

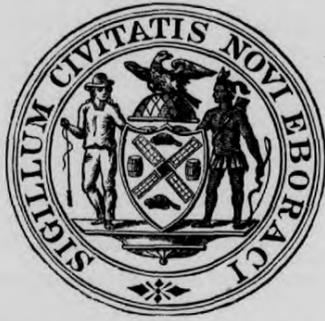
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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, Resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending February 16, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel Grunburg to place and keep a meat rack in front of his premises, No. 34 Henry street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 26, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 15, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. E. Campbell to place a sign on the sidewalk in front of his place of business, southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Forty-eighth street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 29, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 15, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Whereas, It being necessary that the shipping interests of the city be encouraged, especially those of the east side thereof, and that the desire of many of the merchants and shippers of the same be fostered and maintained, those who previously have been in the habit of shipping their goods from the Brooklyn shore; but they, having become discouraged at the bad condition of the several streets of the same leading to the several piers thereof, will if certain streets in this city leading to the piers on the East river be repaired, will resume at once their traffic with the vessels landing on this side of the East river; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to pave with Belgian or trap-block pavement, the following-named streets: Madison street, from New Chambers street to Grand street; Market street, from Division street to the East river; Jefferson street, from Division street to the East river; Clinton street, from Division street to the East river; Montgomery street, from Division street to the East river.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 29, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 15, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to G. F. Keller & Son to hang meat upon hooks on the awning posts and cross-rail, in front of No. 90 Ninth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 29, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 15, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place respectively of the persons whose names appear opposite, whose terms of office have expired:

James C. Hawley, in place of Abraham L. Davis.
Wm. Alt, in place of Anthony T. Gallagher.
Leonard Gattman, in place of John Kennedy.
Benjamin F. Russell, in place of Francis Kennay.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 5, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 11, 1878.

Whereas, It is alleged that the rooms over Essex Market, occupied as an armory by the Sixty-ninth Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., are in an unsafe and dilapidated condition and unfit for the uses for which they were intended; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause the inspection of the walls and foundation of the above-named building, and report to this Board as to the condition of the same.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 5, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 14, 1878.

Whereas, This city was mulcted a few weeks ago about \$7,000 in costs and damages in a suit by one of its citizens having fallen because the owner or occupant failed to have some ice cleaned off of the sidewalk in front of his premises; and

Whereas, The police on this case had reported the owner several times for neglect, and have also reported within the last four days several thousand of our citizens for failing to remove snow and ice, or to ash or sand the same; and

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Park Department have neglected to clean the walks around, through, and across the parks in this city, in violation of the city ordinance, thereby showing their incompetency for the position, and a disregard for their oath of office, and also laying the city liable to be mulcted in damages for accidents to its citizens and others; and further showing the incompetency by having the snow where shoveled, thrown into the streets, causing the Street Cleaning Bureau to cart it away, at the cost of several hundred dollars, when it is a well-known fact that snow shoveled on the grass would be of great benefit to the same; such facts clearly showing that the Commissioners have no knowledge of agriculture, horticulture, or economy in looking after the city's interest; and

Whereas, The department at this time has a full year's appropriation for the care and maintenance of the parks, and thousands of laborers are now out of employment and would be glad to get work for a single day, and the ordinance for cleaning snow and ice away applies to the city in the care of its parks, just as much as it does to the citizens for the care of their sidewalks, and section 23, subdivision 4, of the Charter of 1873, defines the duty of the Mayor, as follows: "To be vigilant and active in causing the ordinances of the City and laws of the State to be executed and enforced;" and,

Whereas, Section 25 of the Charter gives his Honor full power to remove, and sections 94 and 95 define the duty and oath of every Commissioner; therefore be it

Resolved, That hereafter all snow and ice be removed by the Park Department, the same as by the citizens, and the snow from the park walks be shoveled on to the grass plots, not only as a benefit to the same, but as a matter of economy to the tax-payer.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 5, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Kriess to place and keep a barber's pole on the sidewalk, near the curbstone, in front of No. 127 Grand Street, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 5, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to George W. Walker to retain the sign now on the awning in front of his premises No. 478 Ninth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 5, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Roach to place and keep two posts in front of his premises No. 1646½ Second avenue, for the purpose of hanging meat thereon, the hooks to be not less than seven feet above the level of the sidewalk, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 5, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 15, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Johns to erect a portico over the main entrance to premises No. 7 East Eighth street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 12, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1878.

