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### PROCLAMATION.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 14, 1879.

In pursuance of the ordinance approved April 30, 1877, as amended June 1, 1877, notice is hereby given that said ordinance will be enforced on and after the 23d day of June, 1879.

The Dog Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, is hereby designated as the place where dogs captured pursuant to said ordinance are to be delivered. The Pound will be open from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., Sundays excepted.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

The ordinance to prevent the danger of hydrophobia to any of the inhabitants of the City of New York, as amended and passed by the Board of Aldermen, May 29, 1877, is as follows:

AN ORDINANCE to prevent the Danger of Hydrophobia to any of the Inhabitants of the City of New York.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Hereafter it shall not be lawful to permit any dog to go abroad loose or at large in any of the public streets, lanes, alleys, highways, parks or places within the corporate limits of the City of New York, under a penalty of three dollars for each offense, to be recovered against the owner, possessor, or person who knowingly harbored such dog within three days previous to the time of such dog being so found going abroad loose or at large; and the Commissioners of Police are hereby authorized and directed to cause complaint to be made to the Corporation Attorney against the owner or possessor of every dog permitted to go loose or at large within the corporate limits, as aforesaid, for the recovery of the penalties prescribed in this ordinance; such penalties and all license fees, when collected, to be accounted for semi-monthly, and paid to the Comptroller of said city, and upon the requisition of the Mayor, to be applied towards the payment of enforcing the provisions of this ordinance. Nothing in this ordinance shall prevent any dog from going into any such street, lane, alley, highway, park or public place, provided such dog shall be held, by such owner or other person, securely by a cord or chain, to be not more than four feet long, fastened to a collar around the neck of the animal.

Sec. 2. Every owner, possessor, or person who harbors any dog shall take out a permit for each dog, at the Permit Bureau, paying the sum of two dollars (\$2) for the same. All permits, and renewals of the same, shall be dated from the first day of May in each and every year, and shall be for one year from date, and all renewals shall be one dollar (\$1). Said permit shall have the name of the owner and the number of the permit or license on it. Any dog so licensed must have a collar around his neck, with a metal tag attached, having the number of the license on it. And any dog so licensed must, when in the street, be held by such owner, or other person, secured by a cord, rope, or chain, not more than four feet in length; but the owner, at his option, may use, instead of the above, a muzzle, constructed so as to prevent the dog from biting. Any dog that is not so secured, although he is licensed, shall be captured the same as if no license was granted. No dog having a collar and tag, with the number of his license on it around his neck, that may be in a wagon or other vehicle belonging to his owner, shall be captured. Any person appointed by his Honor the Mayor to capture dogs who shall permit any person to take one or more dogs from him for nothing, or for pay, shall be arrested, and taken before a police justice, and upon the facts being proven, the judge shall impose a fine of not less than \$10, or more than \$50 for each offense. Any person may make a complaint of persons having dogs unlicensed at the police stations, and the officer in command shall entertain the same; and all policemen on patrol duty must report all violations of this ordinance the same as any other violation of a Corporation ordinance. All such reports shall be transmitted to the Corporation Attorney, the same as for other violations of city ordinances, and in addition to the \$3 fine, shall be added all costs of suits for the recovery of the same as for any other violation of the city ordinances. The provisions of this section, except those relating to leading and muzzling dogs, shall not apply to dogs owned by non-residents, in remaining temporarily or in passing through this city, or to dogs brought into this city and entered for exhibition at any dog show or annual exhibition of dogs.

Sec. 3. The Mayor of the City of New York is hereby authorized and empowered to take such measures as he may deem most efficient to carry into effect the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance. All dogs found loose or at large, as aforesaid, shall be seized, captured and delivered by such persons as the Mayor shall designate, at a place to be provided and indicated by him, where such animals, if not within forty-eight hours thereafter claimed and redeemed by the owner or some other person, shall be killed and destroyed in such manner and by such persons as the Mayor shall designate.

Sec. 4. Any owner or other person who may claim such dog shall, before being placed in possession thereof, pay therefor the sum of three dollars. The provisions of this ordinance shall apply only to dogs owned or claimed by residents of this city; and any person who shall knowingly present any such dog, and claim payment for the capture thereof, which shall not be owned or captured within the corporate limits of this city, shall thereby incur a penalty of ten dollars.

Sec. 5. No person shall hinder or molest any person or persons so appointed by the Mayor while engaged in seizing or capturing and delivering any such dog as aforesaid, or any other person engaged in the performance of any duty enjoined by the provisions of this ordinance, under a penalty of not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for every offense, to be sued for and recovered in the manner now provided by law or ordinance for the recovery of penalties for violations of the ordinances of the Common Council, on the complaint of the person so hindered or molested; the penalty, when recovered, to be accounted for, paid, and appropriated, as provided in section one of this ordinance. The Commissioners of Police are hereby authorized and required to cause the persons so engaged in the performance of any of the duties prescribed by this ordinance, to be protected from hindrance or molestation.

