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COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the meeting held January 24, 1880.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Comptroller submitted the following report on the petition of Franklin Woodruff, viz. :

CITY OF NEW YORK-FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 23, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Comptroller, to whom was referred the petition of Franklin Woodruff, December 2, 1879, for a release for quit rents on certain premises between high and low water mark on Nassau Island, REPORTS:

That, upon examination of the records of the Finance Department, it does not appear that a release for said quit rent has ever been executed. Payment or commutation of said quit rent was made April 25, 1845, amounting to \$62.50, and this sum carried to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the city debt.

A proper release has been prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation.

Respectfully

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The report was accepted, and, on motion, the following resolution, submitted with the report,

Resolved, That the petition of Franklin Woodruff, for a release of the quit rent reserved by the grant to Philip Livingston on or about August 15, 1764, upon land between high and low water mark, on Nassau Island, in Kings County, be granted, and that the release prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and approved, as to form, by him, be executed by the Mayor and the Clerk of the Common Council on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver said release, when duly executed and recorded in his office, to the said Franklin Woodruff.

The Comptroller submitted the following report on the petition of John H. Bird, for Confirmatory Deed, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 22, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I submit herewith the petition of John H. Bird for a confirmatory deed of premises corner of Eightieth street and Madison avenue, sold by the Mayor, etc., to John Keogh on or about the 21st day of May, 1866. The signature of the Mayor was omitted from the deed to said Keogh, dated June 15, 1866. The records of the Finance Department show that the purchase money, amounting to \$6,700, has been fully paid.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The report was accepted and, on motion, the resolution submitted with the report was adopted,

Resolved, That the petition of John H. Bird for a confirmation deed of premises corner of Eightieth street and Madison avenue, purchased by John Keogh from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of this city on or about the 21st day of May, 1866, be granted, and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation to prepare such a deed as the facts may warrant and require, and that the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council be authorized to execute such deed when so prepared and approved by him, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver the same when duly executed and recorded in his office, to the said John H. Bird.

The Comptroller submitted the following report on the petition of James F. Freeborn, Executor, and Mary Freeborn, Executrix, for confirmatory deed, viz.:

> CITY OF NEW YORK. FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 23, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Comptroller, to whom was referred, December 2, 1879, the petition of James F. Freeborn, Executor, and Mary Freeborn, Executrix, of William A. Freeborn, for a Deed of Confirmation to certain premises therein described, purchased of the Corporation of the City of New York, in the month of May, 1866, the deeds of said premises not being signed by the Mayor of the

city at the time, reports:

That, it appears that the deeds of said premises were not signed by the Mayor of the city at the time they were executed, and that the books of the Finance Department show that the purchase money of said premises has been fully paid and carried to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The report was accepted and, on motion, the resolution submitted with the report, was adopted,

Resolved, That the petition of James F. Freeborn, Executor, and Mary Freeborn, Executrix, of the estate of William A. Freeborn, for a deed of confirmation of premises on Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth, and Seventy-ninth streets, between Third and Fourth avenues, be granted, and that the deed prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and approved as to form by him, be executed by the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver such deed, when duly executed and recorded in his office, to the said petitioners.

4. The Mayor submitted the following statement of the investments of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt, December 31, 1879, which on motion, was ordered to be printed, viz.:

Investments of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, December 31, 1879.

Investn	nents of th	ne Commi	ssioner	s of th	e Sinkin	g run	a, Dece	moer 31, 1879).
Water Stoo	ck of 1870.	on Aquedu					. 1002	\$135,635 II 2,151,700 00	\$2,109,200 00 25,000 00 150,000 00
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Croton Re		nds					. 1907 . 1909 . 1910 . 1911	\$180,000 00 375,000 00 200,000 00 125,000 00 54,500 00	490,000,00
Croton Wa	ter Stock.	"	::::::: :::::::				. 1915 . 1917 . 1883	2,137 36 9,000 00 5,000 00	950,637 36 1,449,400 00
Additional		oton Stool					1	\$654,200 00 24,400 00	678,600 00
Croton Wa		•					. 1891	\$609,000 00 273,000 00	882,000 00
"							1900	\$138,000 00 972,000 00 44,000 00 1,231,000 00	
Dock Bond							1902	\$250,000 00 976,000 00 321,200 00	2,385,000 00
" " " "							1906 1906 1907	150,000 00 278,000 00 460,800 00 372,000 00 300,000 00	
New York		nds					1910	\$1,252,000 00	3,183,000 00
Central Par Central Par	k Fund St	ock					1887	300,000 00	1,552,000 00 38,971 00
Central Par	k Fund St	ock	"				1887 1895 1898 1898	39,500 00	69,500 00 951,300 00 41,500 00
Museums of	f Art and I	Natural His	tory Sto	ck			1903	289,000 00 665,000 00	
City Parks	Improveme	ent Fund St	::::				1901 1902 1903 1904 1904	1,371,500 co 685,000 co 704,000 co 125,000 co 335,000 co	954,000 00
City Improv	vement Stoo	(Consolid					1889 1892 1892 1925	451,200 00 66,896 30 190,018 83 4,802 71	3,220,500 00
City Lunation Street Improduced Market Stoot Third Distri	ovement B	onds					1889 1888 1897 1890	210,000 00	712,917 84 400,000 00 606,939 14 181,000 00
Consolidated	Stock D E G I						1890 1894 1926 1916 1897 1880 1889	188,000 00 500,000 00 525 00 1,824 40 169,000 00 25,000 00 3,500 00 28,173 19	398,000 00
Bonds for St		" "					1880 1881 1882 1883 1884 1885 1886	949 48 449 48 449 48 449 48 949 48 449 48	728,022 59
Bonds for Ar Bonds for Fit Bonds for Co Fire Telegra	tting up an	d Furnishin of Bridge	g Armo ver Ha	ries and rlem riv	Drill-roo		1880 1881 1891 1884 1884	\$400,000 00 197,586 48	4,146 42 9,066 00 43,563 32 4,000 00
"		No. 1					1899	\$50,000 00 471,952 87	597,585 48
Normal School Public School Sewer Repai	l Building	Fund Stock					1891 1891 1882 1885	\$162,000 00	521,952 87 190,000 00 530,400 00
Assessment F		1					1886	\$735,000 00	265,000 00
Assessment			ue)				1883 1880 1883	\$22,000 00	1,045,000 00
Assessment F Revenue Bon	Fund Bond ads (Chapte	434, " 536, "	s 1871). 1879 .				1883 1880 1880 1880	\$3,000 00 5,466 41 9,000 00	147,000 00 52,000 00
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avenue)	to and a))					1880 1881 1882 1885 1886	\$1,000 00 2,000 00 2,000 00 1,000 00 500 00	
New York Co	ounty Cour	t-house Sto	ck, No.				1880 1881 1882 1883 1884 1885 1886 1887 1888 1889 1890 1891 1892	\$100,000 00 100,000 00 100,000 00 100,000 00 50,000 00 34,000 00 48,000 00 49,000 00 37,500 00 59,700 00 100,000 00 95,300 00	6,500 00
::	"	"	No.	5			1894 1896 1896 1898	105,000 00 13,891 07 175,500 00	878,500 00 100,000 00
Assessment Fr	und Stock.						1881 1887 1903 1903	\$11,500 00 813,400 00 500 00 156,100 00 364,850 00	294,391 07
									1,346,350 00

Investments of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, December 31, 1879.—(Continued.)