Whereas, A bill to repeal the "Act establishing the College of the City of New York" has been presented to the Legislature of the State of New York by Hon. Thomas F. Grady, member of Assembly; and,

Whereas, Said college was established in the year 1847 by an overwhelming popular vote, and the continued popularity of the college is seen by the increased number of applicants for admission therein every year, and by the advantages of free education which it supplies to the rich and poor alike, and as a matter of right, cannot be procured by pupils of public schools of the city through any other channel than by this or a similar institution; and,

Whereas, The said college is a natural outgrowth of our free common school system, and, together with the Normal College for females, completes the education of both sexes of our city; and to take away from this city by a simple vote of the Legislature this right confirmed by the direct vote of the people is a measure fraught with the utmost danger to free education, not only in this city, but throughout the entire State; now therefore be it

Resolved, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, That we disapprove of said contemplated repeal, and hereby urge upon his Honor the Mayor of the City of New York to respectfully notify the Legislature of said disapproval.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 12, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1878.

Resolution and Memorial to Congress in regard to an appropriation for Harlem River and Spuyten Duyvil Creek.

Resolved, That the memorial hereto annexed be adopted, and the Clerk of this Board be directed to transmit properly certified copies thereof to the Senators and Representatives of this State in Congress.

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONORABLE BODIES:

The Common Council of the City of New York would most respectfully ask that your Honorable Bodies will pass the act now pending, making an appropriation of a sum sufficient to commence and carry on during the ensuing year the work of improving the navigation of the Harlem river and Spuyten Duyvil Creek on the plans and specifications prepared by General John Newton, United States Engineer, as set forth in his report to the Secretary of War, July 14, 1876.

This work would be of great benefit to the City of New York in affording increased convenience for the handling of coal, grain, building materials, and other commodities which reach this city by water transportation, and considering the great proportion of the Federal revenue contributed by New York, it seems but proper that this work, which will be of great importance, should be at once commenced.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 12, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1878.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of George O'Doherty for the sum of three hundred and fifty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents, to be in full for annexed bill for services as Stenographer for the Special Committee on investigating the "ring frauds," to and including December 24, 1877, and charge the amount to the appropriation for "City Contingencies," for the year 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 12, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Roeder to retain a barber's pole in front of his place of business, No. 114 Bleecker street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 12, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1878.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, February 7, 1878.

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, February 2, 1878:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rent.....	\$9,245 35
For penalties on Croton water rent.....	297 20
For tapping Croton pipes.....	86 50
For vault permits.....	40 50
For sewer permits.....	172 00
Total.....	\$9,841 55

Permits Issued.

- 1 permit to construct a street vault.
- 10 permits to make sewer connections.
- 13 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 14 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 33 permits to repair water connections.
- 31 permits to place building material on streets.

Obstructions Removed.

400 cart loads of stone and dirt from various streets in the city.

Replacing Pavements over Croton Pipes.

In Sixtieth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.
 In Forty-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
 In Tenth avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets.
 In Bleecker street, between Bowery and Mott street.

Repairing Pavements.

In Fiftieth street, between First and Second avenues.
 In Forty-fourth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.
 In Twenty-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
 In Broadway, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.
 In Waverley place, between Fifth avenue and University place.

Public Lamps.

