list was again laid over.

On motion, ordered that the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to furnish an early reply to a communication addressed to him by the Comptroller on 14th February, 1874, relative to the principle which should govern in assessment on property for expense of macadamizing, &c., Sixth avenue, from One hundred and tenth street

to Harlem River. RICHARD A. STORRS, Chief Clerk Board of Revision, &c.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Mayor's Marshal, No. 5, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 2 P. M. License Bureau, No. 1, Citw Hall, 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Super-isors, 7 and 8, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk of Board of Assistant Aldermen, 9½ City Hall, 9 a m. to 4 p. m.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NEW COUNTY COURT HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

NEW COUNTY COURT HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, West end.

1. Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the city; Ground floor, west end.

2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park.

3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents; Ground floor, west end.

4. Auditing Bureau; Main floor, west end.

5. Bureau of Licenses; Ground floor, west end.

7. Bureau for Markets; Ground floor, west end.

7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Treasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer; Main floor, west end.

8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments; Rotunda.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

### LAW DEPARTMENT.

Counsel to the Corporation, 82 Nassau street, 9 a. m. to p. m. Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10

a. m. to 4 p. m.
Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8½
a. m. to 4½ p. m.
Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal
Taxes, 237 Broadway, room 5, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 20 Nassau
street, room 52, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN

NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OF Central Office.
Commissioners' Office.
Superintendent's Office.
Inspectors' Office.
Chief Clerk's Office, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Property Clerk,
Bureau of Street Cleaning, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Bureau of Elections,

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS CITY HALL, 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

CITY HALL, 9 A. M. TO 4 F. M.

Commissioners' Office, No. 19.
Chief Clerk's Office, No. 20.
Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21.
Engineer 1.charge of Sewers, No. 21.
Engineer 1.charge of Sewers, No. 12.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.

" Lamps and Gas, No. 13.

" Incumbrances, No. 13.

" Street Improvements, No. 11.

" Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11½.

" Water Register, No. 10.

" Water Purveyor, No. 4.

" Streets and Roads, No. 13.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, al-rays open; entrance on 11th street.

Free Labor Bureau, 8 and 10 Clinton pl. 5 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Reception Hospital, City Hall Park, N. E. corner, al-

ays open. Reception Hospital, 99th st. and 10th av., always open Bellevue Hospital, foot of 26th street, E. R. FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOS. 127 AND 129 MERCER ST, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Commissioners Office. Chief of Department. Inspectors of Combustibles. Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

NO. 301 MOTT STREET. Commissioner's Office, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Santary Superintendent, always open.
Register of Records, for granting burial permits, on all ays of the week except Sunday from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m., and on Sundays from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

ssioners' Office, 36 Union Sq., 9 a. m. to 5 p. m DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Commissioners' Office, 346 and 348 Broadway corner conard street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS Commissioners' Office, Brown stone building, City Hall Park, 32 Chambers st., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. on Saturday 9

. m. to 3 p. m. Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham st., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Board of Assessors, DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Superintendent's Office, 2 Fourth av., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. BOARD OF EXCISE. Commissioners' Office, 299 Mulberry st., 9 a. m., 4 p. m. BOARD OF EDUCATION.

CORNER GRAND AND ELM STREETS. Office of the Board, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Superintendent of Schools, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS

Office, No. 32 Chambers street, basement. COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION CASTLE GARDEN.

Cemmissioners' Office, 9 a m. to 5 p. m Superintendent's Office, 9 a. m. to 5 p. i THE CITY RECORD. Office No. 2, Cit, Hall, N. W. corner basement, 8 m. to 6 p. m.
MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Coroner's Office, 40 E. Houston street. Sheriff's Office, first floor, N. E. corner New Court

ouse. County Clerk's Office, first floor, S. W. corner New ogate's Office, first floor, S. E. corner New Court

Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park. District Attorney's Office, second floor Old Court House, 32 Chambers street, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Commissioner's Office, basement brown stone building City Hall Park, 32 Chambers st., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

COURTS. SUPREME COURT.