6 pe	r cent.	Soldiers' Bo	unty Fund E	onds	1883	\$93,000 00	
6	**	"	**		1884	03,000 00	1
6	"	**	**		1885	81,000 00	- 975
6	**	**	**		1886	254,000 00	1 5
6	44		**		1887	87,000 00	
5	44	**	**		1888	118,800 00	
500	46	- n	- "		1889	46,800 00	
,	**	**	**		1800	255,700 00	11-1-1-1
					-	577	\$1,030,300 0
,	20	44	**	No. 3	1826	**********	100,000 0
****	44	Soldiers' Sub	and Relief 1	Redemption Bonds	1880	\$123,500 00	1000,000
5	**	**	**		1881	120,000 00	+
				200000100001000000000000000000000000000			243,500 0
5 -	-10	Riot Damag	es Indemnity	Bonds, No. 1	1882	\$80,500 00	-43/300
5	16		44	" No. 2	1882	482,504 46	
						410-4 4-	563,004 41
		Accumulated	Debt Bonds		1884	\$10,000 00	2-214
	44	**			1888	10,000 00	
				*		10,000 00	20,000 00
	44	New York C	ounty Repair	s to Buildings Stock	1884	\$20,000 00	20,000 0
	44	"	"	"	1885	20,000 00	
	41	- (6	**	"	1886	20,000 00	
	44	111	66		1887	20,000 00	
	a	**		"	1888	20,000 00	
					1000	20,000 00	100,000 00
6	**	New York as	nd Westcheste	er County Improvement Bonds	18g1		30,000 00
		Tot	al amounts		*** *		\$32,610,550 07

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

January 1, 1880.

Examined and found correct in all respects.

J. W. BARROW, Commissioner of Accounts. NEW YORK, January 20, 1880.

5. The Mayor submitted the following report of examination of bonds and stocks, held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, on account of Redemption of the City Debt, December 31, 1879, by J. W. Barrow, Esq., Commissioner of Accounts, which was accepted and ordered to be printed, viz.:

Office of the Commissioners of Accounts, New York, January 23, 1880.

NEW YORK, January 23, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to report to you that I have this day made and completel an examination of all the bonds and stocks exhibited to me, as the investments of the Sinking Fund, as of date January I, 1880, that I find the same to agree in every respect with the list thereof furnished to me by your Secretary, and that the amount thereof is thirty-two millions six hundred and ten thousand five hundred and fitty dollars and seven cents (\$32,010,550.07.)

The amount thus stated agrees firstly, with the books of your Commission, as kept in the Finance Department, and secondly, with the Sinking Fund ledger kept in this office.

I remain, gentlemen, your obedient servant,

J. W. BARROW, Commissioner of Accounts.

The Mayor submitted the petition of Helen Augusta Thompson, for a confirmatory Deed of lot of ground in Sixty-seventh street, 120 feet west of Fourth avenue, which on motion was referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller presented the following "Points in opposition to the proposed lease of Fulton Market," submitted by John B. Haskin and Abel Crook, counsel for opponents, which, on motion, was ordered to be printed, viz.:

BEFORE THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

In the matter of the proposed lease of Fulton Market.

In opposition to the proposed lease of the Fulton Market, upon the conditions as amended before Commissioners of Sinking Fund, at the meeting of January 6, 1880.

First—An old land-mark, such as is Fulton Market, erected in 1821, and a source of large revenue to the city, and furnishing business accommodations and a means of living to a large number of persons, should not be removed or passed from the control of the city into the hands of private speculators, without sufficient reasons, and careful considerations. speculators, without sufficient reasons and careful considerations.

Second—The arguments presented in favor of the proposed lease to private individuals appear

to be five in number, viz.:

1. That the market is an eyesore.

That it is unsafe as a structure. That it is unhealthy.

That its removal and the substitution of a new market would be advantageous to the standholders.

5. That it would be advantageous to the city.

These arguments are specious and plausible, but cannot prevail upon proper examination.

Third—That the market may offend the eye is an argument which may have weight, if the subject were one of aesthetics, but opposed to it is the popular veneration for familiar objects. As it exists, it is known all over the world, and possesses associations of an historical character which will more than

known all over the world, and possesses associations of an historical character which will more than counterbalance any purely sentimental argument to the contrary.

Fourth—It is neither unsafe nor unhealthy. It is built upon a foundation three feet from the ground in the centre. The roof is supported on brick, stone, and iron pillars, the former two being thirty inches square. It is open in front, rear, and on the sides, with forty to fifty skylights for light and ventilation. It has two good sewers, one on each side. The timbers of the structure are sound, as was shown after the fires of the past year, when the workmen engaged to make repairs found the framework so firmly put together that they, with difficulty, separated the timbers. There is a good floor throughout the market. The stands are painted and are daily cleaned out. Among the standholders are many men, eligible to the Fat Men's Association, weighing each over 200 pounds. The present Clerk of the Market, Mr. Schoonmaker, has gained 65 pounds in weight while performing his duties as Clerk in the Market. And yet these stand-owners, remarkably healthy men, have spent the greater portion of their lives in this market, and no edict of the Board of Health has or can convince them that they have gained all this health and strength in an unhealthy place.

Fifth—It is not advantageous, to the rent-paying occupants. The great majority in number, paying nearly three-fourths of the entire rent of the market, object to the proposed lease.

Within the past few days two separate petitions, one being in favor of the proposed lease and the other against it, were presented to them, and not one would sign the petition in lavor of the lease. Out of about eighty stand-holders, fifty-two protest against the proposed lease, and have signed the counter petition. All the cellar lessees protest against the proposed lease, and have signed the counter

counter petition. All the cellar lessees protest against the proposed lease, and have signed the counter

petition.

The Clerk furnishes figures showing that the amount received from stand-holders is at the rate of \$27,381.10 for the current year—the rents having been recently somewhat reduced. The cellars at present bring an income of about \$20,000 for the current year.

Of this total of \$47,381.10 the signers of the protest represent in rent \$33,814.60.

Again, the fixtures now in the market, and belonging to the tenants, and costing about one hundred thousand dollars, would be sacrificed by the proposed change.

Add to this, that common experience has taught that the business once broken up would be dissipated beyond recovery, and would work financial ruin to many of the tenants. This would be

sipated beyond recovery, and would work financial ruin to many of the tenants. This would be particularly the case at the present time, when they are emerging from the embarrassments arising

from the stringency of the past few years.