- 6 new lamps lighted.
- 2 old lamps relighted.
- 1 lamp-post reset.
- 2 lamp-posts straightened.
- 1 column refitted.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending February 2, 1878, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure at point of Ignition.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.		
									Observed.	Corrected.	
Jan. 28	11 A.M.	64.	29.551	New York.....	Sugg-Letheby....	.05	5.04	124.5	16.56	17.04	
" 29	11 A.M.	60.	30.228	" .....	" .....	.05	4.96	120.0	17.00	17.13
" 30	10 A.M.	60.	30.523	" .....	" .....	.05	5.05	117.0	16.78	16.20
" 31	11 A.M.	66.	30.232	" .....	" .....	.05	4.98	126.0	16.78	17.68
Feb. 1	11.30 A.M.	70.	29.768	" .....	" .....	.05	4.92	114.0	17.74	17.57
" 2	1 P.M.	68.	30.267	" .....	" .....	.05	4.94	126.0	14.38	15.28
									Average.	16.81	
Jan. 28	10 A.M.	64.	29.551	Manhattan ....	" .....	.05	5.03	124.2	17.34	17.84
" 29	12 M.	63.5	30.228	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	117.9	17.84	17.72
" 30	9.30 A.M.	60.	30.523	" .....	" .....	.05	4.96	124.8	16.20	16.98
" 31	11.30 A.M.	68.	30.232	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	124.2	15.54	16.08
Feb. 1	10.30 A.M.	66.5	29.768	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	120.0	16.18	16.18
" 2	1.30 P.M.	69.	30.267	" .....	" .....	.05	4.94	120.6	16.14	16.41
									Average.	16.83	
Jan. 28	10.30 A.M.	65.	29.551	N. Y. Mutual..	" .....	.05	4.30	126.0	16.35	19.94
" 29	10 A.M.	56.	30.228	" .....	" .....	.05	4.57	125.4	17.48	19.98
" 30	9 A.M.	58.	30.523	" .....	" .....	.05	4.51	120.0	16.94	18.78
" 31	10.30 A.M.	64.	30.232	" .....	" .....	.05	4.12	120.0	15.98	19.38
Feb. 1	10 A.M.	64.5	29.768	" .....	" .....	.05	4.26	123.0	15.04	18.09
" 2	12.30 P.M.	68.	30.267	" .....	" .....	.05	3.98	117.0	15.48	18.96
									Average.	19.19	
Jan. 28	12.30 P.M.	71.	29.65	Metropolitan....	" .....	.05	4.96	120.0	17.04	17.17
" 29	3 P.M.	74.	30.28	" .....	" .....	.05	4.96	114.0	18.00	17.23
" 30	12.30 P.M.	71.	30.60	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	114.0	17.68	16.79
" 31	2.30 P.M.	66.	30.20	" .....	" .....	.05	5.03	120.6	16.96	16.93
Feb. 1	2.30 P.M.	64.	29.78	" .....	" .....	.05	5.02	120.0	16.56	16.49
" 2	10 A.M.	60.	30.23	" .....	" .....	.05	4.91	121.2	15.16	15.59
									Average.	16.70	
Jan. 28	12 M.	71.	29.65	Harlem.....	" .....	.05	5.00	118.8	16.50	16.33
" 29	2.30 P.M.	74.	30.28	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	120.0	14.88	14.83
" 30	11.30 A.M.	71.	30.60	" .....	" .....	.05	4.93	120.6	14.74	15.02
" 31	3 P.M.	66.5	30.20	" .....	" .....	.05	4.95	124.2	15.48	16.18
Feb. 1	2 P.M.	64.	29.78	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	120.0	16.28	16.28
" 2	10.30 A.M.	60.	30.23	" .....	" .....	.05	4.97	123.0	15.00	15.46
									Average.	15.69	

E. G. LOVE, Gas Examiner.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 66 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 130 lineal feet of sewers cleaned.
- 4 " of culvert rebuilt.
- 9 " of spur pipe laid.
- 4 new manhole covers put on.
- 4 square yards pavement relaid.
- 109 loads of dirt removed.

Removals.

- John M. Thornton, General Superintendent of Sewers.
- Jason Mills, " "
- G. E. Lovelace, Water Inspector.
- F. O'Reilly, " "
- J. McGovern, " "
- O. Gormley, " "
- A. S. Surre, " "
- J. F. Brennan, " "
- D. W. Stevenson, " "
- Wm. Moore, Leveler.

Discharged on Completion of Work.

M. H. Whalen, Inspector on Regulating and Grading.

STATEMENT of Laboring Force employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending February 2, 1878.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	2	49	3	..
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	2	10	..	..
Laying and repairing Croton pipes.....	25	86	..	18
Repairing pavements.....	14	51	..	17
Cleaning and repairing sewers.....	3	22	..	8
Maintenance of Boulevards and Avenues.....	1	30	4	10
Repairing roads.....	..	14	8	2
Total.....	47	262	15	55
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	1	..	..	..

