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### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

#### STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, April 29, 1890,  
1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in room No. 16, City Hall.

#### PRESENT:

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President;

#### ALDERMEN

David Barry,  
Philip B. Benjamin,  
Nicholas T. Brown,  
William Clancy,  
Bernard Curry,  
Cornelius Daly,  
Charles H. Duffy,

Alexander J. Dowd,  
Cornelius Flynn,  
George Gregory,  
Thomas M. Lynch,  
James E. McLarny,  
August Moebus,  
William M. Montgomery,

George B. Morris,  
William P. Rinckhoff,  
David J. Roche,  
Walton Storm,  
William Tait,  
Isaac H. Terrell,  
William H. Walker.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

#### REPORTS.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the Consumers' Hygiene Ice Manufacturing Company (Limited) to lay a pipe for conducting salt water, in East Fifty-third street, from the company's premises to the East river, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the permission asked should be granted, as has been uniformly the case in applications of a like character heretofore made and for the reason that there is a saving of Croton water equal to the amount of salt water used on the premises. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Consumers' Hygiene Ice Manufacturing Company (Limited) to lay a pipe, not more than ten inches in diameter, beneath the surface of East Fifty-third street, from the premises of said company to the East river, as shown on the annexed diagram, for the purpose of conducting salt water, provided that said company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage to any sewer, gas or water pipe, or from any other cause that may arise from the exercise of the privilege hereby given during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying such pipe, the work to be done at the expense of the company, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

CORNELIUS FLYNN,  
DAVID J. ROCHE,  
WILLIAM P. RINCKHOFF,  
ISAAC H. TERRELL,  
WILLIAM TAIT,

Committee  
on  
Streets.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 23, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 15, 1890, which provides for the paving of One Hundred and Second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, with granite blocks, on the ground that it is superfluous, inasmuch as an ordinance providing for this work was approved December 12, 1889. I am informed by the Commissioner of Public Works that the contract for the pavement has been let.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Second street, from the crosswalk near the westerly intersection of Ninth avenue to the crosswalk near the easterly intersection of Tenth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and the said crosswalks reset or relaid on the established lines and grades, and new bridge-stones substituted for the present bridge-stones where broken or worn so as to be unfit for use, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 24, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 15, 1890, which provides for an improved iron drinking-fountain in First avenue, near the northwest corner of Ninety-second street, for the reason that by resolution of the Common Council of February 18, 1890, a drinking-fountain at this place is already provided for.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed on First avenue, near the northwest corner of Ninety-second street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Daly—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return, for further consideration by this Board, General Order 265, being a report of the Committee on Street Pavements, relative to paving Eighty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-seventh street, from the Eighth avenue to the Riverside Drive, be paved with asphalt-block pavement, where not already paved, or ordered to be paved, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating avenue where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Alderman Daly moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Daly, the paper was then laid over.

Subsequently, on motion of Alderman Daly, the paper was called up and referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By Alderman Schlamp—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board, for further consideration, General Order No. 239, which calls for the placing of two lamps in front of St. Francis' Hospital, on Fifth street.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

(G. O. 315.)

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the St. Francis' Hospital building, one in front of No. 611 and one in front of No. 613 Fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Alderman Brown moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Flynn, the paper was then laid over.

(G. O. 316.)

By the President—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue; in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and also in said new avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 317.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue; in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and also in said new avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Barry—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Popper to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Eighth street and Lexington avenue, the work to be done and water 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 318.)

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to provide two new colored lamps in place of the old lamps on the posts at each side of the entrance to the station-house of the Fourth Police Precinct, in Oak street, and connect them with the gas-pipes laid in the street.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 319.)

By Alderman Daly—

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 320.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 321.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 322.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 323.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to Edgcombe avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at each terminating avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 324.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Dowd—

Whereas, It is generally conceded that no more patriotic, self-sacrificing or courageous body of men than now composes the Sixty-ninth Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., exists in this State or city, and that, as an organization of citizen soldiers, it has reflected honor and renown upon both; in fact, its fame is world wide; and,

Whereas, In order to retain, and, if possible, increase its present efficiency as a military organization, a new and enlarged armory is indispensable, and a bill is now pending before the State Legislature, having that object in view; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Common Council hereby approves of the provisions of the bill introduced in the Senate of this State by Senator Lisenard Stewart, providing for a new armory for the Sixty-ninth Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., and the representatives from this city in the State Legislature are hereby earnestly and respectfully requested to use every honorable means to secure the passage of the bill; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be and he is hereby directed to prepare and transmit to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly a duly certified copy of the foregoing preamble and resolution.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said preamble and resolutions.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 325.)

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Thirty-fifth street, from First avenue to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.



(G. O. 326.)

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the "New York Ice and Cold Storage Company" to lay iron pipes, six inches in diameter, in wooden pipes beneath the surface of the street for conducting salt water and steam from the premises of said company, at No. 207 Fulton street to opposite building, Nos. 206 and 208; provided the company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage to any sewer, gas or water pipe, or from any other cause that may arise from the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying such pipe, the work to be done at the expense of said company, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Gregory—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Naumberg, Krause & Lauer to extend their vault in front of their premises, at Nos. 224 and 226 Mercer street, three feet outside of its present dimensions, thus making it extend eighteen inches outside the easterly curb-line of Mercer street, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said Naumberg, Krause & Lauer shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building or extension of said vault, during the progress of or subsequent to the completion thereof, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 327.)

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That Croton-water mains be laid in Creston avenue, between Kingsbridge road and Donnybrook street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 328.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-water mains be laid in Highbridge street, from Claremont avenue to First avenue, Claremont, New York City, for a distance of five hundred feet, and in First avenue, from Highbridge street to Devoe street, a distance of five hundred feet, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 329.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Hoffman street to Washington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 330.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Highbridge street, from Claremont avenue to First avenue, Claremont, New York City, for a distance of five hundred feet, and in First avenue, from Highbridge street to Devoe street, a distance of five hundred feet, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 331.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Creston avenue, between Kingsbridge road and Donnybrook street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Halpin to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, on Broadway, near the northeast corner of Macomb street, the work to be done and water 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 332.)

By Alderman Moebus—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Willis to St. Ann's avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and crosswalks be laid at or near all the intersections of said street with the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 333.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, between the New York and Harlem Railroad and Webster avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Storm—

Resolved, That the resolution adopted at the last meeting of this Board, requiring the clerks engaged in the work of engrossing the proceedings of the Common Council and in duplicating the old manuscript records of the city government to copy at least eight pages of such records per day, be and is hereby amended, so that each clerk employed in duplicating the manuscript records shall be required to copy five pages per day, and the clerks engaged in engrossing the proceedings of the Common Council (from printed copy) shall be required to copy six pages per day, each.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Tait, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Barry, Brown, Clancy, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Terrell, and Walker—18.

Negative—Aldermen Benjamin, Curry, Flynn, and Tait—4.

By Alderman Walker—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Rev. John F. Fitzharris, pastor of the Church of St. Veronica, located on the north side of Christopher street, commencing forty-five feet west of Greenwich street, and extending westerly a distance of ninety feet, to construct a vault beneath the sidewalk in front of said church, without payment of any fee, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 138 of the Laws of 1890, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and the said pastor of said church shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building of said vault during the progress or subsequent to the completion thereof; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 334.)

By Alderman Barry—

Resolved, That Ninety-ninth street, from Third to Park avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Benjamin—

Resignation of Myer Knoch as Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was accepted and vacancy referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Brown—

Resignation of Michael W. Bowen as Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was accepted and vacancy referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the Vice-President—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Benjamin—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Abraham Levy be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Time expired April 3, 1890.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Brown—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Daly—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Dowd—

Resolved, That Charles W. Mack be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Gregory—

Resolved, That William F. O'Brien be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McLarney—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Montgomery—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That George B. Juckett and George M. Boynton be and they are hereby reappointed and that Patrick J. Smith be and he is hereby appointed as Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Murphy—

Resolved, That George F. Corts and Ph. Harnischfeger be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Rinckhoff—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Roche—

Resolved, That Julius C. Lehmann and Adam E. Schatz be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,  
ROOM NO. 10, STEWART BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, April 29, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—By direction of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, at a meeting held on the 18th inst., I transmit herewith a true copy of resolutions adopted by said Board at the said meeting, setting forth that the said Board deem it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by closing and discontinuing a certain street or road between the Boulevard and the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, and opening a new street or road between the same points.

