

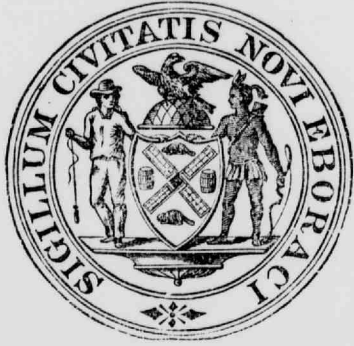
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending September 8, 1877.

<i>Deposits in the Treasury.</i>	
On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$61,757 30
“ “ City Treasury.....	80,836 22
Total	\$142,593 52

<i>Bonds and Stocks Issued.</i>	
Four per cent. Bonds.....	\$400,000 00
Five per cent. Bonds.....	6,000 00
Five per cent. Stock.....	15,000 00
Total	\$421,000 00

<i>Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.</i>	
Additional Free Floating Baths.....	\$1,922 00
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	9,914 84
Armories and Drill-rooms—For Wages of Armors.....	744 00
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	2,037 80
City Parks Improvement Fund.....	1,127 80
College of the City of New York.....	249 99
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	1,151 33
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	52 32
“ Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	20 00
“ Law Department.....	538 91
“ Mayor's Office.....	120 95
Croton Water Fund.....	1,069 75
Croton Water-main Fund.....	17,327 37
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	1,590 00
Dock Fund.....	15,500 51
Fire Department Fund.....	5,196 04
Foundling Asylum, under charge of the Sisters of Charity.....	19,880 33
Free Floating Baths.....	961 00
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance.....	166 66
Health Fund.....	1,001 63
Interest on the City Debt.....	12,567 50
Interest on Taxes.....	80 54
Institution for Deaf and Dumb.....	5,100 00
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	2,480 86
Lamps and Gas.....	795 00
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	8,704 51
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, including Bridges over Bronx river, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	2,159 25
Museum of Art Fund.....	1,504 44
Museum of Natural History Fund.....	250 00
New County Court-house.....	2,000 00
New York Bridge Fund.....	50,000 00
New York Catholic Protectory.....	19,817 32
New York Juvenile Asylum.....	13,750 00
New York State Homeopathic Asylum for the Insane.....	225 86
New York State Lunatic Asylum.....	212 75
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	474 16
Public Charities and Correction.....	1,739 14
Public Instruction.....	13,102 00
Publication of CITY RECORD.....	1,442 68
Refunding Assessments paid in Error.....	30 98
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	98 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements.....	8,765 79
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	6,435 75
Repaving under Chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	4,824 66
Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling.....	732 40
Salaries—City Courts.....	1,633 32
“ Judiciary.....	783 32
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	3,778 42
Street Improvement Fund.....	23,280 18
Street Improvement Fund—Riverside avenue.....	1,448 86
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street.....	1,014 50
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	6,151 32
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	1,088 71
Surveying, Laying-out, Monumenting, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,246 22
Third District Court-house Fund.....	125 00
Union Home and School for the Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers.....	1,996 85
Total.....	\$280,563 52

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
James A. Flack, assignee ..	\$62,885 33	For supplies furnished to New York County Jail in 1872 and 1873, by John M. Tracy.....	W. B. Putney.
Charles D. Ozden.....	1,669 68	For balance under contract for engine-house No. 48, in 1864.....	T. G. Swartewout.
John Powers.....	150 00	For damages for loss of harness and horse, drowned July 25, 1877.....	S. B. Brague.

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, Etc.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Charles C. Hastings and others.....	.....	Order reducing assessment for regulating and grading Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river, and paving Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.....	J. Edgar.
“	Morgan Jones.....	\$3,750 00	For rent of second and third floors of premises Nos. 106, 108, and 110 Centre street, February 1 to August 1, 1877.....	C. P. Shaw.
“	The Greenpoint Ferry Company.....	.....	Injunction restraining sale of ferries from Tenth street and Twenty-third street, East river, to Greenpoint, and order to show cause on September 12.....	Wetmore & Jenner.
“	Michael J. Bannon.....	655 36	Notice of Judgment.....	J. H. Strahan.
“	John N. Hayward.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment sale for opening road or Public Drive.....	Johnson & Ward.
“	William Lynch.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment sales for opening St. Nicholas avenue and Public Square.....	“
Com. Pleas	John O'Donnell vs. Robert McCristie..	.....	Order to examine Comptroller and restrain payment until further order.....	“

CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
4106	July 18, 1877	City Record.....	Martin B. Brown.....	Printing and distributing the City Record, from July 19, 1877, to July 19, 1878 (estimated, \$22,500).
4107	May 2, “	Public Instruction....	Robert Paton & Son.....	Furniture for Part No. 2, of Primary School Building No. 18, in Ninth Ward (\$300).
4108	July 25, “	“	Barnes & Hazen.....	Iron stairway for Grammar School Building No. 17, in Twenty-second Ward (\$1,350).
4109	Aug. 29, “	Public Works.....	B. Noonan.....	Ninth avenue sewers, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, and in One Hundred and First street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue (estimated, \$2,977.50).
4110	“ 3, “	Public Instruction....	Elder & Hudson.....	Heating apparatus for new Grammar School Building No. 70, in Nineteenth Ward (\$5,300).

Ferry Franchises.

The Comptroller sold at public auction, on September 6, 1877, for five per cent. of the gross receipts at the New York side, the franchises to run the following ferries, viz.:

- From Chambers street, North river, to Pavonia avenue, Jersey City, to the Receiver of the Erie Railway Company.
- From Houston street, East river, to Brooklyn, to the Nassau Ferry Company.
- From Thirty-fourth street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island, to the East River Ferry Company.

The sale of the Tenth and Twenty-third streets ferries to Greenpoint, Long Island, were restrained by injunction, until further orders from the Supreme Court, and the sale of the other ferry franchises was postponed until September 13, 1877.

September 5—The Greenpoint Ferry Company give notice of assignment of the bid for the lease of ferries from Tenth and Twenty-third streets, made October 23, 1875, and demand that leases be executed of such franchises.

September 6—United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company, and associates of the Jersey Company, protest that sale of the ferry from Desbrosses street, New York, to Harsimus, Jersey City, is null and void; also that there is no authority for sale of Cortlandt Street Ferry. Robinson & Scribner, Attorneys.

September 6—The Nassau Ferry Company protest against sale of ferry from Houston street, East river, to Brooklyn, E. D., and that bid is made by them under protest. Lawrence Waterbury, President.

September 6—The East River Ferry Company give notice that they are owners of, and in possession of the bulkhead at Thirty-fourth street and premises at Hunter's Point, near terminus of the Long Island Railroad Company. Lawrence Waterbury, President.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

- September 5—The Fire Department—For furnishing 5,000 feet of 2½ inch three or four-ply-hose, and for alterations and repairs to, and steam heating work for, the buildings Nos. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, occupied as the headquarters of the Fire Department.
- September 7—The Department of Public Charities and Correction—For furnishing groceries, oil, oats, lumber, and brick, for use of said department.

Approval of Sureties on Proposals.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

- September 4—For building pier (new number) 38 North river, including removal of part of pier (old number) 46.
 - J. Eugene White, 279 Quincy street, Brooklyn, Principal.
 - Thomas Patten, 113 East Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
 - Tunis D. White, 332 East Fourth street, }
- September 6—For furnishing 500 Chestnut Telegraph Poles, for use of the Fire Department.
 - James Mekeel, Cold Spring, Putnam County, N. Y., Principal.
 - Aaron Healy, 198 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, } Sureties.
 - David Moffat, 71 Willow street, Brooklyn, }
- September 8—For furnishing Japan tea, rye, oats, fine and coarse meal, for use of Department of Public Charities and Correction.
 - R. M. Masterton, 174 Pearl street, Principal.
 - John A. Eagleson, 211 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, } Sureties.
 - Alex. Masterton, Bronxville, N. Y., }
- September 8—For furnishing soap and codfish, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.
 - Robert Seaman & Co., 82 Murray street, Principals.
 - Henry A. Seaman, 15 West Thirty-seventh street, } Sureties.
 - Rufus Park, 164 West Eleventh street, }
- September 8—For making alterations and repairs to Headquarters Fire Department and furnishing materials therefor.
 - Joseph Ross, 458 West Forty-ninth street, Principal.
 - Henry Quinn, 442 West Forty-second street, } Sureties.
 - John Mahoney, 349 West Fiftyth street, }

Return of Proposal.

Proposal of Messrs. Gibb & O'Reilly, for repairing the roadway of the Third Avenue Bridge, over the Harlem river, returned to the Park Department for action on the proposed substitution by Messrs Gibb & O'Reilly of Mr. Charles G. Mason, of No. 356 East Fourth street, as surety thereon, in place of Mr. Timothy J. Campbell, No. 14 Columbia street, originally offered.

Removals.

Daniel Patterson and Bernard Lynch, Cartmen in the Bureau of Markets.

Appointments.

John Moore and A. Greene, Cartmen in the Bureau of Markets, with compensation at the rate of \$3.50 each per diem.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of proceedings of the Board of Commissioners at meetings held August 29, 30, and 31, and September 1 and 3, 1877. Present—President Vincent C. King, and Commissioner John J. Gorman, at all, and Commissioner Joseph L. Perley on September 3.

Communications

From— Chief of Department—Report of investigations of operations of the Department at fire on Eleventh avenue, between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets. Filed September 3.