General Term, Special Term, Chambers, Circuit Part I, Circuit Part II, Second floor, New Court House, 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

SUPERIOR COURT. Part I, Part II, Third floor, New Court House, 11 a. m. Clerk's Office. Third floor, New Court House, 9 a. m.

COMMON PLEAS. Third floor, New Court House, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's Office, 32 Chambers st, room 14, 10 a. m. 4 p. m.

OVER AND TERMINER. General Term, Special Term, No. 32 Chambers street,

MARINE COURT. General Term, room 17; Special Term, room 15; Chambers, room 18; 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Clerk's Office, room 19, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. No. 32 Chamber street.

SPECIAL SESSIONS At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tues days, Thursdays and Saturdays, 10 a. m.

JUSTICE'S (OR DISTRICT) COURTS. First District—st, 2d, 3d and 5th Wards, south-west corner of Centre and Chambers sts., 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Second District—4th, 6th and 14th Wards, No. 5t4 Pearl street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Third District—8th, 9th and 15th Wards, No. 12 Greenwick avenue 0.2 n. 10 4 p. m.

wich avenue, 9a. n. to 4 p. m.
Fourth District—10th and 17th Wards, No. 163 East
Houston street, 9a. m. to 4. m.
Fifth District—7th, 11th and 13th Wards, No. 154 Clinton street, 9a. m. to 4 p. m.
Sixth District—
Seventh District—19th and 22d Wards, Fifty-seventh

Seventh District—19th and 22d Wards, Fifty-seventh treet, between Third and Lexington aves., 9 a. m. 4 p. m. Eighth District—16th and 20th Wards, south-west cor-

9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Tenth District—23d and 24th Wards, N. E. corner of
Third avenue and Southern Boulevard, Harlem Bridge, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. POLICE COURTS.

FILER COURTS.

First District—14th, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th and portion of Sanitary Precinct, Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, 7 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Second District—8th, 6th, 15th, 16th, 26th, 25th, 33d, 28th and 29th Precincts, Greenwich ave., corner of 16th street, 9 a. m. to 6 p m.

Third District—7th, 16th, 11th, 13th, 17th, 18th and portion of Sanitary Precinct, No. 69 Essex street, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Fourth District—19th, 21st, 22d, 23d and 19th Sub-station, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 8 a. m. 5 p. m.

Fifth District 12th Ward, No. 2374 Fourth avenue, (Harlem.) 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

# DEPARTMENT PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 Union Square, New York, April 6, 1874.

#### PROPOSALS FOR SCREENED GRAVEL.

GRAVEL.

DROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the Office of the Department of Public Parks as above until Friday, the 17th day of April, 1874, at the hour of 930 o'clock, A. M., when they will be publicly opened, for Five thousand (5,000) cubic yards of Screened Gravel, suitable for walks and roads, and similar to that heretofore used on the Public Parks of the city of New York; to be delivered in such quantities and at such times and places or any of the public parks of the city of New York as may be required.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by a sample of the gravel proposed to be furnished, by satisfactory evidence that the party making the proposal has the means and facilities to furnish the gravel, and by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of five thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the sir me; the names of all persons interested with him therein, that it is made without collusion with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any portions of the profits thereof

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all protosals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record in the county of New York.

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract, (settled as required by law,) seen at the office of the secretary as above.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and endorsed "Proposals for Screened Gravel."

S. H. WALES, President.

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

# DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 346 and 348 Broadway, New York, April 3, 1874.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIVE THOUS-AND (5,000) WHITE, OR YELLOW PINE OR SPRUCE PILES.

OR SPRUCE PILES.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS material, endorsed as above, and addressed to Commissioner Budd, Treasurer of Department of Docks, will be received at the office of the Department of Docks, until 11 o'clock A. M., of Wednesday, April 15, 1874, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

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

The time for the full delivery of the material called for will expire on the 31st day of August, 1874.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be 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 free-holders 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 security required.