Sec. 6. Chapter XLIV. of the Revised Ordinances of 1866, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 14, 1879.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

The following persons have been designated by the Mayor to capture dogs and deliver them at the Dog Pound, under the ordinance of June 1, 1877:

Charles Heleker,  
Charles Boyle,  
C. J. Feidner,  
Herman Brunjes,  
John Gillen,  
James McLoughlin,  
Edward Kennedy,  
William Willen,

Matthew Dupton,  
Patrick Moran,  
George Reardon,  
James Healy,  
Thomas Daley,  
James Quinlin,  
Thomas Birmingham,

Respectfully,

JAS. E. MORRISON, Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held June 4, 1879,

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the chair.

The minutes of the meetings held May 24, 26, and 28, 1879, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From J. H. Vanderbilt and others—Protesting against the erection of a dumping board at Bethune street, North river.

From James W. Smith—As to his ownership of the south side of Pier 62, East river. Secretary directed to examine as to his title of said premises, and report to the Board.

From Harlem, New York Navigation Company—To have lease of pier at East Fifty-third street executed direct to them. Applicants requested to be present at the next meeting of the Board.

From B. F. Tyler—In reference to damage done to schooner O. F. Hawley by tug Manhattan on June 2, while off Pier, old 40, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to report as to the facts of said collision.

From Police Department—As to dredging required at pier at Forty-sixth street, East river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report as to the extent of dredging required at said premises to accommodate the boats of the Bureau of Street Cleaning.

From J. M. Goetchius—To drive piles and erect a platform for ferry purposes between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets, North river.

From Police Department—To have dredging done at the dumping board at Laight street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report amount of dredging required at said premises to accommodate the boats of the Police Department.

From George H. Fletcher, Attorney for Eldridge & Warren—Claiming that the Department is bound to give to them the lease of the pier at Fifty-third street, East river, under the assignment made by the Harlem & New York Navigation Company, purchasers of said lease, filed in this office on 26th February last. Applicants being heard, further consideration of the subject deferred for one week.

From O. F. Kerker, lessee of the right to moor floats at the foot of the steps at Harlem Bridge and Third avenue for the letting of small boats—Stating that the Superintendent of Public Parks had placed the house of the Bridge Keeper in front of the steps of the Westchester side of the bridge, thereby obstructing the approach to his floats, and requesting that this Department take action to have said house removed. Secretary directed to address a communication to the Commissioners of Public Parks, advising that said Kerker had purchased, on March 14, 1878, at the public sale ordered by this Department, the right, for three years, to moor floats at steps at each end of Third Avenue Bridge, at a yearly rent of \$1,200 per annum, and that the privilege of mooring floats at said premises has been a source of revenue to the city for several years past, and requesting that said Department cause the removal of the obstruction complained of, as the interests of the city require that the lessee aforesaid should have the enjoyment of the right purchased by him.

From Engineer-in-Chief—Stating that there remain at the Department yard, at Seventeenth street, East river, one hundred and eighteen pieces of granite headers and stretchers, and sixty-six pieces of granite coping, delivered under the contract of John Hogan, and rejected as not being in accordance with the provisions of the contract, and that said contractor had been directed in writing to remove said rejected stone, but had failed to do so; and that, as the Department requires the space occupied by them, their removal is necessary. Secretary directed to have printed a proper form of notice, and posted on said stones and in the vicinity of said yard, to the effect that said stone must be removed on or before the 18th instant, and if not so removed by that date that then this Department will remove said stones and place them in storage, subject to the charges incurred in said removal.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Fulton Market Fish Mongers' Association—Lessees of slip between Piers 22 and 23, East river, etc., requesting that the necessary dredging thereat be performed with as little delay as possible. Applicants informed that the work of dredging said premises has been contracted for and will be done very soon.

From N. Y. & Manhattan Beach Railway Co.—In reference to price to be charged to the Harlem boats for making landings daily at the end of pier at Twenty-third street, East river. Secretary directed to advise in reply that this Department will charge \$5 per day to said boats for the privilege of making landings at said pier, and as the season is short, the Commissioners believe the price fixed to be fair and reasonable.

From Superintendent McConkey—As to shed erected on Pier 1, East river.

From C. H. Loomis—Accepting to contract for dredging at various piers, under award made May 28, 1879.

From Henry Miller, Jr.—As to repairs needed at Pier, old 54, North river. Applicant notified and directed to make the necessary repairs to said pier, in accordance with the terms and conditions of sale held March 14, 1878, under which the lease of said premises was purchased by him.

From Department of Public Works—Stating that the free public baths are now located at the places designated by this Department, and requesting that such floats and rafts as may be necessary for their full protection be placed thereat. Engineer-in-Chief directed to do the work in accordance with the request of said Department.

From Police Department—Requesting that about six piles be driven at the dumping board at Jackson street, East river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to drive said piles as requested by said Department.

From Charles G. Francklyn, Agent Cunard Steamship Company, stating that he is informed by the Department of Public Works that the sewer at the foot of Clarkson street, North river, will remain as it is until September next, and requesting that a temporary covering be placed over the same to prevent the foul odors arising therefrom. Engineer-in-Chief directed to cover said sewer with old material now on hand, and with earth, at a cost of about \$400.

From Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Report as to work performed during week ending May 31, 1879.

2d. Report stating that the crib at the end of the pier at One Hundred and Sixth street, Harlem river, has settled and carried the whole pier out, so as to pull off the face of the bulkhead, making it necessary to rebuild the bulkhead, and repair the pier, at a cost of about \$750. Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair said bulkhead and pier in accordance with his report.

On motion, the application of F. E. Bean to erect a platform on north side of pier at Sixteenth street, North river, etc., was taken from the table and placed on file, and the applicant notified that this Department has no objection to his driving five piles and erecting thereon a platform about eighty feet long, on the north side of pier at Sixteenth street, North river, also to place a scale and weigh-office on the northeast corner of said pier; the consent of the lessee of said premises, and also of the Harbor Master of the district having been filed in this office, but this Department reserves the right to cause their removal at any time it may so elect.

On motion, the application of Warwick & Gordon, for permission to erect a hoisting engine on premises occupied by them between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets, North river, for the purpose of discharging coal, was taken from the table and placed on file, and the applicants informed that, while this Department is doubtful if it has jurisdiction to grant the permission asked for, it sees no objection to their placing said engine on the premises referred to, but the Department reserves the right to cause its removal at any time it may so elect.

A report was received from the Engineer-in-Chief, stating that the repairs ordered to be made to the inner end of the westerly side of Pier 23, East river, for account of the lessees thereof, were completed on May 13, at a cost of \$562.19, and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized and directed to prepare a statement of claim in the sum of \$562.19, and present the same to the Fulton Market Fish Mongers' Association for payment, being for expenses incurred for repairs made by this Department to the inner end of the westerly side of Pier 23, East river, in conformity with the provisions of the lease of said premises.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of nine bills or claims, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$1,698.08, and, being read, was

On motion, accepted and adopted, and the Secretary directed to forward the said bills, together with proper requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment.

A communication was received from the Engineer-in-Chief, suggesting certain changes in the plans for sewers and outlets about to be contracted for by the Department of Public Works, on West

street, between Spring and West Eleventh streets, as shown on the maps received from said Department, and being read,

On motion, the Secretary was directed to address a communication to the Commissioner of Public Works, advising him of the suggestions of the Engineer-in-Chief, in regard to said sewers outlets, etc., with the request that if they shall prove acceptable to him, he will have the alterations made upon the maps prepared by his Department, and forwarded to this Department at his earliest convenience.

An application was presented by F. W. Jackson, General Superintendent Pennsylvania Railroad Co., for permission to erect platform, repair and extend Pier 16, North river, etc., occupied by said Company, and being heard at length in reference to the contemplated improvements, said application was

On motion, laid on table, to enable the applicant to prepare a modified plan of the work.

The Secretary stating that the insurance against fire on the sheds on Piers, new 43 and 46, North river, to the amount of \$65,000, would expire on the 25th instant,

On motion, the Treasurer was authorized and directed to effect an equal amount of fire insurance, either by renewal of existing policies or otherwise, for one year from said date.

On motion, John Hogan, and Patrick Kane, Night Watchmen, were discharged.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

## BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

A meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments was held at the Comptroller's Office, in the New Court-house, on Thursday, June 5, 1879, at 12.10 o'clock P. M.

Present—Hon. John Kelly, Comptroller; Hon. William C. Whitney, Counsel to the Corporation; Hon. John K. Hackett, Recorder.

The minutes of the meeting held May 29, 1879, were read and approved.

The assessment list for paving, with Belgian pavement, Lexington avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets, with objections of Elizabeth H. Theall and others, laid over at the meeting of April 18, 1879, for a further examination in respect to the condition of the work was, on motion, taken up for action.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented to the Board a report of J. B. Bacon, examiner, of a further examination made by him as to the execution of said work.

Mr. John M. Seaman, of No. 1264 Lexington avenue, was sworn and examined by the representative of Mr. N. Gano Dunn, attorney for the objectors, and by the Board relative to the character of the grade of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets.

On motion, the said assessment list was again laid over.

The assessment list for regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, and superstructure of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to Hudson river, and record of awards for damages to buildings by reason of change of grade on the line; also the petitions for damages, objections, correspondence, affidavits, and testimony taken by the Board of Assessors in said matter, were presented to the Board by the Comptroller, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors with a communication dated May 19, 1879.

Mr. Charles E. Miller, attorney for the Vestry, etc., of Trinity Church, submitted an act of the Legislature relating to cemeteries, passed May 17, 1879, whereupon

It was ordered that the said assessment list be returned to the Board of Assessors for revision in accordance with the provisions of said act.

Mr. William B. Crosby, an objector to the assessment, submitted affidavits of Mr. H. M. Gilliland and himself relative to the present condition of the work. Which were filed.

