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LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following Schedules form a Report of the Transactions of the Law Department from the 23d to 27th of February, 1875, inclusive; the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty defendants, unless otherwise mentioned:

SCHEDULE "A."

Horace Marks vs. Chas. A. St. John.....	To recover possession of personal property.
Lewis B. Hunt vs. Seth C. Hawley.....	To recover personal property.
Baker, John T.....	To recover balance of salary for September and first seven days of October, 1871, as Clerk, Bureau of County Affairs, \$66.72.
Suydam, John F.....	To recover an assessment paid by plaintiff, laid upon his lot in Fifty-seventh street in January, 1870, \$28.30.
Keys, Christopher.....	To recover balance of sum due for work on contract for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twelfth street, \$2,895.23.
Tracy, John M., Adm'r.....	
McCabe, Patrick.....	
Nicoll, Gilbert A. F.....	
Viele, Egbert L.....	
Pollard, Jane.....	To recover damages for injuries received from falling in hole in Mott street, \$1,000.
Hayes, Thomas.....	Services as Axeman in Department of Public Works, from September 4, 1871, to November 25, 1871, \$165.
Michael Hardy vs. Wm. H. Wickham.....	To restrain the Mayor from approving a certain resolution for gas-lamps, etc.
John L. Brown.....	Stone furnished in December, 1870, between January 1 and October 1, 1871, for building Police Court in Ninth Judicial District, \$8,660.50.

SCHEDULE "B."

SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS.

In re petition of John Long.....	Order entered to take proofs in the assessment for paving Forty-eighth street.
People ex rel. Benj. S. Willis vs. A. S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears.....	Received affidavit and notice of motion for writ of mandamus, compelling Clerk of Arrears to render bills of arrears in certain assessments.
People ex rel. Louis M. St. John vs. Cady.....	Received affidavit and notice of motion for writ of mandamus, compelling Clerk of Arrears to render bills of arrears in certain assessments.
People ex rel. Henry C. Dwight vs. Cady.....	Received affidavit and notice of motion for writ of mandamus, compelling Clerk of Arrears to render bills of arrears in certain assessments.
People ex rel. Louis M. St. John vs. Cady.....	Received affidavit and notice of motion for writ of mandamus, compelling Clerk of Arrears to render bills of arrears in certain assessments.
In re petition of Samuel Phillips.....	Order entered vacating assessment for paving Delancey street.
In re petition of Thomas A. Phelan, Adm'r of estate of Michael Phelan.....	Received petition to vacate assessment for curb, gutter, and flagging Thirteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
People ex rel. Herman Dierston vs. Board of Assessors.....	Received notice of motion for peremptory mandamus.
People ex rel. Daniel C. Donovan vs. Andrew H. Green.....	Received writ of mandamus directing the payment of a certificate of indebtedness of the Town of Morrisania.

In re petition of Alex. S. Macomb and another, Trustees.....	Order entered that the proofs be heard at Supreme Court.
In re petition of Sigismund Kaufman.....	Order entered that the proofs be heard at Supreme Court.
In re petition of Morris Littman.....	Order entered directing the taking of proofs.
In re petition of Levi Guskey, to vacate an assessment for paving Fourteenth street, from University place to Eighth avenue.....	Received petition.
In re petition of Wm. A. Bigelow, to vacate an assessment for grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.....	Order entered giving the defendants, the Mayor, etc., twenty days to answer.
In re application of Mayor, etc., relative to opening and extending of Lexington avenue.....	Entered. (Order of reference to R. F. Andrews.
In the matter of Edgar F. Sparks, an alleged indigent lunatic.....	Received notice of motion for an investigation.
In re petition of Wm. H. McCarthy, to vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., Lexington avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Ninety-sixth street.....	Received petition and notice of presentation.
In re petition of Maria Fallon.....	
In re petition of James Skully.....	
In re petition of Michael Reilly.....	
In re petition of Jacob Covert, executor.....	
In re petition of Peter H. Jackson.....	
In re petition of Abraham Wisser.....	
In re petition of Patrick Hall.....	
In re petition of Patrick Marrin.....	To vacate the assessment for paving Thirty-first street, from Second avenue to East river.
In re petition of Michael Kelly.....	
In re petition of Adam Rathgeber.....	
In re petition of Francis Schapp.....	
In re petition of Philip Marlin.....	
In re petition of James Sinnott.....	
In re petition of Patrick Dougherty.....	
In re petition of Peter Jackson.....	
In re petition of Peter Cain.....	
In re petition of James Wood, to vacate an assessment for paving One Hundred and Seventeenth street.....	Received amended petition.
In re petition of Samuel Wood, to vacate an assessment for Watts street, from Canal to West street.....	Received petition.