Inspector of Combustibles—Lists of applicants for licenses, etc., viz.: For sale and storage of kerosene oil. 102 For sale and storage of chemicals. 1 For kindling fire in streets. 2

Granted, August 29. Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted, August 29: Resolved, That the following-named parties be and are hereby fined five dollars each for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that the names and addresses of the witnesses necessary to establish the facts in each case, together with all other necessary information, be furnished to the Counsel to the Corporation, who is hereby requested to enforce the collection of the penalty, viz.:

Patrick Race, 9 Madison street. Mrs. Catharine McNulty, 232 East Twenty-ninth street (rear). Robert Welsh, 201 East Thirty-eighth street. James McManus, 328 East Fifty-third street. Philip Wenger, 414 First avenue. Examining Board of Engineers—Report on application of Private L. S. Hoagland, of Engine Co. No. 18, for promotion. Filed, August 29. Superintendent of Telegraph, recommending purchase of detector, locks, and attachments, at an estimated cost of \$77.50. Purchase ordered, August 29. Medical Officer, recommending extensions of leaves of absence to— Engineer of Steamer Charles A. Woodhull, of Engine Co. No. 8. Granted, August 29. Assistant Engineer of Steamer, George W. Berrian, of Engine Co. No. 31. Granted, September 3.

Fireman Charles Ackerman, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4. Granted, September 3. Robert K. Grace, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9. Granted, September 3. Daniel Dunn, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 15. Granted, August 29.

Same, recommending extensions of leaves of absence, on account of physical disabilities not attributable to nature of duty, to— Fireman Dennis J. Leary, of Engine Co. No. 4. Granted on half pay, August 29.

Joseph McGowan, of Engine Co. No. 6. Granted on half pay, August 29. Richard Webb, of Chemical Engine Co. No. 3. Granted on half pay, September 3. Ladderman James Rooney, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18. Granted on half pay, August 29.

Same, recommending excuse from fire duty to— Chief of Battalion Samuel Campbell. Approved, September 3. Fireman James McTaggart, of Engine Co. No. 12. Approved, August 29.

John Cotton, of Engine Co. No. 23. Approved, August 29. Foreman of Hospital Stables, recommending purchase of two horses for Engine Co. No. 27. Selection ordered, August 29.

Same—Report of selection of horse for Engine Co. No. 7. Purchase ordered at \$325.00, August 29. Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops—Requisitions for supplies, estimated cost, \$38.30 and \$12. Purchase ordered, August 29.

Same, recommending repairs at quarters of Engine Cos. Nos. 1, 7, 23, and 36, and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7, at cost of \$54, \$9, \$26, \$16, and \$29, respectively. Ordered, August 29. Same, recommending purchase of saws. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies, August 29.

Foremen of Engine Cos. Nos. 11, 17, and 26, and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16, recommending locations for fire alarm box keys. Approved, and issue ordered, September 3. Foreman of Engine Co. No. 17, reporting rescue of Lena Zeirlen, by Fireman Dennis J. Doran, at fire No. 188 Eldridge street. Referred back for details, September 3.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, reporting death of Mrs. Jane Leslie. Referred to Trustees of Relief Fund, August 30. Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 15, reporting death of Fireman Daniel Dunn. Filed, August 30.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16, relative to closing of street on which Company is located. Laid over, August 29. Engineer of Steamer C. W. Lamoraux, of Engine Co. No. 21, applying for leave of absence. Granted, August 30.

Fireman Oscar A. Pesoa, of Engine Co. No. 34, relative to a claim against a member of the Department. Filed, with directions, August 30. Fireman Patrick McCarthy, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman. Referred to Examining Board, August 29.

Private Charles Margison, of Engine Co. No. 29, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of Steamer. Filed, August 29. Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriations. Filed, August 29.

Department of Public Parks, denying application of this Department for permission to erect magazines for storage of explosives in the public parks. Filed, with directions to inform Committee, N. Y. Board of Fire Underwriters, of application and result, August 30.

Blake Hose Co., offering to furnish hose. Filed, August 29. John S. Cochrane, tendering for acceptance the self-regulating Fire Escape placed at the Repair Shops. Filed, with directions to accept and grant certificate, August 29.

Edward S. Clinch, attorney—Relative to claim of Fireman George Nunn. Filed with directions to reply. August 30. Gilbert K. Merritt, requesting reinstatement. Laid over, August 30.

Isaac H. Dahlman, certificate of Veterinary Surgeons, as to condition of horse of Engine Co. No. 19. Filed, September 3. Plans for alteration of building No. 159 East Eighty-fifth street, were submitted and approved, September 3.

The draft of General Order No. 21, read, approved, and promulgation ordered, August 30.

Communications

From— David Graham, Joseph M. Kelley, John Royal, Daniel Lawson, Joseph H. Munday, Michael F. Cummings, and Charles E. Simms, claiming to have been illegally removed. Filed, August 29.

Resolution was adopted August 29, directing that William Terhune, Inspector of Combustibles, and James Cummings, Property Clerk, be notified of proposed removal for reasons assigned, and that opportunity will be allowed for explanation. Affidavit of service of said notice was submitted on August 30, and in compliance therewith the said parties appeared and made statements, after consideration of which their removal from their respective positions was ordered, to take effect from August 31.

Writs of certiorari granted by Supreme Court in cases of Charles E. Simms, et al., were received August 31, and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, and resolution adopted directing that, without conceding any irregularity or illegality in the removal of Charles E. Simms, John Royal, Daniel Lawson, Joseph H. Munday, Michael F. Cummings, David Graham, and Joseph M. Kelly, on August 15, the said parties be notified that for reasons assigned it is proposed to remove them from the positions respectively held by them on that date, and that opportunity will be allowed for explanation. Affidavit of service of said notice (on all except Joseph H. Munday), was submitted September 1, and the said parties failing to appear at the time designated for a hearing, resolution was adopted directing the removal from their respective positions of Charles E. Simms, John Royal, Daniel Lawson, Michael F. Cummings, David Graham, and Joseph M. Kelley, to take effect from September 1.

Resolution was adopted September 1, directing that Joseph H. Munday be notified that for reasons assigned it is proposed to remove him from the position held by him on August 15, and that opportunity will be allowed for explanation. Affidavit of service of said notice, as also other affidavits relative to the case were submitted September 3, and he failing to appear at the time designated for a hearing, a resolution was offered directing the removal of Joseph H. Munday, to take effect from September 3, which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—President King and Commissioner Gorman. Negative—Commissioner Perley.

Discharges.

August 29. William Mathews, Foreman Repair Shops, to take effect August 31. " 29. Quirin Falk, Tower Watchman, to take effect August 31. September 1. Hiram S. Williams, Machinist, Repair Shops, to take effect September 1.

Appointments.

August 30. Peter Seery, as Inspector of Combustibles, at a salary of \$2,500 per annum, from September 1.

August 31. Samuel T. Keese, as Property Clerk, at a salary of \$1,300 per annum, from September 1.

August 31. William Hennessy, as Tower Watchman, at a salary of \$800 per annum, from September 1.

September 1. Roger McDermott, as Machinist in Repair Shops, at a salary of \$3 per day, from September 3.

September 1. John Murray, as Machinist in Repair Shops, at a salary of \$3 per day, from September 3.

Promotion.

August 31. Machinist James Riley to be Foreman of Repair Shops, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum, from September 1.

September 1. Suspension, by Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops, of Antone Niebergall, Wheelwright, was approved, and discharge ordered from September 1.

September 3. Suspension, by same, of James Riley, Foreman of Repair Shops, was approved.

Transfers

to take effect September 1:

Ordered August 29— Assistant Foreman James Heaney, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 11 to Engine Co. No. 9. " Edward O'Brien, Engine Co. No. 9 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 11. Assistant Engineer of Steamer John H. Leonard, Engine Co. No. 8 to Engine Co. No. 25. " Richard D. Hall, Engine Co. No. 25 to Engine Co. No. 8. Fireman Winfield S. Rowland, Engine Co. No. 41 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18. " John H. Zwickert, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18 to Engine Co. No. 41. " Asa J. Henderson, Engine Co. No. 20 to Engine Co. No. 3. " James Goodall, Engine Co. No. 31 to Engine Co. No. 20. " John Carney, Engine Co. No. 3 to Engine Co. No. 17. " George Mauer, Engine Co. No. 5 to Engine Co. No. 7. " John Cavanagh, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1.

Ordered August 31— Night Watchman James Griffiths, Repair Shops to Hospital Stables. Laborer Patrick Hughes, Repair Shops to Hospital Stables. " Andrew L. Lewis, " " "

Bills

audited, August 30, and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the current year—Schedule No. 35.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes entries like Banks & Fullerton, apparatus, supplies, \$450 00; Hunter, Keller & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc., \$45 49; Carlock, Abm. D., apparatus, supplies, etc., 44 75; Lacour, Alexander, apparatus, supplies, etc., 240 00; Case, John, apparatus, supplies, etc., 42 00; Manchester Locomotive Works, apparatus, supplies, etc., 630 00; Chovey, C. L. & Co., " 61 50; Composite Iron Works Co., " 182 00; Marshall, Oscar T., apparatus, supplies, etc., 160 00; Dahlman, Isaac H., " 650 00; Moore, Elias, apparatus, supplies, etc., 22 12; Delamater, C. H. & Co., " 40 00; Newell, D. C. & Sons, " 673 88; Feigel, M. & Bro., " 15 70; Phelps, Dodge & Co., " 85 50; Fleming, James J., " 32 50; George Place M'fg Agency, apparatus, supplies, etc., 65 00; Walsh, Coulter & Flagler, apparatus, supplies, etc., 31 10; Hamm, A., apparatus, supplies, etc., 250 00; Whitbeck, John B., T. Wandall, and Heuberer, Charles E., " 900 00; Charles E. Quackenbush, apparatus, supplies, etc., 125 00; Hotchkiss, Guy C., Field & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc., 450 00; Humphrey's Spec. Homeo. Med. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc., 12 50; Total, \$5,209 04.