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 and further information can be obtained by application at the office of the Department.

ment.
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 Department of Public Parks and the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, relative to the opening of Tenth avenue, from a point 10,353 feet and 6 inches northerly from 15th street, in a northwesterly, westerly and southwesterly direction to the Eleventh avenue, as aid out by the Commissioners of the Central Park, in the City of New York.

Notice is hereby given that the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, in and for the First Judicial District, at a special team thereof to be held at Chambers in the New Court House, in the the city of New York, on the fifteenth (15th) day of April, 1874, at 10½ o'clock, A. M.

Dated New York, March 31, 1874.

JOHN N. LEWIS,

WILLIAM R. MARTIN,

NEVIN W. BUTLER,

Commissioners.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET, New York, January 5, 1874.

NEW YORK, January 5, 1874.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessments upon the Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York, for the year 1874, will be open for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 12th, 1874, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1874, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

the assessments that.

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

By order of the Board,

ALBERT STORER,

Secretary.

# BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1874, and until 4 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for the erection of a new School House on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

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

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, will be required from each successful bidder. Proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named. Proposals must state the estimate for each bradch of the work separately, and be indorsed "Proposal for Mason Work," "Proposal for Carpenter Work," "Proposal for Painting."

The name of the party or firm submitting a proposal must be indorsed on the outside of the envelope containing said proposal.

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

DAVID H. KNAPP, IOSEPH P. FALLON,

DAVID H. KNAPP, IOSEPH P. FALLON, LAWSON N. FULLER, ANDREW SMITH, GRANVILLE P. HAWS,

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEVED BY the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, April 13th, 1874, and until 456 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for Desks, etc., in two class rooms of G. S. No. 32.

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

Two responsible and approved suratics, residents of

third floor.

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

H. D. RANNEY, M. D.,
THOMAS MAHER,
WILLIAM KILLIAN,
THOMAS J. HALL.
AUSTIN APBOTT,
Board of School Trustees, 20th Ward.
Dated New York, March 30, 1874.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward at the Hall of the Eoard of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Thursday, the 9th day of April, 1874, and until 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, for the erection of a new school house for Primary School No. 9, on the north side of First street, between First and Second avenues. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, will be required from each successful bidder. Proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named.

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the proposals offered.

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HENRY MERZ,

THEODORE H. MEAD,

ADAM WEBER,

OWEN MURPHY,

FRED. C. WAGNER,

Board of School Trustees Seventeenth Ward.

Dated. New York, March 21, 1874.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
The School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, at
the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and
Elm street, until Monday the 13th day of April 1874,
and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for enlarging and
ditering Grammar School House No. 51, on West Forty
fourth street, near Eleventh avenue.
Proposals must state the estimate for each branch of
the work separately, and be indorsed "Proposal for
Mason Work," "Proposal for Carpenter Work," "Proposal for Famiting," "Proposal for Heating," "Proposal
for Farniture"

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the Office of
the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand
Street, third floor.

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

The name of the party or firm submitting a proposa ast be indersed on the outside of the envelope contain

ing said proposal.

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

JOEL W. MASON, JOHN MORGAN, JAS. R. CUMING, ADNA H. UNDERHILL, WALTER CARTER, of School Trustees, 22d Ward Irch 26, 1874.

Board of School Tru Dated New York, March 26, 1874.

# FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters Fire Department,
City of New York (127 and 129 Mercerstreet),
New York, April 4, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLlowing old apparatus, &c., will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Thursday,
April 16, 1874, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Repair Shops of this Department, Nos. 19 and 21, Elizabeth street. All articles purchased at this sale must be removed within five days thereafter:

Two (2) hand fire environ.

