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PROCLAMATION.

\$500 Reward.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 24, 1880.

Whereas, it has been ascertained by a coroner's jury, upon evidence which seems to me satisfactory, that Mary Sigerson came to her death on the 10th day of November, instant, from a pistol shot wound at the hands of Andrew J. Gillen, in the City of New York;

Now I, Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby offer a reward of five hundred dollars to any person or persons who shall give information resulting in the apprehension of said Gillen.

No claim for this reward will be considered unless presented to the Mayor within twenty days after said Gillen shall be placed under arrest in this county.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, }
November 17, 1880. }

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Trial.

Fireman George Murphy, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, charged with "absence without leave" and "intoxication," under date of 7th instant, and with "absence without leave" under date of 8th instant. Found guilty and fined ten days' pay.

Charge preferred against Fireman Joseph D. White, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12, was laid over.

The minutes of meetings held on 10th, 11th, 12th and 16th instant were read and approved.

Communications.

From—
Chief of Department—Reports of inspection by company commanders of buildings and fire escapes, 23 in all. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Assistant Chief of Department—Report of test of Engines Nos. 13, 20 and 33, on 9th instant, in compliance with resolution adopted October 19, as follows:

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK, November 13, 1880. }

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners, Fire Department, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with resolution adopted by your Honorable Body October 19, 1880, that a joint test of engines belonging to this Department, and known as Nos. 13, 20 and 33, should take place on Tuesday, November 9, 1880, and to be made as follows: The engines to be run for twelve (12) consecutive hours, with at least two (2) cocks of water, the steam pressure to be limited to 100 pounds per square inch; an accurate record of the steam and water pressure, and the distance the water is thrown, to be taken at least each fifteen (15) minutes; time of stopping, if any, of each engine, and its cause noted, but the test to proceed with the others, nevertheless. The builders of the engines to have the privilege of running their own machines, and of having them put in thorough order at the Repair Shops before the trial. In case the privilege of running their own engines be declined, the test will proceed under the direction of the Department. Cannel coal furnished by the Department to be used, and a record of the quantity kept. I have the honor to report the following: The Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Company and the Ahrens Manufacturing Company replied to the resolution, and consented to run their engines. The Manchester Locomotive Works declined to take part in the test, consequently their engine was run by members of this Department. Engines 13 and 33 were taken to the Repair Shops and examined by their respective builders, they, being new engines, needed no repairs. No. 20, having been in service about nineteen (19) months, it was deemed advisable to make a thorough examination of the engine. A leak was found in the lap of the steam chimney; some of the springs of the valves in the pumps were broken. The valves and springs were all replaced with new ones, and the old leathers on the pump plungers were removed, and replaced with new ones. All the steam and water-gauges were tested, to a uniform standard, under my direction, by A. Schmidt & Bros., of 41 Centre street.

The engines were removed from the Repair Shop on the afternoon of the 8th instant, to the Market building, Avenue C and Seventeenth street, and Firemen detailed to watch the same.

At six o'clock A. M. on the 9th instant, the engines were placed in position at the river foot of East Seventeenth street, and in the choice of positions, No. 20 was placed on the easterly end, No. 33 in the centre, and No. 13 on the westerly end.

No. 13 was handled by the Messrs. Ahrens, assisted by the Engineers of No. 13, Reynolds and Sembler.

No. 33 was handled by two (2) Engineers from the Clapp & Jones Works, assisted by the Engineers of Nos. 5 and 33, Leonard and Burns.

No. 20 was handled by Engineers Lefferts, Homer, Ryan, Regan and Pallette, of this Department.

Description of Engines.

No. 13, built by the Ahrens Manufacturing Company of Cincinnati, O., with the Ahrens' improved Latta boiler, double shell and coil, diameter of boiler, 35 inches, containing 191 square feet of heating surface; vertical engine, with two (2) steam cylinders, 7 1/4 inch diameter, 8 inch stroke. Area of each steam cylinder, 41.2825.

Two (2) double plunger pumps, 4 1/2 inch diameter and 8-inch stroke. Area of each pump, 15.9043; cubic inches in each pump, 127.2344; weight of engine with water, 7,575 lbs.

No. 20, Amoskeag Engine, built by Manchester Locomotive Works, Manchester, N. H. Upright tubular boiler, diameter, 31 inches, containing 140 square feet of heating surface; vertical engine, with two (2) steam cylinders, 7 3/8 inches diameter, 8-inch stroke. Area of each steam cylinder, 45.6639.

Two (2) double plunger pumps, 4 1/2 inches diameter, 8-inch stroke. Area of each pump, 15.9043; cubic inches in each pump, 127.2344; weight of engine and water, 7,320 lbs.

No. 33, built by Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Company, Hudson, N. Y. Clapp's Patent Pendant Tube Boiler, 35 inches diameter, containing 185 1/2 square feet of heating surface. Vertical engine, with two (2) steam cylinders, 8 inches in diameter, 7-inch stroke; area of each steam cylinder, 50.2656. Two (2) double plunger pumps, 4 3/8 inches in diameter, and 7-inch stroke. Area of each pump, 18.6655; cubic inches in each pump, 130.6585; weight of engine with water, 7,459 lbs.

The Test.

The arrangement for the test was the following: Each engine to lift water from the river; the lift, considering the change of tide, was an average of about seven (7) feet; the boilers furnished with Croton water from hydrant on the dock; each engine to force water through 200 feet Maltese Cross Combination Hose, and deliver a stream through 1 5-16 inch ring nozzle. The pipes were lashed to a stand at an angle of forty-five (45) degrees, and the ground staked off up to two hundred and fifty (250) feet. The pressures were taken at the engines and at the pipes every three (3) minutes by the following members of this Department, viz.: Assistant Foremen Shaw, Browning, Louis, Munger and Kruger, and Engineers Jewell, Jones and Brewer. Assistant Foreman Searles superintended the weighing and distribution of the fuel.

The engines were started at 6.40 A. M. to test the connections, hose, pipe-stand, etc., and at 7 o'clock A. M. the test began. After working two (2) hours it was found impossible to take the distance the water was thrown, as the cross wind turned the streams off, and the water began to accumulate to such an extent as to make it disagreeable for the workmen in the Dock Department sheds. All the engines were then shut off, and the pipes placed at the string-piece at an elevation of about 60 degrees, and the water thrown in the river. Once each hour a test trial on distance was made for two minutes by attaching a second line to the engines and turning the water into it and shutting off the one playing in the river, but as the water was thrown against a cross wind the result was not satisfactory, as the following will show:

The greatest distance for Engine No. 13..... 195 feet.
" " Engine No. 20..... 210 "
" " Engine No. 33..... 215 "

Time and Cause of Engines Stopping.

7:21 A. M.—Length of hose burst in line of Engine No. 13; all stopped two minutes, length replaced. Between 8 and 9 A. M., Engine No. 20 stopped three times, of two minutes duration each, to examine connections, etc.

9 A. M.—All stopped eighteen minutes to change positions of pipes from land to river.

10:55 A. M.—Engine No. 20 stopped three minutes to change spring relief to screw valve in pump.