Pay-rolls

audited, August 31, and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the current year—Schedule No. 36.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes entries like Headquarters, Pay-roll for August, \$3,565 06; Telegraph Force, " 2,310 05; Repair Shops, " 3,358 47; Bureau of Combustibles, " 1,056 66; Bureau of Fire Marshal, " 600 00; Bureau of Chief of Department, Pay-rolls for August, 2,724 97; Superintendent of Horses, " 417 00; Engine and Hook and Ladder Co.'s, " 74,058 82; Extra Telegraph Force, Pay-roll for August, apparatus, supplies, etc., 1,139 50; Total, \$89,230 53.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, September 4, 1877.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending Saturday, September 1, 1877:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes entries like For Croton Water Rent, \$14,669 40; For Penalties on Croton Water Rent, 258 95; For Tapping Croton Pipes, 102 50; For Vault Permits, 1,305 65; For Sewer Permits, 190 00; For Sewer Pipe sold to contractors, 26 40; Total, \$16,552 90.

Permits issued.

3 permits to construct street vaults. 16 permits to make sewer connections. 22 permits to repair sewer connections. 21 permits to tap Croton pipes. 32 permits to repair water connections. 88 permits to place building material on streets.

Obstructions removed.

1 stand from northwest corner of Broadway and Canal street. 1 stand from No. 63 Cortlandt street.

Public Baths.

The number of bathers during the week was as follows:

	Males.	Females.
At bath foot of Bethune street.....	28,344	3,524
" East Fifth street.....	30,612	8,121
" Gouverneur slip.....	29,075	4,600
" East Thirty-seventh street.....	30,200	8,600
" East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.....	27,300	8,500
" West Fifty-first street.....	30,500	5,100
Totals.....	176,031	38,445

Public Lamps.

- 11 new lamps lighted.
- 2 lamps discontinued.
- 2 lamp-posts removed.
- 4 lamp-posts removed and reset.
- 15 lamp-posts straightened.
- 4 columns relaid.
- 3 columns refitted.

Report of Photometrical Examinations Illuminating Gas, for the week ending September 1, 1877, made at the Photometrical Room of the Department of Public Works, southeast corner Grand and Centre streets.

DATE.	TIME.	TEMPERATURE		GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure at Point of Ignition.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Gas per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
		Thermometer.	Barometer.						Observed.	Corrected.
1877.		DEG.				INCH.				
Aug. 27	3.30 P.M.	83	30.23	New York.....	Sugg-Letheby....	.05	5.08	120.00	16.64	16.37
" 28	4 P.M.	84.5	30.18	" .....	" .....	.05	5.05	121.20	16.88	16.88
" 29	3.30 P.M.	86	30.00	" .....	" .....	.05	5.05	124.20	16.52	16.91
" 30	3 P.M.	85	30.07	" .....	" .....	.05	4.97	120.00	16.88	16.98
" 31	1 P.M.	83.5	30.03	" .....	" .....	.05	5.06	124.20	16.22	16.57
Sept. 1	2 P.M.	83	29.81	" .....	" .....	.05	5.02	120.75	16.58	16.62
									Average.	16.72
Aug. 27	2.30 P.M.	83	30.23	Manhattan.....	" .....	.05	4.98	117.00	17.12	16.75
" 28	2.30 P.M.	83.5	30.18	" .....	" .....	.05	4.96	121.80	16.48	16.86
" 29	2.30 P.M.	85.5	30.00	" .....	" .....	.05	4.92	120.00	17.54	17.92
" 30	2.30 P.M.	84	30.07	" .....	" .....	.05	4.97	123.00	16.60	17.11
" 31	12.30 P.M.	83	30.09	" .....	" .....	.05	4.97	123.00	17.26	17.79
Sept. 1	1.30 P.M.	82	29.81	" .....	" .....	.05	4.98	120.00	17.46	17.52
									Average.	17.32
Aug. 27	4 P.M.	84	30.23	N. Y. Mutual..	" .....	.05	4.38	117.00	16.76	18.65
" 28	5 P.M.	85	30.18	" .....	" .....	.05	4.14	117.00	16.45	19.36
" 29	4 P.M.	85	30.00	" .....	" .....	.05	4.11	117.90	16.04	19.16
" 30	4 P.M.	85	30.07	" .....	" .....	.05	4.25	121.20	16.80	19.95
" 31	1.30 P.M.	84	30.09	" .....	" .....	.05	4.34	123.75	15.64	18.58
Sept. 1	2.30 P.M.	83.5	29.81	" .....	" .....	.05	4.22	120.00	16.21	19.20
									Average.	19.15

E. G. LOVE, Gas Examiner.

Replacing Pavements over Croton Pipes.

- In Fifth avenue, between Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets.
- In Fifth avenue, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets.
- In Madison avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-second streets.
- In Eleventh avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets.
- In Fifty-second street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
- In Chambers street, between Broadway and Centre streets.

Repairing Pavements.

- In One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.
- In Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.
- In Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- In Forty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.
- In Thirty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
- In Thirty-first street, between Third and Fourth avenues.
- In Twenty-fifth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.
- In Twenty-fourth street, between Broadway and Sixth avenue.
- In Twenty-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
- In Fourteenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
- In Eleventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- In Eleventh street, between First and Second avenues.
- In Fourth street, between Avenues A and B.
- In Lexington avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-eighth streets.
- In Lexington avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.
- In First avenue, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets.
- In Second avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets.
- In Gouverneur street, between Madison and Water streets.
- In Greenwich avenue, between Jane and Thirteenth streets.
- In Houston street, between Washington and West streets.
- In Great Jones street, between Bowery and Broadway.
- In Pine street, between Broadway and Nassau street.
- In Ann street, between Broadway and Nassau street.
- In New Chambers street, between New Bowery and Pearl street.
- In Forsyth street, between Delancey and Houston streets.
- In Madison street, between Market and Pike streets.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 105 receiving-basins cleaned.
- 150 lineal feet of sewers cleaned.
- 8 lineal feet of sewers rebuilt.
- 9 lineal feet of culverts rebuilt.
- 9 lineal feet of spur pipe laid.
- 12 receiving-basins repaired.
- 1 basin head reset.
- 6 manholes repaired.
- 4 new manhole frames and covers put on.
- 4 manhole frames and covers reset.
- 415 cubic yards earth excavated.
- 60 square yards Belgian pavement relaid.

Appointments.

- John Costello, Inspector on Sewers.
- Jeremiah Crowley, Inspector on Sewers.
- James Anderson, Inspector on Regulating and Grading.
- William Eiseman, Inspector on Paving.
- Edward Roach, Inspector on Paving.

Removals.

- J. E. White, Temporary Inspector on Water Pipes.
- William B. Chambers, Temporary Inspector on Water Pipes.
- J. A. Page, Temporary Clerk.

STATEMENT of Laboring Force employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending September 1, 1877.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	1	52	3	..
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	2	15	..	..
Laying and repairing Croton pipes.....	28	91	..	21
Repairing pavements.....	48	163	1	51
Cleaning and repairing sewers.....	3	22	..	12
Maintenance of Boulevards and Avenues.....	1	35	17	..
Repairing roads.....	..	17	6	..
Total.....	83	395	27	..
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	1	..
Decrease from previous week.....	12	5	..	2

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department upon the Comptroller during the week is \$67,275.09.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 7th day of September, 1877.
Present—Messrs. Smith, Wheeler, Erhardt, and Nichols, Commissioners.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

- Patrolman Joseph Weinberg, Fourteenth Precinct, two and one-half days, without pay.
- Thomas F. Adams, Detective Squad, five days, without pay.

Parades Approved.

- New York Caledonian Club, September 6. Annual Games.
- Morton Commandery K. T., September 12. Parade.
- Cheruska Lodge I. O. O. F., September 6. Funeral.
- Orange Co. Milk Dealers Guard, September 10. Target Excursion.
- Report of Sergeant Schultz, Twenty-fourth Precinct, on claim of A. C. Cheney for damages by Steamer Seneca, was referred to the Counsel to the Board.
- Report of Captain Killilea, Thirty-third Precinct, relative to detail of Patrolman Augustus Willow at Portchester Railroad Depot, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.
- An application of Patrolman David Gerrow, Twenty-ninth Precinct, for promotion, was ordered on file.
- An application of Patrolman George Lyman, Western Steamboat Squad, for twenty days sick leave, was referred to the Superintendent to report to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.
- An application of Patrolman Nathan B. Sanford, Western Steamboat Squad, for transfer, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.
- Communication from Henry Bergh, President, etc., suggesting that certain rules of the Board of Police be amended, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.
- The Treasurer submitted a statement in response to Circular No. 12, Finance Department, for the week ending September 1, which was ordered on file, and a copy to be forwarded to the Comptroller.

Thomas McGill
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Chas. A. St. John, Property Clerk.

Resolved, That the papers in this case be referred to the Counsel to the Board, for defense.
A proposition to make the following transfers, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline:

- Sergeant John Thompson, from Eastern Steamboat Squad to Sixteenth Precinct.
- Tunis V. Holbrow, from Fifteenth Precinct to Eastern Steamboat Squad.
- Resolved, That the following transfers be ordered:
- Sergeant William J. Linden, from First to Thirty-first Precinct.
- Patrick McNally, from Eighth to Fourteenth Precinct.
- Charles H. Rheimsch, from Western Steamboat Squad to First Precinct.
- Patrolman John M. Matthews, from First to Eighth Precinct.
- James McMahon, from First to Fourteenth Precinct.