The assessment list for regulating, grading, etc., in Concord avenue, from Home street to Westchester (road) avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, and objections of George F. Bristow, Cornelia Pastor, and others, were presented to the Board by the Comptroller, the same having been received from the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, with report in said matter, on May 20, 1879.

After hearing Mr. Ernest Hall, attorney for Mr. Geo. F. Bristow and others, in opposition to the confirmation of the assessment, and Mr. Michael Kuntz, one of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in said matter, on motion, the said assessment list was laid over.

The assessment list for regulating and grading, setting and resetting curb, flagging and reflagging, and paving with Telford Macadam pavement, Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue, with objections of Messrs. Isaac Lockwood, William H. Colwell, Frederick Kopper, and others, was presented to the Board by the Comptroller, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors with a communication dated March 31, 1879.

After hearing Mr. John C. Shaw, attorney for Isaac Lockwood and others objectors, in opposition to the confirmation of the assessment, on motion, the said assessment list was laid over for further consideration.

The Counsel to the Corporation here withdrew from the meeting.

The Comptroller presented to the Board the assessment list for building sewers in First avenue, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and Second avenue, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, with branches in Ninety-third, Ninety-sixth, Ninety-seventh, Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First, One Hundred and Second, One Hundred and Third, One Hundred and Fourth, One Hundred and Fifth, One Hundred and Seventh, and One Hundred and Eighth streets, accompanied with objections of the Second Avenue Railroad Company, Albert Crane, Thomas Kitts, and others, and a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative thereto, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors with a communication dated May 20, 1879.

After hearing Mr. Charles E. Miller, attorney for the Second Avenue Railroad Company, and Albert Crane, in opposition to the confirmation of the assessment, on motion, the objections in said matter were overruled and the assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board present voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for regulating and grading that portion of Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, on each side of the improvement of said avenue for railroad purposes, and record of awards for damages to buildings by reason of change of grade on the line; also the petitions for damages, objections of Huldah Eisenprize, Nelson Haradon, and Henry Bullenkamp and others, and opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation in said matter, were presented to the Board by the Comptroller, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors, with a communication dated June 3, 1879.

After hearing Mr. William Boehlk, one of the objectors in opposition to the confirmation of the assessment, on motion, the objections in said matter were overruled, and the assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board present voting in the affirmative.

At 12.50 o'clock P. M., on motion, the Board adjourned.

RICHARD A. STORRS,  
Chief Clerk Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

*Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the meeting held June 16, 1879.*

Present—Hon. Edward Cooper, Mayor (Chairman); Hon. John Kelly, Comptroller; J. Nelson Tappan, Esq., Chamberlain; and Nicholas Haughton, Esq., Chairman Finance Committee Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Mayor presented the following communication:

FULTON MARKET, NEW YORK, June 16, 1879.

Hon. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor:

SIR—As invited by the Sinking Fund Commissioners, we submit for their consideration certain suggestions as to the conditions or stipulations upon which a lease of the Fulton Market should be given, so that a new building might be erected this fall, to be used for market purposes.

The standholders are substantially united in urging upon the favorable consideration of the Commissioners the application made on their behalf, and in supporting this application there is not a single standholder who desires to secure any advantage to himself which is not secured to all standholders alike. The movement on the part of the standholders is an honest endeavor on their part to secure the erection of a new market.

In these circumstances we are particularly anxious that the action now taken by the Commissioners will not have the effect of continuing the present exceedingly unsatisfactory state of matters. The present buildings are in a wretched condition. Condemned by the Building Department as unsafe, by the Department of Health to be a public nuisance, there ought to be no delay in removing this dangerous nuisance.

We are aware that the power of the Commissioners over this Fulton Market property is limited to either selling or leasing the same, for the highest marketable price or rental, at public auction or by sealed bids after public advertisement and appraisal, "under a condition that the purchaser or lessee thereof shall maintain said market property as and for the purposes of a public market for at least ten years from and after such sale or lease, and under due ordinance of the Common Council, or of the Department of Health, or under stipulation in the deed of sale or lease."

Under this grant of power the question to be determined by the Commissioners is whether they will sell or lease the property, so that a new market may be erected? The Commissioners have no power to build a new market. Will they therefore sell or lease, that a new market may be built by the purchaser or lessee?

If the Commissioners resolve to exercise the power they possess, it is for them to then determine the stipulations or conditions to be inserted in the deed of sale or lease. The standholders have submitted certain suggestions on this subject, but if these do not meet with the approval of the Commissioners, we ask them to agree upon conditions which will be satisfactory. The Commissioners are sole judges in the matter, and are subject only to the imperative proviso contained in the law, from whence they derive their power, viz.: "That the property shall be maintained for the purposes of a public market for at least ten years from and after the lease."

As it is evident that a failure to exercise the power which the Commissioners possess in the matter would be equivalent to a determination on their part that the present dangerous nuisance must continue, we trust that the Commissioners may see their way to the adoption of such action as will secure to the city, this fall, a very much needed improvement.

Respectfully, on behalf of the Committee,

EUGENE G. BLACKFORD.

