

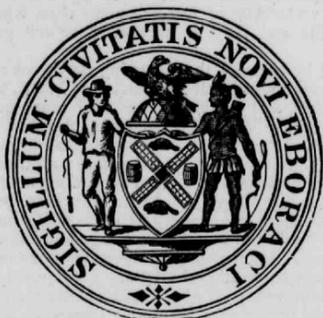
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
April 20, 1877.

Hon. SMITH ELY, Jr., Mayor, etc.:

SIR—Pursuant to section 27, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I have the honor to submit herewith the quarterly report of this Department for the quarter ending March 31, 1877.

Respectfully,

WM. R. MARTIN, President D. P. P.

CENTRAL PARK.

The bust of Mazzini, which had been offered the Department by a committee of Italian residents, was accepted—to be placed on the Park, in accordance with the rules laid down for placing works of art.

Arrangements for the purchase of the Swedish School-house at the grounds of the late Exposition at Philadelphia were made, and its removal authorized.

The proposition of Mrs. Rebecca Salomon to erect an ornamental building in the Park was declined.

Permission was given Mr. C. Ryan to take sufficient ice from the Pool to fill his ice-houses at the Casino, etc.

The sale or exchange of all plants that cannot be well kept in the Conservatory at Mt. St. Vincent, and the lower propagating house, were ordered sold, and the other two propagating houses closed.

Banner-poles at the Terrace were ordered removed, to be replaced with new ones.

Permission was refused the St. George's Cricket Club to use a portion of one of the lawns for cricket.

Protest was made against the passage of a bill introduced in the Legislature to authorize the First Division of the National Guard to parade in the Park.

The annual report of the Director of the Menagerie for the year ending December 31, 1876, was submitted, and four hundred copies ordered printed.

The skating house was removed.

The new boat-house was completed, and the walks and grounds surrounding the same graded and finished.

MUSEUMS OF NATURAL HISTORY AND ART.

Specifications for a temporary wooden bridge and entrance porch at the south end of the new building were ordered.

The bill of Messrs. Moran & Armstrong for extra work at the Museum of Art was rejected; also, claim of Mr. John Hogan.

The Trustees of the Museums were received and heard upon the subject of the annual allowances for the support of the Museums.

Plans and specifications for tiling and temporary gallery at the Museum of Art were approved, and contracts ordered.

Proposals were received and opened for encaustic tiling, and the construction, removing, and remodeling of cases, at the Museum of Natural History.

Various additional works in connection with the two buildings have been, from time to time, during the quarter, ordered, and payments made on account of the several contracts.

CITY PARKS, PLACES, BRIDGES, ETC.

UNION SQUARE—Permission was given the New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Co. to place one of its lamps on an unused lamp-post on the east side of the square.

MADISON SQUARE—The arm of the statue of Liberty, recently exhibited at the Centennial Exposition, was placed in position.

CITY HALL SQUARE—Permission for two experiments with fire extinguishing compounds was granted.

EAST RIVER PARK—The centre platform was removed.

BATTERY PARK—Plans for the erection of a "Refreshment Pavilion" were approved.

License granted to Mr. Isaac Hall to moor a floating bath-house at the southwest end of the Battery Park.

CENTRAL BRIDGE being reported in dangerous condition, was closed to all except foot passengers and light traffic.

Application was made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for money to repair it, and repairs were ordered to an amount not exceeding \$1,000.

Henry Bertholf was appointed Bridgekeeper, and the laborers who had been employed on it were transferred to Central Park.

THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE—Daniel Daly was appointed Bridgekeeper, and the Drawtenders and laborers were transferred to Central Park. The new steam engine, in process of construction for some months, has been completed.

NEW IRON BRIDGE (proposed) at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street—Proposals were advertised for and received. Their opening has been delayed, and adjourned from time to time, at the request of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to whom application was made to authorize the issue of the necessary bonds to pay for the cost of the bridge. The Park Department awaits, before opening the proposals for the construction of the bridge, the final action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

RIVERSIDE AVENUE—The construction and improvement of the avenue has been pushed forward by the contractors, Messrs. Decker & Quintard, with a large number of men, and the work has progressed satisfactorily.

PARK POLICE.

The title of "Parkkeepers" was changed, after January 1, 1877, to that of "Patrolmen."

Officer W. J. Morgan (Patrolman) was commended for meritorious conduct, on the occasion of an accident to a son of Mr. Edward Delafield, in Central Park.

Charges which had been preferred against Lieutenant John Corcoran were investigated and dismissed.

Reprimanded—Frederick Vanni, Patrolman.

Fined and reprimanded—Samuel T. Munson, Patrolman; Peter McCusker, Gatekeeper.

Fined—W. H. Brown, Patrolman; John Steinert, Patrolman; William B. Love, Gatekeeper; Patrick Burns, Postkeeper.

Dismissed—Edward Kelly, Gatekeeper.

Resigned—Samuel T. Munson, Patrolman.

The reorganization of the force was referred to Commissioners Wenman and Stebbins for their report.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

The work of breaking stone for the streets, roads, etc., was discontinued, and contracts ordered for the delivery of stone as required by the Superintendent.

Plans and specifications for drainage, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, were approved and contracts ordered.

The Commissioners appointed to assess the expenses of grading, etc., in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, were ordered to proceed with their assessment.

Proposals for the delivery of 1,000 cubic yards of broken stone upon the roads in these wards were received and opened, and the contract awarded Messrs. Forsyth & Sherman, at \$1.89 per cubic yard.