Whereas, Representations have been made to this Department by the National Rifle Association, that the services of the Police Force of the City of New York will be required on the occasion of the International Rifle contest at Creedmoor, on the 13th and 14th instant, it was
Resolved, That the Superintendent be and is hereby directed to detail not to exceed fifty Policemen for duty at Creedmoor, on the 13th and 14th instants; and that Rule 38 be and is hereby suspended for such purpose.

Resolved, That the Board of Police hereby consents to the transfer by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to such objects and purposes as may be required in the interests of the city, the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500), from the unexpended balance of the appropriation of 1875 for account of "Salaries—Police Department," said amount being in excess of the amount required, or deemed to be necessary for the purposes or objects thereof.

Resolved, That the territory of the Nineteenth Precinct be and is hereby divided into two Precincts, to be denominated and known as the Nineteenth Precinct and Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Nineteenth Precinct.

Resolved, That the area of the Nineteenth Precinct shall consist of that portion of the present Nineteenth Precinct which is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the centre line of Sixth avenue with the south line of Central Park, and running thence easterly along said southerly line of Central Park to the centre line of Fifth avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of Fifth avenue to the centre line of Fifty-eighth street; thence easterly along the centre line of Fifty-eighth street to the line of high water on East river; thence southerly along the line of high water on East river to the centre line of Forty-second street; thence westerly along said centre line of Forty-second street to the centre line of Lexington avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Lexington avenue to the line of the curb stone of the north sidewalk of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along the line of said curb stone to the centre line of Madison avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of Madison avenue to the centre line of Forty-second street; thence westerly on the centre line of Forty-second street to the centre line of Sixth avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Sixth avenue to the southerly line of the Central Park, the place of beginning.

Resolved, That the buildings lately constructed by the Police Department on the north side of East Fifty-first street, between Third and Lexington avenues, shall be the Station-house and Lodging-rooms of and for the Nineteenth Precinct, as hereinabove established and bounded, wherein shall be arraigned and detained, in pursuance of the rules and regulations of the department, all persons arrested by members of the Police Force for any criminal offenses.

Resolved, That the Police Force of said Precinct shall consist of one Captain, four Sergeants, two Doormen, and such number of Patrolmen as shall be from time to time assigned to duty in said Precinct.

Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Resolved, That the area of the Twenty-eighth Precinct shall consist of that portion of the present Nineteenth Precinct, which is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point where the east line of Central Park intersects the centre line of East Seventy-ninth street; thence running easterly on the centre line of Seventy-ninth street to the line of high-tide water on the East river; thence southerly along said line of high-tide water to the centre line of East Fifth-eighth street; thence westerly along the centre line of said Fifth-eighth street to the centre line of Fifth avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Fifth avenue to the northerly line of Fifty-ninth street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Fifty-ninth street to the easterly line of Central Park; thence along said easterly line of Central Park to the place of beginning.

Resolved, That the buildings and premises No. 120 East Fifty-ninth street, formerly occupied as Station-house and Prison of the Nineteenth Precinct, shall hereafter constitute and be occupied as

the Station-house, Prison, and Lodging-rooms of and for the Twenty-eighth Precinct, as hereinabove established and bounded, and the Police Force thereof, wherein shall be arraigned and detained, in pursuance of the orders, rules, and regulations of the department, all persons arrested by the Police Force for any criminal offences.

Resolved, That the Police Force of the Twenty-eighth Precinct shall consist of one Captain, four Sergeants, two Doormen, and such number of Patrolman as shall be, from time to time, assigned to duty in said precinct.

Resolved, That the Superintendent report a programme of night posts for the Nineteenth and Twenty-eighth Precincts, having in view the relative demand for police service in said precincts, and on the basis of the quota of the Patrolmen established for the present Nineteenth Precinct, and the division of that quota between the two precincts.

Whereas, John H. Starin, by letter of the 6th inst., tenders "the use of three barges and the Steamboat H. M. Wells, with music, free of charge, for a pic-nic on the 12th inst., under the auspices of the Police Force, for the Police Force and their families—tickets limited to 2,500; it is therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Police assent to the proposed arrangement, and hereby transmit their thanks to Mr. Starin for the generous proposition.

Resolved, That the Board have no objection that privileges be granted to the sale, on the steam-boat and barges, of proper refreshments for the picnic party (intoxicating drinks excepted), the proceeds of sales of such privileges to be appropriated as Mr. Starin shall propose.

Resolved, That the Superintendent distribute the tickets for such picnic, and require that the excursion leave at 8 A. M., and returning land at the piers at 5 P. M., to enable policemen to report for duty at 6 P. M.

Judgments—Dismissals.

Patrolman John Constant, First Precinct.

Fines imposed.

- Patrolman James McMahon, First Precinct, two days' pay.
James Flanagan, First Precinct, three days' pay.
Henry Shea, First Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John Raleigh, First Precinct, three days' pay.
John Raleigh, First Precinct, one day's pay.
John M. Matthews, First Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John M. Matthews, First Precinct, one day's pay.
James Mongan, First Precinct, one day's pay.
James Mulvey, First Precinct, one day's pay.
John Newton, First Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Thomas Barrett, First Precinct, one day's pay.
Michael Gilmore, First Precinct, two days' pay.
Joseph Glynn, First Precinct, one-half day's pay.
James J. Ennis, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.
Patrick Barnwell, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.
Martin Keough, Fourth Precinct, two days' pay.
Charles W. H. Fincken, Fourth Precinct, two days' pay.
Thomas Flynn, Fourth Precinct, five days' pay.
Albert Kulle, Fourth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Aaron H. Hoyt, First Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Timothy O'Leary, Fourth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
George Snyder, Fifth Precinct, two days' pay.
Emil E. Listman, Fifth Precinct, two days' pay.
Emil E. Listman, Fifth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
James S. Hafl, Fifth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
August Alberts, Fifth Precinct, three days' pay.
John B. Huntzinger, Fifth Precinct, three days' pay.
William Brady, Seventh Precinct, one day's pay.
William Thompson, Seventh Precinct, three days' pay.
Adolph Hummell, Eighth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Patrick Kelly, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
John G. Burke, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
Charles A. McDonald, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
James McCabe, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
James McCabe, Eighth Precinct, five days' pay.
Andrew H. Rowley, Eighth Precinct, two days' pay.
Warren Harrington, Eighth Precinct, two days' pay.
James Connell, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
Charles E. Jewell, Ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
William Bower, Ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John G. Creighton, Ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John Kelly, Ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Michael McDonald, Ninth Precinct, three days' pay.
John A. Wood, Ninth Precinct, ten days' pay.
William Doughty, Ninth Precinct, two days' pay.
Edmund Carey, Ninth Precinct, two days' pay.
John Maher, Tenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Patrick Brennan, Tenth Precinct, one day's pay.
George W. Boyle, Tenth Precinct, five days' pay.
Frank Woodward, Tenth Precinct, three days' pay.
Bartholomew Mullane, Tenth Precinct, five days' pay.
William H. Hughes, Tenth Precinct, one day's pay.
Simon Martin, Tenth Precinct, one day's pay.
Charles Dyruff, Tenth Precinct, two days' pay.
Charles Dyruff, Tenth Precinct, two days' pay.
Cornelius McCarthy, Tenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Dennis F. Ryan, Tenth Precinct, five days' pay.
Jacob Caprano, Eleventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Peter Holbrook, Eleventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Albert Rohloff, Eleventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Herman Interman, Eleventh Precinct, five days' pay.
James Van Ranst, Eleventh Precinct, one day's pay.
William Lally, Twelfth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Frederick Gillman, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
George Broderick, Fourteenth Precinct, three days' pay.
James Quinn, Fourteenth Precinct, fifteen days' pay.
Thomas J. Waters, Fourteenth Precinct, three days' pay.
Philip Daab, Fourteenth Precinct, three days' pay.
Hugh J. McGrade, Fourteenth Precinct, two days' pay.
Joseph Leamey, Fourteenth Precinct, two days' pay.
Frank Wilson, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
John Gallagher, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
Edward Graham, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
Patrick Connolly, Fourteenth Precinct, fifteen days' pay.
Patrick Connolly, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
William Mulcahy, Fifteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John Dunn, Fifteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
Edward J. Kennedy, Fifteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
Peter McDermott, Fifteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Michael R. Fant, Sixteenth Precinct, three days' pay.
John Butterly, Seventeenth Precinct, three days' pay.
Charles Bernstein, Seventeenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Charles May, Eighteenth Precinct, three days' pay.
Charles May, Eighteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
William F. McGrann, Eighteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John V. B. Corey, Eighteenth Precinct, three days' pay.
John B. McLaughlin, Eighteenth Precinct, three days' pay.
John B. McLaughlin, Eighteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
James Tallon, Nineteenth Precinct, five days' pay.
Nathaniel B. Abbott, Jr., Nineteenth Precinct, two days' pay.
Martin S. Burns, Nineteenth Precinct, five days' pay.
James A. Driscoll, Nineteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Daniel P. Hackett, Twentieth Precinct, one day's pay.
Samuel Campbell, Twenty-first Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John Gilmore, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
John Gilmore, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
Patrick Smith, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
James Fahy, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
Francis Lavelle, Twenty-second Precinct, one-half day's pay.
William Fitcher, Twenty-second Precinct, one and one-half days' pay.
James Lynch, Twenty-second Precinct, three days' pay.
Peter McDonnell, Twenty-second Precinct, two days' pay.
William Morgenweek, Twenty-second Precinct, one day's pay.

