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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, Resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending October 12, 1878.

Resolved, That five hundred copies of the act, chapter 335, Laws of 1873 (commonly called the Charter), as amended by subsequent acts of the Legislature, be printed under the direction of the Clerk of this Board.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set and reset, and sidewalk flagged and reflagged full width, where not already done, or not upon the proper grade, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward A. Gilson to erect an ornamental lamp-post and lamps on the northeast corner of Fourth avenue and Sixteenth street, the post not to exceed the dimensions prescribed by ordinance, the work to be done and gas supplied 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, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William E. Keys to retain sign now in front of his premises Nos. 508 and 510 West Nineteenth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Fifty-seventh street (north side), between Third and Lexington avenues, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Eighty-first street, between Madison and Fourth avenues, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed and lighted on the north side of Seventy-third street, easterly from Third avenue as far as the gas-mains are now laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. H. Mott to retain the sign now in front of his place of business, No. 609 Hudson street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Eighty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Henry H. Glass be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John C. Munzinger, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Robert B. Abbott be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds, his term of office expiring September 25, 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Wm. A. Leffingwell be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Philip J. Hoffman, who failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Edward C. Sheehy be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, his term of office having expired on the 11th inst.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Thomas J. Heavy be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William Keys, who failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Solomon Goldman to place and keep a barber's pole in front of his premises No. 334 East Houston 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, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That Adolphus D. Pape be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds, his term of office expiring the 12th of September, 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That John E. Carroll be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John E. Carroll, whose term of office expired September 20, 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick H. Carley to erect a watering-trough in front of his premises No. 628 Eleventh avenue, 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, October 1, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That the hospitalities of the City of New York be and they are hereby cordially extended to Captain John Conway and his associates of the Australian Cricket Club during their stay in this city.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 1, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1878.

Resolved, That the persons named in the first column of the following list be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York in the places respectively of the persons named in the second column:

John Duggan.....	in the place of Philip J. Bonesteel.
Peter Haulenbeck.....	“ George H. Benner.
M. H. Coyle.....	“ Perkins Cleveland.
Geo. J. Wood.....	“ H. W. P. Hodson.
George N. Veritzan.....	“ Jos. T. Kelly.
James McCafferty.....	“ James McGinness.
George E. Dunn.....	“ James J. Thornley, Jr.
Aaron Bennett.....	“ Andrew Ward.
Martin M. Lewis.....	“ Henry S. Davis.
John C. Rhodes.....	“ Henry McDonnell.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 1, 1878.
Approved by the Mayor, October 9, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Bagley to keep a stand on the sidewalk in front of No. 90 Bowery, provided the same shall not be an obstruction to the free use said sidewalk, he having obtained the consent of the owner and occupant of the premises, 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, September 23, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 9, 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 Stephen H. Mills & Co. to retain awning in front of their premises No. 107 South street, the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 23, 1878.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 9, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk Common Council.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK, }
October 9, 1878. }

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners Joseph L. Perley and John J. Gorman.

Trials.

Fireman William Wert, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, charged with “conduct prejudicial to good order.” Found guilty, sentence deferred, and accused directed to settle claim within twenty-four hours.

The minutes of the meeting held 2d instant were read and approved.

Communications

From—Secretary—Requisition for repairs to Treasurer's room; estimated cost, \$112.10. Repairs ordered.

Chief of Department—Report of operations for month and quarter ending September 30. Filed, with directions to compile.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of operations for month of September. Filed.

Same—Report of operations for quarter ending September 30. Filed, with directions to compile.

Same—Report of licenses issued for week ending 7th instant. Filed.

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

Resolved, That Charles E. Pearsall, 19 Fulton street, be and is hereby fined \$50 for violation of section 8, chapter 742, Laws of 1871; that Michael McDonald, 108 Barrow street, and Charles Reinboth, 318 Sixth street, be and are hereby fined \$5 each for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that in each of the above named cases the Inspector of Combustibles is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Same, recommending remission of penalties imposed on B. T. Babbitt, 64 and 70 Washington street, for reasons assigned. Approved.

Same—Requisition for supplies. Referred to Trustees of Relief Fund.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Report of operations for quarter ending September 30. Filed, with directions to compile.