Two (2) hand fire engines.
Three (3) 4-wheel hose carriages.
One (1) 4-wheel hose crab.
Two (2) hock and ladder trucks
Two (2) fire extinguishers. Two (2) here extinguishers.
Two (2) suctions.
Two (2) suction baskets.
Two (2) brass pipes.
Two (2) brass nozzles.
Two (2) brass nozzles.
Two (2) wrenches.
Four (4) reel wrenches.
One (1) chain hook and rope.
Ten (10) ladders.
Three (3) leather pipes with brass nozzles.
One (1) drag rope 180 feet long.
One (1) " " 50" "

One (1)

Fifty-four (54) lengths leather hose.

Three [3] lengths canvass hose.

Two (2) fire bells (old)

The above articles may be seen prior to the day of sale upon inquiry at the Repair shops, with exception of the fire bells which are at No. 130 Amity street.

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

# FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

BUREAU OF COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA COURT HOUSE, NEW YORK, March 31, 1874.

# NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS.

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

received this day in this Bureau for collection:

Confirmed March 19, 1874—56th st., paving, from Lexington to 4th aves.

48th st., paving, from 9th to 10th aves.

Gansevoort st., regulating, etc., from West st. to North river.

82d st., regulating, &c., from 4th to 5th aves.

105th st., regulating, &c., from 3d ave. to Harlem river.

44th st., regulating, &c.,

7th ave. to Boulevard. fist st., curb, gutter, &c., from oth to 10th aves. Monroe st., flagging w. s., from No. 311 to Corlears

st.
Corlears st., flagging w. s.,
from No. 1 to Monroe st.
Front st., flagging n s. from
Montgomery to Gouverneur st. 14th st., flagging, No. 341 to No. 347 bet. 1st and 2d

aves. 51st st., flagging, from 1st to

aves.

31st st., flagging, from 1st to
2d aves.
52d st., flagging, n. s., from
5th ave. to 175 feet west.
54th st., flagging, s. s., from
6th to 7th aves.
54th st., flagging, n. s., from
2d ave. about 125 ft. east.
57th st., flagging, n. s., oth
ave. to about 250 ft. east.
5th st., flagging, from 1st
to 10th aves.
55th st., flagging, from 1st
to 2d aves.
51st st., sewer, from 6th to
7th aves
6eth st. and Lexington ave..
basin, n. w. corner.
Peck slip and Water st.,
Lasin, n. e. corner.
Tompkins and Stanton sts.,
bisin, s. w. corner.
53d st., fencing vacant lots,
n. s., bet. 3d and 6th aves.
57th st., fencing vacant lots,
n. s., bet., 9th ave. to 250
ft. east.
6st st., tencing vacant lots,
n. s. bet. 9th ave. to 250
ft. east.
6st st., tencing vacant lots,
n. s. bet., 9th ave. to 250
ft. east.
6st st., tencing vacant lots,

61st st., fencing vacant lots, n. s., ed to 3d aves. 6th ave., sewer, from 125th to 126th sts. Tompkins and Rivington sts., basin, s. w. corner.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 29th day of May next, will be exempt according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of 7 per cent, from the date of confirmation.

The collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for ceneral information. P. M. for the collecti general information. ANDREW W. LEGGAT, Acting Collector.

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IMPORTANT TO

LAWYERS AND DEALERS IN REAL ESTATE,

MANAGERS OF BANKS AND INSURANCE COMPANIES.

CITY OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February, 1874.

Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, are interested in providing themselves with all the facilities for expediting their work, and reducing the cost of examinations and searches. The attention of the Managers of Banks and Insurance Companies and of others is invited to the

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# INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS
of the City and County of New York, due May 1st,
1874, will be paid on that day, by the Chamberlain, at his
office in the New Court House.
The Transfer Books will be closed from March 24th to
May 1st, 1874.

AND H. GPEFN

AND. H. GREEN, Comptroller

City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
Comptroller's Office, March 16th, 1874.

BUREAU OF COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA COURT HOUSE,
NEW YORK, MARCH 23, 1874.