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department upon the Comptroller during the week is \$60,557.13.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, FEBRUARY 4 TO 9, 1878.

Communications Received.

- From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending February 2, 1878. Males, 41; Females, 12. On file.
- List of 66 prisoners to be discharged from February 10 to 16, 1878. Transmitted to Prison Association.
- From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of six patients received during week ending February 2, 1878. Referred to Examining Clerk.
- From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of five patients received during week ending February 2, 1878. Referred to Examining Clerk.
- From City Prison—Amount of fines received during January, 1878, and paid to Comptroller (\$348). On file.

Resolutions.

- Resolved, That the Secretary of this Department apply to the Fire Department for the use of the spare wire in their cable to Ward's and Randall's Islands, and to use their telegraph poles, and if granted, to notify Mr. Crowley to have the work done as per communication from him. Adopted.
- Proposals for dry goods, groceries, earthenware, butter, flour, coal, etc., opened in presence of Commissioners Brennan, Cox, and representative of Comptroller.
- By the Board—
- Resolved, That the proposal of L. J. Seaman, to furnish and deliver 5,000 pounds butter, at 19 cents per pound.
- George P. Trigg & Co., 1,000 pounds dried apples, at 5 cents per pound; 500 pounds smoked halibut, at 6 cents per pound.
- P. McCann, 50 great gross d-22 bone buttons, at 90 cents per great gross; 50 great gross metal suspender buttons, at 58 cents per great gross; 100 dozen No. 30 spool cotton, at 57 cents per dozen.
- G. W. Barrett & Co., 3 dozen male urinals, at \$6 per dozen.
- Watt & Co., 3 dozen male urinals, at \$6 per dozen; 6 dozen 2-quart pitchers, \$3.25 per dozen.
- J. B. Irwin, 50 tons smiths' coal, at \$4.60 per ton.
- R. M. Masterton, 250 barrels fine flour, at \$6.94 per barrel, less 13 cents for each empty barrel returned.
- be accepted, and the contracts awarded to them, provided the adequacy and sufficiency of their sureties are approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York. Adopted.

Appointments.

- February 5. Ellen Dugan, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
- 6. Thomas Geraghty, Keeper, Penitentiary.
- 6. Henry J. Bradley, Fireman, Maternity Hospital.

Dismissals.

- February 6. Lizzie Reynolds, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held January 7, 1878.
 Pre-sent—President Westervelt, Commissioner Vanderpoel, and the Comptroller of the City.
 Absent—Commissioner Dimock.

Seven proposals were received for furnishing small cobble, rip-rap, and broken stone and sand, being five bids for Class 1, consisting of small cobble and rip-rap stone; four bids for Class 2, consisting of broken stone; and five bids for Class 3, consisting of sand, as follows, to wit:

For Class 1—Five Bids.

No.	Name	Small Cobble, 80 cents per cubic yard.	Rip-rap, 50 cents per cubic yard.
No. 3.	John Bouker.....	80	50
" 4.	John B. Devlin.....	85	50
" 5.	Casper N. Lawson.....	90	70
" 6.	John M. C. Scully.....	80	47
" 7.	Montgomery A. Kellogg.....	93	65

For Class 2—Four Bids.

No.	Name	Broken Stone, \$1 95 per cubic yard.
No. 3.	John A. Bouker, at.....	1 85
" 4.	John B. Devlin, at.....	2 15
" 5.	Casper N. Lawson, at.....	1 75
" 6.	John M. C. Scully, at.....	1 75

For Class 3—Five Bids.

No.	Name	Sand, 69 1/2 cents per cubic yard.
No. 1.	Alexander J. Howell, at.....	60
" 2.	Michael Ryan, at.....	60
" 3.	John A. Bouker, at.....	65
" 4.	John B. Devlin, at.....	65
" 5.	Casper N. Lawson, at.....	70

—and, being read, were,
 On motion, laid on the table for examination.
 On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, BUREAU OF FIRST MARSHAL. Licenses granted and amount received for licenses and fines by Marshal John Tyler Kelly, for week ending February 16, 1878: Number of Licenses... 155 Amount... \$261.00 JOHN TYLER KELLY, Mayor's Marshal.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Names, Residences, and Places of Business of the Members of the Board of Aldermen, 1878.