After a general discussion of the subject under consideration by the members of the Board in attendance and the representatives of the market standholders, the Comptroller submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That all the papers relating to the application for a lease of the Fulton Market property be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation; and that he be requested to advise the Commissioners at as early a date as possible, as to what are the powers possessed by the Commissioners in the matter, and particularly, whether it would be in the power of the Commissioners to insert as a condition in the lease, permission to erect on a portion of the market property, along Fulton street, stores for the retail of general merchandise; and whether such a use of the property would be using the property for the purpose of a public market.

On motion, the resolution was adopted.

Adjourned to Tuesday the 17th instant, at 4 o'clock P. M.

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

*Abstract of Proceedings for the week ending with June 14, 1879.*

No meeting of the Board was held.

The following additions were made to the Zoological collection at the Central Park.

*Donated.*

1 ring dove, presented by Mr. E. L. Green.  
1 red squirrel, presented by Mr. H. W. Putnam.  
1 red-tailed hawk, presented by Mr. John Aklunch.  
1 mocking bird, presented by Mr. Arthur Burns.  
2 white mice, presented by Mr. Herman Kusterer.  
1 gray squirrel, presented by Mr. J. W. Tucker.  
1 red-billed dove, presented by Mr. A. J. Lespinasse.

*Born.*

2 cygnets.

*Purchased.*

1 green macaw.

*Placed on Exhibition.*

3 monkeys.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

## RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, April 2, 1879.

*Appointment of Commissioners.*

It appearing by the application, made to me on the 4th day of March, 1879, by fifty reputable householders and taxpayers of the City and County of New York, in the State of New York, verified upon oath before a Justice of the Supreme Court, that there is need in said city and county of a street railway or railways for the transportation of passengers, mails and freight; and thirty days not having expired since said application, now, in pursuance of the provisions of the act entitled, "An Act further to provide for the construction and operation of a steam railway or railways in counties of the State," passed June 18, 1875, three-fifths being present, I, Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby appoint the following five persons, residents of said city and county, to be commissioners under and in pursuance of the provisions of said act, namely: Henry F. Spaulding, Benjamin G. Arnold, Henry G. Stebbins, Lewis G. Morris, Samuel R. Filley.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name, the 2d day of April, 1879.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of D. T. Ames for the sum of twenty-five dollars, to be in full for engraving and mounting on a scroll a copy of the preamble and resolutions adopted by the Common Council on the occasion of the death of ex-Mayor Jacob A. Westervelt, the amount to be charged to the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Lennon to keep a wire sign, five feet long by three feet deep, in front of his premises, No. 2390 Second avenue, within the stoop-line; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That the Department of Public Parks be and is hereby requested to cause the sidewalks of the public park or place bounded by West Fourth street, Christopher street, and Grove street, to be repaired and put in good order, fit for public travel.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Berger to place and keep a barber's pole near the line of the curb-stone in front of No. 185 East Eightieth street, said pole not to exceed five inches in diameter nor twenty feet in height; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry E. Webb to place and keep a post ten feet high and one foot wide, surmounted by a mortar, near the curb-line in front of 1026 Fourth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Williams to keep a barber's pole on a moveable box, 2 x 2 and five feet high, in front of No. 100 West Thirty-third street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John A. Frey to retain sign now over the awning rail parallel with the curb-stone in front of No. 27 Avenue A; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 3, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That the grade of Forty-second street, between First and Second avenues be changed as follows, viz.: That at one hundred and twenty-seven (127) feet west of First avenue the grade be established at seventy 17-100 feet, and seventy-seven feet easterly of last named point at seventy 17-100 feet above high water, as shown by the green lines and figures on the accompanying diagram.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879. Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the east side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, be flagged full width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879. Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Theodore Kerns & Co. to place and keep sign-post at curb-stone line in front of their premises, No. 342 Third avenue, said sign to be triangular in shape, not more than eight feet high and twenty-four inches in width; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1879. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 9, 1879, 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 Charles K. Maguire to erect an awning lined with tin in front of his premises, No. 539 First avenue, 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, May 27, 1879. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 9, 1879, 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 Richard P. Risdon to erect two bay-windows on the Lexington avenue front of building owned by him, situate on the southwest corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, he, the said R. P. Risdon, being the owner of the adjoining premises and diagram hereunto annexed, 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, June 3, 1879. Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Oothout to place and keep a bay-window, as shown on the annexed diagram, on the Thirty-sixth street front of the building on the northwest corner of Thirty-sixth street and Madison 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, June 3, 1879. Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. West & Anderson to place and keep bay or show-windows on the first and second stories of the building to be erected on the lot No. 114 West Twenty-third street, as shown on the accompanying diagram; the work to be done at their 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, June 3, 1879. Approved by the Mayor, June 9, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to Giuseppe Baraduo to erect a stand, four feet long and two feet wide, on the northeast corner of Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, in front of the premises occupied by the City Island Bank, the bank authorities having given their consent; the said stand to be under the stairway of the elevated railroad, and not to obstruct the free use of the street; such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 3, 1879. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 10, 1879, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, OFFICE NO. 2 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 16, 1879.