SCHEDULE "C."

ACTIONS TRIED OR ENDED.

Henry McAnnally.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$68.90.
Alfred W. Harcombe.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$224.07.
Francis A. Connolly.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$302.31.
Robert C. Brown.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$344.42.
Harriet G. Glover.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$26,829.41.
Robert C. Brown.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$470.13.
Noonan.....	Tried before Donohue and jury; verdict for plaintiff.
James Donohue.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$90.54.
Jules Glaentzer.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$67.84.
Alexander MacLennan.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$90.59.
Francis S. Connolly.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$302.31.
Michael Noonan.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$3,300.97.
John N. Lewis et al.....	Received notice of motion for judgment on the answer as frivolous.
Lewis B. Hunt.....	Discontinued by consent.
Lewis C. Bruns.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$566.26.
Edward Roche.....	Demurrer argued and overruled.
Edward McDonald.....	Demurrer argued and overruled.

Patrick Reilly.....	Demurrer argued and overruled.
Charles Develin.....	Discontinued by consent.
O. P. C. Billings.....	
Richard Flanagan.....	
Edward Gilon.....	
George Koch.....	
Peter Kehr.....	Wrote the Comptroller, that the claims could not be defended.
Patrick Lysaght.....	
Robert McCafferty.....	
Joseph A. Monheimer.....	
John J. Morris.....	
John Reilly.....	
J. A. Monheimer.....	
O. P. C. Billings.....	
John J. Morris.....	
Robert McCafferty.....	
Richard Flanagan.....	Judgments entered for plaintiffs.
Patrick Lysaght.....	
Edward Gilon.....	
John Reilly.....	
Peter Kehr.....	
George Koch.....	
Mayor, etc., v. Hammersly.....	Discontinued, upon payment of costs.
Bigler.....	Trial commenced before Donohue and Jury.
Thomas H. Landon.....	Order entered giving judgment to plaintiff, with costs.
Donnelly.....	Tried before Daly, J., and Jury. Juror withdrawn by plaintiff.
Michael Noonan.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$3,309.97.
John Murphy.....	Tried before Donohue and Jury; verdict for plaintiff.
The Mayor v. Hammersly.....	Order entered of judgment for costs for defendant, and that the action be discontinued.
John De Witt Hook et al.....	Judgment entered for plaintiff for \$7,222.99.
The Mayor, etc., John W. Hammersly.....	Judgment entered for defendant for \$177.88.

SCHEDULE "D."

ORDERS ENTERED.

Wm. E. Demarest and another.....	Order entered that a new summons and complaint be made the original in lieu of the one lost.
John Schreyer.....	Motion to amend answer argued, and decision reserved.
Wm. A. Follansbee vs. Chas. A. St. John.....	Received affidavit and order substituting one William Silverstone and one Dennis Brady, of Montreal, Canada, in place of St. John, as defendants.
In re petition of Henrietta V. Duryea.....	Order entered vacating.
In re petition of Francis O'Hara.....	Order entered vacating.
In re petition of the Rector, Churchwarden, etc., of the Church of Holy Sepulchre.....	Order entered vacating.
John Brown.....	Order entered sustaining demurrer to answer.
A. W. Harcombe.....	Order entered sustaining demurrer to answer.
William Berrigan.....	Order entered sustaining demurrer to answer.
People ex rel. Patrick H. Stewart vs. Board of Supervisors.....	Order entered denying motion to set aside the writ of mandamus.
(Board of Supervisors) The Mayor, etc., vs. William M. Tweed.....	Order entered staying all proceedings under the order of February 23, 1875, until the appeal therefrom should be decided.