Sixth—The proposed lease would be injurious to the city and its tax-payers.

I. This and the Washington Market are the two principal sources for the distribution of supplies to this and surrounding cities, Fulton Market being peculiarly well known for the excellence of the commodities there sold, whether it be meat, fish, oysters, fruits, or vegetables. Among its customers who leading botals and private families of this city and Brooklyn. Once driven away, the return are the leading hotels and private families of this city and Brooklyn. Once driven away, the return of this business can never be guaranteed.

2. During the past ten years, up to December 1879, the average revenue derived from this market has been, as appears from the Controller's books, \$57,446, annually. The expense of maintaining the market for cleaning, clerk hire, and other services, has been from three to four thousand dollars per year. During the past year there were two fires, which made the charge for permanent repairs by the Department of Public Works unusually large.

The official appraised land value of the market is \$350,000. The city has, therefore, for the cast ten years derived about fifteen per cent annually upon this valuation.

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3. A present expenditure of about \$10,000 upon the outside of market, trimming up, etc., would put the building in reasonably good order for many years, and the city could continue to net therefrom from fifty to sixty thousand dollars per year.

4. Rebuilding a public market has proven a failure and resulted in a loss to the city. We cite as examples the following:

Catharine Market. Centre Market.

Jefferson Market.

And in a less marked degree, Tompkins Market.

All of which have since been a burden to the city rather than a benefit.

Seventh—The gentlemen who seek the lease, present a peculiar scheme, which, while it may be beneficial to them, would be such at the expense of the city and the tax-payers.

They propose:

I. To erect a building to cost not exceeding \$250,000.

II. That the total rents of stands in new market shall not exceed:

Ground rent to the city.

Six per cent. on the cost of building.

A reasonable sum for taking care of market, keeping it clean and making insurance and

4. The amount of a Sinking Fund which will, at five per cent. interest, semi-annually, amount at the end of the lease to the cost of the building.

Eighth—It will be seen that they do not propose to pay taxes. City-leased property pays no

Ninth—Their proposition analyzed and demonstrated by figures, amounts to this:

1. Ground rent on the ordinary basis of six per cent. on \$350,000 valuation would be

\$21,000 00 2. Proposed six per cent, dividend to the bidders on cost of building would be per 15,000 00

annum...
3. Expenses for cleaning, insurance, repairs, and clerk hire, as estimated liberally, would 15,000 00

not exceed per annum.

4. The annual sum retained for Sinking Fund, to meet cost of building at end of lease, would be, per annum, say.

Total amount... \$59,000 00

Tenth.—At the expiration of twenty-one years the Sinking Fund of \$250,000 would belong to the lessees, and the city would own the building, or what was left of it. This would have cost the city the difference between the present net income of over \$50,000 per year, and the ground rent of \$21,000, being per year \$29,000, which in the twenty-one years would, without interest, be \$609,000, making a loss to the taxpayers of the difference between this sum and the amount paid by the proposed lessees, which difference is \$359,000.

In addition to this, it would be seen that the loss would be very much increased if the \$29,000 annual difference were to be annually credited to the Sinking Fund, and bear interest at the rate of five per cent. annually; this would amount in the twenty-one years to about one million dollars.

The legal obstacles are exceedingly grave, and if the above facts shall not be sufficient to defeat the proposed lease on the merits, the technical objections will be furnished.

JOHN B. HASKIN,

ABEL CROOK,

ABEL CROOK, Counsel for the Opponents.

Dated January, 1880.

The Comptroller submitted a remonstrance against the proposed lease of Fulton Market, numerously signed by stand-owners and occupants of cellars in said market, which on motion, was ordered on file.

on motion, adjourned to Thursday next, 29th instant, at 3 P. M. W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 23d day of January, 1880. Present—Commissioners MacLean, French, and Voorhis. Resolved, That Commissioner McLean be appointed Chairman and Acting President until the

next meeting of the Board.

Leave of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Thomas Keneally, Twenty-sixth Precinct, two days, without pay.

The Chief Clerk submitted a report of the operations and transactions of the Police Department and Force, for the quarter ending December 31, 1879, which was ordered to be signed by the Acting President and Chief Clerk, and forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.

Death Reported.

Patrolman Bernard Doran, Twelfth Precinct, at 7 P. M., 20th instant.

Masked Balls Permitted.

Concordia Benevolent Society. January 24, 188c.
Deutsche Frauen Bund. January 24, 188c.
Bloomingdale Eintracht. February 9, 188c.
Saenger Flug Quartette Club. February 10, 188c.
Gesang Verem Apollo. March 1, 188o.
Harlem Turn Verein. February 2, 188o.
Melrose Turn Verein. February 16, 188o.
Vorkville Ladies' Repursulent Scorett. February 2

Yorkville Ladies' Benevolent Society. February 2, 188c.
Tailors' Union. February 10, 1880.
Purim Association. February 26, 1880.
New York Quintette Club. February 5, 1880.
The following applications for promotion were referred to the Superintendent to cite for minetion.

Roundsman Edward Hayes, Fifth Precinct.
Patrolman Patrick Kelly, Sixteenth Precinct.

Francis Hughes, Fourteenth Precinct.
Application of Patrolman Robert Corrigan, First Precinct, for full pay while sick, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Application of Patrolman Patrick Connors, Sixteenth Precinct, for detail, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Application of Patrolman Louis Selig, Twenty-fifth Precinct, for permission to bring a civi 1 action, was referred to he Chief Clerk.

Communication from H. V. Redfield, Washington, D. C., asking for reports of the Board of Police for the years 1878 and 1879, was referred to the Chief Clerk for compliance with the request. Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to detail Patrolman John J. Roach, Twenty-aighth Precinct Adam duty.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to eighth Precinct, to day duty.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 7, chapter 755, Laws of 1873, for the following sums of money for the month of January, 1880, being one-twelfth part of the amounts estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, to wit:

Police Fund—Salaries

\$265,845 83

Supplies for Police

\$1,666 66 Police Fund—Salaries
Supplies for Police.
Alterations, etc., Station-houses
Bureau of Street Cleaning—Street Cleaning Fund.
Bureau of Street Cleaning—Reception ashes and garbage.
Bureau of Street Cleaning—For purchase steam-tugs, etc
Bureau of Election—Salary of Chief. 53,541 66 625 00 11,250 00

On recommendation of the Committee on Rules and Discipline, it was
Resolved, That the request of W. J. O'Kelly, to present Captain Thomas Cherry, Eleventh
Precinct, with a gold badge, voted to him at a Fair held by ladies of St. Peter's Church, be granted.
Resolved, That three months' leave of absence, on account of sickness, be granted to Patrolman
William Cassy. Themby second Precinct

William Casey, Twenty-second Precinct.
Resolved, That the request of Sidney J. Colford, to present Detective Joseph M. Dorsey with \$25, for tracing and locating Robert May, charged with forgery and grand larceny, be granted, subject to the usual deduction under the rule.