The assessment list for flagging the east side of Thomas avenue, from Kingsbridge road to the new Fordham School-house, with statement of amount of work done, was signed by the Commissioners and transmitted to the Board of Assessors. Also assessment lists and statements for the following work, viz.: Flagging sidewalk in Berrian avenue, and flagging sidewalk and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

Messrs. Jones & McQuade, contractors, were ordered to proceed with their contract for constructing Brook avenue sewer.

Advertisements were ordered for proposals to deliver 1,000 cubic yards trap-rock (broken) and 500 cubic yards trap-rock screenings upon the roads and streets in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, as required.

SURVEYING, LAYING OUT, ETC., THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

Maps, profiles, etc., adopted and filed—

Of Webster avenue and adjoining streets, Fordham avenue and certain streets around Woodlawn Cemetery.

Adopted—

For laying out the portion of Twenty-fourth Ward west of Riverdale avenue.

Changing grade of Elton avenue in the vicinity of One Hundred and Sixty-second street.

Maps submitted—

For laying out the district extending from Spuyten Duyvil to the southerly line of the city of Yonkers, between Riverdale avenue and Broadway.

Reports—

By Commissioner Stebbins, on laying out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, accompanied by a memorandum of Gen. Geo. S. Greene, C. E., on the same subject. Printed.

By the Civil and Topographical Engineer and the Landscape Architect, accompanying a plan for local steam transit routes in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The President was authorized to reduce, from time to time, as he may deem expedient, the number of lamps lighted in the parks, etc.

Pay of laborers employed on the Parks was fixed at \$1.60, and of those employed in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at \$1.50 per day.

Permission was refused the Dry Dock, East Broadway & Broadway Railroad Company to deposit snow on Tompkins Square.

Reductions were made in the salaries of various officers, clerks, and employees.

The office of Property Clerk was abolished; also that of the Engineer in charge of the Bureau of Construction—the duties of the former being transferred to the Disbursing Clerk, of the latter (except those relating to the construction of the new iron bridge over the Harlem), to the Civil and Topographical Engineer.

New rules were adopted relative to the employment and disposition of laborers.

Advertisements were ordered for proposals to light the public lamps in the Parks, etc., from May 1 to December 31, 1877, both days inclusive.

A fac-simile, in freestone, of the old "Liberty Bell" was presented to the Department by the Dorchester Union Freestone Co.

CONTRACTS.

The Harlem Gas-light Co.—For lighting certain public lamps, from January 1, 1877, to April 30, 1877, both days inclusive.

The New York & New Jersey Globe Gas-light Co.—For lighting the public lamps on Battery Park from February 1, 1877, to March 31, 1877, both days inclusive.

The New York Mutual Gas-light Co.—For lighting the lamps on Union, Madison, Tompkins, Washington, Jackson, Cooper Institute Square, Washington and Worth Monuments, gasaliers at junctions of Fifth avenue and Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, and Franklin Monument, from January 1, 1877, to April 30, 1877, both days inclusive.

The New York & New Jersey Globe Gas-light Co.—For lighting the lamps on Battery Park during the month of April, 1877.

APPOINTMENTS.

Wm. B. Kingsland, Clerk, at \$1,000 per annum.

Geo. S. Greene, Engineer in charge of new iron bridge over the Harlem, at \$4,000 per annum.

Henry Bertholf, Bridgekeeper Central Bridge, at \$1,000 per annum.

Daniel Daly, Bridgekeeper, Third Avenue Bridge, at \$1,000 per annum.

Geo. M. Cushing, Assistant on Brook avenue Sewer, at \$3 per day.

RESIGNATION.

Samuel T. Munson, Patrolman.

REMOVALS.

R. L. Cooke, Division Engineer. Thomas Fox, Rodman.

Geo. M. Cushing, Division Engineer. Matthew Cox, Rodman.

A. M. Bailey, Assistant Division Engineer.

SUSPENSIONS.

Emil Blyer, Assistant Engineer. Peter Kelly, Axeman.

Edward Kennedy, Rodman. Six Foremen.

James C. Trimble, Chainman.

FORWARDED FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Cash	\$3,434 87
Bills	92,160 59
Pay-rolls	95,740 83

MENAGERIE.

List of Animals donated to the Central Park Menagerie during the quarter.

1 Wild Cat,	presented by Mr. Henry Seaman, N. Y. City.
1 Golden Eagle,	" Mr. G. H. Jones, Catskill.
1 Snowy Owl,	" Mr. Anthony Butler, Staten Island.
1 Snowy Owl,	" Mr. M. V. Caffrey, N. Y. City.
1 Fox-colored Sparrow,	" Mr. Rush C. Hawkins, N. Y. City.
1 Horned Owl,	" Mr. Patrick O'Connor, N. Y. City.
1 Crow Blackbird,	" Mr. James P. Mahon, N. Y. City.
1 Black Bear,	" Mr. G. P. Morisini, Yonkers.
1 Mottled Owl,	" Mr. De Zagnel Bener, Fort Hamilton.
1 Angola Rabbit,	" Master Joseph J. Johnston, Brooklyn.
1 Barn Owl,	" Captain Samuel L. Clapp, S. S. "Acapulco."
1 Opossum,	" Mr. David G. Rode, N. Y. City.
1 Musk Rat,	" Mr. Stephen Cartwright, N. Y. City.
1 Monkey,	" Dr. Agramonte, N. Y. City.
1 Raccoon,	" Miss Blank, N. Y. City.
1 Iguana,	" Mr. Chas. G. Lorinier, Newbern, N. C.