- 1879. Appointments. June 9. Francis Redmond, Temporary Clerk. 9. Thomas C. Swanton, " 9. George W. Thatcher, " 7. Owen Flanagan, Messenger. HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent of Buildings.

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; together with the heads of Departments and Courts.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office. No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. EDWARD COOPER Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary. Mayor's Marshal's Office. No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal. Permit and License Bureau Office. No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council. No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. JORDAN L. MOTT, President. Board of Aldermen. JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., Clerk of Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office. No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMILIN, Deputy Commissioner. Bureau of Water Register. No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register. Bureau of Incumbrances. No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent. Bureau of Lamps and Gas. No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent. Bureau of Streets. No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent. Bureau of Sewers. No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge. Bureau of Chief Engineer. No. 11 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Bureau of Street Improvements. No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies. No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent. Bureau of Water Purveyor. No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor. Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park. JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office. Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller. Auditing Bureau. No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts. Bureau of Arrears. No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ARTEMAS CADY, Clerk of Arrears. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments. No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD GILON, Collector. Bureau of City Revenue. No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue. Bureau of Markets. No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes. First floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park. MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes. Bureau of the City Chamberlain. No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation. Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation. ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk. Office of the Public Administrator. No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator. Office of the Corporation Attorney. No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney. Attorney to Department of Buildings Office. Corner Cortlandt and Church streets. JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office. No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM F. SMITH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office. Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters. Nos. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES F. WENMAN, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards. Fordham, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Mulberry and Houston streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. RICHARD J. MORRISON, President; J. B. ADAMSON, Chief Clerk.

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

No. 236 West Forty-third street. ELIJAH W. ROE.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. BERNARD REILLY, Sheriff; JOHN T. CUMMING, Under Sheriff.

COMMISSION FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. WYLLIS BLACKSTONE, President; ISAAC EVANS, Secretary.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. FREDERICK W. LOEW, Register; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WM. PITT SHEARMAN, ROBERT F. HATFIELD.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEEGAN, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HUBERT O. THOMPSON, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P. CLARK, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books. No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street. HENRY WOLTMAN, MORITZ ELLINGER, RICHARD CROKER, and RICHARD FLANAGAN, Coroners.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

HENRY F. SPAULDING, 15 Nassau street. BENJAMIN G. ARNOLD, 125 Front street. HENRY G. STEBBINS, 48 Exchange place. LEWIS G. MORRIS, 25 Pine street. SAMUEL R. FILLIEY, Prospect avenue and 165th street.

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. NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Clerk.

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. WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Justice; THOS. BOESS, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22. General Term, Room No. 24. Special Term, Room No. 21. Chambers, Room No. 21. Part I, Room No. 25. Part II, Room No. 26. Part III, Room No. 27. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23. CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, Room 15, City Hall. Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street. Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY ALKER, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, Room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN K. HACKETT, Recorder; RUPUS B. COWING, City Judge; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, Judge-Sessions; JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN CALLAHAN, Justice. Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, Nos. 112 and 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

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.—Paving Seventy-fourth street, between Avenue A and East river, \$3,417 87. No. 2.—Flagging First avenue, west side, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, 55 50. No. 3.—Flagging Madison avenue, east side, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, 161 40. No. 4.—Flagging Fifty-first street, north side, between Broadway and Eighth avenue, 31 39. No. 5.—Fencing Madison avenue, east side, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, and in Eightieth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues, 189 47. No. 6.—Fencing Sixth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, 113 09. No. 7.—Fencing Seventy-fourth street, southwest corner of and Fourth avenue, 85 31. No. 8.—Fencing Forty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, 21 79. No. 9.—Flagging Sixtieth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue, 785 32. Total, \$4,861 14. WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE), NEW YORK, June 9, 1879.