Resolved, That the request of the Life-Saving Benevolent Society, to present Roundsman John Delaney, Twenty-first Precinct, with a silver medal and \$25 for meritorious services be granted, subject to the usual deduction under the rule.

Resolved, That the following petitions, communications, etc., be placed on file:
Captain John J. Mount, Nineteenth Precinct, relative to insanity of Patrolman Thomas F. Kerns.
Captain Saunders, Twenty-seventh Precinct, relative to his recommending certain officers for

honorable mention.

orable mention.

Captain Petty, Seventh Precinct, relative to arrest of Patrolman John Mohr for manslaughter.

Application of Roundsman Patrick F. Byrnes, Twenty-third Precinct, for transfer.

Application of Patrolman William Holmes, Twenty-second Precinct, for detail.

Application of Patrolman James Lynch, Twenty-second Precinct, for detail.

Application of Patrolman Harmon Lefferts, Fifteenth Precinct, for detail.

Application of Patrolman James Flynn, Tenth Precinct, for detail.

Application of Patrolman Aaron H. Hoyt, Fourth Precinct, for detail.

SUPREME COURT-GENERAL TERM.

The People, ex rel. E. H. Lawrence, against
Copy of order directing return to be made to writ of certiforari. against
The Board of Police Commissioners.

Resolved, That the return in the above case be signed by the acting President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

Patrolman John Nugent, Order to show cause. against The Board of Police.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary action.

Judgments-Fines Imposed.

Patrolman John Conoran, Fourth Precinct, three days' pay.

"Patrick Cahill, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Atrick Glynn, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Michael Gilmore, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"John Crook, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"James Behan, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Edward Mullery, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

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"Michael Martin, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Henry Hirsch, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

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"James Haggerty, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Phillip Daab, Eighth Precinct, two days' pay.

"Edward Grady, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

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"Theo. V. W. Rowland, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Francis Schofield, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Kerin J. Larkin, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Edward Galligan, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"Frederick Gillman, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

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"Thomas Gray, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"John H. Plath, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

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"Francis Wilson, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"James Quinn, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

"John T. Masterson, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.

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Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Daniel Frazier, Fifth Precinct.

"James Norris, Ninth Precinct.

"William Moore, Ninth Precinct.

"Thomas Burleigh, Ninth Precinct.

"John J. Poe, Fifteenth Precinct.

"Henry Benkers, Seventeenth Precinct.

"Michael Malloy, Eighteenth Precinct.

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"Michael T. Joyce, Eighteenth Precinct.

"Michael T. Tyoce, Eighteenth Precinct.

"Murne Tracey, Twenty-first Precinct.

"Maurice Tracey, Twenty-seyenth Precinct.

"Thomas Donohue, Twenty-eighth Precinct.

"Robert Reilley, Steamboat Squad.

Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Department of Docks relative to the request of the Police Department for dredging at the dumping place foot of West Thirty-seventh street, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Department of Docks protesting against washing street dirt into the ewers by means of Croton water, and claiming that this disposition of the material is injurious to slips and harbors, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Resolved, That William F. Kinney be and he is hereby appointed Watchman in the Bureau of

Street Cleaning.

Bureau of Elections.

On hearing report of the Committee on Elections, it was
Resolved, That the bill of the "New York Tribune," \$2,453.36, for publication of the official
canvass, be transmitted to the Comptroller with a copy of the resolution designating the two newspapers to do the advertising required by the Board of Police, under section 90 of the Election Laws.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement met, pursuant to call, in the Mayor's Office, at 2 P. M., on Wednesday, January 21, 1880.

Upon a call of the roll the following were ascertained to be present: Edward Cooper, Mayor; Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller; Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works; John J. Morris, President of the Board of Aldermen.

The following authorization was presented by the Deputy Comptroller:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 32 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, I hereby designate and authorize Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller, to possess every power and perform all and every duty belonging to the office of Comptroller of the City of New York, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 21st and 22d days of January, 1880, for the reason that on those days I shall be absent from the Comptroller's Office.

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The minutes of the meeting held December 16, 1879, were read and approved.

James F. Wenman, President of the Department of Public Parks, then appeared and took part

The Secretary presented a paper signed by the members of the Board, acknowledging that they had received due and timely notice of the present meeting, which was ordered on file.

The Secretary also notified the Board that he had caused to be inserted in the CITY RECORD a notice, signed by all the members, that they proposed to lay out and open West Fifty-third street, from the Tenth avenue to the Eleventh avenue, and West Fifty-fourth street, from the Tenth avenue to the established bulkhead line on the Hudson river, and would lay their proposed action before the Board of Aldermen on or after January 27, 1880.

The Mayor presented the following communication, which was ordered on file.

To the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York:

Gentlemen—The undersigned, owners of property, respectfully petition that Washington street be extended from Little West Twelfth street to West Fourteenth street, so as to run parallel with the Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the manner shown on the accompanying diagram.

We respectfully submit that this improvement should be made for the following among other

reasons:

Washington street, which is almost exclusively devoted to business purposes, and on which there is a great amount of travel, terminates abruptly in a short, narrow street (Little Twelfth), and there is no suitable way of entrance to or exit from its northern end, which its importance as a business street requires. If it is extended to Fourteenth street, a distance of only two blocks, it will then reasons terminate in a large, wide, and extensive thoroughfare.

There is no suitable or sufficient way of access to or departure from the new market which has just been established on the Fort Gansevoort property at Washington and Little West Twelfth streets. The streets that now lead to the Market are very narrow, are encumbered with car tracks and filled

with obstructions, and do not afford sufficient means of communication with it. It is proposed also to establish a ferry from the foot of West Fourteenth street to Jersey City, and the probabilities are that it will be in operation in a short time. Inasmuch as the inauguration of the market and the ferry will tend to largely increase the travel and business in this locality, an avenue such as the proposed improvement would make will be a public necessity.

If extended in accordance with annexed diagram it will not be necessary to tear down or remove any buildings, as the land which it is proposed to take consists of vacant lots. A large item of expense will thereby be saved.

The proposed extension will not alter or interfere with any existing house or lot lines. An objection of considerable consequence is thus avoided.

If undertaken at once, the cost of this improvement will be small, and the consequent expense to the property owners trivial.

Your petitioners therefore urgently request that immediate action be taken by your Board. Very respectfully yours,

Claiborne Knox, Trustee, 621 Hudson st.

I. H. Stephens, 12 Perry st.

D. B. Moses, 145 W. rith st.

Scharles Galloway, 818 Greenwich st.

John Turner, 79 Horatio st.

William Mallory, 84 Gansevoort st.

William Memp, 787 and 789 Washington st.