I am, very respectfully,

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,  
ROOM NO. 10, STEWART BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, April 29, 1890.

The following is a true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, at a meeting held on the 18th instant, and relating to the closing and discontinuing of a certain street or road, between the Boulevard and the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, and opening a new street or road between the same points.

Resolved, That this Board deem it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by closing and discontinuing a street or road in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the road or public drive known as the Boulevard, said point "A" being the intersection of the centre line of a street or road, to the Fort Washington Depot of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and being located as follows, viz.: 5,389 90-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 3,189 12-100 feet westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of the Boulevard, distance 40 feet; thence westerly at an angle with the said Boulevard of 89 degrees and 43 minutes, distance 369 43-100 feet; thence in a curved line deflecting to the left, radius 230 feet, distance 139 90-100 feet; thence southwesterly and tangential to the said curve, distance 107 49-100 feet; thence, NOTE—On the original map on file in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and known as number 705, filed September 17, 1869, gives no dimensions, courses or distances for the westerly end of this road or street, the above description is intended to describe the northerly line of the road. Also beginning at a point in the westerly line of the Boulevard, said point "A" as located above being 5,389 90-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 3,189 12-100 feet westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly and along the westerly line of the Boulevard, distance 40 feet; thence westerly at an angle of 90 degrees and 17 minutes, distance 369 03-100 feet; thence in a curve line deflecting to the left, radius 150 feet, distance 91 24-100 feet; thence southwesterly and tangential to the said curve, distance, NOTE—On the original map on file in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and known as number 705, filed September 17, 1869, gives no dimensions, course or distances for the western end of this road or street as laid out, the above description is intended to describe the southern end of the road or street, and is intended to be 80 feet in width, from the Boulevard to the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, but is defective in its courses and distances.

And that they propose to alter the map or plan of said City of New York by closing and discontinuing said street or road as aforesaid, under chapter 185 of Laws of 1885.

Resolved, That such proposed action of the Board be laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, and that full notice of the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to transmit to the Board of Aldermen a copy of the foregoing resolution, and to cause to be published the notice required by law.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks—4.

Resolved, That this Board deem it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by placing a new street or road, to be known as Fort Washington Depot road, between the Boulevard and the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, and described as follows:

Beginning at a point marked "A" in the westerly line of road or public drive known as the Boulevard, said point being the intersection of the centre line of a street or road to be known as the Fort Washington Depot road, and being located as follows, viz.: 5,389 90-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 3,189 12-100 feet westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and along the westerly line of the Boulevard, distance 30 feet; thence westerly, at an angle with the said Boulevard 89 degrees and 43 minutes, distance 366 65-100 feet; thence in a curved line deflecting to the left, radius 220 feet, distance 133 82-100 feet; thence southwesterly and tangential to the said curve, distance 96 feet; thence southerly, distance 78 76-100 feet; thence northeasterly and parallel to the last course but one, distance 147 feet; thence in a curved line deflecting to the right, radius 160 feet, distance 97 32-100 feet; thence easterly and tangential to the said curve, distance 366 35-100 feet to the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line, distance 30 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street or road to be sixty feet wide between the Boulevard and a point near the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.



And that they propose to alter the map or plan of said City of New York by laying out, opening and extending said street or road, as aforesaid, under chapter 185 of Laws of 1885.

Resolved, That such proposed action of the Board be laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, and that full notice of the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to transmit to the Board of Aldermen a copy of the foregoing resolution, and to cause to be published the notice required by law.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks—4.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Clerk of the Common Council :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN,  
No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 29, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York :

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to one of the provisions contained in section 1 of "An ordinance to regulate the use of the sidewalks of the streets of the City of New York, within the stoop-lines, for stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda-water," approved October 3, 1888, I herewith transmit all the applications received in this office for permits to sell the articles named, as provided in said ordinance, during the month of April, 1890.

Very respectfully,  
F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN,  
No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 29, 1890.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of New York :

GENTLEMEN—I herewith transmit the applications filed in the Clerk's office during the month of April, 1890, for permits to occupy a portion of the streets during the night time, by trucks owned or habitually driven by residents of this city, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 37 of the Laws of 1888, and a resolution of your Honorable Body, approved July 16, 1888.

Very respectfully,  
F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

Which were referred to the Committee on Law Department.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Comptroller :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 26, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—The Comptroller reports that the gross receipts of the Sixth Avenue Railroad Company, for carrying passengers for the month of March, 1890, as appears by the statement under oath of the treasurer of said company, received by this Department on the 26th instant, were sixty thousand two hundred and seventy-nine dollars and forty cents (\$60,279.40).

Respectfully submitted,  
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Finance Department :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 26, 1890.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council, from January 1 to December 31, 1890, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances :

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$37 50	\$1,462 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council. ....	200 00	.....	200 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	18,774 42	56,325 58

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Commissioner of Public Works :

(G. O. 335.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 28, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the sidewalks on the south side of Sixtieth street in front of vacant lot about one hundred feet east of Eleventh avenue and extending about one hundred feet easterly, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective ; the materials to be used for said work to be flagging and curb of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,  
THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the south side of Sixtieth street in front of vacant lots about one hundred feet east of Eleventh avenue and extending about one hundred feet easterly, be flagged full width where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 322 of chapter 410 Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 336.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 28, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the sidewalks, on the south side of One Hundred and Fifth street, from Columbus avenue to Amsterdam avenue, be flagged full width where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective ; the materials to be used for said work to be flagging and curb of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,  
THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the south side of One Hundred and Fifth street, from Columbus avenue to Amsterdam avenue, be flagged full width where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887 ; under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 337.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 28, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the sidewalks on Seventy-ninth street from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, be flagged eight feet wide where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective ; the materials to be used for said work to be flagging and curb of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,  
THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on Seventy-ninth street, from Amsterdam Avenue to the Boulevard, be flagged eight feet wide where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which were severally laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Storm moved that the Board do now adjourn.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.  
And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, May 6, 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting held at the Mayor's Office, pursuant to Adjournment, at 1 o'clock P. M. on Monday, April 21, 1890.

Present—Hugh J. Grant, Mayor ; Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller, and Thomas C. T. Crain, Chamberlain.

Absent—Frederick Smyth, Recorder, and Walton Storm, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen.

No quorum being present, the meeting was adjourned to meet at 1 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, April 23, 1890.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting held at the Mayor's office, pursuant to Adjournment, at 1 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, April 23, 1890.

Present—Hugh J. Grant, Mayor ; Frederick Smyth, Recorder ; Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller ; Thomas C. T. Crain, Chamberlain ; and Walton Storm, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meetings held April 16 and 21, were read and approved.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Counsel to the Corporation upon the question referred to him at a meeting held April 2, whether the City's interest in certain land, forming a part of the Old Fitzroy Road, is nominal or substantial, with a resolution to approve of the appraisal of the City's interest in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows :

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, April 19, 1890.

Hon. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller :

SIR—I have received your letter dated April 10, 1890, in regard to the petition of the executors of Sarah Donnelly for a release and quit-claim deed from the City of a part of the Old Fitzroy Road.

You inform me that at a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund held on April 2, the question was raised whether the interest of the City in the land was a substantial or a nominal interest, and the subject was again referred to me for my opinion on that point.

You call my attention to a full report of all the facts which was published in the CITY RECORD of December 13, 1889, and state that there are no other papers that you can furnish me with for information except the letter which you inclosed from Judge M. S. Isaacs, showing that he had held the title good on examination for a client.

Under date of April 1, 1890, I wrote you as follows : I am entirely satisfied to concur in the judgment of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund that a release should be granted upon payment of the above amount, to wit (\$135.06), and have no doubt that such a course is the proper one to pursue in the premises.

It seems unnecessary to review the facts that have been set out in the papers that were printed in the CITY RECORD of December 13, 1889.