Table with 3 columns: NAMES, RESIDENCE, PLACE OF BUSINESS. Lists members like William Bennett, Bernard Biglin, Thomas Carroll, etc.

WILLIAM R. ROBERTS, President. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

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.

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. 51 Chambers street, second floor. Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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

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

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

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT. 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. Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Assessors,

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Commissioners' Office, 117 and 119 Duane street, 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 1 P. M.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE. Commissioners' Office, first floor, 299 Mulberry street, 6 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, root 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. M. 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.

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 moneys received 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)

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street from the northerly line of Laurence street, parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, to the westerly side of a certain road or avenue in the City of New York, closed by act of the Legislature, chapter 290, section 10, passed April 5, 1871; as said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street appears upon a map made by the Commissioners of the Central Park and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on October 23, 1867.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit: First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Elliot F. Shepard, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 154 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the twelfth day of February, 1878, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said twelfth of February,

1878, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of February, 1878.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follow, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street with the northerly line of Laurence street, running thence northerly and at right angles to said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 100 feet; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 619 feet and 8 1/2 inches to what was formerly the easterly line of a certain new avenue closed by an act of the Legislature, passed April 5th, 1871 (Laws of 1871, chapter 290); thence in a southerly direction 281 feet and 7 inches to a point; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 408 feet and 10 inches to the northerly line of Laurence street; thence northwesterly along the northerly line of Laurence street 217 feet and 6 inches, to the same more or less, to the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Laurence street with the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence easterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 493 feet and 3/4 of an inch to the westerly line of said new avenue closed by an act of the Legislature passed April 5, 1871, as aforesaid; thence northerly along the westerly line of said new avenue, closed as aforesaid, 63 feet and 8 1/2 inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 585 feet and 7 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Also all those other certain lots, pieces or parcels of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southwesterly side of Laurence street, distant 206 feet and 3 inches from a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Laurence street with the easterly side of the Tenth avenue; running thence northerly along the southwesterly line of Laurence street, 185 feet 3 inches to a point; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 164 feet and 4 inches to a point; thence northerly and at right angles to said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 85 feet and 4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the sixth day of March, 1878, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 8, 1878. ELLIOT F. SHEPARD, NEVIN W. BUTLER, LOUIS MESIER, Commissioners.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT of the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 9 City Hall, on Saturday, 1 o'clock P. M. LOUIS C. WAHNER, GEORGE HALL, JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, Committee on Law Department.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 9, City Hall, every Monday at 1 o'clock P. M. THOMAS SHEILS, THOMAS CARROLL, GEORGE HALL, JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, BERNARD BIGLIN, Committee on Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, February 15, 1878.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows: At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Julia Marchand; aged 25 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; light hair. 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, February 14, 1878.

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—Julius Schoen; aged 44 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted, brown overcoat and pants, light vest, gray flannel shirt, cotton socks, one blue and one white, light felt hat. 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, February 12, 1878.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows: At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Margaret Matthews; admitted December 21, 1864; aged 32 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; dark hair; blue eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives. By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST., NEW YORK, February 8, 1878.

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 Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Jennie Brown; aged 24 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted, calico dress, cotton skirt. 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, February 9, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GRO-CERIES, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, LUMBER, 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 Saturday, February 23, 1878, 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—