Wm. Burns, 410 W. 13th st.

Herman N. Schmeliman, 804 Greenwich st.

Herman N. Schmeliman, 804 G Robert Beattie, 25 Ninth ave.

Messrs. George B. Deane, Jr., Edward C. Ripley, and A. J. Matthewson spoke on behalf of the petitioners, many of whom were present, and urged that the Board should take favorable action upon the petition.

The Mayor presented the following resolution for adoption.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement deem it to be for the public interest to lay out and open, and they propose to lay out and open a street to extend from the northerly side of Little West Twelfth street to the southerly side of West Fourteenth street, the easterly line of such street to be parallel with the Ninth avenue and four hundred and twenty-five (425) feet west of the westerly line of Ninth avenue, and the westerly line of such street to be five hundred (500) feet west of the westerly line of Ninth avenue and parallel thereto.

The Chairman put the question upon the said resolution, which was adopted by the following vote

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

The Mayor also offered the following resolution for adoption:

Resolved, That the proposed action of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, as stated in the foregoing resolution, be laid before the Board of Aldermen, and that the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

The question being put upon the adoption of the said resolution, was carried by the following vote

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the President of the Board of Aldermen. The meeting then adjourned.

RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ¿ NEW YORK, January 20, 1880.

The Board of Health met this day.

Reports.

From the Santary Superintendent: On operations of the Santary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; on applications for permits; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on certain street pavements; on operations of the Santary Company; on work performed by the Disinfecting Corps; on work performed by the Vaccinating Corps; on application for relief from certain orders; on premises 198, 200 and 202 Madison street, and 40, 42, 44, and 48 Rutgers, and 113, 115, and 117 Munroe treets; on application of William Cooney, for increase of pay.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.

From the Register of Records: Weekly mortuary statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstracts of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report of deaths from contagious diseases; report on attendance of clerks; report on imperfect returns of death made at the Women's Hospital; on violation of Sanitary Code.

Communications Received.

From the Supervisor of the City Record: Requesting a list of subordinates of the Board of Health.

From I. S. Treadwell, 635 West Fifty-second street; Louis Rollwagen, 188 Eldridge street; and P. H. Frost: For relief from certain orders.

From Board of Health of Brooklyn: In respect to transit burial permits, was received and referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Communications received from other Departments.

From Finance Department: Comptroller's weekly statement. From Department of Charities and Correction: Respecting case of Julia Hurley.

Inspections of Tenement-houses.

A report of inspection of new tenement-houses for which permits for light and ventilation of the same were granted, was received from Inspector Berry and ordered on file

Reports referred to other Departments.

To the Department of Public Works: On condition of pavement on Lexington avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets; on condition of sidewalk in front of premises 159 West Forty-

To the Department of Buildings: On the dangerous condition of premises 163 and 165 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street.

Bills Audited. John Garrie \$72 30 Thurber & Co 126 28 Paul T. Brown 17 28 J. Skidmore's Sons 30 00 American Condensed Milk Co 27 20

Permits Granted.

To keep 1 cow, at 217 Second street.
To keep 25 chickens, etc., at 328 East Houston street.
To keep chickens at 155 West Thirty-second street.
To keep 6 chickens at 156 Second street.
To keep keep 12 chickens at 106 East Fourth street.
To keep 10 chickens at 262 Madison street.

Permits Denied.

To keep chickens at 71 Lewis street.
To keep chickens at 644 Third avenue.
To keep chickens at 266 Avenue A.
To keep chickens at 90 Lewis street. To keep chickens at 249 Second street. To keep chickens at 636 Fifth street. To keep chickens at 162 Seventh street. To keep chickens at 389 Avenue A. To keep chickens at 855 Tenth avenue.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby extended as follows:
No. 132, on premises 401 and 403 West Forty-third street, to March 1, 1880.
No. 231, on premises 430 West Twenty-fourth street, to April 1, 1880.
No. 18,166, on premises 205 Avenue A, to April 1, 1880.
No. 18,886, on premises southwest side Courtland avenue, third house south of One Hundred

and Fifty-fifth street, to April 15, 1880. No. 18,887, on premises southwest side Courtland avenue, second house south of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, to April 15, 1880.

No. 18,372, on premises 33 Moore street, to May 1, 1880.

No. 16,350, on premises 148 East Thirty-seventh street, to May 1, 1880.

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Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to register the following birth and marriage certificates:

Simeon G. Garrison, August 2, 1870.

James August Lukens, August 5, 1879.

Henry Clark, August 21, 1879.

Robert Ensco, September 18, 1879.

Emile Kenne, September 3, 1879.

Wm. Aug. Spolasco, September 13, 1879.

Artele Smith, September 27, 1879.

Jas. H. Roath, September 28, 1879.

Alice Gertrude Dougherty, October 9, 1879.

Katie Gallagher, October 19, 1879.

Grace Lynch, November 8, 1879.

Malborough Lindsay, November 9, 1879.

Ruben Solomon and Alister Benjamin, July 1, 1879.

Resolved, That the application for relief from order on premises 75 feet south of Spuyten

Resolved, That the application for relief from order on premises 75 feet south of Spuyten Duyvil road, and about 50 feet west from Kellollen's Hotel, be and is hereby denied, and that a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Inspector Parsons be forwarded to the attorney of the Hudson River

Resolved, That Order 17,454 (series 1879) be referred back to the Sanitary Superintendent for

examination and report.

Resolved, That Thomas Fay be and is hereby appointed janitor, with salary at the rate of \$500 per annum.

Resolved, That the attorney be and is hereby authorized to vacate and set aside a judgment obtained September 13, 1877, in favor of this Department against Jacob Dillingburgh and Patrick Bride for a violation of the Sanitary Code.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 357-2) for light and ventilation of two tenement houses proposed to be built at Nos. 25 and 27 Seventh street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Jobst Hoffmann, provided that at least ten feet of the lot be left clear at the rear of each of the said buildings, and that each of the light-shafts to light and ventilate the bed-rooms be made not less than two feet wide, and of at least sixteen square feet area, be and the said than it hereby conveyed.