4 P. M.—Engines Nos. 13 and 20 were disabled and withdrawn from the test. The cause of Engine No. 13 stopping was the water from the jacket of the boiler could not be forced into the coil. On examination made by Mr. Ahrens, at Repair Shops, on the 10th instant, he found a piece of composition metal chipping, about 1/8 inch diameter and 1/2 inch long, curled in form, under, and holding the check valve off its seat, between the circulator and the coil.

The cause of Engine No. 20 stopping was the leathers of the plunger of one of the pumps tore off, and on examination some of the pieces were found under the discharge valves; the other pump was in perfect condition. Please find the piece of metal taken from the feed-pipe of Engine No. 13, and the torn leathers from plunger of pump of Engine No. 20, accompanying this report.

Engine No. 33 continued on the test until time was called at 7 o'clock P. M.

The following figures will show the average pressures by the hour, taken from gauges at Engines and pipes every three minutes, also the general averages and amount of fuel consumed:

Average Pressures.

Pressures in pounds per square inch taken every three (3) minutes and averaged each hour:

TIME.	ENGINE NUMBER.	STEAM.	WATER.	AT PIPES.
7 to 8 A. M.	13	93.50	154.50	86.25
	20	92.75	146.00	82.25
	33	100.25	162.75	98.75
8 to 9 A. M.	13	97.25	160.50	90.75
	20	90.75	134.00	71.75
	33	99.50	161.00	101.00
9 to 10 A. M.	13	100.25	162.50	89.50
	20	94.00	159.25	88.50
	33	102.75	163.25	100.00
10 to 11 A. M.	13	95.50	158.75	88.75
	20	90.00	152.25	85.25
	33	101.00	167.00	103.25
11 to 12 M.	13	95.75	162.25	90.75
	20	91.00	158.50	89.75
	33	101.75	172.25	107.75
12 to 1 P. M.	13	95.50	159.75	86.75
	20	91.25	171.75	96.50
	33	100.25	169.50	105.00
1 to 2 P. M.	13	99.00	171.50	91.50
	20	92.25	147.75	81.25
	33	97.75	170.25	104.50
2 to 3 P. M.	13	92.50	155.75	87.00
	20	88.25	165.25	93.50
	33	99.50	173.75	105.25
3 to 4 P. M.	13	84.25	146.50	78.50
	20	85.00	145.00	80.00
	33	99.75	168.50	103.75
4 to 5 P. M.	13	.....	.....	.....
	20	.....	.....	.....
	33	98.25	167.25	100.00
5 to 6 P. M.	13	.....	.....	.....
	20	.....	.....	.....
	33	98.50	164.00	99.25
6 to 7 P. M.	13	.....	.....	.....
	20	.....	.....	.....
	33	101.50	166.25	98.25

General Averages.

ENGINES.	STEAM PRESSURE.	WATER PRESSURE.	PRESSURE AT PIPES.
No. 13.....	94.83	159.11	87.75
No. 20.....	90.58	153.30	85.42
No. 33.....	100.02	167.14	102.25

Total Amount of Coal Consumed.

All Engines..... 15,731 lbs.
Of which Engine No. 13 consumed..... 3,507 lbs. 9 hours' work.
" " No. 20 "..... 5,692 lbs. 9 "
" " No. 33 "..... 6,532 lbs. 12 "

Average Per Hour.

Engine No. 13 consumed..... 389 2/3 lbs. per hour.
" No. 20 "..... 632 1/2 lbs. "
" No. 33 "..... 544 1/2 lbs. "

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. O. SHAY.

Assistant Chief of Department.

Which was filed.

The following preamble and resolution was offered by Commissioner Gorman :
Whereas, The trial of Engines Nos. 13, 20, and 33 of this Department, ordered to take place on the 9th inst., the result of which is reported to the Board this day, is not satisfactory by reason of 13 and 20 being placed out of service for three hours, from causes accidental and not the fault of construction or working; therefore

Resolved, That the trial be repeated on Tuesday, the 30th inst., under direction of Assistant Chief Shay, and governed by resolution on that subject adopted October 19, 1880.

Which was lost by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Gorman.

Negative—President King, and Commissioner Van Cott.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Van Cott :

Resolved, That Engine Nos. 13, 20, and 33 be tested on November 30, 1880, under the same conditions which governed the test of the same engines at the trial on the 9th inst., as per the resolution of the Board on the subject adopted October 19, 1880, except that the engines shall be limited to 120 pounds of steam pressure, and shall play through nozzles not less than 1 3/8 inches, and that the duration of the test shall be ten hours. Which was adopted.

Chief Fourth Battalion—Report of rescues by members of Engine Co. No. 9 and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, at fire No. 11 Market street, on 8th instant. Filed, with directions to enter on roll merit.

Same, returning report of rescue by Fireman Charles Smith, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, at fire No. 76 Elizabeth street, on 4th instant, with additional information as directed. Filed, with directions to enter on roll of merit.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 7, requesting that a stronger team be provided for one in service. Referred to Superintendent of Horses for investigation and recommendation.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 8, reporting loss of hydrant wrench by Private John B. Livingston. Filed, and a fine of two days' pay imposed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 19, reporting loss of hydrant wrench by Private Timothy J. Coughlan. Filed, and a fine of two days' pay imposed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 31, reporting loss of cap device by Assistant Engineer of Steamer Coleman J. Burke. Filed, and a fine of \$5.00 imposed.

Foreman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5, reporting death of Fireman Thomas L. Jacobus on 12th instant. Filed.

Privates Louis Hellner and John T. Hanlon, of Engine Cos. Nos. 3 and 23 respectively, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of Steamer. Referred to Examining Board of Engineers.

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

Same—Report of licenses and permits issued to 16th instant. Filed.

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

Resolved, That Mrs. Murgraw, 69 Mulberry street; Thomas Hand, 229 East Twenty-eighth street; Kate O'Brien, 350 East Third street; George Warren, 155 West Broadway, and George Hansell, 153 West Forty-second street, be and are hereby fined \$5.00 each for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that in each of the above-named cases the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Same, recommending discontinuance of legal proceedings for violation of section 56, chapter 873, Laws of 1866. Filed, and the following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and is requested to discontinue legal proceedings against the following-named parties for violation of section 56, chapter 873, Laws of 1866, the said parties having procured certificates approved by the N. Y. Board of Fire Underwriters, in conformity with the provisions of chapter 169, Laws of 1880, viz. :

Thomas Gildea, 445 and 447 West Thirteenth street.

George C. Hartch, 83 Vandam street.

Same, recommending discontinuance of legal proceedings for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871. Filed, and the following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the Attorney to the Fire Department be and is directed to discontinue legal proceedings for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, as recommended by the Inspector of Combustibles, against the following-named parties, the said persons having complied with the law by procuring licenses, viz. :

Henry Schierloh, 132 Rivington street.

E. M. Ikelheimer, 720 Seventh avenue.

A. G. Scheuermann, 424 East Seventeenth street.

Bernard Gallagher, 842 Eleventh avenue.

Adolph Wiesner, 225 Varick street.

Jeremiah Riordan, 9 Madison street.

Frank Langendorf, 126 Hester street.

Fire Marshal—Report of operations for month of October. Filed.

Inspector of Buildings—Report of operations for month of October. Filed.

Same, requesting return of papers in violation cases Nos. 336 and 438, provisions of law having been complied with. Compliance directed.