In view of those facts and other considerations, I think that the City has merely a nominal interest in the land in question, and that the release should be granted upon payment of the above amount, provided no more is bid at the auction sale.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

Resolved, That the appraisal of the City's interest in a certain part of the Old Fitzroy Road, for which a release is asked by the executors of Sarah Donnelly, deceased, the sale of which at public auction was authorized by a resolution adopted February 14, 1890, be and is hereby approved, and the sum of two hundred dollars and seventy-six cents (\$200.76), the amount thereof, is hereby fixed as the upset price for the sale of said interest at public auction.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report on the sale of City Stock on April 21, 1890 :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 23, 1890.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund :

GENTLEMEN—On the 21st day of April, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., sealed proposals, after due advertisement in pursuance of law, were received by the Comptroller for \$344,157.44, Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, known as School-house Bonds, payable on the 1st day of November, 1908, bearing interest at the rate of three per cent. per annum, and were opened by the Comptroller in the presence of the Chamberlain, as follows, to wit :

Bidders.	Amount.	Rate.
Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.....	\$50,000 00	101.00
" " .....	50,000 00	101.50
L. W. Morrison.....	100,000 00	102.13
Daniel A. Moran & Co.....	50,000 00	102.156
" " .....	100,000 00	102.568
" " .....	91,000 00	102.796
" " .....	50,000 00	102.92
" " .....	50,000 00	103.146
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	344,157 44	100.00

Total bid for... \$885,157 44



The sum of \$341,000 was awarded to the highest bidder for that amount with the approval of the Commissioner of the Sinking Fund present at the opening of the proposals, as follows:

Bidder.	Amount.	Rate.
Daniel A. Moran & Co .....	\$50,000 00	102.156
" .....	100,000 00	102.568
" .....	91,000 00	102.796
" .....	50,000 00	102.92
" .....	50,000 00	103.146
Total .....	\$341,000 00	

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was accepted and ordered on file.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the sale of lease of premises on the line of the New Aqueduct:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 23, 1890.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Two houses and lots on the line of the Croton Aqueduct which were not sold at the sale of leases held on March 31, were sold to the highest bidder at public auction, April 14, 1890, as follows:

Frame house, north side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Block 1077, Ward No. 16, upset price \$200. Brian G. Hughes, lessee; rent \$201 per annum.

Frame house between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, upset price \$300. Brian G. Hughes, lessee. Rent \$301.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was accepted and ordered on file.

The Comptroller presented the following resolutions authorizing payment of certain expenses incurred by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Whereas, The Board of City Record passed a resolution on April 8, 1889, authorizing the Comptroller to publish a notice of the sale of City Real Estate, in certain newspapers;

Resolved, That the Comptroller is hereby authorized to pay the bills for publishing such notice, out of the appropriation entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of," for 1889, as follows, to wit:

"The Sun" .....	\$100 80
"The Real Estate Record" .....	35 00
"The World" .....	86 40
"The Tribune Association" .....	99 90
"The New York Herald" .....	73 80
"The New York Times" .....	74 00
"The Star" .....	86 40

Total..... \$556 30

Which was unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay M. B. Brown the sum of two hundred and ninety-two dollars and twenty-four cents (\$292.24), for printing Instructions to Architects, Estimates and Specifications for Erection of Building, etc., Criminal Courts, as heretofore authorized by this Board, on voucher prepared and duly certified by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund according to the form of requisition adopted March 25, 1890.

Which was unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn for the sum of eight dollars and sixty-three cents (\$8.63), payable from the appropriation entitled, "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of," for 1890, in favor of Martin B. Brown, to pay for a book for Journal of Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following application of the Department of Taxes and Assessments for a renewal of the lease of offices of that Department, with a resolution to authorize the lease:

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
NEW YORK, April 21, 1890.

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

GENTLEMEN—I am instructed by the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments to inform you that the lease of the offices at present occupied by this Department in the Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, expires May 1, next, and that they desire to have said lease renewed for one year on present terms and conditions.

Respectfully,

FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City of the premises now occupied by the Department of Taxes and Assessments in the Staats Zeitung Building, for the term of one year from May 1, 1890, upon the terms and conditions of the present lease, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interest of the City that such lease should be made; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease when prepared and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, as provided by sections 123 and 181 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented a detailed statement, furnished by the Department of Docks, of the objects and purposes to which the money is to be applied from the proceeds of Dock Bonds, for the issue of which, to the amount of \$3,000,000, a resolution of the Department of Docks, dated March 20, was submitted on April 2, 1890, under a resolution adopted by this Board April 16, 1890, as follows:

MEMORANDUM FOR WORK.

NEW YORK, 21st April, 1890.

West Washington Market Section—	
Wall .....	\$50,000 00
Pier .....	50,000 00
Dredging .....	50,000 00
Laight street Section—Wall .....	\$150,000 00
Repairs to Pier, new 57 .....	20,000 00
West Thirty-third street Section:	
One hundred feet Wall .....	30,000 00
Crib-return .....	15,000 00
West Forty-first street Pier .....	60,000 00
West Forty-eighth street Pier .....	60,000 00
West Forty-ninth street Pier .....	60,000 00
West Fifty-second street Pier .....	60,000 00
West Fifty-third street Pier .....	60,000 00

West Fifty-fourth street Pier .....	\$60,000 00
Pier at West Fifty-sixth street .....	20,000 00
West Fifty-seventh street Section—Wall, etc .....	70,000 00
Crib-bulkhead, Eighty-first street, North river, to one-half way between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets .....	40,000 00

East River.

New Pier in place of 25, old No. ....	\$70,000 00
New Pier at Eighteenth, Twentieth or Twenty-second street .....	60,000 00
East Twenty-fourth Street Section—Wall .....	100,000 00
Pier at East Twenty-fourth street .....	20,000 00
Bellevue Section, East Twenty-sixth to East Twenty-eighth street .....	150,000 00
East Ninety-fourth Street Section .....	60,000 00
Pier at East Ninety-fifth street .....	20,000 00
East Ninety-sixth Street Section .....	50,000 00
East One Hundred and Tenth Street Section .....	170,000 00
East One Hundred and Tenth Street Pier and Dumping-board .....	35,000 00
Pier at One Hundred and Fourteenth or One Hundred and Sixteenth street .....	20,000 00
East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street Section .....	70,000 00

Dependent upon Acquisition of Property.

Pier and Wall between old 40 and new 34 .....	\$120,000 00
Pier, new 53, Twenty-third street .....	60,000 00
Pier, new 58 .....	30,000 00
Gaps in Wall, Twenty-fifth to Twenty-sixth street .....	200 feet 90,000 00
Gaps in Wall, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-ninth street .....	60,000 00
Crib-bulkhead, Ninety-seventh to Ninety-ninth street .....	160,000 00

Dependent upon Approval of Sinking Fund Commissioners.

New Wall, etc., Forty-ninth to Fifty-third street, East river, 985 feet, chapter 286, Laws of 1889 .....	\$310,000 00
Three Piers, Sixtieth, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets .....	85,000 00
General Repairs .....	200,000 00
Lengthening of Piers (dependent upon passage of bill by Legislature) .....	150,000 00
Department of Charities and Correction .....	12,000 00
Department of Street Cleaning .....	5,000 00

Which was ordered to be filed and printed in the minutes.

Whereupon, the Comptroller offered a resolution to authorize the issue of Dock Bonds to the amount of \$2,000,000, under the resolution of the Department of Docks, dated March 20, 1890, making a requisition for the issue of bonds for \$3,000,000, as follows:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 143 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and issue, from time to time, as may be required, for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks, at a rate of interest not exceeding three per cent. per annum, Dock Bonds of the City of New York, to the amount of two million dollars, under a resolution adopted March 20, 1890, by the Commissioners of Docks, making requisition for the issue of bonds for three million dollars, said bonds to be exempt from taxation by the City and County of New York, in pursuance of provisions of section 137 of said Consolidation Act, and an ordinance of the Common Council passed October 2, 1880, and as hereby authorized and directed.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report on a site for armory purposes situated between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets and the Sixth and Seventh avenues, as shown on a survey, map or plan of the premises submitted for the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, on April 16, and laid over to be reported on:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 23, 1890.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The resolution of the Armory Board requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to approve of a site for armory purposes situated between West Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets and Sixth and Seventh avenues, according to a survey, map or plan submitted to this Board on April 16, instant, was laid over for examination of the premises and a report thereon by the Comptroller.

The property in question has been examined and I respectfully submit the following report:

The map of the proposed site embraces nine full city lots fronting on Fourteenth street, being 225 feet by 103 feet 3 inches deep, and eight full city lots of 25 feet and one of 20 feet front on Fifteenth street, of the same depth, making a plot containing an area of 45,952 square feet, more or less.

The premises heretofore occupied by the armory of the Twenty-second Regiment being sixteen full city lots 200 feet front on both streets by 103 feet 3 inches deep, containing an area of 41,315.79 square feet.