Births

2 Panthers.
61 Southdown Lambs.

Purchased.

5 Parrots.

AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY.

Number of visitors for the months of—	
January, 1877.....	46,913
February, ".....	38,814
March, ".....	47,696
Total.....	133,423

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, April 18, 1877.

The Board of Commissioners met this day. Present—President Joseph L. Perley, in the chair, and Commissioners Roswell D. Hatch and Vincent C. King.

Affidavit of Supervisor of City Record relative to publication of advertisement inviting proposals for materials and supplies was read, and form of contract submitted, in presence of Comptroller.

Proposals

for furnishing supplies, etc., were opened, read, and laid over, as follows :

- No. 1. From J. P. & G. C. Robinson. No. 19. From H. K. & F. B. Thurber & Co.
2. Zucker & Levett. 20. A. G. Belden & Co.
3. A. H. Downer. 21. T. B. Cuming & Son.
4. R. G. Walmsley. 22. A. Isaacs & Co.
5. Hopping & Felch. 23. Jessup & Childs.
6. John E. Connelly. 24. Zucker & Levett.
7. M. Kalbfleisch's Sons. 25. George C. Grundy.
8. Isaac Beale & Co. 26. J. S. Barron & Co.
9. Scofield & Stevenson. 27. E. L. Swinton.
10. F. W. Devoe & Co. 28. W. R. Staples.
11. F. O. Pierce & Co. 29. H. R. Demilt.
12. P. W. Mead. 30. L. G. Tillotson & Co.
13. Pearce & Jones. 31. S. W. Sears.
14. Walter Shay. 32. M. Feigel & Bro.
15. E. J. Hanning & Co. 33. T. W. Langstroth.
16. Allen F. D. Supply Co. 34. George W. Hartt.
17. S. T. Baker & Co. 35. H. S. Manning & Co.
18. C. T. Reynolds & Co. 36. A. T. Stewart & Co.

The minutes of the meeting held 11th instant were read and approved.

Communications

were received and disposed of, as follows : From—

Chief of Department, returning communication from Department of Public Charities and Correction, requesting supply of hose for use at Charity Hospital, with report as directed. Laid over, with directions to request compliance with recommendations.

Same, returning communication from S. Hawk & Company, requesting examination of the St. Nicholas Hotel, as to safety from fire, etc., with report of inspection. Filed.

Same, returning communication from A. Weber, with recommendation that fire alarm box key be located as requested. Filed, with directions to have requisition made.

Inspector of Combustibles—List of names, etc., of seventeen applicants for licenses for sale, etc., of kerosene oil. Filed, and following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the applications for licenses for the sale and storage of kerosene oil, presented by the Inspector of Combustibles at this meeting, be and the same are hereby granted.

Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the following-named parties be and are hereby fined \$5 each, for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty, viz. :

H. G. Marquand, No. 14 Nassau street. Charles O'Connor, One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, near Twelfth avenue.

Resolved, That Henry T. Williams, of No. 46 Beekman street, be and is hereby fined \$50 for violation of section 8, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Requisition for supplies ; estimated cost, \$30. Referred to Supply Clerk, with directions to purchase.

Same, recommending purchase of spy-glass for use on Fulton avenue Tower. Referred to Supply Clerk for estimate of cost.

Medical Officer, recommending extensions of leaves of absence to—

Foreman Frank King, of Engine Co. No. 13. Assistant Engineer of Steamer, George W. Berrian, of Engine Co. No. 31.

Fireman John J. Cooper, of Engine Co. No. 10. Fred. Coppers, of Engine Co. No. 32.

P. J. McEntee, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4. James Bulkley, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13.

Granted and filed. Same, recommending extension of leave of absence to Assistant Foreman James Commiskey, of Engine Co. No. 29. Filed.

Same, recommending excuse from fire duty to— Fireman James McLaughlin, of Engine Co. No. 4, and John Cotton, of Engine Co. No. 23.

Approved and filed. Supply Clerk, returning requisition for rubber stamps, with estimate of cost, \$7.50. Referred back, with directions to purchase.

Superintendent of Horses, returning recommendation for purchase of horse, with report of selection and estimate of cost, \$340. Referred back, with directions to purchase.

Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops, transmitting estimates for painting, as follows :

No. 1. From W. H. Rose, Bureau of Combustibles, for \$53 00, Hospital Stables, for \$184 00

2. S. W. Burgess, 47 00, 250 00

3. John Corley, 37 00, 195 00

4. James Riley, 75 00, 300 00

5. Cochrane & Barnes, 97 00, 345 00

6. Geo. C. Lugar, 39 00, 273 00

7. Jos. P. Ryan, 77 50, 300 00

Filed, and following resolutions adopted :

Resolved, That the work required for painting at Bureau of Combustibles, as per specification therefor on file, be and is hereby awarded to John Corley, of No. 512 East Thirteenth street, for the sum of \$37, on his proposal, and that the same be done under the supervision of the Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops.

Resolved, That the work required for painting at Hospital Stables, as per specification therefor on file, be and is hereby awarded to Warren H. Rose, of No. 611 Hudson street, for the sum \$184, on his proposal, and that the same be done under the supervision of the Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops.

Same—Report of test of Champion Hose. Laid over, with directions. Same, recommending repairs to quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12. Referred back, with directions to obtain estimates.