Same, transmitting cases of violation of law for prosecution. Filed, and following resolutions adopted :

Resolved, That the Attorney to the Fire Department be and is directed to institute legal proceedings for the removal of violations and recovery of penalties, as recommended by the Inspector of Buildings, in violation cases Nos. 410, 452, 453, 454, 464, 465, 471, 479, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, and 452.

Resolved, That the Attorney to the Fire Department be and is directed to institute legal proceedings to compel compliance with the provisions of law relative to fire escapes and for recovery of penalties, as recommended by the Inspector of Buildings, in cases Nos. 225 and 341 of 1878, and 163 of 1880.

Attorney to the Fire Department, returning violation cases Nos. 403 and 459, with information that notices were improperly served. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Daily reports of work and duty performed by employees. Filed.

Medical Officer, recommending leaves of absence to—

Fireman John J. Mulligan, of Engine Co. No. 9, for five days.

William Banner, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2, for twenty days.

Granted, on half pay.

Same, recommending leave of absence for three days, from 10th instant, to Fireman Thomas L. Jacobus, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5. Granted.

Superintendent of Horses—Weekly report of inspection. Referred back for detailed information.

Same, returning communication relative to death of horse of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5, with statement. Referred back for definite report.

Same—Corrected report of death of horse. Filed.

Appointment.

William Reilly, as Private, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, 18th inst.

Transfer.

Fireman John Riordan, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, to Engine Co. No. 17, 18th inst.

On motion, the salary of Thomas McGrath, Assistant Pilot of Engine Co. No. 43, was fixed at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, from 1st proximo.

Bills

—audited and transmitted to Comptroller for payment :

For the current year—Schedule No. 56.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes Ahrens Mfg. Co., Corporation of Trinity Church, Dobbs, Wm. H., and Fuller's Heater Mfg. Co.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg. Co., Noonan, John, apparatus, supplies, etc., and Tillotson, L. G. & Co.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NOVEMBER 19, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Appointment.

Joshua A. Wallace, as Private, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, 20th instant.

Transfers

—to take effect 20th instant :

Assistant Engineer Steamer Wm. Grace, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 31.

Fireman Robert J. Gould, Engine Co. No. 31 to Engine Co. No. 33.

Private William Reilly, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9 to Engine Co. No. 24.

Application of Mrs. A. B. Cornell for a badge was granted.

Requisition of Inspector of Buildings for carpenter work, estimated cost, \$45, was received and work ordered.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NOVEMBER 20, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Communications.

From—

Supreme Court—Order and petition in the case of the People, ex rel. James H. Monroe, vs. Board of Fire Commissioners. Referred to Attorney for necessary action.

Committee on Finance Board of Aldermen, requesting information relative to proposed building at One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Lexington avenue, which had been referred to the Inspector of Buildings and returned with report. Filed, with directions to communicate the information.

Captain in Charge Repair Shops—Relative to burning of coil of Engine Co. No. 13. Referred to Chief of Department for investigation and proper action.

Resolution.

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to obtain from the Law Department all printed briefs, decisions of Courts on appeal, and opinions relating to cases conducted by the Counsel to the Corporation, for this Department. Adopted.

Transfers

—to take effect 22d instant :

Fireman John Wright, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5 to Engine Co. No. 13.

Adam Hutter, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 19 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1880—2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call :

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 18, 1880.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 112th section of chapter 335, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; and section 1 of chapter 779, being an act entitled "An act in relation to raising money by taxation in the County of New York, for county purposes," passed June 14, 1873; and chapter 304, being an act entitled "An act to consolidate the government of the City and County of New York, and further to regulate the same," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 303, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 308, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed May 1, 1874—a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Friday, November 19, 1880, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purposes specified in request of the Comptroller, dated November 13, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 13, 1880.

Hon. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor :

SIR—You are requested to call a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on Monday, the 15th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of authorizing the issue of "Assessment Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," to the amount of \$50,000, under chapter 397, Laws of 1852, and chapter 580, Laws of 1872, to meet the cost of street improvements in progress; and also for the transaction of any other business that may be brought before the Board.

Respectfully,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

INDORSED :

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 18th day of November, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor;
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller;
JOHN J. MORRIS, President of the Board of Aldermen;
JOHN WHEELER, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Present—All the members, viz. :

Edward Cooper, the Mayor of the City of New York; John Kelly, the Comptroller of the City of New York; John J. Morris, the President of the Board of Aldermen; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meetings held October 25, 27, 28, and 29, 1880, were read and approved.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the sum of thirty-three hundred and ninety-three dollars and fourteen cents be and the same is hereby appropriated from the Excise Fund to the "Ladies' Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectory," for the support of 215 children committed to said Home by Police Justices, pursuant to law, for the months of September and October, 1880, aggregating 11,876 days, at two dollars per week, being at the rate of about 28 57-100 cents per day for the support of each child; the appropriation being made in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, dated January 16, 1877.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Chairman presented the following communication :

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
November 9, 1880.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

The CITY RECORD report on the 4th of November instant, of the proceedings of your meeting of 30th October, 1880, includes a telegram from Commissioner Conover, and his misstatements ought to be corrected.

The estimates from this Department, \$919,381.20, as stated in the CITY RECORD, were adopted by this Department on motion of Commissioner Conover, and ordered to be transmitted to your Board, at a meeting of this Department on October 6, 1880.

When they were submitted to you, the question was then raised whether they complied with section 3, chapter 521, of Laws of 1880, and at your suggestion certain explanations were made on

the face of the estimate to show that the ten per centum reduction on all salaries, etc., had been considered, but the amounts of the estimate in aggregate and in detail were not changed.

These statements were added to the estimate and exhibited to Commissioner Conover before they were sent to you. His telegram to you was therefore sent under a very strange misapprehension of facts.

Respectfully, SMITH E. LANE, Commissioner D. P. P.

And moved that it be printed in the minutes. Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue, from time to time as may be required, and at such rates of interest, not exceeding five per cent. per annum, and for such period, conformable to law, as he may determine, "Assessment Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, as authorized by chapter 397, Laws of 1852, and chapter 580, Laws of 1872.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following report :

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 16, 1880.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

At the meeting of the Board on the 29th of October, there was referred to the Comptroller a communication from the Department of Public Works, dated October 18, 1880, requesting the transfer of \$600 from the unexpended balance of the appropriation made to the Department for the year 1879, entitled "Bridge across Fourth Avenue, at One Hundred and Sixteenth street," to the appropriation made for the year 1880, for "Repairs and Renewal of Pavements," to meet the expense of grading, adjusting and repairing One Hundred and Sixteenth street, at each end of the bridge across the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, on Fourth avenue, in order to make convenient approaches to the same.

I recommend that the transfer be made and present herewith a resolution for that purpose.

Respectfully, JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

And offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the sum of six hundred dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for the year 1879, entitled "Bridge across Fourth Avenue, at One Hundred and Sixteenth street," which is in excess of the amount required for the purpose or objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1880, entitled "Repairs and Renewal of Pavements," which is insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Chairman presented the following communication :

NEW YORK, November 18, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned property-owners and tax-payers would respectfully present to you and urge upon you the necessity of a new and improved pavement in Fifth avenue, from Washington square to the Central Park.