This is more than double the ground area of the premises now occupied by the Ninth Regiment Armory, which is only 15,454.03 square feet.

The sixteen full city lots, making a plot of more than 200 feet square, would furnish a site for an armory which would give ample accommodation for a regiment. A number of company rooms could be made in a second story of a part of the building.

The plot can be purchased for \$350,000, and I recommend that it be taken as a site for the Ninth Regiment armory, excluding the two lots not covered by the old armory of the Twenty-second Regiment.

The site of the Twelfth Regiment cost \$208,000, and that of the Twenty-second Regiment cost \$263,500.

A resolution is submitted directing the return to the Armory Board of said survey, map or plan, with a recommendation that a new map or plan shall be prepared and submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for their approval.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

After some discussion of the subject, the Comptroller withdrew the resolution submitted with the foregoing report, whereupon the Recorder offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, In pursuance of section 1 of chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, the Armory Board has selected and located a site for an armory and armory purposes as described in a resolution adopted by the Armory Board on April 12, 1890, presented to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on April 16, and submitting a survey, map or plan thereof for approval or disapproval of said site and consent to the acquisition thereof for said purposes,

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund do hereby approve of said site for an armory and armory purposes, in accordance with the survey, map or plan submitted to them by the Armory Board for approval or disapproval, as provided by chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, and do consent to the acquisition thereof for the purposes aforesaid, provided that the cost thereof shall not exceed the sum of four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000); which approval and consent shall be indicated by a certificate to that effect, indorsed upon said survey, map or plan, so as aforesaid submitted by the Armory Board, signed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following resolution of the Armory Board providing for the leasing of certain premises for the use of Troop A, and for the Signal Corps and Headquarters of the First Brigade of the National Guard.



ARMORY BOARD—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
CITY HALL, April 15, 1890.

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

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Armory Board, held at the office of his Honor the Mayor, in the City Hall, at 11 o'clock A. M., April 12, the following business was enacted:

Brigadier-General Louis Fitzgerald offered the following:  
Resolved, That the report of the Committee on a new Armory for Troop "A," Headquarters and Signal Corps, be approved and its recommendation adopted; that the statement of the Commander of the First Brigade is that the quarters offered by Mr. Dickel are necessary for the use of the Troop, for the Signal Corps and the Headquarters; and

Resolved, also, That if the necessary transfers of money can be made, the premises be leased for the sum of \$4,300 per annum for three years, as recommended in said report, and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to concur in the same.

This resolution was adopted by the following vote, namely:

The Mayor, aye; the Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments, aye; the Commissioner of the Public Works Department, aye, and Brigadier-General Louis Fitzgerald, aye.

Respectfully,

M. COLEMAN, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Comptroller for examination and report.

A representative of the Greenwich Refrigerating Company appeared before the Board and asked that immediate action be taken on the application of that company for the right to introduce its refrigerating apparatus into the New West Washington Market. The Comptroller stated that other parties had previously applied for the same privilege and that time was required to determine their respective rights and merits, and that the Engineer of the Finance Department was making an examination.

The Recorder moved that the Comptroller be requested to report upon the matter at the next meeting of the Board, which motion was carried by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Recorder, the Chamberlain and the Chairman of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen—4.

Negative—The Comptroller—1.

It was ordered, on motion of the Mayor, that a special meeting be held at 1 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 5, 1890, for the consideration of the plan of the Department of Docks for exterior streets and the improvement of the water-front on the East river, above Forty-ninth street, extending to Eighty-first street.

The following communication from the President of the Board of Commissioners of Emigration was presented:

CASTLE GARDEN,  
NEW YORK, April 21, 1890.

Hon. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—In response to your favor, under this date, in relation to Castle Garden being required after the 1st of May next, by the Board of Commissioners of Emigration of the State of New York, I have to say that the subject will be presented to the Board, at its meeting on Thursday next, for consideration, and a reply sent as to their conclusions in the matter.

Yours truly,

E. L. RIDGWAY, President.

Adjourned to meet at 1 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, April 30, 1890, for consideration of the leasing of Castle Garden to the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Secretary.

## APPOINTMENTS IN THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,  
COOPER UNION,  
NEW YORK, April 28, 1890.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with Civil Service Regulations I hereby report the following appointments:

By the Department of Charities and Correction—

As Attendants on the Insane, on probation:

April 10. Mary Murphy, Margaret Broderick.

April 11. Alfred B. Worden.

April 12. James D. Bryant.

April 14. Rose Duffin, William Calman.

April 15. Luella Lawrence, Susan Greene.

April 17. Kate Foy, Ellen McCaffrey, W. F. Jordan, J. O. Williams.

By the Department of Public Works—

April 18. Michael Shelly, as Inspector of Paving; character certified to by William R. Ross, No. 96 Hudson street; P. Ryan, No. 109 Reade street; Michael Connors, No. 110 Bedford street; John Kelly, No. 144 Duane street.

April 18. Thomas J. Connor, as Inspector of Incumbrances; character certified to by John J. Kehoe, No. 246 East Tenth street; William H. Borden, No. 429 East Sixteenth street; George Thompson, No. 346 East Eighteenth street; Thomas J. Sesnan, No. 93½ Seventh street.

By the Mayor in the Mayor's office—

April 22. Thomas F. Casey, as Inspector in the Mayor's Marshal's office; character certified to by John McKew, No. 231 East Fortieth street; Henry Bischoff, No. 177 Third avenue; Charles Foersch, No. 339 First avenue; R. J. McElroy, No. 320 East Twentieth street.

By the Health Department—

April 22. William H. Weeks, Jr., as Assistant Chemist and Milk Inspector; character certified to by Rev. Edward Guilbert, No. 781 Madison avenue; William V. King, No. 244 Stone street; B. P. Ricketts, Columbia College; E. W. Martin, No. 256 West Fifty-seventh street.

Yours, respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 12, 1890.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending April 5, 1890:

## Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$22,202 16
For penalties on water rents.....	152 40
For tapping Croton pipes.....	296 00
For sewer permits.....	590 18
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	549 50
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	24 50
For vault permits.....	122 34