Same, recommending repairs to Steamer "W. F. Havemeyer," at an estimated cost of \$495. Referred back, with directions to have repairs made.

Same, recommending purchase of new wheel for Steamer "W. F. Havemeyer," and submitting propositions for furnishing same. Filed, and following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the proposal of C. H. Delamater & Co. to furnish iron propeller wheel, eight feet diameter, and a cast-iron cap for old shaft, and to perform all necessary work required to put the same in place complete, for the sum of \$420, be and is accepted, and that the same be done under the supervision of the Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops.

Same, reporting suspension of Machinist Thomas Minor, for neglect of duty. Action approved and dismissal ordered, to take effect 4th instant.

Chief of Third Battalion, relative to the recommendations for prevention of fire. Filed.

Chief of Fifth Battalion, requesting repairs to wagon, at an estimated cost of \$14. Referred to Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops, with directions to have repairs made.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 1—Report relative to Fifth Avenue Theatre. Referred to Chief of Fifth Battalion for inspection and report.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 8, requesting that chimneys on quarters be extended. Referred to the Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops for estimate of cost.

Fireman Frank Leonard, of Engine Co. No. 31, applying for transfer. Filed.

Supreme Court—Writ of certiorari in suit of Sidney H. Conklin. Filed, with directions to prepare answer.

Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation for week ending 14th instant. Filed.

Same, returning proposal of Sarah Bishop, for laying telegraph cable, with approval of sureties. Filed, and following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and laying telegraph cable across Little Hell Gate, as per advertisement in the CITY RECORD, dated March 1, 1877, be and is hereby awarded to Sarah Bishop, of No. 71 Union place, for the sum of \$500, on her proposal dated March 20, 1877.

Counsel to the Corporation—Opinion relative to premises in East Eighty-fifth street. Filed, with directions.

Same, relative to suit against H. and N. O'Donnell. Filed, with directions. Police Department, returning thanks for loan of steam fire engine. Filed.

Department of Public Works, relative to locating additional fire hydrants as recommended. Filed.

D. C. Deady, relative to claim. Referred to Counsel to the Corporation. German American Ins. Co., applying for a badge. Granted and filed.

Guy C. Hotchkiss, Field & Co., relative to proposal for supplies. Referred to Counsel to Corporation for opinion.

Sunday Democrat, applying for a badge. Granted and filed. Frederick Wyncken—Plan for rescue from burning buildings. Filed.

A petition was received from bankers, merchants, and underwriters, urging the Board to exercise the authority conferred by section 5, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, requiring hotels, theatres, etc., to establish direct telegraphic connections with headquarters. Filed.

The following preamble and resolutions were offered, and, on motion, adopted :

Whereas, The recommendations which were made by this Department to the managers of various places of amusement, under date of December 22, 1876, which were designed to secure the better protection of human life and property therein, have not generally been complied with ; therefore be it

Resolved, That under and by virtue of the following provisions of section 5, chapter 742 of the Laws of 1871, to wit : "The proprietors of all manufactories, hotels, tenement houses, boarding and lodging houses, warehouses, stores, and offices, theatres, and music halls, and the authorities having charge of the public schools and other public buildings, churches, and other places where large numbers of persons are congregated for purpose of worship, instruction, or amusement, shall provide such means for communicating alarms and extinguishing fires and communicating necessary information to the Police, as said Commissioners and the Police Commissioners shall prescribe, and said Commissioners may detail, not to exceed two members of the Fire Department, at each and every place of amusement where machinery and scenery are used, while such place is open to the public, whose duty it shall be to guard against fire, and have charge and control of the means provided for its extinguishment, and shall have the control and direction of the employees of the place to which they may be detailed for the purpose of extinguishing any fire that may occur therein,"

The proprietors of the establishments to whom the recommendations referred to were communicated, and who may have refused or neglected to comply therewith, be and they are hereby directed to procure the means for extinguishing and preventing fires so recommended without further delay ; and be it further

Resolved, That under the authority conferred by the provisions of the law referred to in the preceding resolution, the proprietors of all places of amusement, public halls, and other buildings referred to in the above section, be and they are hereby directed to at once provide such means for communicating alarms for fire by telegraph, direct to these Headquarters, as may be approved by this Board.

Reports from officers of the Department relative to recommendations made by direction of the Board, laid over at previous meetings, were filed.

Communications Laid Over

at previous meetings, were disposed of, as follows :

Chief of Department—Report of test of Bangor Extension Ladder. Laid over, with directions. Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops, relative to cost of ladders. Filed.

The draft of General Order No. 5 was read, approved, and promulgation ordered. The Quarterly Report for first quarter of 1877 was read, approved, signed, and ordered to be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.

Transfers,

to take effect 20th instant— Assistant Engineer of Steamer James Delaney, Engine Co. No. 7 to Engine Co. No. 14.

Wm. R. Massie, Engine Co. No. 14 to Engine Co. No. 27.

to take effect 23d instant— Fireman James J. Gerrity, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 26.

William Ryan, Engine Co. No. 26 to Engine Co. No. 5.

Joseph Moss, Engine Co. No. 11 to Engine Co. 43.

James F. Holmes, Engine Co. No. 43 to Engine Co. No. 11.

Charles F. Wurst, Engine Co. No. 27 to Engine Co. No. 3.

Nicholas Becker, Engine Co. No. 12 to Engine Co. No. 4.

Promotions

to take effect 20th instant— Fireman Patrick McDonnell, of Engine Co. No. 27, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer Engine Co. No. 7.