Same, returning communication relative to dangerous telegraph pole, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Third avenue, with report as directed. Returned to Department of Public Works and attention directed to report.

Medical Officers, recommending leaves of absence to
 Foreman John H. Kehoe, of Engine Co. No. 7.
 Engineer of Steamer Michael Purcell, of Engine Co. No. 15.
 Assistant-Engineer of Steamer F. A. Aldrich, of Engine Co. No. 8.
 Fireman David Hyde, of Engine Co. No. 27.
 Fireman Thomas H. Beebe, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6.
 Private Bernard McAllister, of Engine Co. No. 15.
 Granted.
 Same, recommending extension of leave of absence, disability not attributable to duty, to Fireman George J. Florence, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 14. Granted on half-pay.
 Same, recommending excuse from fire duty to—
 Fireman George Mauer, of Engine Co. No. 5.
 " J. D. White, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12.
 " Geo. J. Florence, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 14.
 Approved.

Supply Clerk—Requisitions for articles required; estimated cost \$49 and \$36.50 respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same, returning requisition of Superintendent of Horses for oak tubs, with estimate of cost as directed, \$7. Purchase ordered.

Chief of Battalion in Charge of Repair Shops—Requisitions for materials and supplies; estimated cost \$58.79, \$14, \$5.24, \$7.20, \$120, and \$7.20 respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same, recommending removal of rubbish from quarters of Engine Co. No. 8; estimated cost \$10. Ordered.

Same, returning requisition for plumbing, etc., at quarters of Engine Co. No. 8, with estimates from James Henderson, \$290; Norris & Williams, \$265. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the plumbing work and gas fitting required at quarters of Engine Co. No. 8, as per specifications thereon on file, be and is awarded to Norris & Williams, 73 West Ninth street, for the sum of \$265.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 17, requesting permission for company to attend funeral of wife of Fireman Morris. Filed.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 10—Report of inspection of premises No. 87 Wall street. Referred to Department of Buildings.

Private William H. Renoud, of Chemical Engine Co. No. 3, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of Steamer. Referred to Examining Board of Engineers.

Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation to 5th instant. Filed.

George Knorr—Claim against Fireman Dennis J. Leary, of Engine Co. No. 27. Referred to Chief of Department, with directions to have charges preferred.

Secretary—Requisition for gas and steam-fitting at Headquarters; estimated cost, \$46.90, which had been ordered by the President. Filed, and the following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the action of the President in directing an expenditure of \$46.90 for gas and steam-fitting at Headquarters, be and is hereby approved and confirmed.

The drafts of General Orders Nos. 18 and 19, and of Circular No. 1, were read and approved, and promulgation ordered.

The following resolutions were, on motion, adopted:

Resolved, That schools of instruction be ordered, as follows: For Foremen, on Mondays and Thursdays, and for Engineers of Steamer, on Tuesdays and Fridays, at 2 o'clock P. M.; each grade to be divided into two classes by the Chief of Department, which are to meet at Headquarters alternately on the days named. The Foremen to be instructed by the Chief of Department (or such officer as he may designate) in all matters pertaining to their duties as officers. The Engineers of Steamers to be instructed by the Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops in all matters pertaining to their duties as engineers and general fire duty; and, be it also

Resolved, That the classes of the Corps of Sappers and Miners resume the meetings for instruction (interrupted by the alterations and repairs to Headquarters), as directed by General Order No. 2, Office Board of Commissioners, series of 1874, substituting Wednesday of each week for Thursday, and that in the absence of the Instructor of the Corps, the same be conducted by the Chief of the Corps; and be it also

Resolved, That the instruction directed in the foregoing resolution shall begin with the commencement of the coming month; that no excuse for absence from either of the meetings be accepted, except sickness or fire duty, and that in cases of necessity the Chief of Department shall have authority to postpone or omit any of the meetings.

Transfers

to take effect 11th instant:

Engineer of Steamer John H. Leonard, Engine Co. No. 12 to Engine Co. No. 30.

" " Joseph Derry, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 12.

" " John R. Day, Engine Co. No. 30 to Engine Co. No. 4.

Fireman Elisha Van Brunt, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 30.

Private William Grace, Engine Co. No. 30 to Engine Co. No. 4.

Bills

audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 47.