- 2,500 yards Furniture Check. 5,000 yards Canton Flannel. 10,000 yards brown Denims. 5,000 yards blue Denims. 5,000 pounds good sweet Dairy Table Butter, to be delivered in quantities as required. 500 pounds pure Mustard. 1 barrel Currants. 1 barrel Tapioca. 1,000 pounds Dried Apples. 2,500 pounds Cheese. 2,000 bushels prime quality Oats, to be well cleaned and to weigh 32 pounds to the bushel. 200 bags Shorts. 50 dozen Dinner Plates. 50 dozen Chambers. 6 dozen Ewers. 6 dozen Basins. 6 dozen Feed Cups. 2 gross Spectacles. 5 gross Screws, 1/2 inch each, Nos. 3, 5, and 7. 10 " 3/4 inch each, Nos. 8, 10, and 12. 10 " 1 inch each, Nos. 8, 10, and 12. 20 " 1 1/4 inch each, Nos. 10 and 12. 20 " 1 1/2 inch No. 14. 20 " 1 3/4 inch, No. 10. 20 " 1 1/2 inch each, Nos. 12, 14, and 16. 10 " 1 3/4 inch each, Nos. 16 and 18. 10 " 2 inch each, Nos. 12 and 14. 5 " 2 1/2 inch each, Nos. 12, 14, 16, and 18. 5 " 3 1/2 inch each, Nos. 16 and 18. 5 " 3 inch, No. 16. 50,000 feet 1 inch good shipping box Pine Boards, free from loose knots and shakes, 12 inches wide, 14 to 16 feet long. 10,000 feet 3/4 inch good shipping box Pine Boards, free from loose knots and shakes, 12 inches wide, 14 to 16 feet long. 5,000 feet first quality clear White Pine Lumber, well seasoned, free from sap and knots, each 1, 1 1/2, 1 3/4, and 2 inches. 100 Hemlock Joist, 3x4 inches. 500 rough Spruce Plank, 1 1/2 inches. 500 " " 2 inches.

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 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.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, February 14, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED FEBRUARY 7, 1878; ENTERED FEBRUARY 8, 1878. Avenue A, paving from 86th to 93d street. All payments made on the above assessment on or before April 15, 1878, 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.

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. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, January 23, 1878.

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 JANUARY 17, 1878. 131st street, regulating, grading, etc., from 6th to 8th avenue. Boston avenue (23d Ward), grading, etc., from 3d avenue to 16th street. 112th street, paving, from 3d avenue to Harlem river. 118th street, paving, from 3d avenue to Harlem river. 110th street, paving, from Avenue A to Harlem river. 50th street, fencing north side, between Lexington and 4th avenues. Eastern Boulevard (Avenue B), regulating, grading, etc., from 79th to 86th street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before March 25, 1878, 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. 16, NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, January 17, 1878. 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 DECEMBER 15, 1877. Fourth avenue crosswalks, south side of Seventy-fifth street.

Fourth avenue crosswalks, south side of Eighty-first street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before March 18, 1878, will be exempt (according to law) from interest.

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. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, December 21, 1877. NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 15, 1877. 56th street, paving, from Madison to 4th avenue.

100th street, paving, from 8th to 10th avenue.

152d street, paving, from St. Nicholas avenue to the Boulevard.

75th street, regulating and paving, from 9th avenue to Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 19, 1878, will be exempt (according to law) from interest.

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. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, January 7, 1878. 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 DECEMBER 31, 1877. 96th street, sewer, between 8th and 10th avenues.

44th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 1st to 3d avenue.

3d avenue, regulating and paving, from Westchester avenue to 163d street.

3d avenue, regulating and paving, from 163d street to northern boundary 23d Ward.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before March 8, 1878, will be exempt (according to law) from interest.

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. 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 Thursday, November 8, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the period of five years from November 1, 1877, except as otherwise stated:

Ferry from Peck Slip, New York City, to the foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth street at Third avenue, Harlem, with an intermediate landing at or near Eighty-fourth street, East river.

Ferry from Fulton Market slip, New York City, to Mott Haven, with an intermediate landing at or near Eighty-fourth street, East river, until May 1, 1879.

Ferry as now established from foot of Roosevelt street, in the City of New York, East river, to South Seventh street, Brooklyn, Eastern District, together with the bulkheads and slips adjacent to and east of the wharf property at foot of Roosevelt street, East river, owned by the Bridge Company, and now occupied for said ferry.

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.

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 rent quarter-yearly to the Comptroller.

The minimum rate for which the ferry franchise or license to operate such ferries shall be used or enjoyed has been appraised and set by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at five per cent. per annum upon the gross receipts for ferriage collected at the New York landing-place for the ferry as now established from the foot of Roosevelt street, New York, to South Seventh street, Brooklyn, and at two and one-half per cent. per annum upon the gross receipts collected for ferriage for the ferries from Peck slip, New York, to the foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Third avenue, Harlem; and from Fulton Market slip, New York, to Mott Haven, 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.

All moneys received for the conveyance of passengers, animals, vehicles or freight from New York 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.

No bid less than such percentage 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.

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.