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 Ninth avenue, from Seventy-second to Eighty-first street. No. 2. Paving Seventy-seventh street, between Third avenue and Avenue A, with Belgian pavement. No. 3. Sewers in Greenwich avenue, between Thirtieth street and Eighth avenue, and in Bank street, between Waverley place and Greenwich avenue. No. 4. Flagging north side of Fifty-ninth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues. No. 5. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of First street and Extra place. No. 6. Sewer in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Fifth avenue and summit west of Fifth avenue. No. 7. Receiving-basins on the southwest corner of Fifty-fourth street and Avenue A, and on the northwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Avenue A. No. 8. Paving Fifty-third street, between Broadway and Seventh avenue, with Belgian pavement. No. 9. Receiving-basins on the northwest corner of Bloomfield street and Tenth avenue, and Little West Twelfth street and Tenth avenue. No. 10. Sewer in Eleventh avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Seventy-sixth streets, with branches in Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second, and Seventy-third streets, with connection of present sewer in Seventieth street. The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on— No. 1. Both sides of Ninth avenue, between Seventy-second and Eighty-first streets, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersection of Seventy-third, Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth, Seventy-seventh, Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth, Eightieth, and Eighty-first streets. No. 2. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, between Third avenue and Avenue A, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting avenues. No. 3. East side of Greenwich avenue, between Horatio street and Eighth avenue, and both sides of Bank street, extending two hundred feet west of Greenwich avenue. No. 4. North side of Fifty-ninth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues. No. 5. East side of Bowery and west side of Extra place, between First and Second streets, and north side of First street, between Extra place and the Bowery. No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. No. 7. South side of Fifty-fourth street, between Avenue A and First avenue, and east side of First avenue, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets; also, block bounded by Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, Avenue A and First avenue. No. 8. Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Broadway and Seventh avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersection of Broadway and Seventh avenue. No. 9. West side of Tenth avenue, between Bloomfield and Thirtieth streets, and north side of Bloomfield street, and both sides of Little West Twelfth street, between Tenth and Thirtieth avenues. No. 10. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Seventy-sixth streets, and both sides of Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. 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 list will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 27th day of June ensuing. THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MULLALLY, EDWARD NORTH, DANIEL STANBURY, Board of Assessors. OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. CENTRE), NEW YORK, May 27, 1879.

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.—Sewers (extension of) Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, at Hudson river, with alterations to existing sewers in Sewerage District No. 2, \$11,007 22. No. 2.—Paving Eighty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, 3,612 78. No. 3.—Fencing Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, and Lexington and Fourth avenues, 143 84. Total, \$14,763 84. WM. H. JASPER, Secretary. OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE), NEW YORK, May 27, 1879.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, June 7, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ADVERTISEMENT dated May 26th, 1879, inviting proposals for furnishing materials and supplies for the Fire Alarm Telegraph, Supply Room, and Repair Shops of this Department, to be opened at 9 A. M., on the 17th day of June, 1879, being for items Nos. 1 to 67, inclusive, is withdrawn until further notice.

VINCENT C. KING, President.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, November 7, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of the Board. VINCENT C. KING, President, JOHN I. GORMAN, Treasurer, CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Commissioners. CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 13, 1879.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from off Blackwell's Island—Unknown man; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair, mixed with gray. Had on black sack coat, dark cloth vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, cotton flannel drawers, carpet slippers.

Unknown man, from foot of Spring street; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair. Had on dark diagonal coat, pants and vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt, gray cotton socks, gaiters.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Thomas Ryan; aged 49 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; dark hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat and vest, gray pants, colored shirt, black felt hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—Ann Fagan; aged 49 years; committed June 6, 1879. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Randall's Island Hospital—Mary Taylor; aged 16 years; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 7, 1879.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Vesey street—Unknown boy; aged about 12 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; dark brown hair; hazel eyes. Had on black diagonal jacket, gray pants, buttoned gaiters.

Unknown man, from Bellevue Hospital; brought from Seventeenth Precinct Station-house; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; light hair; sandy moustache; blue eyes. Had on black cloth coat, vest, pants, white shirt, red flannel shirt, white knit drawers, brown mixed cotton socks, black felt hat, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of West Thirty-sixth street; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair. Had on blue check jumper, white knit undershirt, dark cloth pants, white cotton socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from off Battery; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown moustache; no hair. Had on black overcoat, black vest and pants, blue jean sack coat, white shirt, white cotton socks, gaiters, rubber overshoes.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Brennan; aged 43 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Ward's Island—Mary Buckley; colored; aged 63 years; 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high; black hair and eyes. 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 Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to Long Island Sound; and to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Harlem river to the Southern Boulevard; and to the opening of Westchester avenue, from Third avenue to the city line at the Bronx river; and to the opening of Cliff street, from Third avenue to Union avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Jerome avenue (late Central avenue) to Third avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue; and to the opening of Tinton avenue, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; and to the opening of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the Southern Boulevard; and to the opening of Willis avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to Third avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Elton avenue; and to the opening and widening of Morris avenue, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue at One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WILLIAM M. Pritchard, Esq., to whom was referred by order of this Court, dated the 9th day of June, 1879, the bill of costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of this proceeding, for examination preliminary to taxation, will hear all parties interested herein, at his office No. 49 Wall street, City of New York, on Thursday, the 19th day of June, A. D. 1879, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges 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, at the Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday the 20th day of June, 1879, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, June 7, 1879. MICHAEL C. MURPHY, G. N. HERRMAN, GERSHON COHEN, Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to opening Ninety-first street, from Eighth avenue to the New Road or Drive, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given 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, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1879, at 11 o'clock A. M. of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and that a motion will be there and then made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 22, 1879. CHARLES PRICE, ANDREW D. PURTELL, HENRY M. GARVIN, Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the new road or drive, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, where not already opened or ceded, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, on Thursday the 26th day of June, 1879, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of James S. Hennessey, deceased.