Total.....\$23,937 08

## Public Lamps.

13 new lamps lighted.
3 old lamps relighted.
5 lamps discontinued.
1 lamp-post removed.
3 lamp-posts reset.
5 lamp-posts straightened.
1 column refitted.
21 columns releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending April 5, 1890,  
made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Mar. 31	3 P. M.	67.	30.36	{ Consolidated, } Branch 2..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.77	5.00	114.5	22.32	21.30
Apr. 1	3 P. M.	74.	30.39	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	22.14	22.14
" 2	3:30 P. M.	74.	30.49	"	"	.74	5.00	120.0	21.70	21.70
" 3	5 P. M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.75	5.00	117.0	21.86	21.31
" 4	5 P. M.	74.	29.63	"	"	.74	5.00	121.8	21.42	21.74
" 5	3 P. M.	75.	30.10	"	"	.74	5.00	117.2	22.46	21.94
									Average.	21.69
Mar. 31	2:30 P. M.	67.	30.36	{ Consolidated, } Branch 1..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.80	5.00	123.0	22.98	23.55
Apr. 1	3:30 P. M.	74.	30.39	"	"	.80	5.00	124.8	22.86	23.77
" 2	3 P. M.	74.	30.49	"	"	.81	5.00	116.7	24.54	23.88
" 3	4:30 P. M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.80	5.00	120.0	23.60	23.60
" 4	4:30 P. M.	74	29.63	"	"	.80	5.00	117.0	24.80	24.18
" 5	3:30 P. M.	75.	30.10	"	"	.80	5.00	120.5	24.72	24.82
									Average.	23.97
Mar. 31	6:30 P. M.	64.	30.35	{ Consolidated, } Branch 4..	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.67	5.00	120.0	22.16	22.16
Apr. 1	7 P. M.	70.	30.40	"	"	.66	5.00	117.0	22.96	22.39
" 2	6 P. M.	67	30.46	"	"	.65	5.00	117.2	23.06	22.52
" 3	7:30 P. M.	68.	30.20	"	"	.66	5.00	118.8	22.96	22.73
" 4	6:30 P. M.	68.	29.63	"	"	.66	5.00	120.5	22.86	22.93
" 5	7 P. M.	69.	30.12	"	"	.66	5.00	120.0	22.82	22.82
									Average.	22.59
Mar. 31	6 P. M.	64.	30.35	{ Consolidated, } Branch 6..	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.73	5.00	120.0	23.12	23.12
Apr. 1	7:30 P. M.	70.	30.40	"	"	.73	5.00	121.2	24.30	24.54
" 2	6:30 P. M.	67.	30.46	"	"	.74	5.00	125.5	25.10	26.26
" 3	7 P. M.	68.	30.20	"	"	.74	5.00	120.0	26.40	26.40
" 4	6 P. M.	68.	29.63	"	"	.75	5.00	117.6	26.68	26.16
" 5	7:30 P. M.	69.	30.12	"	"	.74	5.00	115.2	27.50	26.40
									Average.	25.48
Mar. 31	2 P. M.	67.	30.36	{ Consolidated, } Branch 3..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.86	5.00	120.0	27.94	27.94
Apr. 1	4 P. M.	74.	30.39	"	"	.86	5.00	118.2	28.16	27.74
" 2	4 P. M.	74.	30.49	"	"	.85	5.00	123.0	26.76	27.42
" 3	4 P. M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.85	5.00	120.0	27.88	27.88
" 4	3 P. M.	74.	29.63	"	"	.84	5.00	118.8	28.04	27.76
" 5	4 P. M.	75.	30.10	"	"	.85	5.00	124.0	26.96	27.84
									Average.	27.76
Mar. 31	1 P. M.	67.	30.36	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.93	5.00	114.1	32.62	31.01
Apr. 1	4:30 P. M.	74.	30.39	"	"	.92	5.00	120.0	31.80	31.80
" 2	4:30 P. M.	74.	30.49	"	"	.91	5.00	121.0	32.08	32.34
" 3	3:30 P. M.	74	30.21	"	"	.90	5.00	120.6	30.08	30.23
" 4	3:30 P. M.	74.	29.63	"	"	.90	5.00	124.8	29.50	30.68
" 5	4:30 P. M.	75.	30.10	"	"	.91	5.00	121.5	30.52	30.88
									Average.	31.16
Mar. 31	1:30 P. M.	67.	30.36	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.92	5.00	125.5	28.12	29.42
Apr. 1	5 P. M.	74.	30.39	"	"	.92	5.00	120.0	29.64	29.64
" 2	5 P. M.	74.	30.49	"	"	.92	5.00	117.6	30.46	29.86
" 3	3 P. M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.90	5.00	118.8	30.28	29.98
" 4	4 P. M.	74.	29.63	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	29.80	29.80
" 5	5 P. M.	75.	30.10	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	28.06	28.06
									Average.	29.46

E. G. LOVE, Ph. D., Gas Examiner.

## Permits Issued.

65 permits to tap Croton pipes.
37 permits to open streets.
26 permits to make sewer connections.
19 permits to repair sewer connections.
197 permits to place building material on streets.
27 permits—special.
1 permit to construct street vaults.

## Obstructions Removed.

42 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

## Pavement Repairs.

1,407 square yards of pavement repaired.

## Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

17 receiving-basins relieved.
75 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
14,812 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
6 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
9 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
13 manhole heads reset.
1 new manhole head and cover put on.
3 new manhole covers put on.
46 square yards of pavement relaid.
9 cubic feet of brickwork built.
289 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
215 cart-loads of dirt removed.



**Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending April 5, 1890.**

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	27	92	6	5
Laying Croton Pipes.....	..	..	..	..
Supplying water to shipping.....	6	..	..	..
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	64	140	2	17
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	2	35	5	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	6	49	..	20
Repairs and Renewals of Pavement.....	53	71	1	16
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	17	48	11	1
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	16	4	..
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>59</b>
Increase over previous week.....	1	9	..	1
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..

**Contracts Entered Into.**

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	SURETIES.	ESTIMATED COST.
1890.				
Mar. 31	Furnishing 15,000 lineal feet of bridge-stone.....	Burhaus & Braimard, 256 West 75th street.	Ed. R. Johns, 246 West 44th street. Henry C. Wilcox, 256 West 75th street.	\$11,100 00
Apr. 1	Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.....	W. J. Murray, 1041 Madison avenue	Sarah Murray, 1041 Madison avenue John C. Lee, 248 West 127th street.	3,424 60
" 2	Paving with granite-block pavement Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Boulevard.....	William Kelly, 414 West 51st street.	Henry Kelly, 424 West 42d street. B. F. Kenney, 455 West 47th street.	7,180 84
" 2	Paving with granite-block pavement Sixty-sixth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.....	William Kelly, 444 West 51st street.	Henry Kelly, 424 West 42d street. B. F. Kenney, 455 West 47th street.	8,962 15
" 2	Paving with granite-block pavement Seventy-seventh street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive....	William Kelly, 444 West 51st street.	Henry Kelly, 424 West 42d street. B. F. Kenney, 455 West 47th street.	8,683 50
" 2	Paving with granite-block pavement Seventy-eighth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive....	William Kelly, 444 West 51st street.	Henry Kelly, 424 West 42d street. B. F. Kenney, 455 West 47th street.	7,656 00
" 2	Extension of sewer outlet in Eleventh street, at East river....	W. J. Ford, Stewart Building....	James F. Dolan, 209 East 109th street. B. Maho, 2293 Seventh avenue.	4,323 00
" 3	Paving with granite-block pavement Seventieth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.....	William F. Cunningham, 320 East 83d street..	William Lyman, 51 East 122d street.. Patrick Sheehy, 146 East 87th street..	8,801 10
" 3	Paving with granite-block pavement Ninety-second street, from West End avenue to Boulevard.....	William F. Cunningham, 320 East 83d street..	William Lyman, 51 East 122d street.. Patrick Sheehy, 146 East 87th street..	3,623 75
" 4	Flagging, etc., north side One Hundred and Fifth street and south side One Hundred and Sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues	Thomas F. Murray, 2349 Tenth avenue..	John Murray, 2349 Tenth avenue.. John Ryan, 129th street, bet. 11th and 12th avenues..	2,242 52
" 4	Flagging, etc., east side Second avenue, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, and south side One Hundredth street, from First to Second avenue.....	Thomas F. Murray, 2349 Tenth avenue..	John Murray, 2349 Tenth avenue.. John Ryan, 129th street, bet. 11th and 12th avenues..	2,319 00
" 5	Regulating and grading One Hundred and First street, from First to Second avenue.....	Michael Gavin.....	Patrick Lamey, 325 East 30th street.. J. L. Schofield, Kingsbridge and Boston roads.....	2,167 14
" 5	Furnishing materials and performing all the painters' and carpenters' work on the 14 free floating baths.....	William Minnick, 890 Fourth avenue...	J. O. Shumway, 892 Fourth avenue.. R. Holstein, 187 Fourth avenue...	4,045 00

**Requisitions on the Comptroller.**

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$42,554.62.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, March 4, 1890.

Pursuant to section 1, subdivision 3 of chapter 10, Laws of 1888, I hereby designate the "New Yorker Zeitung" and "New York Daily News," of the daily papers printed in the City of New York as the newspapers in which the advertisements of the public notice of the time and place of auction sales in the City of New York shall be published.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, February 1, 1889.

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate the "Daily News" and the "New York Morning Journal," two of the daily papers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of unredemmed pawns or pledges by public auction in said city, by pawnbrokers, shall be published for at least six days previous thereto, until otherwise ordered.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

**OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.**

**STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING** which all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**

*Mayor's Office.*

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. LEICESTER HOLME, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

*Mayor's Marshal's Office.*

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.  
FRANK FOX, Second Marshal.

**COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.**

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, EDWARD P. BARKER.

**AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.**

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

**BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.**  
THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.  
Address M. COLEMAN, Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

**COMMON COUNCIL.**

*Office of Clerk of Common Council.*  
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

*City Library.*

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES H. FARRELL, City Librarian.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.**

*Commissioner's Office.*  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Deputy Commissioner.

*Bureau of Chief Engineer.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

*Bureau of Water Register.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH RILEY, Register.

*Bureau of Street Improvements.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Sewers.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer-in-Charge.

*Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Water Purveyor.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. H. BURKE, Water Purveyor.

*Bureau of Lamps and Gas.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Streets and Roads.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN B. SHEA, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Incumbrances.*

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent.

*Keeper of City Hall.*

MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**

*Comptroller's Office.*

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

*Auditing Bureau.*

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.  
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

*Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.*

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
D. LOWBER SMITH, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

No money received after 2 P. M.

*Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.*

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES DALY, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

No money received after 2 P. M.

*Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.*

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

No money received after 2 P. M.

*Bureau of the City Chamberlain.*

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, City Chamberlain.

*Office of the City Paymaster.*

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

**LAW DEPARTMENT.**

*Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.*

Staats Zeitung Building, third and fourth floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK, 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.  
CHARLES E. LYBECKER, Public Administrator.

*Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.*

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.  
SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

*Office of the Corporation Attorney.*

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LOUIS STECKLER, Corporation Attorney.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

*Central Office.*

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES F. MACLEAN, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

**DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**

*Central Office.*

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.  
Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.

Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 12 M.

*Headquarters.*

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

*Bureau of Chief of Department.*

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

*Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.*

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

*Bureau of Fire Marshal.*

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

*Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.*

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

*Attorney to Department.*

WM. L. FINDLEY.

*Fire Alarm Telegraph.*

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.  
Central Office open at all hours.

*Repair Shops.*

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.  
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

*Hospital Stables.*

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.  
JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.  
Open at all hours.

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.  
WALDO HUTCHINS, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

*Office of Topographical Engineer.*

Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

*Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.*  
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

Battery, Pier A, North river.  
EDWIN A. POST, President; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.  
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS**

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.  
MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HANS S. BEATTIE, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; GILBERT O. F. NICOLL, Secretary; HENRY W. BEARDSLEY, Chief Clerk.

**CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.**

Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES THOMSON, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT**

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.  
The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

**BOARD OF EXCISE.**

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALEXANDER MEAKIN, President; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE.**

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL E. SICKLES, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; JOHN M. TRACY, Order of Arrest Clerk.

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FRANK T. FITZGERALD, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

**SURROGATE'S COURT.**

New County Court-house. Court opens at 10.30 A. M.  
RASTUS S. RANSOM, Surrogate; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

**SUPREME COURT**

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk. General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk. Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.

Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk. Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. MCCALL, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.

Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk. Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20. SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Librarian.

**SUPERIOR COURT.**

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

General Term, Room No. 35. Special Term, Room No. 33. Equity Term, Room No. 30. Chambers, Room No. 33.

Part I., Room No. 34. Part II., Room No. 35. Part III., Room No. 36. Judges' Private Chambers.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31. Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

**COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD F. REILLY, County Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.**

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; THOMAS COSTIGAN, Chief Clerk.

**THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.**

*And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.*

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. MCGRATH, Examiner.

**CORONERS' OFFICE.**

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.

MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZE, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

**COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.**

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M



## OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A.M.  
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.  
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk. Office, Tombs.

## BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held in the Mayor's Office, on Friday, May 2, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business, and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.  
Dated April 29, 1890.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,  
Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by closing and discontinuing a street or road in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, under chapter 185 of the Laws of 1885; the same being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the road or public drive known as the Boulevard, said point "A" being the intersection of the centre line of a street or road, to the Fort Washington Depot of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and being located as follows, viz.: 5,389 90-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 3,189 12-100 feet westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of the Boulevard, distance 40 feet; thence westerly at an angle with the said Boulevard of 89 degrees and 43 minutes, distance 169 43-100 feet; thence in a curved line deflecting to the left, radius 230 feet, distance 139 90-100 feet; thence southwesterly and tangential to the said curve, distance 107 49-100 feet; thence, NOTE—On the original map on file in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and known as number 705, filed September 17, 1869, gives no dimensions, courses or distances for the westerly end of this road or street as laid out, the above description is intended to describe the southern end of the road or street, and is intended to be 80 feet in width, from the Boulevard to the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, but is defective in its courses and distances.

And that such proposed action of the said Board has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of said City.

Dated New York, April 29, 1890.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,  
Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by placing a new street or road, to be known as Fort Washington Depot road, between the Boulevard and the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, under chapter 185 of the Laws of 1885; the same being more particularly described, as follows:

Beginning at a point marked "A" in the westerly line of road or public drive known as the Boulevard, said point being the intersection of the centre line of a street or road to be known as the Fort Washington Depot road, and being located as follows, viz.: 5,389 90-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 3,189 12-100 feet westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and along the westerly line of the Boulevard, distance 30 feet; thence westerly, at an angle with the said Boulevard 89 degrees and 43 minutes, distance 366 65-100 feet; thence in a curved line deflecting to the left, radius 220 feet, distance 133 82-100 feet; thence southwesterly and tangential to the said curve, distance 96 feet; thence southerly, distance 78 76-100 feet; thence northeasterly and parallel to the last course but one, distance 147 feet; thence in a curved line deflecting to the right, radius 160 feet, distance 97 32-100 feet; thence easterly and tangential to the said curve, distance 366 35-100 feet to the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line, distance 30 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street or road to be sixty feet wide between the Boulevard and a point near the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

And that such proposed action of the said Board has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of said city.

Dated New York, April 29, 1890.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,  
Secretary.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 3241, No. 1. Laying crosswalks across One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, at the easterly and westerly sides of Eighth avenue.

List 3242, No. 2. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

List 3251, No. 3. Curbing and recubing, flagging and reflagging north side of Eighty-first street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

List 3252, No. 4. Paving Ninety-fifth street, from Lexington to Madison avenues, with granite-blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3253, No. 5. Paving Seventy-ninth street, from easterly side of Twelfth avenue to the bulkhead line of

Hudson river, with granite-blocks, also curbing and flagging sidewalks.

List 3257, No. 6. Sewer in Ninety-sixth street, between Eighth avenue and summit west of Eighth avenue, with alteration and improvement to curve at Ninety-sixth street and Eighth avenue.

List 3258, No. 7. Sewer in One Hundred and Third street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

List 3259, No. 8. Sewer in Tenth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. To the extent of half the block from the easterly and westerly sides of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

No. 2. To the extent of half the block from the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and Seventh avenue, also northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Seventh avenue, also northerly side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Seventh avenue, also northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirteenth street and Seventh avenue, also northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street and Seventh avenue, also northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street and Seventh avenue, also northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Seventh avenue, and the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and Seventh avenue.

No. 3. North side of Eighty-first street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, from Lexington to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Seventy-ninth street, from the Riverside Drive to the North river.

No. 6. Both sides of Ninety-sixth street, and extending westerly from Eighth avenue, about 540 feet.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Third street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue.

No. 8. West side of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 30th day of May, 1890.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 29, 1890.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 18, 1890.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, April 10, 1890, and entered on the 15th day of April, 1890, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before June 16, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
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THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

## INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE MAY 1, 1890, ON THE Registered Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room No. 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from March 31 to May 1, 1890.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 26, 1890.

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price..... \$100 00  
The same in 25 volumes, half bound..... 50 00  
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding..... 15 00  
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound..... 10 00  
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,  
NEW YORK.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1890, will be open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1890, until the first day of May, 1890.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed, to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., at this office, during the same period.

MICHAEL COLEMAN,  
THOMAS L. FEITNER,  
EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 326.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIER, NEW 59, ON THE NORTH RIVER, AND AT PIER 61, ON THE EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIER, NEW 59, North river, and at Pier 61, on the East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on 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 bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Two Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth of water set opposite thereto in the specifications, is as follows:

Pier, new 59, North river..... 48,000 cubic yards.  
Pier 61, East river..... 6,500 "

Total..... 54,500 "

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

(2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work, to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor per cubic yard, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of July, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic yard for doing such dredging in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the con-

tract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

Each 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, 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 surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED, IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

EDWIN A. POST,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated New York, April 25, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 330.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE FOLLOWING-NAMED PLACES ON THE NORTH AND EAST RIVERS:

NORTH RIVER—Canal Street Dumping-board, Dumping-board at West Nineteenth Street Pier.

EAST RIVER—Dumping-board at Pier 12, Dumping-board at Pier 44, Slip between Piers 51 and 52, Dumping-board at foot East Seventeenth street, Dumping-boards at foot East Twenty-second street.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE above-named places, on the North and East rivers, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on 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 bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth of water set opposite thereto in the specifications, is as follows:

	Cubic Yards.
ON NORTH RIVER.	
Canal Street Dumping-board.....	1,250
Dumping-board at West Nineteenth street.....	1,500
ON EAST RIVER.	
Dumping-board at Pier 12.....	2,500
Dumping-board at Pier 44.....	1,000
Slip between Piers 51 and 52.....	1,650
Dumping-board at East Seventeenth street.....	1,500
Dumping-boards at East Twenty-second street.....	7,500
Total.....	16,900

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the locations of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.