SCHEDULE "E."

OPINIONS AND LETTERS SENT TO CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Letter to Deputy Comptroller in re to following cases:	
Oliver P. C. Billings.....	Supervisors.
Richard Flanagan.....	
Edward Gilon.....	
George Koch.....	
Peter Kehr.....	
Patrick Lysaght.....	
Robert McCafferty.....	
Joseph A. Monheimer.....	
John J. Morris.....	
John Reilly.....	
Letter to Comptroller—In re Michael Noonan.	
Letter to Comptroller—Certifying judgment in Michael Noonan.	

Letter to Commissioner of Public Works—Opinion in re construction of sewer in One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

Letter to Supervisor of City Record—Directing the publication of an application for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for opening Sixty-fifth street, which will be made March 25.

Letter to Supervisor of City Record—Directing the publication of an application for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for opening Willis avenue, which will be made March 25.

Letter to Supervisor of City Record—Directing the publication of an application for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to acquire title to upper half of pier 12, which will be made March 25.

Letter to Supervisor of City Record—Directing the publication of an application for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for opening Seventy-third street, which will be made March 25.

Letter to Supervisor of City Record—Directing the publication of an application for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for opening One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, which will be made March 25.

Letter to Storer, Secretary—In re opening, widening, etc., Third avenue.

Letter to Comptroller—Certifying judgment in case of James Kiernan.

Letter to Comptroller—Certifying judgment in case of Aaron J. Vanderpoel.

Letter to Comptroller—Certifying judgment in case of John Moore.

Letter to Comptroller—Certifying judgment in case of Robert C. Brown.

Letter to Comptroller—Certifying judgment in case of Francis A. Connolly.

SCHEDULE "F."

ACTIONS APPEALED.

Daniel C. Donovan.....	Appealed.
Board of Supervisors vs. William M. Tweed.....	Notice of appeal from order entered continuing this action in name of Mayor, etc., and from every part of said order.
Lewis C. Bruns.....	Appealed.
James E. McVeaney.....	Appealed.
Lewis Hunt.....	Appealed.
People ex rel. James McKown vs. Andrew H. Green, Comptroller, and Geo. M. Van Nort, Commissioner of Public Works.....	Appealed.
In re petition of the Rector, Churchwarden and Vestrymen of Church of Holy Sepulchre.....	Appealed.
In re application of Francis O'Hara.....	Appealed.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
NO. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, March 9, 1875.

The Board of Health met this day.

Orders.

305 Orders for the abatement of nuisances were made.

Suits for Penalties.

The Attorney was directed to commence suits for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in 41 cases.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—
Weekly report on operations of the Sanitary Bureau.

Weekly report on contagious diseases.
Weekly report on slaughter-houses.
Weekly report on operations at receiving-dock.
Weekly report on work of Disinfecting Corps.
Report on applications for permits.
Report on dangerous condition of building No. 471 Washington street.

Leave of Absence.

To Assistant Sanitary Inspector De Luna of five days. Granted.

From the Register of Records—

Weekly letter on mortality.
Weekly mortuary report.
Application to correct clerical error in Death Register.
Report on application of Dr. Delafield in respect to certain statistics.

Communications from City Departments.

From the Police Department—
Weekly report of the Sanitary Co. of Police.

Bills Audited.

John Garrie.....	\$144 12
American Condensed Milk Co.....	129 60
New York Mutual Gas Co.....	8 25
Philip Stephen King.....	310 00
John Thompson.....	23 32
New York Gas-light Co.....	8 25
Jas. Lidgerwood.....	117 21

Reports of Standing Committees.

From Finance Committee—
Approval of monthly reports of Secretary and Attorney.

Communications Received.

Application of Jas. Cain, for permit to dump manure at foot of West Fiftieth street.

Amendments to the Rules and Regulations.

Rule 14 to read as follows:
"No appointment, transfer, or removal of any

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF MORTALITY.