the said plan is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 357-3) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 29 Seventh street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Jobst Hoffmann, provided that at least ten feet of the lot be left clear in the rear of the building, and that the light-shalt to light and ventilate the bed-rooms be made not less than two feet wide, and of at least sixteen square feet area, be and the said plan is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 360-2) for light and ventilation of four tenement houses proposed to be built at Nos. 165 to 171 Avenue A, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by William José, be and is hereby disapproved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 363) for light and ventilation of two tenement houses proposed to be built at Nos. 342 and 344 East Fifty-second street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Dennis Loonie, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 364) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 346 East Fifty-second street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Dennis Loonie, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 365) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built on the south side of Forty-ninth street, 100 feet east of Seventh avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by S. L. Bradley, be and is hereby disapproved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 366) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 85 Allen street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Julius Boekell, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 369-1) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 805 Fourth avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by William José, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 369-2) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 805 Fourth avenne, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by William José, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 372) for light and ventilation of two tenement houses proposed to be built on the north side of East Eighty-fifth street, 225 feet east of Second avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by John C. Burne, be and is hereby approved. is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 373) for light and ventilation of three tenement houses proposed to be built on the west side of First avenue, 26 feet 8 inches south of East Eighty-fifth street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by John C. Burne, provided that ten feet of the lot, in the clear, be left in the rear of each of the buildings, be and the

provided that ten leet of the lot, in the clear, be left in the clear and said plan is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 374) for light and ventilation of four tenement houses proposed to be built on the north side of East One Hundred and Eleventh street, 70 feet west of Third avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by John C. Burne, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 375) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built on the northeast corner of Broadway and Twenty-seventh street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by J. S. Stroud, be and is hereby disapproved.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending January 17, 1880:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,763, as follows, viz.: I public building, 844 tenement houses, 109 private dwellings, 60 other dwellings, 13 manufactories and workshops, 12 stores and warehouses, 35 stables, 14 slaughter-houses, I lime-kiln, I garbage dump, 2 manure dumps, 2 lodging-houses, 1 railroad, 1 public sewer, 11 sunken and vacant lots, 62 yards, courts, and areas, 88 cellars and basements, 152 waste-pipes and drains, 234 privies and water-closets, 16 street gutters and sidewalks, 9 dangerous stairways, 9 smoky chimneys, 1 piggery, 18 other nuisances, together with 67 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 796.

During the past week 92 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 59 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

111 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy sinks.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 93 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 78 houses, 78 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

Two cases of contagious diseases were removed to Riverside Hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending January 17, 1880:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever,	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever	Cerebro- Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox
January 10, 1880	o	7	51	3	283	42	0
" 17, "	0	5	45	5	226	35	0

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

FIRST MARSHAL'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 24, 1880. Licenses granted and amount received by Marshal John Tyler Kelly, during the week ending January 24, 1880. Licenses..... \$286.00 JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

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 F. M. Edward Cooper, Mayor; James E. Morrison, Secre-Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 F. M. TOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

Permit and License Bureau Office. No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYLERS, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W.
Roe, Sealer Second District; John Murray, Inspector
First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second
District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council. No 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN J. MORRIS, President Board of Aldermen. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk 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
Hamlin, 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 Sewers.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge. Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements. No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Grorge 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 Furveyor.

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, 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.

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. STORES.
Deputy Comptroller.

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.

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.

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 F. 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. , 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. Secre-

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 F. 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,

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS. No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES F. WENMAN, President; EDWARD P. BARKER,

Civil and Topographical Office. Arsenal, 64th street a d 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. MORRISSON, President; J. B. Adamson,

Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE. Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. PETER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, 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, Secre-

REGISTER'S OFFICE. East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 F. 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, JOHN W. BARROW,

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS. No. 17 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 WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE. Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 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 5 P. M. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-

No. 40 East Houston street. MORITZ ELLINGER, GERSON N. HERRMAN, THOMAS C. KNOX, and JOHN H. BRADY, COTONERS.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street.
JOHN J. CRANE.
GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green.
CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 NASSAU Street.
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, 6 Bowery.

SUPREME COURT.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M. General Term, Room No. 10.

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; WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, 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 Judge; Thomas Boese Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. 10 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 25.
Part II, Room No. 26.
Part III., 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

OYER 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 stradays, 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.

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.

Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards,
Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street.

GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Nos.

20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN A. DINKEL, Justice.

Fifth. District—Seventh. Eleventh. and Thirteenth.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
TIMOTHY J. CAMPBELL, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue. WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

Seventh District - Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexing-

CHARLES H. INGERSOLL, Justice. Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. Henry P. McGown, Justice.

Tenth District Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Vards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge Road. John Flanagan, Justice.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE (EAST),
January 23, 1880.

OWNER WANTED, BY THE DEPARTMENT
of Public Parks, for a horse, wagon, and harness
found on the Central Park.

If the ownership of the same is not claimed and proven

If the ownership of the same is not claimed and proven before the 4th day of February next they will be sold at By order of the Department of Public Parks.
E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, No. 2 FOUNTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December, 1879. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS AND

BUILDERS.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF THEIR INTERESTS, property owners and builders are requested to refuse admission into their buildings to any officer of this Department who does not show his proper badge of office on

demand.

All badges issued from this office are shield shaped, with
the title of the officer, the name of this Department, and
the number engraved thereon, and are numbered from r
to 50. The following badges are lost or stolen: Inspectors, the number engraved thereon, to 50. The following badges are lost or stolen: Inspectors, badges Nos. 4, 8, 9, 11, 12, 21, 22, 23, 36, 38, 39, 42, 43, 45, 46, 48, 49, and 50. Fire Escape Examiners, badges Nos. 3 and 8, and Messenger's badge No. 7. All parties professing to be officers of this Department not provided with badges of the above description, or who attempt to use badges of the above named missing numbers, or an oval shaped badge, formerly used in the Department, are impostors, and the public are cautioned against recognizing such persons, and are requested to report the same to this office in any case that may come to their notice.

HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent of Buildings. JURORS.

NOTICE RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,

New County Court-house,
New York, June 1, 1879.

A PPLICATIONS FOR EXXEMPTIONS 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, o
proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrol
ment notice," requiring them to appear before me this
year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be an
swered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under
severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of
exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving
full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention
paid to letters.

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and
secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their

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,

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 12, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS
of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real
and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York
for the year 1880, will be opened for inspection and revision,
on and after Monday, January 12, 1880, and will remain
open until the 30th day of April, 1880, inclusive, for the
correction of errors and the equalization of the assessements
of the aforesaid real and personal estate.
All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make
application to the Commissioners during the period above
mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.
By order of the Board.

ALBERT STORER,

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CORPORATION NOTICE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF section 105 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled "An Act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement give notice (1) that they deem it to be for the public interest to lay out and open West Fifty-third street, as laid down on the map or plan of the City of New York, from the Tenth avenue to the Eleventh avenue, and to lay out and open West Fifty-fourth street, as laid down on said map, from the Tenth avenue to the established bulkhead line on the Hudson river; (2) that they propose to lay out and open the same; and (3) that they will lay their proposed action before the Board of Aldermen on or after the 27th day of January, 1880.

Anuary, 1880. New York, January 15, 1880. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor. JOHN KELLY,

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works,
JAMES F. WENMAN,
President of the Department of Public Parks,
JOHN J. MORRIS,
President of the Board of Aldermen.
RICHARD J. MORRISSON, Secretary.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

No. 2. Paving intersections of Fourth avenue with Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-fifth, and Eighty-sixth streets, with Belgian pavement.

No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, with Belgian pavement.

No. 4. Sever in One Hundred and Fourth street, between Nimth and Tenth avenues.