This avenue is the central and leading longitudinal thoroughfare of the city. Private enterprise and expenditure have been employed without stint, to give it the character and reputation of being one of the finest streets in the world, and the taxable value of the property fronting upon it exceeds the property value on any other street of the same extent in the city. It is the principal approach to the Central Park and the suburban drives from the present centre of the city, and is used as such by people from every part of the city below the park.

All these facts and circumstances combine to demand for this avenue special and different treatment from ordinary streets—not in the interest of any particular locality or class, but as a matter in which the whole city and population are interested ; and this fact has been recognized by the State authorities, in the enactment of laws prohibiting the construction of railroads through it. Yet, in the matter of pavement, the city has treated this avenue the same as any ordinary street of merely local use or importance. It is paved with an inferior stone-block pavement, which is rough, noisy, uncleanly, harsh, and inappropriate for all kinds of travel, and incapable of being rendered suitable by patching or repairing. Several ineffectual attempts have been made to obtain the authority and means to secure for it a proper pavement. From various causes, travel upon this avenue has greatly increased within the past few years.

We respectfully submit, that a new pavement for this avenue, which shall combine, as much as possible, smoothness, noiselessness, cleanliness, safety, and durability, has become an urgent public necessity, which concerns the whole city, and in which every citizen should take pride and interest.

We therefore earnestly request that your Board will make an appropriation for the ensuing year, to provide for such pavement, at least in part.

Very respectfully,

- J. J. Astor, 338 Fifth ave.
August Belmont, 109 Fifth ave.
Geo. W. Pell, 438 Fifth ave.
Edwards Pierrepont, 103 Fifth ave.
R. M. Pell, 436 Fifth ave.
Samuel B. H. Vance, 531 Fifth ave.
John H. Sherwood, 531 and 533 Fifth ave.
Lawrence Kip, 452 Fifth ave.
Frank J. Wetherbee, Windsor Hotel.
William H. Garmore, 390 Fifth ave.
Stephen R. Roe, 4c Fifth ave.
Thurlow Weed, 12 W. 12th st.
Lawson Valentine, 64 Fifth ave.
Aldern & Sterne, cor. 14th st. and 5th ave.
John Mayer, 98 Fifth ave.
E. M. Earle, 235 Fifth ave.
Thomas Holland, 75 Fifth ave.
Chickering & Sons, 130 Fifth ave.
George A. Hearn, 79 and 140 Fifth ave.
Mrs. E. D. Bell.
Estate of P. S. Rogers, 49 Fifth ave.
T. A. Ames, 37 Fifth ave.
P. J. Jordan, 31 Fifth ave.
C. B. Waite, Brevoort House.
Mrs. Von Untzer, 7 Fifth ave.
N. P. Beers, 3 Fifth ave.
Mrs. John Dayton, 751 Fifth ave.
Charles A. Leale, 745 Fifth ave.
H. M. Proitor, 741 Fifth ave.
Wm. Wetzel, 749 Fifth ave.
Chas. H. Contoit, 728 Fifth ave.
Frederic W. Stevens, 2 W. 57th st.

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed in the minutes.

The Chairman presented the following communication :

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, November 11, 1880.

Hon. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor, Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

SIR—I transmit the following proceedings of the Board of Public Charities and Correction at a meeting held this day :

Whereas, The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction find that, upon the completion of the new Pavilion for the Insane, erected on Hart's Island, there will be a surplus of materials over the quantity required in the building thereof, consisting of—

- 425 bundles of shingles,
125 pieces of spruce timber, and
43 kegs of nails,

—of the value of five hundred and eighty-one 85-100 dollars ; therefore,

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to consent to the transfer of the materials specified in the preamble from new pavilion on Hart's Island to "supply account," for which the said materials are required for immediate use.

Very respectfully, G. F. BRITTON, Assistant Secretary.

—and moved that it be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was agreed to.

The Chairman presented the following bill :

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, To NELSON J. WATERBURY, Dr.

October, 1879. To counsel fee for professional services rendered to James E. Morrison, Esq., Police Commissioner, in the matter of the legal proceedings by The People of the State of New York, ex rel. Robert Van Wyck and others, against DeWitt C. Wheeler and others, Police Commissioners, in relation to the appointment of Inspectors of Election for the general election of the year 1879. \$250 00

I certify that the foregoing bill has been incurred upon my retainer, and is reasonable and proper. JAS. E. MORRISON.

—and moved that it be referred to the Comptroller. Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller presented the following communication :

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET, NEW YORK, November 12, 1880.

Hon. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

SIR—At a meeting of this Board, held on the 9th instant, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of five hundred dollars from the appropriation made to the Health Department for the year 1879, entitled "Fund for payment to Board of Police for the services of thirty Patrolmen, etc." which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to a "Fund for the support of the Night Medical Service" for the year 1880, as provided by section 8, chapter 588, Laws of 1880.

(A true copy.) EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Comptroller. The Comptroller moved to take up and act upon the following resolution, laid over at meeting held November 9, 1880 :

Resolved, That the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the following appropriations made to the Police Department, for the year 1879, which are in excess of the amount required for the purposes or objects thereof, viz. :

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Items include "Supplies for Police" (\$3,000 00), "Cleaning Streets under Police Department (removing snow and ice)" (9,500 00), and Total (\$12,500 00).

—to the following appropriations made for the year 1880, which are insufficient, viz. :

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Items include "Salaries—Common Council (Clerks and Officers Board of Aldermen)" (\$2,000 00), "Salaries—Department of Finance (Salaries of the Employees of the Department)" (5,500 00), "Cleaning Markets" (5,000 00), and Total (\$12,500 00).

The Chairman moved, as an amendment, that the resolution lay over, and that the Comptroller be requested to furnish to the Board a statement of the reasons for the necessity of the transfer.

Which was lost by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The question was then taken on the original motion to take up and act upon the said resolution. Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

The Chairman moved that the resolution be divided. Which was lost by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller then moved that the resolution be adopted. The Chairman moved to amend by striking out the item "Salaries—Department of Finance (Salaries of the Employees of the Department), \$5,500."

Which was lost by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Chairman then moved to amend by striking out the item "Cleaning Markets, \$5,000." Which was lost by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Chairman then moved to amend by striking out the item "Salaries—Common Council (Clerks and Officers, Board of Aldermen), \$2,000." Which was lost by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The question was then taken on the original motion to adopt the resolution. Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

The Comptroller moved to take up and act upon the following resolution, laid over at meeting held November 9, 1880 :

Resolved, That the sum of twelve thousand five hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty-six cents be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1880, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries of Patrolmen," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes or objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1880, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries of Clerks, Deputies, Stenographers, Superintendent of Telegraph, Telegraph Operators, Messengers, Cleaners, Steamboat and all other employees," which is insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

The question was then taken on the adoption of the resolution. Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

The Comptroller moved to take up and act upon the following resolution, laid over at meeting held November 9, 1880.

Resolved, That the sum of eighteen hundred and eighty-four dollars and seventy-five cents be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1879, entitled "Supplies for Police," which is in excess of the amount required for the purpose or objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1879, entitled "Contingent Expenses," which is insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

The Chairman moved that the resolution be laid over. Which was lost by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The question was then taken on the adoption of the resolution. Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman)—1.