2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor per cubic yard, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of July, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic yard for doing such dredging in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

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No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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EDWIN A. POST,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated New York, April 25, 1890.

## JURORS.

### NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS IN REGARD TO CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTION FROM JURY DUTY.

ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
No. 280 BROADWAY, THIRD FLOOR,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1889.

CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTION FROM JURY duty will be heard by me daily at my office, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.

Those entitled to exemption are: Clergymen, lawyers, physicians, surgeons, surgeon-dentists, professors or teachers in a college, academy or public school, licensed pharmacists or druggists, actually engaged in their respective professions and not following any other calling; militiamen, policemen, and firemen; election officers, jury non-residents, and city employees, and United States employees; officers of vessels making regular trips; licensed pilots, actually following that calling; superintendents, conductors and engineers of a railroad company other than a street railroad company; telegraph operators actually doing duty as such; Grand, Sheriff's, and Civil Court jurors; stationary engineers; and persons physically incapable of performing jury duty by reason of severe sickness, deafness, or other physical disorder.

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, if unpaid, will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States 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.

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 23, 1890.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing and altering the following buildings of this Department, viz.: Quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2, southeast corner of Fifth street and Lexington avenue, and Storehouse, No. 180 Clinton street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, May 7, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

A separate estimate must be made for each building. No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings which form part of these proposals.

The form of the agreement and the specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work, and forms of proposals, may be obtained and the plans may be seen at the office of the Department.

Bidders must write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The work is to be completed and delivered within forty (40) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at ten (10) dollars.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on 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 Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or 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 bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of 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 sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of two thousand and five hundred (2,500) dollars, 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, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of one hundred and twenty-five (125) and sixty (60) dollars, respectively. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days 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.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,  
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,  
Commissioners

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 23, 1890.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required for placing fire-alarm electrical conductors underground for this Department will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, May 7, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and diagrams which form part of these proposals.

The forms of the agreement (showing the manner of payment for the work), with specifications and diagrams, may be seen, and forms of proposals may be obtained, at the office of the Department.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The work is to be completed and delivered on or before the one hundred and twentieth (120th) day after notice to commence, as provided in the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on 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 they relate, specifying the kind of cables it is proposed to furnish.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or 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 bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of 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 sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of twenty-three thousand (23,000) dollars; 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, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one thousand one hundred and fifty (1,150) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days 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.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,  
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 23, 1890.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting a building at No. 223 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street for Engine Company No. 35 of this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, May 7, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, and drawings which form part of these proposals.

The form of the agreement and the specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work and forms of proposals, may be obtained and the plans may be seen at the office of the Department.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and fifty (150) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on 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 Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or 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 bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of 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 sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, 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, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five hundred (500) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days 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.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,  
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,  
Commissioners.

## BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,  
No. 2 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 21, 1890.

### PROPOSALS TO FURNISH THE COURTS AND DEPARTMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK WITH BLANK BOOKS, DOCKETS, LIBERS, ETC.

#### TO BOOKBINDERS AND STATIONERS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE City Government with Blank Books, Dockets, Libers, etc., will be received at the office of the Mayor, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 2d day of May, 1890, at which place and time said estimates will be publicly opened and read.

Each person making an estimate shall inclose it in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Blank Books, etc.," and with his name and the date of its presentation.

Each estimate shall state the name and place of residence of the person making it; if there is more than one such person, their names and residences must be given; and if only one person is interested in the estimate it must 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 it 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, upon 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 upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and



is worth the amount of the preliminary security required, and in the proposals 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 law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor; the amount of preliminary security to be given until each award, and in which the sureties shall justify, shall be FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Should the person to whom the contract may be awarded, neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he 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.

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, and no estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of fifty per centum of the amount of the preliminary security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the Supervisor of the City Record, who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said Supervisor, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the undersigned city officers to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

*A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for the books required by any court, department, or bureau of a department, provided they involve more than five hundred dollars.*

*A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for any item in the specifications involving an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars.*

The making and delivery of all the books must be completed within fifty days from the execution of the contracts; and they must be made and delivered in the order to be prescribed by the Supervisor of the City Record, to the end that the immediate needs of the Department shall be supplied.

The books are to be sewed in sections of four sheets, lined inside and outside with linen. The head-bands are to be made on the book. All parchment used is to be covered with linen. The binding is to be of real Russia, with extra back, and the finish antique and gold. The books are to have round-cornered brass shoes, as per samples in the Register's and Surrogate's offices. Crane's parchment deed paper, No. 44, must be used.

For particulars of the quantities of books required, resort must be had to the specifications on file in the Department of Public Works. Copies of the specifications may be procured from the Supervisor of the City Record.

Samples of such of the books as are not described in the specifications are to be seen in the several courts and departments; and the new books must be made in accordance with those samples, unless the latter are inferior in the qualities of paper and binding to those provided for in the specifications.

HUGH J. GRANT,  
Mayor.  
WM. H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation.  
THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR CONVEYING** pupils, residing at Springhurst, to and from Primary School No. 44, One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and Concord avenue, the morning and afternoon of every school-day for one year, from May 1, 1890, or for one year from the date of signing the contract, will be received at the Board-room of the School Trustees for the Twenty-third Ward, Primary Department No. 60, One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Courtland avenue, until 4 o'clock on the afternoon of Saturday, May 10, 1890.

Further information, if desired, may be obtained from any of the trustees.

FREDERICK FOLZ,  
WILLIAM R. BEAL,  
WILLIAM HOGG,  
SAMUEL SAMUELS,  
ALBERT F. BRUGMAN,  
School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the Board of School Trustees for the Tenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, May 6, 1890, for Altering and Fitting up the Premises No. 114 Hester street for a Primary Department annex to Grammar School No. 7.

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

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

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

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

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

JOSEPH BELLOWS, Chairman,  
FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.  
Dated New York, April 23, 1890.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the Board of School Trustees for the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, May 5, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 16, 41, and Primary School No. 13.

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

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

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

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

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

WM. J. VAN ARSDALE, Chairman,  
CHAS. A. BENEDICT, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.  
Dated New York, April 22, 1890.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, May 6, 1890, for the Erection of a New School Building on the north-west corner of Tenth avenue and West Ninety-third street.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN WHALEN,  
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
ANTONIO RASINES,  
LEOPOLD WORMSER,  
ROBERT E. STEEL,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.  
Dated New York, April 22, 1890.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the Board of School Trustees for the Seventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Monday, May 5, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 2 and 12 and Primary School No. 36; also, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 12 and Primary School No. 36.

WILLIAM H. TOWNLEY, Chairman,  
JAMES W. MCBARRON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Monday May 5, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 8 and 38.

CHAS. H. HOUSLEY, Chairman,  
WM. BRANDON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 21, 1890.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the Board of School Trustees for the First Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, May 1, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Primary School No. 15.

JOHN MCINTIRE, Chairman,  
FREDERICK G. MERRILL, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, First Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, May 1, 1890, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman,  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, May 1, 1890, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 39, 57 and 68, annex of Grammar School No. 78 and Primary School No. 9.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,  
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Friday, May 2, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 28.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,  
R. S. TREACY, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 18, 1890.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 26, 1890.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** four Horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, May 9, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board.  
WM. H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1890.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY** Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, shoes, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,  
COOPER UNION,  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1889.

### NOTICE.

1. Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.  
2. Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.

3. Examinations will be held from time to time as the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.

4. All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.

5. The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:

Schedule A shall include all deputies of officers and commissioners duly authorized to act for their principals, and all persons necessarily occupying a strictly confidential position.

Schedule B shall include clerks, copyists, recorders, bookkeepers and others rendering clerical services, except type-writers and stenographers.

Schedule C shall include Policemen, both in the Police Department and Department of Parks, and the uniformed force in the Fire Department, and Doormen in the Police Department.

Schedule D shall include all persons for whose duty special expert knowledge is required not included in Schedule E.

Schedule E shall include physicians, chemists, nurses, orderlies and attendants in the city hospitals and asylums, surgeons in the Police Department and the Department of Public Parks, and medical officers in the Fire Department.

Schedule F shall include stenographers, type-writers and all persons not included in the foregoing schedules, except laborers or day workmen.

Schedule G shall include all persons employed as laborers or day workmen.

Positions falling within Schedules A and G are exempt from Civil Service examination.