New York, May 31, 1879. WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title for the use of the public to lands included within the lines of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from the easterly line of the new avenue, lying between Eighth and Ninth avenues to the Harlem river.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE State of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said city will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of 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 Friday, the 20th day of June, 1879, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, 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 title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises within the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-third (153d) street, being sixty feet wide from the easterly line of New avenue to the bulkhead; and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") southerly from the southeast corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Eighth avenue; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street four hundred and ten feet (410' 0") to the westerly line of MacCombs Lane; thence southwesterly along the westerly line of MacCombs Lane sixty-eight feet three and three-quarter inches (68' 3 3/4"); thence westerly three hundred and seventy-seven feet four inches (377' 4") to the easterly line of Eighth avenue, and thence northerly sixty feet (60' 0") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point on the easterly line of MacCombs Lane, distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and five hundred and twenty-three feet (523') easterly from the easterly line of the Eighth avenue; running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street two hundred and fifty-two feet (252' 0") to the westerly line of Seventh avenue; thence southerly and along the westerly line of Seventh avenue sixty feet (60' 0"); thence westerly two hundred and eighty-four feet four inches (284' 4") to the easterly line of MacCombs Lane; thence northeasterly along said last named line sixty-eight feet one and seven-eighths inches (68' 1 7/8") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point on the easterly line of Seventh avenue, distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") southerly from the prolongation easterly in the line of its direction of the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and nine hundred and twenty-five feet (925' 0") easterly from the easterly line of Eighth avenue; thence easterly and parallel to said line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, extended two hundred and forty-seven feet eleven and three-quarter inches (247' 11 3/4") to the bulkhead line; thence southeasterly along said bulkhead line seventy-one feet eight and one-half inches (71' 8 1/2"); thence westerly two hundred and ninety feet (290' 0"), to the easterly line of Seventh avenue; thence northerly along said easterly line of Seventh avenue, sixty feet (60' 0") to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, May 27, 1879. WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday the 30th day of June, 1879, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the erection of a New School House on the west side of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets.

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 render 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.

DAVID H. KNAPP, CHARLES CRARY, ANDREW L. SOULARD, GERMAIN HAUSCHEL, ROSEWELL G. ROLSTON, Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, June 16, 1879.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Academy of Music (New York City), on Thursday, June 26, 1879, at 7-15 P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN, Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday in the City Library, Room No. 12 City Hall, at 1 o'clock P. M.

By Order of the Committee, J. GRAHAM HYATT, Chairman.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, NEW YORK COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 1, 1879.

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

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

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

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY & HUGH N. CAMP, Auctioneers.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of the powers vested in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, they will offer for sale, at public auction, on Thursday, April 24, 1879, at noon, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz.:

Lots, Nos. 13, 14, 15, Harlem market property, south side 121st street, near Third avenue.

West side 3d avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 1 to 7.

South side 68th street, between 3d and Lexington avenues, lots Nos. 10 to 16.

East side Lexington avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 22 to 25.

North side 67th street, between Lexington and 3d avenues, lots Nos. 26 to 33.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be obtained at the Comptroller's office at the New County Court-house, on and after April 15, 1879.

Full warrantee deeds will be given to all purchasers.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, March 24, 1879.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The sale of the above premises is adjourned to Thursday, July 10, 1879, at the same hour and place.

NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, June 12, 1879.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, June 10, 1879.

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 JUNE 5, 1879. 1st avenue, sewer, between 92d and 110th streets, and 2d avenue, sewer, between 95th and 100th streets, with branches in 93d, 96th, 97th, 99th, 100th, 102d, 103d, 104th, 105th, 107th, and 108th streets.

4th avenue, regulating and grading, between 116th and 124th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 9, 1879, 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.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 15, ENTERED MAY 20, 1879.

Inwood street opening, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before August 5, 1879, 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.

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 MAY 29, 1879.

76th street, paving, from 8th avenue to Riverside Park.

10th avenue, sewer, between 77th and 81st streets, with branches in 77th, 78th, 79th, and 80th streets.

57th street, sewer extension at East river.

70th street, basin, northeast corner 5th avenue.

68th street, paving intersections of 4th avenue.

Fordham avenue, crosswalk near 11th street (24th ward).

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 1st, 1879, 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.

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 APRIL 18, 1879.

94th street, sewer, between 3d and 4th avenues, and in 4th avenue, east side, between 93d and 94th streets.

96th street, regulating, grading, etc., from Boulevard to Hudson river.

88th street, regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging, between 1st avenue and Avenue A.

100th street, regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging, between Bloomingdale road and the Boulevard.

West street, sewer, between Barclay street and Park place.

70th street, sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.

11th avenue, paving, from 59th to 65th street.

108th street, paving, from 4th to Madison avenue.

120th street, paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.

4th avenue, crosswalks, at 107th, 108th and 109th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before June 24, 1879, 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.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

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

Grantors, grantees suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00

The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, 15 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39, NEW YORK, June 10, 1879.

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, rope, furniture, male and female clothing, revolvers, gold watch, silver watches, trunks and contents, bags and contents, coffee, tea, liquor, boots, shoes, etc., also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.