REPORTED MORTALITY (week ending March 6, 1875), AND THE ACTUAL MORTALITY (each day in the week, ending at noon, Feb. 27, 1875), WITH AN ENUMERATION OF THE CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH.

E. HARRIS, M. D., Registrar.

Table with columns for Annual Death rate per 1,000, Total Actual Mortality, Average Deaths in corresponding week, and CAUSES OF DEATH including Total Deaths from all Causes, Zymotic Diseases, Constitutional Diseases, Local Diseases, etc.

officer, clerk, or subordinate shall be made except by the Board, and such action shall require not less than three affirmative votes.

Rule 86 to be amended by adding— "And such alteration, repeal, or new regulation shall require not less than three affirmative votes."

Permits Granted.

To keep fowls at 122 Avenue D. To empty privy vault at Leake & Watts Orphan Asylum.

Resolutions.

That Dr. Francis Delafield be requested to submit a report to this Board upon the subject of Pneumonia, and that the records of Bureau of Vital Statistics, and the necessary clerical assistance be placed at his disposal.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent and City Sanitary Inspector has certified to this Board that the building situated upon the lot No. 471 Washington street, New York City, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair:

Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated upon lot No. 471 Washington street, New York City, be required to vacate said building on or before March 20, at 12 o'clock, M., for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of said building, and be served as the law requires under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent and City Sanitary Inspector, and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

That in case any mandamus shall be granted directing this Board or its officers to register a birth death, or marriage in which certificates have not been presented within the time, or in the manner prescribed by law, or the regulations of this Board, the Register of Records shall cause a full statement of such statement of such fact to be noted in the record made thereof, and in any transcript of such record as follows, viz: This record is made by order of the Court dated—No certificate of the—recorded having been furnished within the time or in the manner required by law.

That the Attorney and Counsel be instructed to adopt the measures necessary to open and set aside the mandamus recently granted without notice to this Board or any of its officers, requiring the birth of Olea Da Silva to be recorded in contravention of the regulations of this Board and made pursuant to law.

That a permit to disinter and remove the bodies from the cemeteries situated respectively in Sixth avenue, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets, and on the north side of West Eighty-ninth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues, be granted, provided the work be completed on or before the 15th day of April, 1875.

That the Register of Records be authorized and directed to employ clerks of the Bureau of Vital Statistics at an expense not to exceed one hundred (\$100) dollars, for extra service during hours other than from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., in preparing the statistics of the last five years required for complete report upon Pneumonia.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending March 6, 1875. The number of inspections made by the Inspectors was 1,300, as follows: 3 public buildings, 641 tenement houses, 121 private dwellings, 60 other dwellings, 16 manufactories and workshops, 9 stores and warehouses, 33 stables, 59 slaughter-houses, 2 fat-rendering establishments, 1 quarry, 13 sunken and vacant lots, 30 yards, courts, and areas, 29 cellars and basements, 74 waste-pipes and drains, 87 privies and water-closets, 5 streets, gutters and sidewalks, 8 dangerous stairways, 10 other nuisances, together with 99 visits to cases of contagious diseases.

The number of reports thereon received from the Sanitary Inspectors was 400.

During the past week 42 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Inspectors for investigation and report.

38 permits were issued to the consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

6 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy-sinks.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 78 dwellings where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 74 premises, 74 privy-sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

34 persons sick with small-pox were removed to the hospital, and 1 dead body to the Morgue, by the Ambulance Corps.

The following number of cases of contagious diseases were reported during the week ending March 6, 1875:

Typhus fever, 1; typhoid fever, 3; scarlet fever, 39; measles, 3; diphtheria, 127; small-pox, 61; and cerebro spinal meningitis—

30 cans of night-soil were removed by the night-scavengers from the privy-vaults of the City during the week ending March 7, 1875.

The following amount of meat and shell-fish was condemned by the officers during the week ending March 6, 1875, as unfit for human food: Calves (bob), 13 carcasses; sheep, 9 carcasses; hogs, 4 carcasses; poultry, 47 pounds; and scollops, 100 gallons.

Bureau of Vital Statistics.