The Comptroller moved that the Board do now adjourn. Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending November 20, 1880, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending November 13, 1880.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register.

SIR—There were 546 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, November 20, 1880, which is a decrease of 59, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 75 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1879.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending Nov. 20, 1880, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending Nov. 13, 1880.

Main table with columns: METEOROLOGY, CAUSES OF DEATH, DATE (Nov 7-13), ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1880, AGE BY YEARS (Under 1 year, 1 to 2, etc.), SEX (Male, Female, Colored).

* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

† Arrived at Quarantine, November 1, 1880, on board bark "King's County."

DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES. NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHOEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES. Table with columns: WARDS, AREA IN ACRES, Actual Mortality during the Week ending November 13, 1880, Total Deaths from all Causes, Total Deaths, exclusive of those in Public Institutions, Total Population (in Wards), Census of 1875, REMARKS, Total in Institutions.

Very respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.

Births* reported during the week ending November 20, 1880.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.		NATIVITY OF PARENTS.								NAME OF CHILD.				
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.		Foreign Mother only.		NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY.		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY.		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.
							Foreign.	Native.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.					
3	509	4	270	243	..	254	142	73	38	..	2	2	2	..	363	150	

Marriages* reported during the week ending November 20, 1880.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.													
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.		Native.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.			
			Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
223	221	221	2	2	114	92	95	116	..	..	14	15	175	181	33	24	4	1	..	..	10	17

* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Activity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending November 20, 1880, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending November 13, 1880.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
		4	Austria	12	12	7	7	10	5
4	British America	2	3	5	7	2	1	..	..
4	England	19	15	14	16	9	7	2	1
5	France	10	7	8	2	3	3	..	..
101	Germany	130	119	154	127	62	46	9	10
7	Ireland	196	193	93	98	10	15	13	12
2	Italy	9	9	6	5	1	1	1	1
2	Poland	4	4	6	4	..	..	..	..
2	Scotland	4	4	7	1	..	..	..	..
..	Switzerland	1	1	6	1	3	2	1	1
348	United States	118	139	180	217	95	116	14	15
1	Unknown or not stated	27	27	4	2	14	14	..	..
2	West Indies	2	2	1	1	1	1	..	..
8	Other countries	19	16	25	19	12	12	1	..

Still-Births reported during the week ending November 20, 1880.

TOTAL.	SEX.		COLOR.	NATIVITY OF			PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.															
	Male.	Female.		FATHER.		MOTHER.	MONTH.															
			Native.	Foreign.	Native.		Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Unknown or not stated.			
42	25	17	..	42	..	14	28	..	15	26	1	4	4	6	5	23

Deaths reported during the week ending November 20, 1880.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.										RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.											
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses.	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.				Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not stated.	New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.		
							Not stated.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.													Not Stated. †		
546	78	232	170	8	8	..	6	97	154	116	70	13	4	..	..	..	..	..	541	5	..	60	144	51	291

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, NOVEMBER 15 TO 20, 1880.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—
List of prisoners received during week ending November 13, 1880: Males, 36; females, 6. On file.
List of 36 prisoners to be discharged, from November 21 to 27, 1880. Transmitted to Prison Association.
From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 5 patients received during week ending November 13, 1880. On file.
From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 5 patients received during week ending November 15, 1880. On file.
From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending November 13, 1880, \$169. On file.

Proposals.

Resolved, That the proposals of E. F. Gibson to furnish 20 bales of bandage muslin, at 5 45-100 cents per yard;
R. M. Masterton, 500 pounds of coffee sugar, at 7 68-100 cents per pound; 1,000 bushels oats, at 44 75-100 cents per bushel; 100 bags of coarse meal, at \$1.14 per bag; 250 bushels of rye, at \$1.06 1/2 per bushel;
H. Vanderboget, 5,000 pounds of butter, at 24 35-100 cents per pound;
—be accepted, and the contracts awarded to them, their sureties having been approved by the Comptroller. Adopted.

Appointments.

November 15. Timothy Dunn, Engineer, Lunatic Asylum.
15. Richard Clinton, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
15. Thomas Corrigan, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
17. Bridget Hughes, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.
19. Timothy Keating, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
19. George B. Van Brunt, Superintendent of Workhouse.

Dismissals.

November 15. William J. Kelly, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
16. Terence B. Gilsenan, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
16. William Rooney, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

Resignations.

November 17. James F. Mahon, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.
18. Mary L. Merritt, Nurse, Infants' Hospital.

G. F. BRITTON, Assistant Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That a street lamp-post be erected and a Boulevard lamp placed thereon and lighted, on the sidewalk near the curb-stone on a line between Nos. 301 and 303 Mulberry street, as requested in the accompanying petition of the Reporters of the Police Bureau, who occupy the two buildings; the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 16, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 23, 1880.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street lamps lighted in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 16, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 23, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Catharine Mullins to erect a stand for the sale of oysters, coffee, etc., on South street, between James ship and Roosevelt street, the same not to interfere with public travel; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, November 9, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335 Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Lynch to place and retain a canvas strip on awning in front of his premises, No. 304 Eighth avenue, the work done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, November 9, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, November 23, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879, also that gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street lamps lighted in One Hundred and Seventh street, from Second to Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted on the west side of the First avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-eighth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Petition of David Dows, for permission to erect bay-window and portico and stoop, on building northeast corner Fifth avenue and Sixty-ninth street.

Prayer of the petitioner granted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, November 22, 1880, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the estate of C. Palmer, to erect a portico on the front of building No. 860 Broadway (known as "The Morton House") as shown on the accompanying diagram, the consent of the owner of the adjoining property having been obtained; said portico to be within the stop line, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, November 22, 1880, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the bills of Bernard Reilly, late Sheriff of the City and County of New York, for expenses incurred by him in the proceedings before the Governor of this State for his removal from office as such Sheriff, upon charges preferred against him, be and the same hereby are declared to be a county charge, and are audited and allowed to him at the sum of eleven thousand nine hundred and eighty-one dollars and sixty-two cents, and that the same be included in the next annual assessment rolls, and be assessed, levied, and collected as other county charges are, and paid over to the said Bernard Reilly or his order, and the Board of Apportionment is hereby directed to include said sum in the annual tax levy for 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, November 22, 1880, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Welde to erect bay-windows on the three houses now in course of erection on Fifth avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, as shown on the annexed diagram, viz.: on the corner house one bay-window on Fifth avenue front, not to project more than three feet beyond the house line, and to be on the second story; on the Twenty-ninth street front to extend from the basement, to and including the second story; on the two houses on Fifth avenue, other than the corner, such windows to project not more than three feet beyond the house line, the openings in each case not to exceed eight feet, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the pastor of St. Joseph's Church, in Eighty-seventh street, between Avenue A and First avenue, to place a transparency over three or four of the public lamps, in the vicinity of the church, temporarily, and during the continuance of the Ladies' Fair, now in progress in the school attached to said church.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Burns to place a lamp-post and lamp in front of his premises, No. 779 Eighth avenue, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Walters to erect an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of his premises, No. 872 Broadway, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Bently Squier and James V. S. Woolley to extend bay-windows from the second story four feet beyond the house line on buildings about to be erected in Seventy-ninth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues, as shown on the annexed diagram, the consent of the adjoining property-owners having been received and is hereto annexed, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Henderson to place and keep gas jets from the ornamental lamps in front of the Standard Theatre on Sixth avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter T. Farrell to erect an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 48 Clinton place, the gas to be supplied and the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Philip Milligan to place and keep three ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of Nos. 1259 and 1261 Broadway, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That Andrew Lemon be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 16, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. Dunlap & Co. to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 174 Fifth avenue; also one in front of No. 180 Fifth avenue, provided such posts do not exceed the dimensions prescribed by resolution of the Common Council, and that the work be done and light supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 16, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 23, 1880.