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.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT, HENRY F. DIMOCK, JACOB VANDERPOEL, Board of Department of Docks.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 1, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 15, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 8, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 22, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 22, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 22, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 15, 1877.

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 22, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 27, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 13, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 10, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 27, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 17, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 10, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 31, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 17, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, February 14, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 31, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, February 28, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 14, 1878.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISE.

PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT.

THE FRANCHISE TO RUN THE FOLLOWING ferry and a lease of the wharf property belonging to the city, set apart for ferry purposes at said ferry, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, on Thursday, October 25, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the period of five years from November 1, 1877, namely:

Ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria, Queens County, Long Island.

Bidders must bid for the franchise and lease wharf property of said 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.

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 rent quarter-yearly to the Comptroller.

The minimum price for which the lease of said wharf property connected with the ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria, Long Island, will be sold, has been fixed by the Board of the Department of Docks at the following sum, namely:

For bulkhead at foot of Ninety-second street, East river, and for premises at foot of Fulton street, Astoria, as now occupied for ferry purposes, at \$250 per annum.

The premises connected with the said ferry, to be taken in the condition in which they were in on the 1st day of August, 1877, and all repairs and rebuilding thereof, and dredging at said ferry during the term leased, to be done at the expense and cost of the lessees.

The purchase of the 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, of said 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.

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.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT, HENRY F. DIMOCK, JACOB VANDERPOEL, Board of Department of Docks.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 8, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 25, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 15, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 8, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 22, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 15, 1877.

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 22, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 27, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 13, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 10, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 27, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 17, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 10, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 31, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 17, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, February 14, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 31, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, February 28, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 14, 1878.

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.

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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 OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, January 12, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1878, will be open for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 14, 1878, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1878, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

By order of the Board,

ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, February 12, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT this Department will sell seven horses of the Mounted Squad and eleven horses of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, at public auction, on Monday, the 23rd day of February, 1878, at 12 o'clock M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 110 East 13th street.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, January 31, 1878.

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

Black bags and contents, horse blankets, lace curtains, revolvers, gold glasses, tub butter, bag coffee, starch, twenty tub putty, lot pig iron, and small amount of money taken from prisoners and found in street.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK, 14th February, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GRANITE STONES FOR BULKHEAD OR RIVER WALL.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS material, in accordance with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, 26th FEBRUARY, 1878,

at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in, and well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of four thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows: To be furnished cut in accordance with specifications—580 pieces of granite, consisting of

"A." { 255 Headers and } containing about 11,200 cubic

"B." { 264 Stretchers, } feet; and

61 Coping Stones, containing about 5,033 cubic feet.

For further particulars, see drawings annexed to the specifications.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is to the fifth day of August, 1878, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled, after the said time has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their proposals the price per cubic foot of the stone to be furnished in conformity with the annexed specifications, by which the bids will be tested. This price is to cover the expenses of freight, loading and unloading, and all other expenses necessary for the complete performance and fulfillment of the contract.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate for doing this work, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been made to his or their bid or proposal, or if, after acceptance, he or they should refuse or neglect to execute the contract for forty-eight hours after notice that the same is ready for execution, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the proposal shall distinctly state the fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same material, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk thereon, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which proposals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or reholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer in-Chief.

No proposal will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The right to decline all the proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the material, can be obtained upon application at the office of the Department, Room No. 6.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT, HENRY F. DIMOCK, JACOB VANDERPOEL, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOIT STREET, NEW YORK, February 8, 1878.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 8th day of February, 1878, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the following sections of the Sanitary Code be and are hereby annulled:

Section 33. That no person shall, in the built-up portion of the City of New York, or adjacent thereto, sell or have for sale any fish in or from any vehicle, or in any street or public place, from which all parts which are not usually cooked for food have not been removed.

Section 62. That no person shall become, or continue, or engage as, or in the business of a butcher, at or in any public or private market or stand in the City of New York, without a permit therefor from this Department.

Section 66. That no person engaged in the selling or keeping for sale of any fish, meat, birds, fowl, fruit, or vegetables, shall, without a permit from this Department, occupy or encroach upon any portion of any street or sidewalk, or public place in the City of New York.

And Section 168 amended so as to read as follows: Section 168. That every car used for the transportation of passengers in the City of New York, shall be so constructed as at all times to provide and secure good ventilation.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.