During the week ending March 6, 1875, there were issued from this Bureau 650 burial permits for city deaths, 17 for bodies in transitu, and 46 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 650 deaths, 116 marriages, 487 births, 46 still-births, 17 applications for transit permits, and 60 returns from Coroners. There were 25 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths, and 1 transcript of birth-record, 5 of marriage, and 20 of death were

issued from this Bureau; 1 case of death was referred to Coroners.

By order of the Board. EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, March 9, 1875.

To the Secretary of the Board of Health:

In the week that ended on Saturday the 6th inst., there were 650 deaths reported in this City; 605 deaths were reported in the previous week, but only 582 occurred in that week. The increase of mortality last week, as in other excessively cold weeks, occurred in numerous diseases. Chronic and inflammatory phthisis was charged with 101 deaths, against 80 in the previous week, and 103 in the week ending February 20. Bronchitis and pneumonia were charged with 115, against 100 in the previous week, and 106 in the week ending February 20. Diphtheria caused 57, 53, and 50 deaths in the same weeks respectively. There were 115 deaths in the public institutions last week, against 203 in the previous fortnight.

The mean temperature last week, as reported by the Director of the Observatory at the Central Park, was 25.1 degrees Fahr., which is slightly above the mean of the first seven weeks in the year. The warm period during the last week in February, when, for three successive days, the mean temperature was above 46 degrees, was marked by some decrease in the mortality for the week, but the warm days had the average number of deaths.

The death-rate, which, in the last week of February, was equal to 29.10 in the 1,000 annually, rose last week to 32.50 per 1,000. The average rate reported in twenty-one cities of Great Britain, the second week of February, was 29 per 1,000; London reported its rate at 26 per 1,000; Edinburgh, 29; Glasgow, 36; and Liverpool 37 per 1,000. Paris reported its rate at 27.2 per 1,000, and, in the previous week, Amsterdam reported its rate at 33.5; Rotterdam at 40.8; Berlin at 30.8; Vienna at 26; Munich at 48.8; and Alexandria, in Egypt, at 49.5 per 1,000. In the United States no rates have equalled those of the two cities last named.

Respectfully submitted, ELISHA HARRIS, M. D., Registrar of Vital Statistics.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, MARCH 1 TO 6, 1875. Present—Commissioners Bailey, Brennan, and Cox.

The following communications were received:

From Alms-house—Statement of amount of labor performed by mechanics (inmates) during week ending February 27, 1875. On file.

From Gas Works, Blackwell's Island—Engineer reporting quantity of gas consumed at the several institutions on Blackwell's Island during February, 1875: 327,800 feet; cost, \$351.25. On file.

From Penitentiary—Reporting number of prisoners received during week ending February 27, 1875: Males, 37; females, 7; total, 44. On file.

From Penitentiary—Transmitting list of 59 prisoners to be discharged from 7th to 13th March, 1875. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Gas Works, Ward's Island—Engineer reporting consumption of gas for Inebriate Asylum and New York City Asylum for Insane, during February, 1875. 132,900 feet; cost 91 3-10 cents per M. On file.

From Convalescent Hospital—Reporting gas tank being frozen. To procure candles, oil etc., from Store-keeper.

Proposal for 2,000 tons coal, opened in presence of Commissioners Bailey, Brennan, Cox, and the Comptroller:

Edgar W. Youmans, \$6.24 per ton, 2,240 lbs. John W. Atwood, \$5.60 per ton, 2,240 lbs. Verplanck & Irwin, \$6.00 per ton, 2,240 lbs., at Twenty-sixth street. Verplanck & Irwin, \$6.10 per ton, 2,240 lbs., at different institutions.

By the Board—Resolved, That the proposal of John W. Atwood, to furnish and deliver 2,000 tons of coal, be accepted, and the contract awarded to him, provided the adequacy and sufficiency of his sureties are approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York. Adopted March 3, 1875.

By Commissioner Brennan—Resolved, That the Store-keeper of Blackwell's Island be directed to place a Weighmaster at the different docks at which coal is received for this Department, for the purpose of weighing the same before delivering it into the yards. Adopted March 3, 1875.

