

## BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

### Sympathy with Cuba—Donations—Increase of Salary.

The Board met yesterday afternoon, the President, ~~Mr. Monaghan~~ presiding. Among the resolutions presented and laid over was one proposing to increase the salary of the clerk of the Board.

The Board concurred with the Aldermen in the passage of resolutions of sympathy with the people of Cuba in their efforts to gain independence, and directing the representatives in Congress from New York upon the reassembling of that body to vote for the immediate recognition of the independence of Cuba.

A large number of general orders, chiefly relating to grading and curbing streets, were called up and adopted.

The Croton Aqueduct Department was directed to pave the following streets with Belgian pavement:—Twenty-second street, from Eleventh avenue to Hudson river; Chrystie street, from Division street to Grand street; Ninth avenue, from Fourteenth to Twenty-sixth street; 111th street, from Fourth avenue to the Harlem river.

The subjoined resolution was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of Dimes Carolin, one of the committee of the trustees of St. Patrick's cathedral, for the sum of \$8,978 84, as a donation, to enable the said trustees to pay the assessments now due on the property occupied by the new cathedral in Fifth avenue, between Fifteenth and Fifty-first streets, for the work of regulating, grading, curbing, guttering, &c., Fifteenth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, and for regulating, grading, curbing, guttering and flagging Madison avenue, between Forty-second and Seventy-second streets, the amount to be charged by the Comptroller to the appropriation for donations or any other appropriate account.

For some peculiar reason—very peculiar, considering the generosity manifested in the above resolution—a subsequent resolution donating \$521 27 to the Mission church, northwest corner of Second avenue and 125th street, to pay assessments, was lost, reconsidered and finally laid over.

A resolution increasing the salary of the Sergeant-at-Arms and of his assistant, and also the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the other Board, to \$2,500 per annum, to take effect on the 1st of January, 1863, was adopted.

The Comptroller was directed to draw his warrant for \$350 in favor of David Sherrard, as compensation for the loss of his horse, sustained by the animal stepping into a hole in the pavement in South street, from the effects of which he died.