Fireman John H. Leonard, of Engine Co. No. 8, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, same company.

Fireman Frank A. Aldrich, of Engine Co. No. 4, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, same company.

Fireman John Q. A. Baker, of Engine Co. No. 41, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, same company.

Bills

audited, and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment :

For the year 1876—Schedule No. 69.

Hayes, Dennis, new apparatus, etc. \$9 00

For the current year—Schedule No. 14.

Brady & Searing, apparatus, supplies, etc. \$85 00

Bonesteel & Winchell, " " 9 52

Carroll, J. J., " " 30 00

Delamater, C. H. & Co., " " 32 04

Schmidt, Charles D., " " 8 00

Scovill Mfg. Co., " " 138 00

Screw Dock Co., " " 50 00

Sheridan, Bernard, " " 426 51

\$779 07

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Mayor's Marshal, No. 7, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Board of Aldermen and Supervisors, No. 9, City Hall, office hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Supervisors, No. 8, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Comptroller's Office, second floor, 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, first 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, first floor, west end. 4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end. 5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, west end. 6. Bureau of Markets, first 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, second floor, west end. 8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, Rotunda, south side.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8 1/2 A. M. to 4 1/2 P. M. Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor. Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN. Commissioners' Office, second floor. Superintendent's Office, first floor. Inspectors' Office, first floor. Chief Clerk's Office, second floor, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Property Clerk, first floor (rear) " " " Bureau of Street Cleaning, Avenue C, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Bureau of Elections, second floor (rear), 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

CITY HALL, 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Commissioner's Office, No. 19. Chief Clerk's Office, No. 20. Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21. Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21. " " " Boulevards and Avenues, No. 18 1/2 Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18. " " " Lamps and Gas, No. 13. " " " Incumbrances, No. 13. " " " Street Improvements, No. 11. " " " Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11 1/2 " " " Water Register, No. 10. " " " Water Purveyor, No. 4. " " " Streets and Roads, No. 13.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Commissioners' Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, always open, entrance on Eleventh street. Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth avenue, always open. Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, always open.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOS. 153, 155 AND 157 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Commissioners' Office. Chief of Department. Inspectors of Combustibles. Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Commissioners' Office, second floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Attorney's Office, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sanitary Superintendent, always open, third floor. Register of Records, third floor, for granting burial permits, on all days 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.

Commissioners' Office, 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Commissioners' Office, 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS. Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. on Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Assessors,

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Superintendent's Office, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Commissioners' Office, first floor, 299 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39, NEW YORK, March 31, 1877.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property, now in his custody without claimants:

Revolvers, male and female clothing, watches, gold and silver, jewelry, boats, chocolate, clocks, musical instruments, and small amount money taken from prisoners. C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Monday, at 3 o'clock P. M.

PATRICK KEENAN, WILLIAM L. COLE, SAMUEL A. LEWIS, JOHN J. MORRIS, JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, Committee on Finance.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT will meet every Monday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 16, City Hall.

SAMUEL A. LEWIS, GEORGE HALL, HENRY E. HOWLAND, Committee on Law Department.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS WILL meet in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS SHEILS, WILLIAM JOYCE, WILLIAM SALMON, STEPHEN N. SIMONSON, JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, Committee on Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

ORDINANCES APPLICABLE TO THE RIVERSIDE AND MORNINGSIDE PARKS.

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE Department of Public Parks, on the 6th day of April, 1877, adopted and ordained the following ordinances for Riverside and Morningside Parks:

ALL PERSONS ARE FORBIDDEN

SECTION 1. To cut, break, bruise, peel, or in any way injure or deface trees or bushes or any of the buildings, walls, fences, or constructions upon said parks. SEC. 2. To turn cattle, horses, or goats upon them. SEC. 3. To throw missiles, to discharge fire-arms, or make fires upon them. SEC. 4. To interfere with or hinder any men employed in the service of the city upon them.

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK April 19, 1877.

POLICE UNIFORMS.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 2d day of May, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department and read—

For making, furnishing and delivering Uniforms for the Police Force of said Department. The work to be executed in accordance with the terms of the contract and specifications, prepared by said Department, and be similar to the samples on exhibition at the office of said Department.

The number and kind of uniforms required is as follows, viz.: One (1) body coat for Lieutenant. One (1) blouse (summer) for Lieutenant. One (1) pair pants (summer) for Lieutenant. Four (4) blouses (summer) for Sergeants. Four (4) pair pants (summer) for Sergeants. Sixty-nine (69) blouses (summer) for Patrolmen. Sixty-nine (69) pair pants (summer) for Patrolmen.—and such other uniforms of the same kinds as may be required by said Department at any time within the period of six (6) months from the date of the contract.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) days after the date of the contract. Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing, a price for each article of uniform, and must be accompanied with two samples of the cloth proposed to be furnished.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, their respective places of business or residence being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of one thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, and that if the said person or persons making the proposal shall omit or refuse to execute said contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; 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, head of a Department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent by affidavit. Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract (including the specifications), 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 indorsed "Proposals for Police Uniforms," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation.

WM. R. MARTIN, President; H. G. STEBBINS, JAMES F. WENMAN, WM. C. WETMORE, Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, April 19, 1877.

MARBLE AND SLATE TILING FOR THE MUSEUM OF ART BUILDING.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 2d day of May, 1877, at the hour of half past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department and read—

For the tiling work to be done in the building known as the Museum of Art, situate in Central Park, in the City of New York. The work to be executed in accordance with the terms of the contract and specifications, and the plans prepared by said Department therefor.