Resolved, That boulevard lamp-post and lamps be placed on the curb-stone in front of Ladies' Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectors, No. 95 East Broadway, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 16, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 23, 1880.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed and lighted in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 16, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 23, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. W. Shafer to erect an additional ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of his premises, No. 600 Sixth avenue, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Henderson to place a row of gas jets in front of his premises, Nos. 1283 and 1285 Broadway, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Tiernan to place and keep two (2) ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of his place of business, No. 1233 Broadway, said lamp-posts and lamps to be placed within the stoop-line, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Common Council, a man should be constantly on the rear platform of the rear car on every train run on the elevated railroads in this city, when in use carrying passengers; and each of said railroad companies is hereby requested to conform to the views expressed in this resolution.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, November 22, 1880.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending November 27, 1880.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.		
	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 21	30.042	30.051	30.110	30.109	30.282	30.289	30.149	30.336	30.359	12 P. M.	29.806	29.799	0 A. M.			
Monday, 22	30.480	30.523	30.400	30.418	30.410	30.436	30.459	30.498	30.538	9 A. M.	30.336	30.359	0 A. M.			
Tuesday, 23	30.404	30.444	30.390	30.402	30.500	30.526	30.457	30.502	30.534	12 P. M.	30.390	30.402	2 P. M.			
Wednesday, 24	30.572	30.612	30.488	30.489	30.372	30.368	30.489	30.590	30.630	8 A. M.	30.318	30.330	12 P. M.			
Thursday, 25	30.236	30.248	30.136	30.132	30.142	30.146	30.175	30.318	30.330	0 A. M.	30.136	30.132	2 P. M.			
Friday, 26	30.288	30.322	30.272	30.287	30.285	30.311	30.307	30.318	30.344	9 A. M.	30.184	30.191	0 A. M.			
Saturday, 27	30.242	30.260	30.236	30.232	30.250	30.249	30.247	30.288	30.303	9 A. M.	30.208	30.223	2 A. M.			

Mean for the week..... 30.326 inches.
Maximum " at 8 A. M., November 24..... 30.630 "
Minimum " at 0 A. M., November 21..... 29.799 "
Range "831 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.	MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.			MAXIMUM IN SUN.			
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.		Time.		
Sunday, 21	25	25	29	27	16	15	23.3	30	0 A. M.	28	0 A. M.	21	12 P. M.	21	12 P. M.	83	
Monday, 22	13	13	22	19	19	19	18.0	17.0	23	3 P. M.	22	4 P. M.	13	8 A. M.	13	8 A. M.	81
Tuesday, 23	14	14	24	22	19	19	18.3	25	3 P. M.	24	3 P. M.	14	7 A. M.	14	7 A. M.	81	
Wednesday, 24	14	14	28	26	30	29	24.0	23.0	30	9 P. M.	29	9 P. M.	14	7 A. M.	14	7 A. M.	83
Thursday, 25	24	24	30	30	27	27	27.0	27.0	31	1 P. M.	30	1 P. M.	24	6 A. M.	24	6 A. M.	55
Friday, 26	16	16	23	19	20	19	19.7	18.0	26	0 A. M.	26	0 A. M.	16	7 A. M.	16	7 A. M.	81
Saturday, 27	22	21	30	27	27	26	26.3	24.6	32	4 P. M.	29	5 P. M.	22	0 A. M.	20	0 A. M.	90

Mean for the week..... 22.4 degrees.
Maximum for the week at 1 P. M., 25th..... 31. " at 1 P. M., 25th..... 30. "
Minimum " at 8 A. M., 22d..... 13. " at 8 A. M., 22d..... 13. "
Range " 18. " 17. "

Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 21....	WNW	W	W	167	137	111	415	4	5 1/2	4	15 1/2	10.40 A. M.
Monday, 22....	WNW	NW	WNW	141	70	51	262	2 3/4	1/2	0	3 1/2	7.15 A. M.
Tuesday, 23....	NW	NW	NW	38	80	74	192	1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	3 1/2	0.30 P. M.
Wednesday, 24....	NNW	SW	WSW	71	32	62	165	0	1/4	1	4 1/2	6.50 P. M.
Thursday, 25....	WNW	NW	NNE	99	44	26	169	0	1 1/2	1/4	2 1/2	1 A. M.
Friday, 26....	NNE	NE	NNE	79	66	34	179	1/2	1/4	0	2 1/2	10.30 A. M.
Saturday, 27....	N	NNW	SE	58	30	5	93	0	0	0	1	1 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,475 miles.
Maximum force " " 15 1/2 pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOUR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
NOVEMBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday, 21	.135	.124	.074	100	78	83	5 Cu.	0	0			
Monday, 22	.078	.069	.103	100	58	100	0	0	0			
Tuesday, 23	.082	.095	.103	100	74	100	0	0	0			
Wednesday, 24	.082	.117	.149	100	77	89	0	0	10	10.30 P. M.	12 P. M.	1.30 .01
Thursday, 25	.123	.167	.147	100	100	100	10	10	10	0 A. M.	10 A. M.	10.00 .10
Friday, 26	.090	.058	.092	100	47	85	0	10	10	3 P. M.	4.30 P. M.	1.30 .02
Saturday, 27	.101	.113	.129	86	68	88	10	8 Cir. S.	10	7 P. M.	10 P. M.	3.00 .01

Total amount of water for the week..... .14 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH all the Public Offices in the City are open for business...

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office. No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

Permit and License Bureau Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

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. DE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council. No. 10 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. AMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Surveyor.

No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Surveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office. Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORIS, Deputy Comptroller.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park. MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED REDENBURG, 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 5 P. M. Saturday, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation. ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator. Office of the Corporation Attorney. No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office. No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters. Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street. VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

W.M. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings. Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. (Saturdays to 3 P. M.)

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph. Repair Shops. Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street. JOHN MCCABE, Captain-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

No. 109 Christie street. DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street a 4th 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, City Hall, Room No. 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; Wm. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. PRTER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Wm. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARLOW.

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 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P. CLARK, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street. JOHN J. CRANE, 138th street, Morrisania. GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green. CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 Nassau street. WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, 6 Bowery.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Room No. 10. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15. NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. General Term, Room No. 29. Special Term, Room No. 33. Chambers, Room No. 33. Part I., Room No. 34. Part II., Room No. 35. Part III., Room No. 36. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32. Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31. JOHN SEDGWICK, 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. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22. General Term, Room No. 24. Special Term, Room No. 21. Chambers, Room No. 21. Part I., Room No. 25. Part II., Room No. 26. Part III., Room No. 27. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23. CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

32 Chambers street. Parts I and II. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding Judge of the General Sessions; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges. Terms first Monday each month. JOHN SPARKS, 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. GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Chief Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS

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

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS. OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, 1 NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, July 1, 1880.