By Commissioner Brennan—Resolved, That Doctor Doremus be requested to disinfect the wards now occupied and complained of by Doctor Sands in his Surgical Division in Bellevue Hospital, and the Warden be directed to afford every facility to have same carried into effect. Adopted March 3, 1875.

By Commissioner Brennan—Resolved, That Warden Quinn and Keeper Cunningham be and are hereby notified to appear before this Board at 9 o'clock A. M., to-morrow morning, and to collect all evidence in their power in relation to the charge of negligence in the case of Jacob Stockvis, alias John Doe, temporarily committed to their care February 20, 1875. Adopted March 3, 1875.

By Commissioner Brennan—Resolved, That the Medical Board of Charity Hospital be requested to assign a physician for permanent duty at the Work-house, and under no circumstances is the Doctor to absent himself from the building, unless a substitute is provided to act in his absence. Adopted March 4, 1875.

Ordered, That until the river is free from ice, Captain Erwin be instructed to take advantage of the flood and ebb tides, and discontinue the regular trips. March 6, 1875.

Ordered, That Captain Knapp be instructed to have the steamer Fidelity placed on Dry Dock and repaired where broken by ice, also to have a wooden pattern of shoe made at same time. March 6, 1875.

Appointments.

- March 1.—Edward Cuskley, Keeper, Fourth District Prison. " 2.—James Connolly, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane. " 4.—Edwin Rush, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane. " 5.—Walter R. Savage, Messenger, City Prison. " 5.—Susan Campbell, Nurse, Bellevue Hospital. " 6.—Ferdinand G. Borges, Apothecary, Randall's Island.

Removals.

- March 1.—Joseph Yeomans, Keeper, Fourth District Prison. " 2.—John Claffy, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane. " 5.—Andrew J. Milliken, Messenger, City Prison.

Resignations.

- March 4.—Clarence Dever, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane. " 5.—Mary Nelson, Nurse, Bellevue Hospital. " 5.—Kate Taafe, Nurse, Infants' Hospital. " 6.—John Gannon, Apothecary, Randall's Island.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 6, 1875. Licenses granted and amount received for licenses and fines for week ending this date: Licenses granted..... 197 Amount received..... \$289 25

JOEL O. STEVENS, Marshal.

PERMIT BUREAU—MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 6, 1875. Permits issued for the week ending March 6, 1875: 158 Permits.....\$192 00 D. S. HART, Registrar of Permits.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending March 6, 1875 :

Table with columns: Description, Amount. Sub-sections include Deposits in the Treasury, Bonds and Stocks Issued, Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment, and CLAIMS FILED.

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, Etc.

Table with columns: COURT, PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR, AMOUNT, NATURE OF ACTION, ETC., ATTORNEY. Lists various legal cases and their details.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

Table with columns: NO., DATE OF CONTRACT, DEPARTMENT, NAME OF CONTRACTORS, DESCRIPTION OF WORK. Lists registered contracts.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals on the 3d instant, at the Department of Public Parks, for the construction and placing in position a new draw in the Central or McComb's Dam Bridge, over the Harlem river.

Approval of Sureties on Proposals.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.: March 1, 1875—For furnishing forage to the Fire Department—