- Patrolman Charles S. Hartman, Twenty-third Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John O'Mahoney, Twenty-third Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Michael Regan, Twenty-third Precinct, one day's pay.
Alfonzo Roberson, Twenty-third Precinct, three days' pay.
Bernard Pettit, Twenty-third Precinct, two days' pay.
Joseph Sawyer, Twenty-third Precinct, two days' pay.
Francis J. Plant, Twenty-third Precinct, two days' pay.
James Casey, Twenty-third Precinct, one day's pay.
Patrick W. Reilley, Twenty-third Precinct, one-half day's pay.
James H. Dunlap, Twenty-seventh Precinct, two days' pay.
John J. Hurley, Twenty-seventh Precinct, ten days' pay.
George M. Randall, Twenty-seventh Precinct, three days' pay.
Christopher Rabbitt, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Philander S. Weeks, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one day's pay.
Robert Stevenson, Twenty-ninth Precinct, three days' pay.
William Collins, Twenty-ninth Precinct, two days' pay.
Dennis Moran, Twenty-ninth Precinct, three days' pay.
Robert Esch, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
James Brown, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Thomas Coen, Twenty-ninth Precinct, two days' pay.
Michael Carroll, Thirtieth Precinct, three days' pay.
Thomas Duffy, Thirty-second Precinct, one day's pay.
Thomas Kearney, Thirty-second Precinct, one day's pay.
John Crowley, Thirty-second Precinct, three days' pay.
Thomas Fanning, Thirty-second Precinct, one-half day's pay.
John Keilley, Thirty-third Precinct, one-half day's pay.
Philip Fillman, Thirty-third Precinct, one day's pay.
John H. Condon, Thirty-third Precinct, three days' pay.
William Mann, Thirty-third Precinct, ten days' pay.
John Dwyer, Fifth Court, three days' pay.

Reprimands by Inspector.

Table with 2 columns: Precinct and Name. Lists reprimands for various patrolmen across different precincts.

Complaints Dismissed.

Table with 2 columns: Precinct and Name. Lists dismissed complaints for various patrolmen and sergeants.

Street Cleaning.

Communication from J. W. Hoyt, relative to removal of garbage from the city, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

The Committee on Street Cleaning submitted the following proposals for repairing scows:

- John F. Walsh, Scow No. 6, \$340; Scow No. 22, \$150.
Jenkins, Smith & Co., Scow No. 6, \$375; Scow No. 22, \$150.

Whereupon it was

Resolved, That the proposal of John F. Walsh for repairing Scows No. 6 and 22, for the sum of \$150 and \$340 respectively, be and is hereby accepted, he being the lowest bidder—all voting aye.

The Committee on Street Cleaning submitted the following proposals for repairs to engine, hull, and upper works of the tug "Wm. Parks":

- George W. Quintard, repairs to engine, \$55 00
James D. Leary, repairs to hull, etc., 470 00
John F. Walsh, repairs to hull, etc., 450 00

Wherefore it was

Resolved, That the contract for repairs to engine of the tug "Wm. Parks" be awarded to George W. Quintard, for the sum of \$55; and the contract for repairs to hull and upper works, be awarded to John F. Walsh, for the sum of \$450—they being the lowest bidders—all voting aye.

Bureau of Elections.

Resolved, That the Chief of the Bureau of Elections be and is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for furnishing the necessary stationery, and for printing such blanks and forms as will be required for the ensuing registration and election.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK,

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS, For the Week Ending September 8, 1877.

Barometer.

Table with columns: DATE, 7 A. M., 2 P. M., 9 P. M., MEAN FOR THE DAY, MAXIMUM, MINIMUM. Rows for Sunday through Saturday.

Mean for the week... 29.891 inches. Maximum... 30.073. Minimum... 29.602. Range... .471.

Thermometers.

Table with columns: DATE, 7 A. M., 2 P. M., 9 P. M., MEAN, MAXIMUM, MINIMUM, MAXIMUM. Rows for Sunday through Saturday.

Mean for the week... 64.5 degrees. Maximum... 77. Minimum... 54. Range... 23.

Wind.

Table with columns: DATE, DIRECTION, VELOCITY IN MILES, FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT. Rows for Sunday through Saturday.

Distance traveled during the week... 1,229 miles. Maximum force... 8 1/2 pounds.

Table with columns: DATE, Hygrometer, Clouds, Rain and Snow. Rows for Sunday through Saturday.

Total amount of water for the week... .68 inches.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, Monday, September 10, 1877—1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met pursuant to the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL, NEW YORK, September 8, 1877.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 112th section of chapter 335, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; and section 1 of chapter 779, being an act entitled "An act in relation to raising money by taxation in the County of New York, for county purposes," passed June 14, 1873; and chapter 304, being an act entitled "An act to consolidate the government of the City and County of New York, and further to regulate the same," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 303, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the County of New York," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 308, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed May 1, 1874—a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Monday, September 10, 1877, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purposes specified in requisition of the Comptroller, dated September 8, 1877.

SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 8, 1877.

Hon. SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor:

SIR—You are requested to call a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on Monday, the 10th instant, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of transacting any business that may come before the Board.

Very respectfully, JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

INDORSED:

Admission of a copy of the within, as served upon us this 10th day of September, 1877.

SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor; JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; JOHN WHEELER, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Present—The following members, viz.: Smith Ely, Jr., the Mayor of the City of New York; John Kelly, the Comptroller of the City of New York; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Absent—Henry D. Purroy, the President of the Board of Aldermen. The minutes of the meeting held September 5, 1877, were read and approved. By unanimous consent the rule adopted at meeting of June 23, 1874, relating to calls of meetings, was suspended in order to act upon the issue of "Croton Water Stock," "Croton Water Main Stock," and "Revenue Bonds."

Whereupon the Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue from time to time, as may be required, and at such rates of interest as he may determine, not exceeding seven per cent. per annum, "Additional Croton Water Stock," as authorized by chapters 56 and 328, Laws of 1871, and on account of requisition of the Department of Public Works, of April 21, 1877, to the amount of fifty thousand dollars.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative, by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue, from time to time, as may be required, and at such rates of interest as he may determine, not exceeding seven per cent. per annum, "Croton Water Main Stock," as authorized by chapter 477, Laws of 1875, and on account of requisition of the Department of Public Works, of March 22, 1877, to the amount of fifty thousand dollars.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller presented the following communication: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE (EAST), NEW YORK, July 21 1877.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of this Department, held on the 18th day of July inst., the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the President be and he is hereby requested to make application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the transfer of six hundred and twenty-five (\$625) dollars from the appropriation for "Maintenance of Parks and Places, 1875," to the appropriation for "Maintenance of Parks and Places, 1876," to enable said bill of the New York Mutual Gas-light Company to be paid.

The bill above referred to is for balance of rent for the two quarters ending August 1 and November 1, 1876, of the offices occupied by the Department at 36 Union square.

I would respectfully request that a transfer be made to pay such balance. Respectfully, WM. R. MARTIN, President Department Public Parks.

And offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of six hundred and twenty-five dollars is hereby transferred from the appropriation for "Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places," 1875, which is in excess of the amount required for the objects and purposes thereof, to the appropriation for "Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places," 1876, which is insufficient.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of four hundred and fifty-five dollars and one cent is hereby transferred from the appropriation for "The Shepherd's Fold," 1877, which is in excess of the amount required for the objects and purposes thereof, to the appropriation for "Willard Asylum for the Insane," 1877, which is insufficient.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents is hereby transferred from the appropriation made for "Rents (leases in force)," 1877, which is in excess of the amount required for the objects and purposes thereof, to the appropriation for "Armories and Drill-rooms—Rent of," 1877, which is insufficient (to pay the first quarter's rent of premises known as Morrisania Hall, on Railroad avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, leased as an Armory and Drill-room for Companies "A," "G," and "K," Twenty-seventh Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., for two years from January 1, 1877, at a rent of \$750 per annum).

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of sixty dollars is hereby transferred from the appropriation for "Contingencies—Comptroller's Office," 1874, which is in excess of the amount required for the objects and purposes thereof, to the appropriation for "Contingencies—Comptroller's Office," 1873, which is insufficient.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller presented the following communication, referred to him at meeting August 15, 1877: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, August 14, 1877.

Hon. SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor, and Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment: SIR—In order to meet the expenses incurred or to be incurred in applying water-meters in accordance with Sec. 73, Chap. 335, Laws of 1873, requisition is hereby made for the issue of Revenue

Bonds, as authorized by Sec. 5, Chap. 213, Laws of 1871, to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), in anticipation of the collection of moneys for expenses so incurred; the money raised from such bonds to be applied exclusively to the payment of said expenses.

And offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue, at such rate of interest as he may determine, not exceeding seven per cent. per annum, "Revenue Bonds" to the amount of \$2,500, as authorized by Sec. 5 of Chapter 213, Laws of 1871, to meet the expenses incurred or to be incurred in applying water-meters to buildings, etc., in which water is furnished for business consumption, as provided in Sec. 73 of Chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and on account of requisition of the Commissioner of Public Works, of August 14, 1877.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3. The Chairman presented a communication from the Police Department, dated September 7, 1877, consenting to the transfer of an appropriation of \$3,500 from "Salaries—Police Department," 1875.