The time allowed for the completion of the work is five months from the date of the contract to be entered into therefor.

Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing, a gross sum for the whole work. No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, their respective places of business or residence being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of ten thousand dollars, for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, and that if the said person or persons making the proposal shall omit or refuse to execute said contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; 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, head of a Department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent by affidavit. Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract (including the specifications), settled as required by law, seen at the office of the Secretary, as above.

The plans can also be seen at the office of the Department. Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Tiling, Museum of Art," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation.

WM. R. MARTIN, President; H. G. STEBBINS, JAMES F. WENMAN, WM. C. WETMORE, Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, April 19, 1877.

TRAP-ROCK AND SCREENINGS.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 2d day of May, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department and read—

For furnishing and delivering at certain points on the Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, 1,300 cubic yards trap-rock and 500 cubic yards trap-rock screenings.

The work to be executed in accordance with the terms of the contract, and specifications prepared by said Department therefor.

The time allowed for the completion of the work is thirty (30) days after the date of the contract therefor. Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing, a price per cubic yard for the trap-rock, and also a price per cubic yard for the screenings.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, their respective places of business or residence being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, and that if the said person or persons making the proposal shall omit or refuse to execute said contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; 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, head of a Department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent by affidavit. Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract (including the specifications), 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 indorsed "Proposals for Trap-rock and Trap-rock Screenings," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation.

WM. R. MARTIN, President; H. G. STEBBINS, JAMES F. WENMAN, WM. C. WETMORE, Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, April 19, 1877.

CONSTRUCTION OF DRAINS IN THE TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 2d day of May, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened, for constructing drains for the lands bounded on the north by Fordham and Pelham avenues, on the east by the Southern Boulevard, on the south by the Kingsbridge road, and on the west by Arthur street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and on which the bids will be tested, is as follows, viz.:

7,000 cubic yards of earth excavation. 100 " " rock " 1,890 linear feet of open drains. 2,230 " " covered drains. 2,200 " " blind "

These quantities are considered as approximate, and any variation of them will not entitle the contractor to any claim for extra time in the completion of the work, or to any other claim for damages, if the quantities of work should prove to be greater or less than here estimated, and the Department of Public Parks expressly reserves the right of increasing or diminishing the said quantities, as in its opinion may be necessary.

Each proposal must state, in figures and in writing, a price per cubic yard, per linear foot, for each of the above-named items, which prices are to cover the whole cost of the work. The time required for completion, which will be tested at the rate of \$3 per day, must also be stated. No proposal will be received which contains prices for other items than those above mentioned.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, their respective places of business or residence 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 same; 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 portion of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent by affidavit.

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

The plans for the work can also be seen at the office of the said Department. Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for construction of Drains in the Twenty-fourth Ward," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation.

WM. R. MARTIN, President; H. G. STEBBINS, JAMES F. WENMAN, WM. C. WETMORE, Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, April 19, 1877.

IRON AND BLUE STONE WORK IN THE MUSEUM OF ART BUILDING.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 2d day of May, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department and read—

For the Iron and Blue Stone work required in the erection of the Galleries and other works in the Main Hall and Lantern of the building known as the Museum of Art, situated in the Central Park in the City of New York.

The work to be executed in accordance with the terms of the contract, and specifications and the plans prepared by said Department therefor.

The time allowed for the completion of the work is three months from the date of the contract to be entered into therefor.

Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing, a gross sum for the whole work. No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or reholders of the City of New York, their respective places of business or residence being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of ten thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, and that if the said person or persons making the proposal shall omit or refuse to execute said contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; 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, head of a Department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent by affidavit.

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

The plans can also be seen at the office of the Department. Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Galleries etc., Museum of Art," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation.

WM. R. MARTIN, President; H. G. STEBBINS, JAMES F. WENMAN, WM. C. WETMORE, Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, April 24, 1877.

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

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, April 21, 1877—Philip Dort; admitted December 18, 1871; age 32 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair; blue eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, April 20, 1877.

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

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, April 19, 1877—Elizabeth Patton; age 63 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, April 20, 1877.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Central Park, found hanging to a tree—Unknown man; age about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy hair and chin whiskers. Had on black coat and pants, gray knit drawers, blue check shirt, red flannel shirt, white cotton socks, brogan shoes, wore a truss.

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—Fannie Headington; age 36 years. Committed April 12, 1877. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, April 17, 1877.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from off Battery—Unknown man; age about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair and moustache. Marks on body, figure of male and female with American flag, eagle with motto "come home." Was dressed in brown tweed coat, dark pants, brown mixed woolen vest, blue overalls and shirt, blue mixed cotton socks, elastic side gaiters.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, April 16, 1877.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 34, North river—Unknown man; age about 30 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; dark brown hair and moustache; blue eyes. Was dressed in black chinchilla overcoat, blue vest, gray striped pants, two red flannel undershirts, calico barred jumper, white knit drawers, brown cotton socks, low cut shoes.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 1, 1876.

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

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, received from those who, for business or other reasons, are unable to serve at the time selected, pay the expenses of this office, and it upaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner, County Court-house (Chambers street entrance)

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of 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 Inwood street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

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

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1877, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 2, 1877. EDWARD L. DONNELLY, WALTER L. LIVINGSTON, JOHN P. CUMMINGS, Commissioners

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the widening of the Boulevard, twenty-five feet on the westerly side as now opened, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, westerly from the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, in the City of New York.