PROPERTY HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that the following assessment list was this day
received in this Bureau for collection, viz.:
DATE OF CONFIRMATION,
February 10, 1874.

Opening and extending of LEXINGTON AVENUE,

from 102d street to the Harlem river.

The limits embraced by said assessment includes all the lots and houses, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land embraced within the following boundaries:

50th street to Harlem river, and from 3d avenue to 4th avenue.

All payments made at this office within sixty days from this dare 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 fron 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ANDREW W. LEGGAT, Acting Collector.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, Rotunda Court House, New York, February 16th, 1874.

# NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS

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

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Fied that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

Confirmed Jan. 30, 1874—Paving 24th st., bet. 10 and 11th aves.

Paving 31st st., bet. 2d ave and East River.

Paving 32d st., bet. 2d ave and East River.

Paving 47th st., bet. 3d and 4th aves.

Paving 52d st., bet. 2d ave and East River.

Paving 47th st., bet. 3d and 4th aves.

Paving 60th st., bet. Madison and 3d aves.

Paving 60th st., bet. 1st and 3d aves.

Paving 70th st., bet. 3d and 5th aves.

Paving 87th st., bet. 3d and 5th aves.

Paving 87th st., bet. 2d and 4th aves.

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"DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WILL receive seeled proposals until the 11th day of April instent, at 1 o'clock, p. m., for furnishing illuminating Gas for illuminating any port in of the following Public Buildings, bructures and Offices:

Washington Market.

Catharine

Fullon

Gouverneur

Third

Second

Gouverneur

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Sixth

Commussioner's Office, City Hall.

New York, March 30, 1874

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THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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First District Police Court.

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Commussioner's Office, City Hall.

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Third District Police Court.

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The DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

In the 12d Ave.

The 2d Ave.

Third District Police Court.

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F ington aves.
Underground drains bet. 57th
and 58th sts., 5th and Madi-

son aves. Sewer in Ave. A, bet. 59th and 61st sts., with branches in soth st.

in 59th st.
Sewer in 104th st., bet. ad
and 3d aves.
Sewer in Greenwich st., bet.
Leroy and Mortan sts.
Sewer in Dry Dock st., bet.
10th and 12th sts.
Sewer in Horatio st., continuation through Greenwich
ave. etc.

sts.
Sewer in Lexington ave., bet
69th and 90th sts.
Sewer in Broadway, bet. 27th
and 28th sts.
B. sin N. E. cor. Pearl st. and Bosin N.E. cor. Pearl st. and Peck slip.
Basin N.E. cor. 69th st. and Lexington ave.
Regulating and grading 117th st., from 7th to 8th aves.
Regulating and grading 121st st., from 7th to 8th aves.
Regulating and grading, curb and gutter in 4th 4th, from 1st to 2d aves.
Curb, gutter and flagging Lexington ave., from 6ist to 66th sts.
Curb, gutter and flagging S.

Curb, gutter and flagging S. E. cor. 7th ave. and West

Flagging N. S. 37th st., from 7th to 8th aves. Flagging N. S. 53d st., from 5th to 6th aves,

sth to 6th aves.

Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging in 51st st., from 6th to 7th aves.

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.

# DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS AND PROF. ERTY OWNERS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2 FOURTH AVE., New York, Jan. 2, 1874.

WHEREAS, THE TOWNS OF MORRISANIA, and are now known as the 23d and 24th Wards of the City of New York, it becomes my duty, as Superintendent of Buildings, to extend the operation of the building laws over said territory, and to superintend the construction, alteration, repair and removal of buildings therein.

tion, alteration, repair and removal of buildings therein.

I therefore give notice to builders and property owners that plans and specifications for all new buildings, alterations, repairs and removals must be presented to this Department for examination and approval, prior to the commencement of the projected work.

All necessary blank forms, and any desired information pertaining to the building laws, will be furnished on application at this office, or to either of the inspectors, at their temporary office, Police Headquarters, Tremont.