No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on the southeast and southwest corners of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

west corners of Madison avenue and Olfe Transfer and Twenty-seventh street. No. 6. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. No. 7. Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, from 650 feet east of Tenth avenue to 75 feet west of Ninth

avenue.

No. 8. Sewer in Sixty-eighth street, between Fourth and Madison avenue, from end of present sewer to near

Fourth avenue No. 9. Sewer in Seventy-second street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer to near

Second avenue.

No. 10. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets. No. 11. Sewer in Laight street, between Washington

and West streets.

No. 12. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, Madison and Fifth

Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 13. Sewer in Second avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets.

No. 14. Basin on the northeast corner of Sixtieth street and Fifth avenue.

No. 15. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Sixth avenue and summit west of Sixth avenue.

No. 16. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flaging on Ninety-third street, from Second avenue to East river.

ging on Minety-third siteet, from second attents to river.

17. Basin on the southwest corner of Eleventh and Dry Dock streets.

No. 18. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Seventy-ninth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues. No. 13. Sewer in Eleventh avenue, west side, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.

No. 20. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 21. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, and in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets.

No. 22. Basin on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets.

No. 23. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Tenth avenue and summit east of Tenth avenue.

No. 24. Basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Avenue A.

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 Fifty-second street, between the Boulevard and Hudson river.

No. 2. Both sides of Fourth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-seventh streets, and to the extent of half of the block in Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-fifth, and Eighty-sixth streets.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent half the block at the intersection of Second and Third avenues.

avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Nimh and Ten h avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, also south side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, extending one hundred and ten feet east of and eighty-five feet west of Madison avenue.

avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, from six hundred and fifty feet east of Tenth avenue to Minth avenue.

from six hundred and fifty feet east of Tenth avenue to Ninth avenue, No. 8. Both sides of Sixty-eighth street, extending one hundred feet west of Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Seventy-second street, extending one hundred feet east of Second avenue.

No. 10. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets.

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No. 13. Both sides of Second avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets.

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No. 15. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Sixth ond Seventh avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of Ninety-third street, between Avenue A and Second avenue.

No. 17. West side of Dry Dock street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets.

No. 18. South side of Seventy-ninth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.

No. 20. West side of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.

No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Reventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues; and both sides of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues; and both sides of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 22. Central Park.

No. 23. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 24. West side of Avenue A, between One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, and south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, and south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, extending 187 feet 6 inches west of Avenue A, and north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, extending 166 feet 6 inches west of Avenue A, and north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, extending 166 feet 6 inches west of Avenue A, and north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, extending 166 feet 6 inches west of Avenue A, and north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, extending

THOMAS B. ASTEN, JOHN MULLALY, EDWARD NORTH, DANIEL STANBURY, Board of Asses

Office Board of Assessors, No. 114 White Street (Corner Centre), New York, January 16, 1880.

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

Works

1. Fencing Fifth and Madison avenues and Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

2. Basin at the junction of Beaver and Pearl streets.

3. Regulating, grading, resetting curb and gutter, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

4. Sewer in New avenue, west of Morningside Park, and in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Tenth avenue

5. Crosswalk at the northerly and southerly intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

6. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

7. Sewer in Fifty-eighth street, between First

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7. Sewer in Fifty-eighth street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary. Office Board of Assessors, No. 114 White Street (Cor. of Centre), New York, January 13, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-ITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following named three works, viz:

No. 1. Building a water closet tower for Bellevue Hos-

pital. p. 181.
No. 2. Furnishing and putting in the steam heating ventilating apparatus for such tower.
No. 3. The plumbing and gasfitting for such tower.

ventilating apparatus for such tower.

No. 3. The plumbing and gasfitting for such tower.
—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 6th day of February, 1880, at which place and time the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the awards of the contracts will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons making any estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department, on or before the day and hour above named. The envelope containing the estimate shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The above several works will be required to be completed as follows, viz.:

No. 1, in (6) six months after the date of the contract.

"2, in (8) eight ""

"3, in (8) eight ""

"6 of the mount of work to be performed in each case reference must be made to the plans and specifications for

For the amount of work to be performed in each case reference must be made to the plans and specifications for the same, on file in the office of the Department.

Any bidder for a contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

The person or persons to whom the several security for the faithful performance of the several contracts will be required, which security will be by the bond of the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, with two sufficient sureties in penal sums, as follows, viz.:

For No. 1, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars.

"" five hundred dollars.

"" seven ""

For No. 1, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars.

"2, "seven "Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or iraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to carecute the same, they will pay to the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the competition of the contract shall be award

troller, issued as set forth in the respective forms of contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, January 23, 1880.

TOWNSEND COX.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, HARD-WARE, LEATHER AND FINDINGS, CROCKERY AND LUMBER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FUR-

nishing

DRY GOODS,

60,000 yards Brown Muslin.

20,000 "Bandage Muslin.

10,000 "Calico.

5,000 "Bleached Muslin.

3,000 "Shroud Muslin.

5,000 "Brown De ims.

5,000 "Hickory Stripes.

5,000 "Awning Stripes.

5,000 "Cotton Jeans.

1,000 "Scarlet Twilled Flannel.

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1,000 "Canton Flannel.

5,000 "Toweling.

500 "Toweling.

500 "No. 4, 26-inch Cotton Duck.

100 pounds Barbour's Linen Machine Thread (16 oz. per lb.)

HARDWARE.

HARDWARE.

100 boxes IX, 14 x 20, best quality Charcoal Terne Roofing Tin.

500 pounds L and F Block Tin.

100 "No. 8 Horseshoe Nails.

100 "No. 9 Horseshoe Nails.

100 dozen Scoop Shovels.

2 "Handled Axes.

2 "10-inch Screw Wrenches.

12 "3-ounce Tacks.

12 " 3-ounce Tacks.
12 " 4-ounce Tacks.
6 " No, 8 Sash Tools (Freach quality). acks.

LEATHER AND FINDINGS 1,000 sides good damaged sole leather, to average 18 lbs. weight, to be well tanned, and from a hide not inferior to a California hide.
1,000 pounds 5-8 S. I. Shoe Nails, No. 17,
500 " 6-8 S. I. Shoe Nails, No. 17,

CROCKERY. 5 gross Bowls. 2 dozen Soap Dishes. 6 "Male Urinals.

6 " Male O'.... 6 " Spit Cups. LUMBER.

LUMBER.

100,000 feet best quality Shipping Box Boards, to be not less than 12 inches wide and 13 feet long.

25,000 feet ½ Pine Shipping Box Boards, of best quality, not less than 12 inches wide by 13 feet long.

10,000 feet 2-inch best clear White Pine, not less than 10 inches wide and 13 feet long.

10,000 feet 1½-inch best clear White Pine, not less than 10 inches wide and 13 feet long.