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

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1877, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 31, 1877. CLINTON W. SWEET, HENRY McCABE, GEORGE F. BETTS, Commissioner

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, for—

- No. 1. Sewer in Water street, between Jackson and Corlears street.
No. 2. Basin on the northwest corner of South and Corlears streets.
No. 3. Flagging west sidewalk of Berrian avenue, from Isaac street to the second angle north of Kingsbridge road, Fordham, in Twenty-fourth Ward.
No. 4. Flagging sidewalk on north side One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue, and laying crosswalks across each intersecting avenue.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 19 CHATHAM STREET, NEW YORK, April 5, 1877. JOHN R. MUMFORD, Secretary.

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. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging and paving with Telford-macadamized pavement, Ninth avenue, from north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street to the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.
No. 2. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Ninety-fifth street, between Third and First avenues.
No. 3. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.
No. 4. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Twenty-first street, from Eleventh avenue to Exterior or Thirteenth avenue.
No. 5. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.
No. 6. Regulating grading, curb, gutter, and flagging, four feet wide, Thirty-fifth street, from First avenue to the East river.
No. 7. Sewers in One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between First avenue and Harlem river, and avenue A, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.
No. 8. Sewers in Eighth avenue, between Sixty-eighth and Eighty-first streets.
No. 9. Regulating and Belgian pavement in Fifty-first street, from the east side of Twelfth avenue to the bulkhead line.
No. 10. Regulating and Belgian pavement in Eightieth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.
No. 11. Granite block pavement in Eighth avenue, from the circle at Fifty-ninth street to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
No. 12. Regulating and Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.
No. 13. Receiving basin and culvert on southeast corner of Second street and Avenue A.
No. 14. Receiving basin and culvert on southeast corner of Ridge and Houston streets.
No. 15. Receiving basin and culvert on southeast corner of Sixty-fifth street and Fourth avenue.
No. 16. Flagging sidewalks on One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Third to Sixth avenue.
No. 17. Flagging One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Third to Eighth avenue.
No. 18. Flagging east sidewalk of Thomas avenue, from the New Fordham School-house to the southerly line of the Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.
No. 19. Flagging in Sixty-third street, both sides, four feet wide, from Third to Fifth avenue.
No. 20. Regulating, grading, paving with granite-blocks, laying crosswalks, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging, and repaving, relaying crosswalks, resetting curb and gutter stones, and reflagging Worth street, from Broadway to Chatham street, and the streets intersecting Worth street, not exceeding one block on either side of Worth 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. Both sides of Ninth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
No. 2. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, between First and Third avenues.
No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.
No. 4. Both sides of Twenty-first street, between Eleventh and Exterior or Thirteenth avenue.
No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.
No. 6. Both sides of Thirty-fifth street, from First avenue to the East river.
No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Avenue A and First avenue, and both sides of Avenue A, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.
No. 8. Both sides of Eighth avenue, between Sixty-eighth and Eighty-first streets.
No. 9. Both sides of Fifty-first street, from the east line of Twelfth avenue to the bulkhead line, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Twelfth avenue.
No. 10. Both sides of Eightieth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 11. Both sides of Eighth avenue, from the circle at Fifty-ninth street to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 13. East side of Avenue A, between First and Second streets.
No. 14. East side of Ridge street, between Stanton and Houston streets.
No. 15. South side of Sixty-fifth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues, and extending 50 feet south of the southeasterly corner of Fourth avenue and Sixty-fifth street.
No. 16. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Third and Sixth avenues.
No. 17. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Third and Eighth avenues.
No. 18. East side of Thomas avenue, from the New Fordham School-house to the southerly line of the Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.
No. 19. Both sides of Sixty-third street, from Third to Fifth avenue.
No. 20. Both sides of Worth street, from Broadway to Chatham street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above described assessment lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 6th day of May ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MULLALLY, EDWARD NORTH, WILLIAM L. WILEY, Board of Assessors. OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, April 5, 1877.

of Avenue A, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Eighth avenue, between Sixty-eighth and Eighty-first streets.
No. 9. Both sides of Fifty-first street, from the east line of Twelfth avenue to the bulkhead line, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Twelfth avenue.

No. 10. Both sides of Eightieth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of Eighth avenue, from the circle at Fifty-ninth street to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. East side of Avenue A, between First and Second streets.

No. 14. East side of Ridge street, between Stanton and Houston streets.

No. 15. South side of Sixty-fifth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues, and extending 50 feet south of the southeasterly corner of Fourth avenue and Sixty-fifth street.

No. 16. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Third and Sixth avenues.

No. 17. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Third and Eighth avenues.

No. 18. East side of Thomas avenue, from the New Fordham School-house to the southerly line of the Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

No. 19. Both sides of Sixty-third street, from Third to Fifth avenue.

No. 20. Both sides of Worth street, from Broadway to Chatham street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above described assessment lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 6th day of May ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MULLALLY, EDWARD NORTH, WILLIAM L. WILEY, Board of Assessors. OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, April 5, 1877.

ALL PARTIES PRESENTING CLAIMS FOR DAMAGE to property by reason of closing the Bloomingdale road, are required in filing such claims, to produce their title deeds to said property.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MULLALLY, EDWARD NORTH, WILLIAM L. WILEY, Board of Assessors. OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, February 27, 1877.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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 streets, until Wednesday, the 2d day of May, 1877, and until 9 1/2 o'clock A. M., on said day, for enlarging Grammar School-house No. 28, on Fortieth street, near Eighth avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blanks for proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. 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 Painting," "Proposal for Heating," "Proposal for Furniture."