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

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

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

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

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

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 1, 1880. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE DOG Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, which was designated on the ninth day of June, 1880, as the place of reception for dogs captured pursuant to the ordinance approved June 1, 1877, will be closed on November 2, 1880, and all authority given by me to capture dogs pursuant to said ordinance will cease on that date.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, November 30, 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 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—William Durelle, aged 49 years. Committed November 7, 1880. Nothing known of his friends or relatives. At Hart's Island Hospital—Hugh McCabe; aged 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat and pants, shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Alice Green; aged 55 years; 5 feet 2 inches high. Had on when admitted old cloak, skirt, dress, shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives. By Order, G. F. BRITTON, Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, November 26, 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 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Vesey street—Unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light hair. Had on dark frock coat, black diagonal vest, brown and black striped pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, blue ribbed stockings, elastic gaiters.

Unknown man, from Twentieth Precinct Station-house; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair, moustache, and chin whiskers, mixed with gray. Had on black cloth overcoat, black check vest, dark cloth pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, black felt hat, gaiters, wore a truss.

At Almshouse, Blackwell's Island—Sarah Willis, aged 28 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives. At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Christopher Miller; aged 67 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; gray hair; hazel eyes. Had on when admitted black coat, blue pants and vest. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Patrick Grady; aged 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black hair; hazel eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives. At Hart's Island Hospital—Catharine Stinson; aged 39 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives. By Order, G. F. BRITTON, Ass't. Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, November 29, 1880. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ONE (1) stallion and two (2) horses will be sold to the highest bidder, for cash, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirteenth street, on Friday, December 10, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers.

TOWNSEND COX, THOMAS S. BRANNAN, JACOB HESS, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, November 23, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSAL FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING illuminating gas for lighting the public markets, armories, buildings, and offices of the City of New York, for the period from January 1, 1881, to December 31, 1881, both days inclusive.

Estimates for furnishing illuminating gas for lighting the public markets, armories, buildings, and offices of the City of New York, or any of them, for the period from January 1, 1881, to December 31, 1881, both days inclusive, will be received by the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York at his office until 12 o'clock, M., of Wednesday, December 8, 1880, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened.

Any person making an estimate for the above-mentioned supplies shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope at said office, at or before the day and hour above named, which envelope 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 gas shall have an illuminating power of not less than sixteen sperm candles when tested on the improved form of the Bunsen Photometer, and by a burner that will obtain from the gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use by the consumer, and consuming at the rate of five cubic feet of gas per hour; the testing candle shall be of sperm of six to the pound, and consuming, as near as possible, one hundred and twenty grains of spermaceti per hour, and no candle shall be used for testing which consumes less than one hundred and fourteen or more than one hundred and twenty-six grains of spermaceti per hour. And, as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphuretted hydrogen, and other sulphurous and noxious compounds.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the several markets, armories, buildings, and offices to which they propose to furnish gas in accordance with the terms, conditions, and specifications contained herein, and in the proposed form of contract, and the illuminating power of the gas they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state one definite and distinct price for each thousand cubic feet of gas furnished (whether the quantity be more or less) to each or any of the following public markets, armories, buildings, and offices of the city, and this price must be written out in full, and also inserted in figures:

- Washington Market. Catharine " Fulton " Essex " Centre " Clinton " Union " Tompkins " Jefferson " First District Police Court. Second " " Third " " Fourth " " Fifth " " Second District Civil Court. Third " " Fourth " " Fifth " " Sixth " " Eighth " " Ninth " " Marine Court. Clock, Third District Court-house Tower. Armory, Fifth Regiment. " Seventh Regiment. " Eighth " " Ninth " " Eleventh " " Twelfth " " Twenty-second Regiment. " Sixty-ninth " " Seventy-first " " Separate Troop "A." " Gating Battery "E." " Battery "B." " Battery "K."

- Court of Special Sessions. New Court-house. Brown Stone Court-room Building. City Hall. Corporation Counsel's Office. Corporation Attorney's Office. Receiver of Taxes' Office. Office of Arrears of Personal Taxes. Offices of Department of Public Works. County Jail. Rivington Street Pipe Yard. South Gate-house. Engine-house of High Water Service at High Bridge. Engine-house of High Water Service at Ninety-eighth street. Office of Engineer in Charge of Roads and Avenues. Public Bath, Battery. " Gouverneur slip, E. R. " foot of Fifth street, E. R. " Nineteenth street, E. R. " Bethune's rect, N. R. " Thirty-seventh street, F. R. " Fifty-first street, N. R. " One Hundred and Twelfth st., E. R. " Seventy-ninth street. Or any other public building or office in which gas may be required during the aforesaid term.

The right to decline any or all proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation, by the undersigned, and 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.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained on application at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, November 22, 1880.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1880, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, at the Corporation Yard, One Hundred and Twenty-second street and New avenue, by Thomas Bowe, Auctioneer, the following articles, viz.:

- 15,847 pounds Scrap Iron (wrought). 25,805 " Scrap Iron (cast). 13,500 " Steel Drills. 1,682 " Anvils. 3,300 " Iron Crowbars. 1,500 " Steel Crowbars. 325 " Large Iron Crowbars (3). 1,000 " Puddling Bars. 1,500 " Cham. 4,000 " Old Rope. 13 pair Bellows. 1 lot old Shovels, Rammers, Malls, etc. 16 Sand Houses. 6 Tool Houses. 2 Eight-horse Rollers (eight tons each). 1 Horse.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal of the articles by the purchaser. ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, December 1, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A Station-house, Lodging-house, and Prison on Elizabeth street, in the City of New York, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until ten o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, the 14th day of December, 1880.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for building a Station-house, Lodging-house, and Prison," and with his or her 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 estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The nature and extent of the work to be done, as near as it can be stated, is as follows: The building of a Station-house, Lodging-house, and Prison on the lot belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, on the west side of Elizabeth street, 100 feet south of Canal street, New York City, to consist of two buildings, one 50 feet by 62 feet 4 inches, of brick, with granite and marble trimmings, four stories and basement high, and covered with a flat roof and galvanized iron cornice, and the other 50 feet by 21 feet 8 inches, of brick, blue stone, and iron, two stories and basement high, and covered with a flat tin roof.

All the old buildings, walls, and other materials now on the lot are to be removed by the Contractor, and shall be his property. And bidders, in making their estimates, will consider the value of such materials.

For further particulars reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department.

The Police Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial or satisfactory.

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

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 sum of twenty thousand dollars.

Each 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; also 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 fraud; 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 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 execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which 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 completion of this contract, and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 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 to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank proposals obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department, on and after the 1st day of December, 1880.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM NO. 39, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, November 9, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, Room No. 39, 300 Mulberry street, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, iron, rope, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, boots, shoes, trunks and contents, lace, trimmings, revolvers, needles, billiard balls, coffee, etc.; also small amount of cash found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday at two o'clock P. M., at Room No. 8 City Hall.