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50,000 feet re-inch best clear White Pine, not less than 10 inches wide and 13 feet long.

50,000 feet best quality (dressed) Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 3½ inches by 1½ inches.

All the above lumber to be delivered at Storehouse Dock, Blackwell's Island.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office o

-or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in

the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of I'the 6th day of February, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, Hardware, Leather and Findings, Crockery and Lumber," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates it deemed to be for upublic interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein as a whole, or for any one or who is marked to the contract awarded to, any person who is marked to the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department, but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person he so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making the setting the subject of the comparison, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or m any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party

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The form of the agreement, including specifications, and "howing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the fice of the Department.

Dated New York, January 23, 1880.

TOWNSEND COX,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, January 19, 1880.

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 Compublic instit blic institutions of the City of New York," the Com-ssioners of Public Charities and Correction report as

At Hart's Island Hospital—James Fitzgerald; aged 65 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted brown coat, black pants, black soft hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, Nos. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, New York, January 17, 1880.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUB-division 7 of section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, the following regulation was unanimously adopted by the Board of the Department of Docks, at a meeting held on the 14th instant, to wit:

REGULATION 16.

The owners, lessees, and occupants of every pier, wharf, and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged, and whenever, in the judgment of the Board of the Department of Docks, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices, signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall be served upon the owners,

essees, or occupants, or collector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf, or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made or such dredging done; and in case of failure of the owners, lessees, or occupants so notified to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall be liable to a penalty of \$50 per day for every day they shall neglect to comply with such notice.

By order of the Board.

By order of the Board, EUGENE T. LYNCH,

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane Street, New York, January 17, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A RIP-RAP EMBANKMENT, WITH RUBBLE WALL ON TOP THEREOF, AND WOODEN PLATFORM IN FRONT OF THE SAME, FROM SIXTIETH STREET TO SIXTY-FIRST STREET, EAST RIVER

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A RIP-rap Embankment, with Rubble Wall on top thereof, and a Wooden Platform in front of the same, from Sixtieth street to Sixty-first street, East river, indorsed as above, and with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of

FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1880

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

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Any bidder for this contract must be known to be well prepared for the business, and the bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of two thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities, and extent of the work is as follows:

Class 1. Rip rap stone for embankment, deposited in place, about 6,000 cubic yards.

Class 2. Rubble wall built upon the embankment, about 372 cubic yards.

Class 3. Wooden platform in front of the rubble wall. This item will require the following quantities:

About 104 spruce piles.

5 oak fender piles.

5 mooring posts, of pine or spruce.

43 half-round or hickory fenders.

Yellow pine sawed timber, viz.:

12" x 12" about 15,216 feet, B. M.

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10" x 12" 4730 " "

7" x 12" 91 " "

6" x 12" 72 " "

5" x 10" 25,42 " "

5" plank 28,100 " "

Total sawed yellow pine, about 50,751

Note.-The above bill of tumber is exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste. Pile shoes of cast and wrought iron combined, as

fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which proposals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered are to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, is annexed.

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Bidders are requested, in making their bids, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

HENRY F. DIMOCK,

JACOB VANDERPOEL,

Commissioners of the Department of Decks.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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.

e Board.
VINCENT C. KING, President,
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Finance Department—Comptroller's Office, New York, January 22, 1880.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of real estate in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment and payment of unpaid taxes due the county of Westchester by the towns of West Farms, Morrisania, and Kingsbridge, lately annexed to the city and county of New York," passed May 22, 1878, the unpaid taxes of said town have been adjusted and the amount determined as provided in said act, and that the accounts, including sales for taxes levied prior to the year 1874, by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and also the unpaid taxes of the year 1873, known as Rejected Taxes, have been filed for collection in the Bureau of Arrears in the Finance Department of the City of New York.

Payments for the redemption of lands so sold for taxes

of New York.

Payments for the redemption of lands so sold for taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid no n account of said towns, and payments also of said Rejected Taxes of the year 1873, must be made hereafter to the Clerk of Arrears of the City of New York.

N. B.—Interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum is due and payable on the amount of said sales for taxes and said rejected taxes.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due February 1, 1880, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from January 15,

JOHN KELLY,

City of New York—Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, January 10, 1880. REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COURT-HOUSI
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, Dec. 13, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that the following assessment lists were receive this day in this Bureau for collection: CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 10, 1870

83d street sewer, between 10th avenue and Boulevard.
95th street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues, etc.
107th street sewer, between 4th and 5th avenues.
Water street basin, southeast corner Jefferson street.
92d street basin, southwest corner 8th avenue.
99th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 1st to 3d

oth avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from 63d street to Boulevard, 74th street, paving from Avenue A to East river. 45th street, flagging south side, between 1st and 2d

4th avenue, flagging east side, between 65th and 66th

Streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 11, 1880, will be exempt (according to aw) 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.

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SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department or Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Forest (Concord) avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, from the southern side of Denman place to Home street, in the Twenty-third Ward of 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, in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 3oth day of January, 1880, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

GUNNING S. BEDFORD, AMBROSE H. PURDY, BERNARD SMYTH,

Commissioners.

Dated New York, January 16, 1880.

Dated New York, January 16, 1880.

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-ninth street, from Fighth avenue to the new road or drive, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

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

That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Charles H. Haswell, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the twenty-first day of January, 1880, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said twenty-first day of January, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at three o'clock P. M.

That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-first day of January, 1880.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue, distant one hundred feet and eight inches northerly from the northwesterly corner of Eighty-ninth street and Eighth avenue, and running thence westerly and parallel with Eighty-ninth street to the established bulkhead line on the Hudson river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line on the Hudson river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line two hundred and sixty-two feet and six and one-half inches; thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-ninth street to the wester

eard thereon, a most of econfirmed.

Dated New York, December 3, 1879.

CHARLES H. HASWELL BERNARD SMYTH, RICHARD CROKER, Commissione

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Alder-men, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-second street, from First ave-nue to Avenue B in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Menzo Diefendorf, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 71 Broadway, Room 124, in the said city, on or before the 20th day of January, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 20th day of January, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 20th day of January, 1880.

Third.—That the limits embraced by he assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or

New York, there to remain until the 20th day of January, 1880.

Third.—That the limits embraced by he assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of First avenue distant one hundred and two feet two inches from the northerly side of Eighty-second street; thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-second street to a point distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly side of Avenue B, and one hundred and two feet and two inches northerly from the northerly side of Eighty-second street; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly side of Avenue B to a point distant one hundred and two feet two inches southerly from the southerly side of Eighty-second street; thence westerly and parallel with Eighty-second street to a point on the easterly side of First avenue distant one hundred and two feet two inches southerly from the southerly side of Eighty-second street; and thence northerly along the easterly side of First avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the

beginning.
Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the third day of February, 1880, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 2d, 1879.

MENZO DIEFENDORF, GEORGE H. SWORDS,

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