Abbott, Downing & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$42 15	Lederer, C., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$45 74
Barron, James S. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	32 00	Lattimore & Dougherty, "	18 00
Byrnes, J., apparatus, supplies, etc.	12 00	Lenihan, John, "	15 00
Carlin, William, "	30 00	Leyton, John, "	9 00
Conway, John, "	92 25	McAvoy, John, "	15 00
Dahlman, Isaac H., "	900 00	McCann, Patrick, "	15 00
Donoghue, T. & M., "	12 00	McKenna, Patrick, "	9 00
Dunn, John F., "	6 00	McKenna & Mulholland, "	12 00
Duross, Neil, "	3 00	McSwegan, Peter, "	9 00
Emerick, John H., "	33 04	Metropolitan Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	48 15
Fallon, Owen, "	30 00	Moffit, Robert, apparatus, supplies, etc.	33 00
Feigel, M. & Bro., "	59 20	Morrison, James, "	39 00
Fox, Thomas, "	9 00	Murray, Patrick, "	\$12 00
French, Samuel G., "	115 34	New York Gas-light Co., "	112 82
Fuller, A. P., "	34 05	N. Y. Mutual Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	3 61
Gallon, Thomas J., "	18 00	Norris & Williams, apparatus, supplies, etc.	145 00
Garlan, George, "	3 00	Northern Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	19 80
Gerety, Andrew, "	27 00	O'Neill, Joseph, apparatus, supplies, etc.	21 00
Gogerty, Michael, "	15 00	Peyser, John, "	15 00
Gregory, James, "	31 80	Phelps, Dodge & Co., "	92 12
Hassler, John A., "	18 00	Roche, James, "	36 00
Hayes, Dennis, "	9 00	Russell, Thomas, "	21 00
Hughes, Thomas, "	46 90	Walsh, Mathew, "	57 75
Kenny, Bernard, "	24 00	Ward, William H., "	9 00
Kennedy & Sheehan, "	9 00		
Kirk & Fair, "	21 00		
Lally, John, "	9 00		
			\$2,454 72

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending September 28, 1878:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,953, as follows, viz.: 6 public buildings, 745 tenement houses, 163 private dwellings, 109 other dwellings, 12 manufactories and workshops, 41 stores and warehouses, 70 stables, 50 slaughter-houses, 4 public sewers, 17 manure dumps, 2 garbage dumps, 11 fat-rendering establishments, 6 fertilizing works, 1 pier, 1 lime kiln, 58 sunken and vacant lots, 1 glycerine works, 1 bridge, 1 gut cleaning establishment, 1 coal yard, 2 dangerous buildings, 69 yards, courts, and areas, 74 cellars and basements, 113 waste pipes and drains, 200 privies and water-closets, 90 streets, gutters, and sidewalks, 2 dangerous stairways, 4 cesspools, 5 smoky chimneys, 3 piggeries, 29 other nuisances, together with 70 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 764.

During the past week 149 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 92 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the port.

Permits were granted to 77 scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy-sinks.

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 28, 1878.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.		
	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 22	30.054	30.054	30.082	30.188	30.188	30.108	30.207	30.207	30.108	30.207	12 P. M.	29.887	29.887	0 A. M.		
Monday, 23	30.309	30.309	30.298	30.297	30.297	30.301	30.348	30.348	30.301	30.348	9 A. M.	30.207	30.207	0 A. M.		
Tuesday, 24	30.193	30.193	30.097	30.065	30.065	30.118	30.275	30.275	30.118	30.275	0 A. M.	30.049	30.049	12 P. M.		
Wednesday, 25	30.060	30.060	30.036	29.999	29.999	30.032	30.071	30.071	30.032	30.071	9 A. M.	29.999	29.999	12 P. M.		
Thursday, 26	29.945	29.945	29.892	30.008	30.008	29.948	30.064	30.064	30.008	30.064	12 P. M.	29.860	29.860	3 P. M.		
Friday, 27	30.188	30.188	30.191	30.216	30.216	30.198	30.275	30.275	30.198	30.275	12 P. M.	30.064	30.064	0 A. M.		
Saturday, 28	30.309	30.309	30.279	30.210	30.210	30.266	30.335	30.335	30.210	30.335	9 A. M.	30.198	30.198	12 P. M.		