HENRY C. PERLEY, THOMAS SHELLS, JOHN McCLAVE, HENRY HOFFEN, BERNARD KENNEY, Committee on Public Works.

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, VINCENT C. KING, President, JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer, CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Commissioners, CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 13th day of December, 1880, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the Furniture required for the new house of Grammar School No. 72, on Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets.

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

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

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

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

DAVID H. KNAPP, ANDREW L. SOULARD, GERMAIN HAUSCHILD, GEORGE W. DEBEVOISE, CHARLES CRARY, Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, November 29, 1880.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 301 MOTT STREET, NEW YORK, October 26, 1880.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the twenty-sixth day of October, 1880, the following resolutions were adopted:

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

Resolved, That section 125 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended by inserting in line thirty-six after the word "Yonkers," the following, "and of Tarrytown," and after the word Yonkers in line thirty-nine the words, "or Tarrytown."

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

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, modify, or vacate assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city, and a duplicate thereof with the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:

First. As to all assessments confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1880.

Second. As to all assessments confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for local improvements theretofore completed, and as to any assessment for local improvements known as Morningside avenues, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment complained of, the date of confirmation of the same, the property affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner the objections thereto, showing that the assessment was unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated New York, July 12, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

GEORGE H. ANDREWS, Commissioner under said Act.

DANIEL LORD, JR., Commissioner under said Act.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the bulkhead line, Harlem 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 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 Rufus F. Andrews, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 317 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of January, 1881, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after said 3d day of January, 1881, and for that purpose will be in attendance at said office on each of said ten days, at 2 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 3d day of January, 1881.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being within the following described lines, viz:

Commencing at a point on the easterly side of Fifth avenue, distant one hundred feet and eleven inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eight street, and running thence easterly and always at one hundred feet and eleven inches from the said southerly side of One Hundred and Eighth street to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to a point, which would be a continuation of a line parallel to One Hundred and Eighth street, and distant one hundred feet and eleven inches northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence westerly, along said line parallel to One Hundred and Eighth street, and distant always one hundred feet and eleven inches from the northerly side thereof to the easterly side of Fifth avenue; thence southerly along the easterly side of Fifth avenue to the place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the avenues, streets and roads within said boundaries.

Fourth.—That our report hereon will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of January, 1881, 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, November 22, 1880.

RUFUS F. ANDREWS, CHARLES H. HASWELL, ALLEN J. CUMING, Commissioners.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE BOARD of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, in accordance with a resolution of said Board, passed the 30th day of November, 1880, to all persons that may be interested in the widening of Gansevoort street on the north side, from Washington street to West Thirteenth street, and the widening of West Thirteenth street on the south side, from Gansevoort street to Eighth avenue, that a meeting of said Board of Street Opening and Improvement will be held at the Mayor's Office at 3 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, the 8th day of December, 1880, to hear any and all objections to the widening of the same.

Dated New York, December 1, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

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. MORRISON, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, 32 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, December 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE OMITTED TO PAY their taxes for the year 1880, are hereby notified, as required by law, to pay the same to the Receiver of Taxes at his office, on or before the 1st day of January, 1881.

One per cent. will be collected on all taxes paid before the 15th day of December, instant; two per cent. on all taxes paid on and after that date, and in interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, computed from the 25th of October last (the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants were delivered to the Receiver), on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after the said 1st day of January, 1881.

No money will be received after 2 o'clock P. M. Office hours from 8 A. M. to 2 P. M.

MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, NO. 32 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1880, to the Receiver of Taxes, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office before the 1st day of December next, one per cent. will be collected on all taxes remaining unpaid on that day, and one per cent. in addition thereto on all taxes remaining unpaid on the 15th day of December next.

No money will be received after 2 o'clock P. M. Office hours from 8 A. M. to 2 P. M.

MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes.

ARREARS OF ASSESSMENTS.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to the owners of real estate, that as provided by chapter 195, passed May 7, 1880, at any time before the first day of September, 1880, any person liable therefor may pay the amount of any assessment for any local improvement in the City of New York, confirmed prior to the passage of said act, and remaining unpaid with interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, and after said first day of September, and before the first day of December, 1880, any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid with interest at the rate of nine per centum per annum, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment thereof.

If any such assessment shall not be paid before the first day of December, 1880, the rate of interest thereon will be twelve per centum per annum thereafter, as provided by law, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment. The said act of 1880 is published herewith.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

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

CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT in relation to the payment of assessments for local improvements in the City of New York.

Passed May 7, 1880; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. At any time before the first day of September, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person liable therefor may pay to the officer authorized to receive the same, the amount of any assessment for any local improvement in the City of New York, heretofore confirmed and now unpaid, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the date of payment and at any time on or after said first day of September, and before the first day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty, any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid, with interest at the rate of nine per centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the date of payment.

Sec. 2. Where any installment or installments of any assessments have been paid under the provisions of chapter one hundred and three of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, or of chapter one hundred and fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, or of chapter two hundred and fifty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, the amount of such assessment or assessments remaining unpaid may be paid within the same periods prescribed in the first section of this act and upon the same terms and conditions therein prescribed.

Sec. 3. Upon such payment in full, as hereinbefore provided, such assessment or assessments shall cease to be a lien upon the property, and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged; and there shall be no further interest or penalty by reason of such assessment or assessments not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute heretofore requiring the payment of any penalty or interest over the rate hereinbefore provided for upon any unpaid assessment.

Sec. 4. No provision of this act hereinbefore contained shall be construed as applicable to or affecting any assessment for the collection of which assessment the property has been sold.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of Real Estate said city, that, as provided by chapter 123 of the Law of 1880, they may now pay any arrears of taxes and Croton water rents levied prior to the year 1877, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum. If, however, such taxes and Croton water rents are not paid before the first day of October next, the property on which they are due will be sold for taxes immediately thereafter with the addition of accrued interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from the respective dates which they were levied.

Lists for such tax sale are now being prepared by the Clerk of Arrears.

The time of payment of taxes for the years 1877, 1878 and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, is extended to the first day of April, 1880, and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.

The Act, chapter 123, Laws of 1880, containing the provisions of law, is published below.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 4, 1880.

CHAPTER 123.

AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

Passed April 15, 1880; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. At any time after the passage of this act, and before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person may pay to the Comptroller of the City of New York the amount of any tax upon real property belonging to such person, heretofore laid or imposed and now remaining unpaid, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the time that such tax was imposed to the time of such payment, provided, also, that the time when such payment may be made on the amount of any such tax laid or imposed in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-one. The comptroller shall make and deliver to the person making any such payment a receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of any such tax on the books of the finance department; and upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over seven per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

Sec. 2. Any revenue bond heretofore issued in anticipation of the taxes in the first section specified which is full due and become payable before said taxes are collected, may be reissued by the comptroller of said city, whole or in part, for such period as he may determine not exceeding one year.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, June 4, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

Opening of— 156th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

157th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

158th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

159th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 3, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

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 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 of 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 towns have been adjusted and the amount determined as provided in said act, and that the accounts, including sales for tax 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 tax by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on 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 tax and said rejected taxes.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1877, prepared under the direction of the Commissioner of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00. The same in 25 volumes, half bound, price, \$50 00. Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, \$20 00. Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, \$20 00.

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angel, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.