Table with columns: NAME OF CLAIMANT, AMOUNT, NATURE OF CLAIM, ATTORNEY. Lists claims filed with details.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL, No. 8 CITY HALL, THE STATED SESSIONS OF THE BOARD OF Aldermen will be held in their Chamber, room No. 15, City Hall, on Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock, P.M. SAMUEL A. LEWIS, President. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL, No. 8 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, January 9, 1875. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE COMPTROLLER, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Corporation Counsel, and the President of each Department of the City Government, pursuant to the provisions of section 5 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, that the Board of Aldermen have designated Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock P.M., as the time for holding the regular meetings of the Board. The Board meets in Room No. 15, City Hall. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, NEW YORK, February 27, 1875. THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET hereafter every Wednesday, at 3 o'clock P.M., at No. 9 City Hall, for the transaction of such public business as may be referred to the Committee. MAGNUS GROSS, W. L. COLE, PATRICK LYSAGHT, S. B. H. VANCE, JOHN J. MORRIS, Committee on Finance. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, NEW YORK, February 4, 1875. THE COMMITTEE ON FERRIES WILL MEET every Monday, at No. 9, City Hall, at 2 o'clock, for the consideration of all subjects referred to the consideration of the Committee. ROBERT POWER, JOHN REILLY, HENRY E. HOWLAND, Committee on Ferries. F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, NEW YORK, January 30, 1875. THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS OF THE Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday, at 2 o'clock, P.M., at No. 9 City Hall, for the transaction of such business as may be referred to the Committee. J. W. GUNTZER, PATRICK LYSAGHT, S. N. SIMONSON, Committee on Streets. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL, No. 8 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, January 15, 1875. NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC Works of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday, at 3 P.M., in Room No. 9, City Hall, for the consideration of such subjects as may have been referred for its action. JOHN REILLY, EDWARD J. SHANDLEY, JOHN J. MORRIS, Committee on Public Works. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL, No. 8 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, January 20, 1875. NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE ON STREET Pavements of the Board of Aldermen will meet hereafter every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock P.M., in Room No. 9, City Hall, for the consideration of such subjects as may have been referred to the Committee. PETER SEERY, WM. H. MCCARTHY, CHESTER H. SOUTHWORTH, Committee on Street Pavements. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

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CORPORATION NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works: No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth street. [Third section, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street.] No. 2. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and the Boulevard. No. 3. Basin on the north side of Twentieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. No. 4. Sewer on east side of Hudson street, between Spring and Vandam streets. No. 5. Flagging Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river. No. 6. Regulating, grading, laying Belgian pavement, and crosswalks, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and repaving and relaying crosswalks, resetting curb and gutter stones, and reflagging Broadway, from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street, as widened and straightened. No. 7. Outlet Sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue, to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, to Seventh avenue, with branches in Second, Fourth, and Fifth avenues; One Hundred and Eleventh, One Hundred and Twelfth, One Hundred and Thirteenth, and One Hundred and Twentieth streets. No. 8. Sewer in Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and in Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, with branches in Eighty-fourth street. The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz: No. 1. Both sides of Madison, avenue from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 2. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Ninth avenue to the Boulevard, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 3. All the property on north side of Twentieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. No. 4. East side of Hudson street, between Spring and Vandam streets. No. 5. Both sides of Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 6. Both sides of Broadway, from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues. No. 7. All the property from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Fifth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue,

and from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from East river to the Eighth avenue. No. 8. Both sides of Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fifth streets, and both sides of Eighty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. THOMAS B. ASTEN, Chairman.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, 19 Chatham Street, NEW YORK, Mar. 10, 1875.

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: For building Outlet Sewer in Seventeenth street, from the Hudson river to and through Eleventh avenue and Twenty-third street to near Tenth avenue; and Seventeenth street, from Eleventh avenue, to and through Tenth avenue to Fourteenth street, with branches. The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on all the property from Twelfth to Forty-first street, and from Broadway and Fourth avenue to Thirtieth street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to 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, VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF, JOHN MULLALY, Board of Assessors.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, Feb. 15, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works for grading: No. 1. Sewer in Greenwich street, between Charlton and King streets. No. 2. Sewer on east side of Hudson street, between Charlton and King streets. No. 3. Sewer in Greenwich street, between King and West Houston streets. No. 4. Sewer in Washington street, between West Tenth and Charles streets. No. 5. Sewer in Lighthouse street, between Varick and Hudson streets. No. 6. Regulating, grading, curb and gutter and flagging One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the East river. The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz: No. 1. Both sides of Greenwich street, from Charlton to King street. No. 2. East side of Hudson street, from Charlton to King street. No. 3. Both sides of Greenwich street, from King to West Houston street. No. 4. Both sides of Washington street, from West Tenth to Charles street. No. 5. Both sides of Lighthouse street, from Varick to Hudson street. No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighth street, from First to the Fifth avenue, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. THOMAS B. ASTEN, Chairman.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, Feb. 11, 1875.