Mean for the week..... 30.138 inches.
 Maximum " at 9 A. M., September 23..... 30.348 "
 Minimum " at 3 P. M., September 26..... 29.860 "
 Range "488 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM In Sun.					
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.		Wet Bulb.				
Sunday, 22	57	55	65	59	57	53	59.7	65	3 P. M.	60	3 P. M.	53	12 P. M.	52	12 P. M.	119	
Monday, 23	50	48	63	56	59	55	57.3	53.0	66	3 P. M.	59	5 P. M.	49	5 A. M.	47	5 A. M.	122
Tuesday, 24	61	57	69	64	67	65	65.6	62.0	69	3 P. M.	66	7 P. M.	58	0 A. M.	55	0 A. M.	99
Wednesday, 25	65	64	74	68	70	67	69.7	66.0	77	4 P. M.	70	4 P. M.	65	7 A. M.	64	7 A. M.	132
Thursday, 26	69	67	77	71	62	59	69.3	65.7	80	3 P. M.	72	3 P. M.	57	12 P. M.	55	12 P. M.	127
Friday, 27	53	50	62	54	55	52	56.6	52.0	65	4 P. M.	57	4 P. M.	51	12 P. M.	48	12 P. M.	122
Saturday, 28	46	45	58	51	54	50	52.6	48.6	59	4 P. M.	53	4 P. M.	45	6 A. M.	44	6 A. M.	119

Mean for the week..... Dry Bulb. 61.5 degrees. Wet Bulb. 57.6 degrees.
 Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 26th..... 80. " at 3 P. M., 26th..... 72. "
 Minimum " at 6 A. M., 28th..... 45. " at 6 A. M., 28th..... 44. "
 Range " " 35. " 28. "

Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY, IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 22	NW	N	NNE	60	47	44	151	0	1 1/4	0	3 1/2	3.10 P. M.
Monday, 23	NE	NE	E	58	57	36	151	1/2	3/4	1/2	2	12 M.
Tuesday, 24	ESE	SE	S	27	58	49	134	0	1/2	0	1	11.30 A. M.
Wednesday, 25	W	SE	S	26	16	21	63	0	0	0	1/2	10.40 A. M.
Thursday, 26	SSW	SSW	NW	54	83	50	187	3/4	3/4	1/2	9	3.50 P. M.
Friday, 27	NNW	NNW	NNW	59	37	29	125	1/4	3/4	0	1 1/4	0 A. M.
Saturday, 28	NE	NNE	SE	71	38	8	117	3/4	3/4	0	2	1.50 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 928 miles.
 Maximum force " " 9 pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, IO.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES					
SEPTEMBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday, 22	.407	.420	.350	87	68	75	0	1 Cu.	0	.....	.....
Monday, 23	.309	.356	.380	86	62	76	0	2 Cu.	4 Cir.	.....	.....
Tuesday, 24	.412	.529	.591	77	75	89	5 Cir. Cu.	9 Cu.	10	5.40 P. M.	10 P. M.	4 20 .19 ..
Wednesday, 25	.583	.604	.622	94	72	85	3 Cu.	7 Cu.	0	.....	.....
Thursday, 26	.635	.678	.460	90	73	83	9 Cu.	9 Cir. Cu.	8 Cu.	4 P. M.	5 P. M.	1 00 .40 ..
Friday, 27	.321	.312	.349	80	56	80	0	0	0	.....	.....
Saturday, 28	.286	.282	.308	92	58	74	0	3 Cir. S.	5 Cir.	.....	.....

Total amount of water for the week..... .59 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

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

- 23,000 cubic yards of filling.
- 110,000 square feet of pavement, bridge or crossing stones, and flag-stones of sidewalks, taken up, removed, piled, and preserved.
- 3,000 lineal feet of curb and gutter stones taken up, removed, piled, and preserved.

Also, the Engineer's estimate of work to be done without charge therefor, is as follows:

- 10 sewer man-holes to be raised and curbs reset, requiring 18,000 br cks.
- 12 receiving-basins to be raised and one new head-stone to be furnished, requiring 15,000 bricks.