Which was referred to, and original sent to the Comptroller. The Comptroller presented the following communication: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, September 10, 1877.

Hon. SMITH ELY, Jr.: DEAR SIR—The Board respectfully request the immediate transfer of \$4,000 from the appropriation for "Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus," of 1876, to the appropriation for the Maternity Hospital on Blackwell's Island. Respectfully, ISAAC H. BAILEY, TOWNSEND COX.

And offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of \$4,000 be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation included in the appropriation for "Public Charities and Corrections," for "Repairs and Alterations to Buildings and Apparatus," 1877, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation "Public Charities and Correction," for the Maternity Hospital on Blackwell's Island, 1877, for which the same is required.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller presented the following communication: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, September 5, 1877.

Hon. SMITH ELY, Jr., Mayor, and Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment: SIR—It is of the utmost importance that the work of repairing our street pavements be continued to the end of the season, but this can only be done if additional means are granted for that purpose. The sum of \$25,000 can be spared from the appropriation for "Lamps and Gas," for 1877, and that amount will enable the Department to make many urgent repairs. Otherwise the appropriation will soon be exhausted, and it will be necessary to largely reduce the present repair force at once. I would, therefore, request that the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) be transferred from the appropriation for "Lamps and Gas," for 1877, to the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements," for 1877.

Very respectfully, ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works. And offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of \$25,000 be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation, "Lamps and Gas," 1877, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation, "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements," 1877, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient. The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3. On motion, the Board adjourned. JOHN WHEELER, 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, rooms 19 and 20. 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, room 6. 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, room 5. 4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end, room 19. 5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, room 6. 6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, room 6. 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, room 18. 8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, second floor, room 16.

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, 49 Beekman street, 8 1/2 A. M. to 4 1/2 P. M. Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 31 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. " 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, all ways 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. 133, 135 AND 137 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Commissioners' Office. Chief of Department. Inspectors of Combustibles. Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

NO. 301 MOTT STREET. 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.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

CORNER GRAND AND ELM STREETS. Office of the Board, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Superintendent of Schools, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS. Commissioners' Office, 27 Chambers street, second floor, front office.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE. Office, Room 28, third floor, northwest corner County Court-house.

THE CITY RECORD.

Office, No. 2 City Hall, northwest corner basement, 8 A. to 6 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street, second floor. Sheriff's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New County Court-house, rooms 3 and 4. County Clerk's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New County Court-house, rooms 7 and 8. Surrogate's Office, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house, room 1. Surrogate's Court, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house, room 2. Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park. District Attorney's Office, second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Commissioner's Office, room 17, second floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURTS.

SUPREME COURT. Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Room No. 10. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13. Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.

SUPERIOR COURT. Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. General Term, Room No. 29. Special Term, Room No. 33. Chambers, Room No. 33. Part I, Room No. 34. Part II, Room No. 35. Part III, Room No. 36. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32. Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.

COMMON PLEAS. Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. Clerk's office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22. General Term, Room No. 24. Special Term, Room No. 21. Chambers, Room No. 21. Part I, Room No. 25. Part II, Room No. 26. Part III, Room No. 27. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.

MARINE COURT. General Term, Trial Term Part I, room 15, City Hall; Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street; Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GENERAL SESSIONS. Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

OVER AND TERMINER. General Term, New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, room 13, 10:30 A. M. Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

SPECIAL SESSIONS. At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M. Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT COURTS. First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, No. 514 Pearl street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards, No. 12 Greenwich avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 163 East Houston street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards' Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue. Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education (No. 146 Grand street, New York City,) on Tuesday, September 18, 1877, at 4 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SCHOOL SITE WANTED.

THE TRUSTEES OF COMMON SCHOOLS FOR the Eleventh Ward invite proposals from the owners of real estate located between Sixth and Eighth streets, and Avenues B and C, for the sale of lots for public school purposes, dimensions not less than seventy-five feet front and rear by one hundred feet in depth. Communications to be addressed for one week to the undersigned, at the office of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, and endorsed, "Proposals for a School Site in the Eleventh Ward." By authority of the Board of Education. SAMUEL CREGAR, M. D., Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Eleventh Ward.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, Sept. 7, 1877.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property found abandoned in street: A heavy bay mare, 16 1/2 hands, about 7 years old, small white star on forehead, black fetlock joints.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, Sept. 8, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Office of the President of the Board of Police, until 9 o'clock A. M., on the 21st day of September, 1877, when same will be publicly opened, for furnishing the necessary Stationery and for printing such blanks and forms as will be required for the ensuing Registration and Election.

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 for the faithful performance of the contract should it be awarded upon that proposal.

Proposals must be directed to the President of the Board of Police, and endorsed "Proposals for furnishing Stationery for Registration and Election." Samples of the proposed work may be seen, and specifications and blank forms of proposals may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

By order of the Board of Police, D. B. HASBROUCK, Chief of the Bureau of Elections.

MUNICIPAL POLICE—CITY NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 39, NEW YORK, August 29, 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: Five row-boats, seven revolvers, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, chains, furniture, cotton, locks, braces, harness, jewelry, and small amount of money taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, September 11, 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 Work House, Blackwell's Island, September 10, 1877—James Shannon, aged 51 years, committed June 21, 1877. 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, September 7, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, ETC.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Friday, September 21, 1877, at which time they will be publicly opened and read, by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department—

- DRY GOODS. 1,000 yds. Jeans. 5,000 yds. Cottonades. 2,000 yds. Furniture Check. 5 pieces No. 10 Druid Duck. 10 pieces Huckabuck Toweling. 500 lbs. Black Linen Thread, Barbour's No. 40. 100 doz. No. 30 Spool Cotton. 100 grt. gro. 0/27 Black Bone Buttons. 500 yds. Gray Cadet Cassimere. 100 Blue Flannel Blouses.

- GROCERIES, ETC. 4,500 lbs. good sweet New York State Dairy Butter, to be delivered in quantities as required. 500 lbs. Pure Black Tea. 60 kegs Cut Nails—5 3d., 10 6d., 10 8d., 15 10d., 10 12d., 5 20d., 5 40d. 500 bales long bright Rye Straw, to be delivered in quantities as required.

The quality of the goods furnished must conform in every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at this office.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, ISAAC H. BAILEY, TOWNSEND COX, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, September 3, 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 Fourth Precinct Station-house—Unknown woman; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; dark brown hair; blue eyes. Had on black alpaca skirt, white chemise, calico skirt, gray jacket with brown trimming.

Unknown man, from Ninety-ninth street Hospital, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair, whiskers and moustache; blue eyes. Had on brown frock coat, brown cotton shirt with blue stripe, dark corded pants, brown felt hat.

At Hart's Island Hospital, August 31, 1877—Caroline Lipper; aged 69 years; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted, balmaral skirt, black alpaca dress, gray woolen shawl, slippers. 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, September 7, 1877. PROPOSALS FOR 3,000 BARRELS OF FLOUR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Friday, September 21, 1877, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the Bakers-house, Blackwell's Island, free of all expense to the Department, 3,000 barrels of good extra spring wheat flour, to be equal in quality to sample to be seen at this office (empty barrels to be returned and deducted in proposals from the price of flour), to be delivered in quantities as required, free of all expense to the Department.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals it deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, ISAAC H. BAILEY, TOWNSEND COX, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, September 4, 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 N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Dennis Clahan; aged 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown 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, September 5, 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 Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, September 4, 1877—Sarah Nolan; aged 30 years; 4 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, black skirt, green skirt, cotton chemise. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, September 4, 1877. AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the fourth day of September, 1877, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional section of the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 158. That hereafter, no Texas, Colorado, or other dangerous cattle shall be driven through or along the public streets, except in those cases only where the cattle shall be landed at the foot of the street leading to the slaughter-house to which such cattle shall be destined, and where the street shall be effectually barred or closed, so as to permit the escape of such cattle during the transfer from the dock to such slaughter-house, and no such cattle shall be landed except in accordance with the provisions and restrictions of this ordinance.

CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President. EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICES

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

- No. 1. Fencing vacant lots on south side of Forty-third street, between Lexington and Third avenues.
No. 2. Fencing vacant lots on northwest corner of Sixth avenue and Fifty-fourth street, about 100 feet on Sixth avenue and 300 feet on Fifty-fourth street.
No. 3. Fencing vacant lots on plot of ground bounded by Second and Third avenues, Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets.
No. 4. Fencing vacant lots on both sides of Broadway, from Forty-second to Fifty-ninth street.
No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on north side of Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
No. 6. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Madison and Fifth avenues, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets.
No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on north side of Forty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
No. 8. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, Fifth and Madison avenues.
No. 9. Fencing vacant lots in Sixty-third street, between the Boulevard and Eighth avenue.
No. 10. Flagging south side of Sixtieth street, between First and Second avenues.
No. 11. Flagging west side of Berrian avenue, from second angle north of Kingsbridge road to Isaac street (Fordham), Twenty-fourth Ward.

No. 12. Flagging in Marion avenue (Fordham), Twenty-fourth Ward, from Kingsbridge road to Ridge street, where not already done.
No. 13. Flagging north side of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue, and crosswalks across each intersecting avenue.
No. 14. Flagging a portion of Berrian avenue, between Kingsbridge road and Isaac street, and crosswalks across Berrian avenue.
No. 15. Belgian pavement in Fourth avenue, from north side of Seventy-first street.

No. 16. Belgian pavement in Ninety-fifth street, from First to Second avenue.
No. 17. Belgian pavement in Ninetieth street, from Third to Fifth avenue.
No. 18. Regulating, grading, and Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from First to Fourth avenue.