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: No. 1. For building sewer in Ninety-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and the Hudson river. No. 2. For building sewers in Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, and in Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, and in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, with branches. No. 3. For building sewers in Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets, with branches. No. 4. For laying Belgian pavement in Eighty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Third avenue, and from Fourth to Fifth avenue. No. 5. For laying Belgian pavement in Eighty-first street, between Second and Fourth avenues. No. 6. For laying Belgian pavement in First avenue, from Sixty-first to Ninety-second street. No. 7. For regulating, grading, curb and gutter and flagging Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street to Harlem river. No. 8. For building basin on northeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue. No. 9. For building basin on southeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue. No. 10. For building sewer in Spring street, between Broadway and Crosby street. The limits embraced by such Assessment include all the several Houses and Lots of Ground, Vacant Lots, pieces and parcels of Land, situated on: No. 1. All the property from Ninety-first street to One Hundred and Sixth street, between Eighth avenue and the Hudson river, and from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Ninth and Eleventh avenues. No. 2. All the property from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from New avenue west to the Eighth avenue. No. 3. All the property from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from a point seventy-five feet east of Sixth avenue to the westerly line of the Seventh avenue. No. 4. Both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Third avenue, and from Fourth to Fifth avenue to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-first street, from Second to Fourth avenue, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 6. Both sides of First avenue, from Sixty-first to Ninety-second street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 7. Both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 8. All the property on the northerly side of Thirty-third street, between First avenue and the East river, to the extent of half the block. No. 9. All the property on the southerly side of Thirty-third street, between First avenue and the East river, and on the east side of First avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets. No. 10. Both sides of Spring street, between Broadway and Crosby street. All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to 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, VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF, JOHN MULLALY, Board of Assessors.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, Feb. 11, 1875.

SALE OF LANDS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERSIGNED, Collector of Assessments, appointed by the Comptroller of the City of New York, pursuant to provisions of chapter 613 of the Laws of 1873, that payment is required of the several amounts of assessments, interest, and charges upon the lots, premises, and parcels of land, as hereinafter set forth, within sixty days from the date of this notice, to wit: On or before the seventh day of May, 1875, at the office of said Collector, corner of Mott street and Railroad avenue, Tremont, Twenty-fourth Ward, New York City; and if default is made in the payment of the said amounts, the property which is the subject of such assessments, as hereinafter described, will be sold at public auction, at my office, Tremont, on the seventh day of May, 1875, at 2 o'clock P.M., for the lowest term of years which any person or persons shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the assessments, commissions, interest, charges of notice and advertisements, and all other costs and charges of sale accrued thereon. Office hours, from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. on Friday of each week. CHARLES CLARK, Collector of Assessments, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Dated March 1, 1875.

ASSESSMENT FOR ERECTING LAMP-POSTS TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, LATE TOWN OF WEST FARMS.

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 3. CENTRAL AVENUE, SOUTH.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for INWOOD and STIBBINS' ESTATE MAP.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for MOUNT EDEN and TOWNSEND POOLE MAP.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for SOUTH FORDHAM.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for LORING ANDREWS' MAP.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for CHAS. BERRIAN FARM.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for Timpson & Lowerre and John B. Haskin.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for PETER VALENTINE FARM.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for CHARLES BERRIAN FARM.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for Sarah E. Timpson.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for FISHER FARM.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for Mrs. Robertson.

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Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 4. KINGSBRIDGE ROAD.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for Dutch Reformed Church Parsonage, J. B. Haskin, Dutch Reformed Church, Geo. H. Peck, New York, Boston & Montreal R.R., and Geo. H. Peck.

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 2. BELMONT VILLAGE.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for Unknown, Crescent ave.—John C. Kayser, and John B. Haskin.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for SAMUEL RYER MAP.

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 3. WAVERLEY STREET.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for Charles Gerding, Unknown, Charles Heinzel, and Unknown.

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 2. CENTRE STREET, WEST FARMS.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for B. B. Valentine, Bradford, and Mrs. Jessup.

Sub Lamp District in General Lamp District No. 4. MCCOMB'S DAM ROAD.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for John B. Haskin.

Table with columns: LOT No., NAME, ASSESSMENT. Includes entries for PETER VALENTINE FARM.

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