These quantities are considered as approximate, and are not to be held as entitling the contractor to any claim for extra time in the completion of the work, or to any other claim for damages, if the quantity of work between the points stated should prove to be greater 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 for each of the following four items, namely:

1. For excavation, per cubic yard.
2. For filling, per cubic yard.
3. For pavement, bridge or crossing stones, and flag-stones of sidewalks, taken up, removed, piled, and preserved, per square foot.
4. For curb and gutter stones taken up, removed, piled, and preserved, per lineal foot.

These prices, together with those fixed in the contract, are to cover the whole cost of the work.

The time required for completion, which will be tested at the rate of \$4 per day, must also be stated.

No proposal will be received which contains prices for other items than those above mentioned, or which does not contain prices for all of said items.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, their respective places of business or residence being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of five thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal.

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

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

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

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposal for Grading 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.

JAMES F. WENMAN, President;
WM. C. WETMORE,
SAMUEL CONOVER,
SMITH E. LANE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, October 10, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT two horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, October 22, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board.
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, September 30, 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: Boats, revolvers, coffee, clothing (male and female), ladies' gold watch and chain, silver watches, lot of steel pens (No. 303), shoes, tobacco, and lot of green ebony; also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

LEGISLATIVE 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 SHELLS,
THOMAS CARROLL,
GEORGE HALL,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
BERNARD BIGLIN,
Committee on Public Works

CORPORATION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works:

No. 1—Flagging in Second avenue (east side), between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets.....	\$201 84
No. 2—Fencing in Madison avenue (northwest corner) and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.....	53 97
No. 3—Fencing in Twenty-fourth street (south side), eighty-two feet east of First avenue.....	35 80
No. 4—Sewer in Sixty-ninth street, between First and Second avenues.....	4,688 73
No. 5—Paving in Lexington avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets.....	1,297 41
No. 6—Paving in Eighty-second street, between Third and Madison avenues.....	6,931 05
No. 7—Paving in Seventy-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to Riverside Park.....	19,890 87
No. 8—Sewer in Washington street, between Perry and West Eleventh streets.....	604 85
No. 9—Basin, Madison and Birmingham streets (northwest corner).....	180 00
No. 10—Sewers in Ninth avenue, between One Hundredth and One Hundred and First streets, and in One Hundred and First street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.....	4,510 50
No. 11—Paving, Seventieth street, crossing Fourth avenue.....	723 47
No. 12—Flagging, Fortieth street (south side), between First and Second avenues.....	269 25

WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. CENTRE),
NEW YORK, October 9, 1878.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Eighth avenue to Harlem river.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in One Hundred and Seventh street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.

No. 3. Paving with trap-blocks One Hundred and Twentieth street, from First avenue to the Harlem river.

No. 4. Sewers in Eleventh avenue between Sixtieth and Sixty-fourth streets, and in Sixty-first street, between the Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Seventy-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging on the north side of Twenty-second street, between Avenue A and East river.

No. 7. Regulating, grading, curb and gutter stones and flagging, Eighty-first street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 8. Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-second street and One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between the Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 9. Sewer in Ann street, between William and Gold streets.

No. 10. Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Seventy-sixth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.

No. 11. Sewer in Nassau street, between Beekman and Spruce 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. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Avenue A.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from First avenue to Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-fourth street, and both sides of Sixty-first, Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets, from the Tenth to the Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block on south side of Sixty-fourth street, commencing at the Eleventh avenue, running easterly.

No. 5. North side of Seventy-fifth street, between the Second and Third avenues.

No. 6. North side of Twenty-second street, from Avenue A to the East river.

No. 7. Both sides of Eighty-first street, from the Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Ann street, from William to Gold street.

No. 10. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.

No. 11. Both sides Nassau street, from Beekman to Spruce street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 114 White street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 1st day of November ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALLY,
EDWARD NORTH,
JOHN R. MUMFORD,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER OF CENTRE),
NEW YORK, October 1, 1878.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 10, 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 Hart's Island Hospital—Mary Welsh; aged 60 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 5, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, LEATHER, AND LUMBER.

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, October 18, 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—

- GROCERIES, ETC.
- 250 barrels Fine Flour.
- 250 barrels Rye Flour.
- 1,000 barrels Potatoes.
- 1,000 pounds Lard.
- 100 Hams.