No. 19. Extension of sewer at foot of Fifty-ninth street.
No. 20. Sewer in One Hundred and Third street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.
No. 21. Sewer in Waverley place, between Charles and Perry streets.

No. 22. Curb and gutter stones and flagging south side of Little Twelfth street, from Washington street to Tenth avenue.
No. 23. Flagging south side of Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
No. 24. Curb and gutter stones, both sides of Sixty-fourth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 25. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging in Forty-fourth street, from First to Second avenue.
No. 26. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
No. 27. Sewer in Broadway, between Manhattan and One Hundred and Thirty-third street, with branches.

No. 28. Flagging in Sixty-fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, four feet wide.
No. 29. Flagging in Fifty-eighth street, commencing at the southeast corner of Ninth avenue and running east to house No. 344 Fifty-eighth street.
No. 30. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Fifth street, between Eighth avenue and the Grand Boulevard.

No. 31. Belgian pavement in Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
No. 32. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Sixth street, from Third avenue to Harlem river.
No. 33. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Avenue A to Harlem river.

No. 34. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Broadway and Tenth avenue.
No. 35. Basins on the northeast and northwest corners of Clinton and South streets.

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

No. 1. South side of Forty-third street, between Lexington and Third avenues.
No. 2. North side of Fifty-fourth street, commencing at Sixth avenue and running 300 feet westerly; also, west side of Sixth avenue, running 100 feet 5 inches north of Fifty-fourth street.

No. 3. North side of Seventy-first street, and south side of Seventy-second street, between Second and Third avenues.
No. 4. East side of Broadway, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets, and lot on southwest corner of Broadway and Fifty-seventh street.

No. 5. North side of Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
No. 6. Block bounded by Madison and Fifth avenues, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets.
No. 7. North side of Forty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 8. Block bounded by Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, Fifth and Madison avenues.
No. 9. Both sides of Sixty-third street, between the Boulevard and Eighth avenue.
No. 10. South side of Sixtieth street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 11. West side of Berrian avenue, from second angle north of Kingsbridge road to Isaac street (Fordham), Twenty-fourth Ward.
No. 12. West side of Marion avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Ridge street.

No. 13. North side of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Third to Railroad avenue.
No. 14. Both sides of Berrian avenue, from Kingsbridge road to John street.

No. 15. All the property included in one-half the block on either side, at the intersection of Seventy-first street and Fourth avenue.
No. 16. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, between First and Second avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of First and Second avenues.

No. 17. Both sides of Ninetieth street, from Third to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from First to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues, including Sylvan place.

No. 19. Property bounded by Fifty-sixth and Sixty-fourth streets, and Ninth and Twelfth avenues, including the easterly side of Ninth avenue, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-ninth streets.
No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Third street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues, and block bounded by One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Third streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 21. Both sides of Waverley place, between Charles and Perry streets.
No. 22. South side of Little Twelfth street, between Washington street and Tenth avenue.
No. 23. South side of Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 24. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
No. 25. Both sides of Forty-fourth street, between First and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 26. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 27. Both sides of Broadway, between Manhattan and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets; also property bounded by One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets Broadway or Bloomingdale road and Tenth avenue.
No. 28. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 29. South side of Fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
No. 30. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Grand Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 31. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 32. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Third avenue to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 33. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from one-half way between Avenue A and First avenue to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Avenue A.

No. 34. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Broadway or Bloomingdale road and Tenth avenue.
No. 35. Block bounded by Water and South streets, Clinton and Montgomery streets, and west side of Clinton street, between Water and South 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 1st day of October ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MULLALLY, EDWARD NORTH, WILLIAM L. WILEY, Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, September 1, 1877.

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. Extension of sewer at foot of West Fifty-ninth street, \$2,218.25.

No. 2. Grading, resetting curb and gutter stones, and reflagging Boston avenue in the Twenty-third Ward, from Third avenue to north side of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, \$950.56.

No. 3. Belgian pavement in Fourth avenue, from Forty-ninth to Sixty-seventh street, \$44,975.87.

No. 4. Belgian pavement in Seventy-ninth street, from Ninth avenue to Harlem river, \$22,406.48.

No. 5. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Broadway and Tenth avenue, \$3,546.12.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging that portion of the Eastern Boulevard known as Avenue B, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-sixth street, \$6,458.06.

No. 7. Belgian pavement in One Hundredth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue, \$9,620.07.

No. 8. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, \$43,573.10.

No. 9. Basins on northeast and northwest corners of Clinton and South streets, \$359.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, September 1, 1877.

JOHN R. MUMFORD, Secretary.

IMPORTANT TO PROPERTY OWNERS ON BLOOMINGDALE ROAD. 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 deed to said property.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, August 25, 1877.

CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS IN MOTT AVENUE, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, IN THE TWENTY-THIRD 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 12th day of September, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened and read, for constructing a sewer in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Mott avenue to the Ice Pond Brook, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

The Engineer's estimate of work and materials by which the bids will be tested, is as follows, to wit:

- 2,050 Linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer.
1,700 " " " " " "
570 " " " " " "
52 " " " " " "
13 Receiving-basins, complete.
38 Man-holes, complete.

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 linear foot for each of the four first items above, a price for each receiving-basin complete, and a price for each man-hole complete, 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 ten (\$10,000) 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; 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 Sewer in Mott avenue," 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, August 25, 1877.

BROKEN TRAP-ROCK AND TRAP-ROCK 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 12th day of September, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened and read, for the delivery on Morris' Dock, at Cedar Street Bridge, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, of

Seven hundred and fifty (750) cubic yards of broken trap-rock, and

Two hundred and fifty (250) cubic yards of trap-rock screenings.

Each proposal must state, both in writing and in figures, a price per cubic yard for the broken trap-rock and also for the screenings, which prices are to cover the whole cost of the work.

All to be delivered within twenty (20) days from the date of the contract.

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.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; and 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.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Trap-rock and 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, August 25, 1877.

CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER IN THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, IN THE TWENTY-THIRD 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 12th day of September, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened and read, for constructing a sewer in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from a point seventy-five (75) feet west of Third avenue to said avenue, and in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-third street and One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

The Engineer's estimate of work and materials by which the bids will be tested is as follows, to wit:

868 linear feet of twelve-inch pipe sewer, as shown on the plan of the work on file in the office of the Department of Public Parks, dated May 22, 1877.

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 linear foot for the above-mentioned sewer pipe, which price is 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 one (\$1,000) 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; and 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 Sewer in Third Avenue," 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.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT. THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS WILL MEET every Friday, at 1 o'clock P. M. BRYAN REILLY, JAMES J. SLEVIN, LEWIS J. PHILLIPS, Committee on Streets.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS WILL meet in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock P. M. THOMAS SHEELS, WILLIAM JOYCE, WILLIAM SALMON, STEPHEN N. SIMONSON, JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, Committee on Public Works.

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Monday, at 2 o'clock P. M. PATRICK KEENAN, WILLIAM L. COLE, SAMUEL A. LEWIS, JOHN I. 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 CITY RECORD.

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, No. 10 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, September 4, 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 AND ENTERED AUGUST 31, 1877.

- 75th street, paving, from 1st to 3d avenue. 113th " " " " 3d to 4th " Little 12th street, paving, from 10th to 13th avenue. 110th street, paving, with Telford-McAdam pavement, between 6th and 7th avenues, and setting curb stones and flagging sidewalks. 133d street, regulating, grading, etc., from 10th avenue to Hudson river. 136th street, grading, from Southern Boulevard to within 230 42-100 feet of Oak avenue. 80th street, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging, and laying crosswalks, from 4th to Madison avenue. 117th street, south side, flagging, from 4th to Lexington avenue. 5th avenue, east side, flagging, from 58th to 64th street. Madison avenue, crosswalks, at 59th, 60th, 91st, 93d, and 94th streets. 152d street, sewer, between Boulevard and Hudson river. 4th avenue, sewer, east side, between 19th and 20th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before November 3, 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, No. 10 NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, August 4, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

FULLY CONFIRMED AUGUST 2, 1877.

- West street, east side, and 10th avenue, curb, gutter, and flagging, between Gansevoort and Little West 12th street. 74th street, paving, crosswalks, etc., intersection of 4th avenue. 97th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 5th avenue to Harlem river. 79th street, regulating, grading, etc., from Public Drive to Hudson river. 101st street, regulating, grading, etc., from Public Drive to Riverside Park. 150th street, grading, from 3d to St. Ann's avenue. Water street, sewer, between Jackson and Corlears streets.

RECEIVING-BASINS.

Madison avenue, northeast corner 65th street; 4th avenue, southwest corner 65th street; 62d street, south side west of 4th avenue; 63d street, south side, east of 4th avenue; 64th street, south side, east and west of 4th avenue; 76th and 99th streets, southeast and southwest corners 4th avenue.

RECEIVING-BASINS.

70th street, southeast corner 4th avenue; 71st street, southwest corner 4th avenue; 72d street, northwest corner 4th avenue; 73d street, northeast corner 4th avenue; 74th, 75th, 76th, and 77th streets, north and south sides; and north side 78th street, west of 4th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before October 3, 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.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM BULKHEAD AT THE FOOT OF WHITEHALL STREET, NEW YORK, TO STATEN ISLAND.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM THE bulkhead at the foot of Whitehall street, New York, to Staten Island, will be sold at public auction on Wednesday, July 11, 1877, at the Comptroller's Office, at 12 o'clock noon, for the period of one year, from July 13, 1877. The form of the lease required to be executed by the highest bidder can be seen at the Comptroller's Office, on and after July 9, 1877.