W. W. ADAMS.

Superintendent of Buildings.

Superintendent of Buildings.

Office No. 2 Fourth av., opposite Sixth st.,

A RCHITECTS, BUILDERS AND OTHERS, HAV A RCHITECTS, BUILDERS AND OTHERS, HAVing plans and spacifications for the erection, alter
ation or repair of buildings to file with this Department,
are hereby notified, that in all cases where iron gracurs
or intels are provided to support brick walls, it will or
necessary for them to submit properly drawn and figured elevations of the walls to be so supported.
W. W. ADAMS
Superintendent

# NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS, DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

#### NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, Commissioner's Office, 19 City Hall, New York, March 31, 1874.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WILI, receive sealed proposals endorsed "Proposals for planking Vesey street Pier," until the 11th day of April instant, at 10'clock P. M., for furnishing the material and replanking, with yellow pine plank and timber, the southerly half of the pier at the foot of Vesey street, extending from West street to the head of the pier.

pier.
Plans of the work may be seen at the office of the Contract Clerk, Room 21, where blank forms of propositions, specifications and contracts will be furnished.
GEO. M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works.

#### NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, Commissioners' Office, 19 City Hall, New York, March 31, 1874.

New York, March 31, 1874. )

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WILL ing receive sealed proposals endorsed Proposals for Roofing Tompkins Market, etc., until the 11th day of April next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., for furnishing the material and Roofing Tompkins Market.

Biank forms of proposal, the specifications and agreements and any further information desired can be had on application to the Contract Clerk at his office, room at, City Hall.

GEO. M. VAN NORT, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, Commissioner's Office, City Hall, New York, March 30, 1874.

for the term commencing April 15th, and terminating December 31st, 1874. The gas must be of as good a quality as what is known as "sixteen candles," and be delivered under one inch hydraulic pressure. Bidders must state in their proposition a fixed and definite price per thousand 15et of gas furnished to each of the before-mentioned public buildings and places which they may propose for The price must include the expense of furnishing proper and correct metres for measuring the gas.

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

GEO, M. VAN NORT,

Commissioner of Public Works.

# CORPORATION NOTICES.

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

ested, viz.:

1. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Lexington avenue, from 66th to 96th streets.

2. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging 67th street, from 3d to 4th avenues.

3. For paving, curbing and flagging 7th avenue, from 110th to 154th streets.

4. For laying Belgian pavement in 63d street, between Lexington and 4th avenues.

5. For laying Belgian pavement in 59th street, between 1st and ad avenues.

6. For flagging 53d street, from 7th avenue to Broadway.

way. 7. For building extension of sewer at foot of 54th

For building extension of sewer at 100t of 54th street, East river.
 For building sewer in Broome street, between Mulberry and Mott streets.
 For building basin on southwest corner of Elizabeth and Grand streets.
 For building basin on southwest corner of Mott and Grand streets.

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. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from 66th to 96th street, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

2. Both sides of 67th street, from 3d to 4th avenues.

3. Both sides 7th avenue, from 110th to 154th street, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

to the extent of sheet and street. From Lexington to 4th avenues, to the extent of one-half the block on the intersecting streets.

5. Both sides of 59th streets, from 1st to 2d avenues.

6. Both sides of 53d street, from 7th avenue to Broad-

way.
7. The property bounded by 52d and 56th streets, and 2d avenue and East river, except blocks bounded by 52d and 53d, and 55th and 56th streets, between 2d and 1st

8. Both sides of Broome street, between Mott and Mulberry streets, except the two corner lots on Mott

street.

9. West side of Elizabeth street, between Hester and grand streets.

10. West side of Mott street, between Hester and

All persons whose interests are affected by the abovenamed assessments, and who are opposed to the same,
or either of them, are requested to present their of jeztions 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,
IOHN MCHARG,
MUNSON H. TREADWELL,
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF
BOARD OF ASSESSORS,

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, Mar. 19, 1874.

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