- LEATHER.
- 500 sides Waxed Upper Leather.
- LUMBER.
- 10,000 feet Y. P. Flooring.
- 5,000 feet 1 1/2-inch Clear Pine.
- 250 Wall Strips.
- 250 Hemlock Joist.

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.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 4, 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 Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Farrell; aged 47 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 9, 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 Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Mary Costello; aged 45 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes; sandy hair. Had on when admitted black dress, gray skirt, black shawl, black straw hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

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 Eighty-second street, from First avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charge, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, in the New Court House at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of October, 1878, at 10 1/2 o'clock in the forenoon.

MENZO DIEFENDORF,
GEORGE H. SWORDS,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
Commissioners.

Dated New York, October 11, 1878.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Docks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of Pier number Forty-four, old number, North river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE State of New York, in such case made and provided, the Commissioners of the Department of Docks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice, that the Council to the Corporation of said city will apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District in the State of New York, at a special term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October, 1878, at the opening of said Court, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of right and title by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York for the use of the public to the pier known as number forty-four (44), old number, North river, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point distant 250 feet westerly from the east side of West street, and 373 feet north from the northerly side of Pier 34 (new number): thence running westerly at an angle of 93 deg. 02 min. 30 sec. from said bulkhead 590 feet; thence deflecting northerly 90 deg. for 60 feet; thence deflecting easterly 90 deg. for 500 feet parallel with the southerly side as before described and to the new bulkhead line; thence deflecting southerly along said bulkhead line 60 feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1878.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 21st day of October, 1878, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for the erection of a New School-house on the south side of East Twenty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues.

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

Proposals must state the estimate for each branch of the work separately, and be indorsed "Proposal for Mason Work," "Proposal for Carpenter Work," "Proposal for Painting."

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

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education renders their responsibility doubtful.

No substitution by the accepted contractor will be permitted without first obtaining, in writing, permission from the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education.

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

JOSEPH R. SKIDMORE,
S. B. VAN DUZEN,
MAX HERZOG, M. D.,
HUGH CASSIDY,
E. ELERY ANDERSON,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated New York, October 7, 1878.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 14, 1878.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Rolls on Personal Property and Bank Stock, for the year 1878, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes thereon are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in the twenty-ninth section of the Act of March 30, 1850, viz.:

A reduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the time of payment to the first day of December next.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 11, 1878.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

THE BOOKS FOR TAXES ON PERSONAL PROPERTY and BANK STOCK will be opened for payment at this office on Monday, October 14, 1878. Due notice will be given when the books for real estate are ready.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

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 1853 to 1877 prepared under the direction of the Commissioners Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller

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

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF THE RIGHT, TITLE, AND INTEREST OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK IN FOURTEEN LOTS OF LAND, ALL ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD AND ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREETS, AND SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE.

THE RIGHT, TITLE, AND INTEREST OF THE City of New York in premises beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Third street, distant 110 feet east of the Third avenue; running thence easterly along the north side of One Hundred and Third street 150 feet; thence north parallel with the Third avenue to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fourth street; thence westerly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourth street 250 feet to the easterly line of the Third avenue; thence southerly along the easterly side of the Third avenue 50 feet 5 inches; thence easterly parallel with One Hundred and Fourth street 110 feet, and thence southerly and parallel with Third avenue to the northerly side of One Hundred and Third street, at the place of beginning, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the New County Court-house, on Saturday, November 2, 1878, at 11 o'clock A. M.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash to be paid to the Collector of the City Revenue, at the time and place of sale.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 1, 1878.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York will offer for sale at public auction, on Saturday, November 2, 1878, at noon, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the corporation of the City of New York:

Premises Nos. 9 and 11 Franklin street.
House and lot on the northeast corner of Third avenue and Eighty-fifth street.

No. 49 Leonard street, now leased at annual rent of \$800 until December 1, 1879.

Full warrantee deeds will be given to all purchasers. Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be obtained at the Comptroller's office on and after the 10th of October next.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
October 1, 1878.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1878, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New County Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 26 November 1, 1878.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 19, 1878.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED AUGUST 14, 1878.

Elton avenue, grading, from 3d to Brook avenue.
Boulevard, etc., sewers, from 9th street to 8th avenue, with branches.

10th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from 82d to 93d street.

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

THE CITY RECORD.

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