All bids will be regarded as made with reference to said form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall neglect or refuse to execute a lease according to said form for ten days after the sale, his bid will, at the option of the Comptroller, be rejected.

The minimum rate for which the ferry franchise or license to operate ferries shall be used or enjoyed has been appraised and set by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at five per cent. of the gross receipts for ferriage that shall hereafter accrue at each separate ferry, collected at the landing place in the City of New York, such percentage to be paid quarter-yearly to the Corporation, and a covenant will be contained in each lease requiring the lessees to make and deliver to the Comptroller of the City of New York, quarter-yearly, a statement in writing, verified by oath or affirmation of the lessee, or of such proper officer of the lessee as may be designated by the Comptroller, of the actual total gross receipts for ferriage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee shall keep regular books of account, showing the daily gross receipts of the ferry leased, and allow said Comptroller, or any person designated by him, to examine such books.

The franchise will be put up and knocked down to the person offering to pay the largest percentage on the gross receipts collected at the landing place in the City of New York.

All moneys received for the conveyance of passengers, animals, vehicles, or freight from New York to Staten Island, to be collected at the landing place in New York, or, if collected elsewhere, to be included in the receipts upon which such five per cent. is to be calculated and paid.

No bid less than five per cent. on such gross receipts will be entertained.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the Collector of City Revenue the sum of fifteen hundred dollars immediately after the franchise shall have been struck

down to him, as security for the execution and performance of the lease, such amount to be credited on the rent when the same becomes due.

Security, satisfactory to the Comptroller, will be required for the punctual performance by the lessees of the covenants of the lease of the franchise in their behalf.

The right to reject any bid, if deemed to be to the interest of the City of New York, is reserved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, July 3, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, July 19, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Comptroller's office.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, July 11, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, July 26, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Comptroller's office.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, July 19, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 2, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, July 26, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 16, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, Aug. 2, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 23, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 16, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 30, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 23, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, September 6, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 30, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, September 13, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

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

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

THE FRANCHISES TO RUN THE FOLLOWING ferries and a lease of the wharf property belonging to the city, if any, set apart for ferry purposes at each of said ferries, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, on the 26th day of July, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the period of five years from August 1, 1877, except as otherwise stated, namely:

- Ferry from foot of Whitehall street to Staten Island. Ferry from Cortlandt street, North river, to Jersey City. Ferry from Barclay street, North river, to Hoboken, New Jersey. Ferry from Desbrosses street, North river, to Harsimus, Jersey City. Ferry from Tenth street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island. Ferry from Twenty-third street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island. Ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria, Queens County, Long Island, for five years from November 1, 1877.

The minimum rate for which said ferry franchises or the right to operate said ferries shall be used or enjoyed has been appraised and fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at five per cent. of the gross receipts for ferriage that shall hereafter accrue at each separate ferry, collected at the landing place in the City of New York, and in no case to be less than one-half the gross receipts of the ferry wherever collected, such percentage to be paid quarter-yearly to the Comptroller, and each lease will contain a covenant requiring the lessees to make and deliver to the Comptroller, quarter-yearly, a statement in writing, verified by the oath or affirmation of the lessee, or of such proper officer of the lessee as may be designated by the Comptroller, of the actual total gross receipts for ferriage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee will keep regular books of account, showing the daily gross receipts of the ferry leased, and allow said Comptroller, or any person designated by him, to examine such books at all reasonable times.

Every person bidding for a ferry franchise must state what percentage of the gross receipts collected at the landing-place in the City of New York he will pay for the same. All moneys received for the conveyance of passengers, animals, vehicles, or freight from the City of New York, over any ferry route, to any of the opposite shores, to be collected at the landing-place in New York, or if collected elsewhere, to be included in the receipts upon which such percentage is to be calculated and paid.

The minimum price for which the lease of said wharf property will be sold has been fixed by the Board of the Department of Docks at the following sums, namely:

- Wharf property connected with the ferry from Cortlandt street, North river, to Jersey City, has been leased by the Department of Docks to the associates of the Jersey Company for ten years from May 1, 1876, at \$7,510 per annum. Ferry from Desbrosses street, North river, to Harsimus, Jersey City. For the bulkhead and short pier at foot of Desbrosses street, North river, being about 65 feet in width along the westerly side of West street, or as much thereof as may be owned by the Corporation, at \$500 per annum. Ferry from Tenth street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island. For bulkhead at foot of Tenth street, East river, or so much thereof as may now be occupied for ferry purposes, at \$250 per annum. Ferry from Twenty-third street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island. For bulkhead at north side of and contiguous to foot of Twenty-third street, East river, as now occupied for ferry purposes, at \$2,500 per annum. Ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria, Long Island. For bulkhead at foot of Ninety-second street, E. R., and for premises at foot of Fulton street, Astoria, as now occupied for ferry purposes, at \$250 per annum.

All the above-named premises to be taken in the condition in which they may be in on the 1st day of August, 1877, and all repairs and rebuilding thereof, and dredging thereof, during the term leased, to be done at the expense and cost of the lessees.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, and in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to pay to the Department of Docks twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid for the wharf property, as security for the execution of the lease, and which twenty-five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent for such property first accruing under the lease, when executed, or forfeited if the lessee neglects or refuses to execute the lease and bond after being duly notified that the lease is prepared and ready for signature, or, in case the bid be finally rejected, will be returned to the bidder.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent for the wharf property quarterly, in advance, in compliance with a stipulation therefor in the form of the lease adopted.

The franchise and the lease of the wharf property, if any, of each ferry will be put up and sold together to the highest bidder, subject to the condition hereinafter expressed, and subject also to the right of the Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks to reject any or all bids, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

No bid for a ferry franchise of less than five per cent. of the gross receipts to be collected at the landing-place in New York, as before set forth, and no bid for the lease of wharf property less than the minimum price fixed by the Board of the Department of Docks will be received.

Bidders must bid for the franchise and lease of wharf property of each ferry separately, but no bid will be received unless it includes an offer for both the ferry franchise and wharf property.

The form of the lease required to be executed by the highest bidder can be seen at the office of the Comptroller on and after July 23, 1877.

All bids will be regarded as made with reference to said form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall neglect to execute a lease according to said form, for ten days after said sale, his bid will, at the option of the Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks, be rejected.

The leases will contain a covenant requiring the lessees to pay quarter-yearly to the Comptroller the percentage of the gross receipts paid for the franchise of each ferry.

Dated New York, July 17, 1877.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; JACOB A. WESTERVELT, HENRY F. DIMOCK, JACOB VANDERPOEL, Board of Department of Docks.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 2, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, July 26, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 16, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 2, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 23, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 16, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 30, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 23, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, September 6, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 30, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, September 13, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, July 13, 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 JULY 12, 1877. 116th street, regulating and grading, between 6th and 7th avenues. 144th street, regulating, grading, etc., between 10th avenue and Public Drive. 144th street, grading, between Willis and St. Ann's avenue. 63d street, flagging, between 1st and 2d avenues. Bloomfield street, paving, between West street and 13th avenue. 92d street, paving, between 3d and 5th avenues. 104th " " " " 3d " " " 109th " " " " 3d " " " 119th " " " " 3d " " " 129th " " " " 10th avenue and Boulevard. 123d street, paving, and regulating, grading, etc., from New avenue, west, to 8th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before September 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.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, No. 10, NEW COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, August 15, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

- CONFIRMED AUGUST 6, 1877. ENTERED AUGUST 10, 1877. One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, opening, from Ninth avenue to the Boulevard.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before October 15, 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 entry.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

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 Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00 The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, " " " 50 00 Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, " " " 15 25 Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, " " " 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.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, September 1, 1877.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon (also the number of the work as in the advertisement), will be received at this office until Saturday, September 15, 1877, at 12 o'clock, M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for each of the following works:

No. 1. Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Seventy-sixth street, between Avenue A and East river and between First and Second avenues.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Sixty-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 3. Regulating, curbing, and paving with Belgian or trap-block pavement Fourth street, from Lewis to Mangin street, and laying crosswalks at the several intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 4. Paving, with Belgian or trap-block pavement, One Hundred and Third street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue, and Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fourth street, and laying crosswalks at the several intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 5. Paving, with Belgian or trap-block pavement, One Hundred and Twentieth street, from First avenue to the Harlem river, and laying crosswalks at the several intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 6. Paving, with Belgian or trap-block pavement, One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from First avenue to Avenue A, and laying crosswalks at the several intersecting streets and avenues, where required.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained upon application to the Contract Clerk, at his office, Room 21, City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.

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 if unpaid 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.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK, September 1, 1877.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER, WILL sell at Public Auction, for account of the Department of Docks, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the following-named old material, at the places stated, to wit:

- AT NEW PIER 1, NORTH RIVER. About 566 pounds old Wrought Iron. About 90 Wheelbarrows.

AT FOOT OF HOUSTON AND LEROY STREETS, NORTH RIVER. About 300 Spruce and Pine Pile Butts, averaging 20 feet long. About 700 Spruce and Pine Pile Butts, averaging 6 feet long.

The sale will commence at New Pier 1, North river, at 12 o'clock, and will proceed at the other place as soon thereafter as possible.

Terms of the sale will be cash, to be paid at the time of sale, and purchasers will be required to remove the material bought immediately.

An order will be given for materials purchased. JACOB A. WESTERVELT, HENRY F. DIMOCK, JACOB VANDERPOEL, Commissioners of Docks.