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. The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

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

JOEL W. MASON, A. H. UNDERHILL, WALTER CARTER, JOHN MORGAN, JAMES R. CUMING, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward. Dated New York, April 18, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, until Monday, the 30th day of April, 1877, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for erecting new wings, and for alterations to Grammar School-house No. 16, on West Thirteenth street, near Seventh avenue.

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

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 Painting," "Proposal for Heating," "Proposal for Furniture."

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, will be required from each successful bidder.

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

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

CHARLES S. WRIGHT, E. DENISON, M. D., HENRY DAYTON, WILLIAM H. ELY, DAVID M. EARL, Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward. Dated New York, April 16, 1877.

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 Thursday, the 26th day of April, 1877, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for erecting a new wing, and for altering and repairing Grammar School-house No. 39, on One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Second avenue.

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

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 Painting," "Proposal for Heating," "Proposal for Furniture."

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

DAVID H. KNAPP, ROSWELL G. ROLSTON, CHARLES CRARY, JOHN N. TONNELLE, GERMAIN HAUSCHELL, Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward. Dated New York, April 12, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, January 6, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the Assessment upon the Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1877, will be open for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 8, 1877, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1877, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

By order of the Board, ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, April 17, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit: 240,000 pounds Hay of the quality and standard known as good, sweet "Timothy."

40,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw. 1,800 bags White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag. 1,200 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

Will be received at these Headquarters until 9:30 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 2d proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

No proposals will be received or considered after the hour named.

Proposals may be made for one or more of the items, specifying the price per cwt. for Hay or Straw, and per bag for Oats and Feed. All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, amounting in the aggregate to one thousand dollars or more, who must each justify in one-half the amount thereof upon the same prior to its presentation.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for furnishing Forage," with the name of the bidder, and addressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

Blank forms of proposals, together with such further information as may be required, may be obtained upon application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed form of contract may also be seen.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all proposals received, or any part of such proposals, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

JOSEPH L. PERLEY, ROSWELL D. HATCH, VINCENT C. KING, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, April 17, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit: 1,800 tons of egg coal. 1,200 "stove"

To be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton or Lackawanna Valley, 2,000 pounds to the ton, well screened and free from slate.

100 cords of wood, to be best Virginia pine, cut twice. Will be received at these Headquarters until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 2d proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

No proposals will be received or considered after the hour named.

Proposals may be made for one or more of the items, specifying the price per ton for coal and per cord for wood.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, amounting in the aggregate to one thousand dollars or more, who must each justify in one-half the amount thereof upon the same prior to its presentation.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Furnishing Fuel," with the name of the bidder, and addressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

Blank forms of proposals, together with such further information as may be required, may be obtained upon application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed form of contract may also be seen.

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection: CONFIRMED MARCH 31, 1877.

One Hundredth street opening, from the westerly line of the Bloomingdale road to the easterly line of Riverside avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 17, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of 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 general information.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SCHOOL-SHIP MERCURY.

PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, THE SCHOOL ship Mercury will be sold at public auction, on SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1877,

at 12 o'clock, noon, at the New County Court-house. The vessel will be moored at the south side of New Pier 1, North river, at the Battery, where she may be seen at all reasonable hours.

Memorandum of articles remaining on the ship may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office.

TERMS OF SALE. Ten per cent. to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue, at the time and place of sale, the balance within three days, at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, in the New Court-house, upon delivery of the vessel.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 25, 1877. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

REAL ESTATE BELONGING TO THE CORPORATION of the City of New York, to be leased at auction, on Tuesday, May 15, 1877, pursuant to adjournment this day.

The leases of the following described property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, will be sold at public auction at the New County Court-house, on Tuesday, May 15, 1877, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the term of one year, eleven months, and fifteen days:

- No. 91 Chatham street.
No. 61 Thompson street.
Lots on south side Sixty-eighth street, between Third and Lexington avenues, Nos. 13 to 16.
Lot on north side Sixty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, No. 29.

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

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

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

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

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

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 9, 1877. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, April 10, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau, for collection: CONFIRMED FEBRUARY 14, 1877.

One Hundred and Eighth street sewer, between Third and Fifth avenues, with branches.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 9, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of 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 general information.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, April 10, 1877.

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EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, March 31, 1877.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1877, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from March 26 to May 1, 1877.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 20, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, March 31, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection: CONFIRMED MARCH 24, 1877.

Fifth and last installment, 3d avenue opening, etc., Morrisania.

1st avenue, paving, from 16th to 125th street. 60th street, paving, from 1st avenue to the East river. 63d street, paving, from 2d to 3d avenue. 67th street, paving, from 3d to 5th avenue. 76th street, paving, from 2d to 3d avenue. 156th street, sewer, between St. Ann's avenue and M Brook.

151st street, sewer, between 10th avenue and Boulevard. 35th street, sewer, between 9th and 10th avenues. 4th avenue, sewer, east side, between 8th and 88th streets. Madison avenue, sewer, between 127th and 128th streets. Basin on the northeast corner of Birmingham and Madison streets. Basin on the southwest corner of 54th street and 11th avenue. Basin on the northeast corner of 22d street and 13th avenue, and the northeast and southeast corners of 24th street and 13th avenue. Basin on East 3d street, in front of Nos. 395 and 397. 79th street, flagging, from 4th to 5th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before May 30, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of 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 general information.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, March 31, 1877.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

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

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 6, 1877.