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

### PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING**

ICE.  
2,500 Tons first quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered alongside at Blackwell's, Ward's, Randall's and Hart's Islands, and 600 tons, more or less, at Central Islip, L. I., 1,000 tons of said Ice to be delivered at the above points immediately after the award of the contract, and the remainder as required, in lots of not less than 100 tons. Weight of Ice (2,000 pounds per ton), as delivered.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 9, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Ice," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person 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 bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to 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, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 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.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who

has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days 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.

*Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.*

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, April 28, 1890.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A HOUSE FOR MEDICAL HOME, CENTRAL ISLIP, LONG ISLAND.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. Thursday, May 8, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for House for Medical Home, Central Islip, Long Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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, each in the penal amount of **THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS.**

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to 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, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, April 25, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

### PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, LUMBER, ETC.

#### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

##### GROCERIES, ETC.

- 8,574 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, May 1, 1890.  
1,500 pounds Cheese.  
1,500 pounds Dried Apples.  
2,400 pounds Barley, price to include packages.  
4,600 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.  
500 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.  
1,200 pounds Chicory.  
2,000 pounds Wheaten Cuts, price to include packages.  
3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.  
1,000 pounds Macaroni.  
4,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.  
6,000 pounds Rice.  
16,000 pounds Brown Sugar.  
2,500 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
1,600 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.  
2,700 pounds Granulated Sugar.  
2,500 pounds Oolong Tea.  
150 bushels Beans.  
100 barrels Crackers.  
1,200 gallons Syrup, in barrels.  
3,575 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.  
20 dozen Canned Salmon.  
15 dozen Extract Lemon.  
20 dozen Extract Vanilla.  
643 barrels good sound White Potatoes, 172 pounds net per barrel.  
50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.  
300 barrels first quality Kale.  
48 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, about 14 pounds each.  
25 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, about 6 pounds each.  
45 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, about 6 pounds each.  
20 tubs prime quality kettle rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.  
157 bales long bright Rye Straw, prime quality, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.  
30 gross Matches.

##### CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, ETC.

- 5 gross Tumblers.  
20 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound.  
500 yards Table Linen.  
5,000 yards Shroud Muslin.  
5,000 yards Stillwater Muslin.  
20 gross Plantation Combs.  
24 gross Knitting Needles.

##### HARDWARE, IRON, TIN, ETC.

- 5 kegs Horse Shoes, No. 4, fore and hind.  
32 boxes first quality Roofing Tin, 14 x 20.  
250 sides first quality waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.  
25 barrels first quality Rosendale Cement.  
10 barrels first quality Portland Cement.  
300 pounds first quality Indian Red, in oil, in 5 pound packages.  
5,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from adulteration or any added impurities, and subject to analysis if necessary, 25-100, 25-50, 50-25.  
300 pounds first quality Emerald Green, in oil, 40-5, 30-2, 40-1.

##### LUMBER.

- 10,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine Shelving, 12 to 16" x 12 to 16 feet, dressed both sides.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/2" x 12 to 16" x 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
500 first quality clear White Pine Boards, 1" x 10" x 13 feet, tongued and grooved, dressed one side.  
45 first quality clear White Pine Boards, tongued and grooved, beaded and dressed both sides, 7/8" x 3" x 13 feet.  
500 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1", tongued and grooved, dressed both sides.  
35 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 12" x 26 feet.  
3,000 superficial feet first quality, seasoned, cone or verticle grained Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1 1/2" x 3 1/2", dressed, tongued and grooved.  
2 pieces first quality Spruce, 2" x 10" x 20 feet.  
12 pieces first quality Spruce, 2" x 10" x 14 feet.  
20 pieces first quality Spruce, 2" x 4" x 20 feet.  
800 feet first quality White Pine, 1 1/2", dressed both sides.  
920 first quality White Pine Pickets, dressed both sides, 1 1/2" thick, 8" long, 4" at bottom, 2 1/2" pointed at top.  
152 superficial feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 1/2" x 13", dressed.  
3,000 feet first quality clear cone or vertical grained seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine, 1 1/2" x 3 1/2", dressed, tongued and grooved.  
100 first quality rough Spruce Boards, 1" x 9 1/2" x 13".  
1,200 square feet first quality seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1 1/2" x 3 1/2", dressed, tongued and grooved.  
300 pieces first quality Spruce, 2" x 4" x 13 feet.  
12 pieces first quality Spruce, 4" x 10" x 20 feet.  
2 pieces first quality Spruce, 4" x 10" x 25 feet.  
12 pieces first quality Spruce, 4" x 6" x 20 feet.  
2 pieces first quality Spruce, 4" x 6" x 25 feet.  
200 pieces first quality sound White Pine Roofing Plank, 1" x 9 1/2" x 13 feet, dressed, tongued and grooved.  
200 pieces first quality rough Spruce Boards, 1" x 9 1/2" x 13 feet.  
100 pieces first quality Spruce, 2" x 6" x 13 feet.  
2,000 square feet first quality, seasoned, cone or vertical grained Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1 1/2" x 3 1/2", dressed, tongued and grooved.  
14,000 first quality Masons' Lath.  
500 feet first quality White Pine, wide, mill-planed, 3/4".  
200 first quality Spruce Joists, 2" x 4" x 16 feet.  
10 first quality Spruce Posts, 6" x 6" x 16 feet.  
2,000 feet first quality Spruce, 1" x 8 1/2" x 13 feet, tongued and grooved, dressed both sides.  
2,500 feet first quality Hemlock, 1" x 10" x 12 to 14 feet.  
150 first quality Spruce Boards, 1" x 9" x 12 feet, dressed one side.  
10 first quality Spruce Beams, 4" x 6" x 25 feet.  
All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.  
Will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 2, 1890.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Crockery, Dry Goods, Hardware, Leather, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, April 21, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, April 22, 1890.

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 Thirtieth street, North river—Unknown man, aged about 27 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on brown mixed coat and pants, blue flannel shirt, red flannel undershirt, gray socks and drawers, gaiters, leather belt around waist.

Unknown man, from Manhattan Hospital, aged about 21 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair, moustache and eyes. No clothing.

Unknown man, from No. 2163 First avenue, aged about 60 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair, moustache and eyes. Had on black overcoat, black coat and vest, brown and gray mixed pants, white woolen shirt, white cotton flannel drawers, white cotton socks, laced shoe & black derby hat.

Unknown man, from Pier 39, East river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; dark brown hair and moustache, mixed with gray. Had on black chevrot vest, black striped pants, white shirt, white woolen undershirt and drawers, gray cotton socks, laced shoes.

From papers found on his person, supposed to be Clarence H. Winnett, a member of Typographical Union No. 47, of New Haven, Conn.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Joseph Brown, aged 29 years. Committed April 12, 1890. Had on when received dark coat and pants, black vest, colored shirt, black hat.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Antonio Reick, aged 32 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; black hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted dark suit of clothes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, Lawrence Moore, aged 76 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted dark gray overcoat, gray tweed coat and vest, brown and blue striped pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

James Laughlin, aged 33 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted dark overcoat, dark coat, black vest, gray check pants, blue check jumper, laced shoes, brown derby hat.

Otto Hugel, aged 42 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; red hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted black overcoat, gray tweed vest and pants, laced shoes.

John Schneider, aged 28 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted dark overcoat, brown coat, pants and vest, white tennis shirt, gaiters, brown felt hat.

Frank Bradley, aged 60 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray hair, brown eyes. Had on brown overcoat, brown sack coat, blue vest, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Union avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and 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 this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the ninth day of June, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said ninth day of June, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the tenth day of June, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and George street, from Union avenue to Stebbins avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, from Stebbins avenue to Simpson street; easterly by the westerly line of Simpson street; southerly by the northerly line of Westchester avenue; the centre line of the blocks between Westchester avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Fox street to Prospect avenue and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street from Prospect avenue to Union avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Prospect avenue and the easterly line of Union avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twenty-third day of June, 1890, 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, April 24, 1890.

G. M. SPEIR, JR., Chairman,  
WILLIAM N. ARMSTRONG,  
TERENCE DUFFY,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 29th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, extending from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant 416 feet 7 1/2 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 703 feet 7 1/2 inches, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line, distance 83 feet 10 1/2 inches; thence easterly, distance 728 feet 8 1/2

inches, to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet in width between the line of Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

Dated New York, April 29, 1890.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Tenth avenue to New avenue (Morningside, West), in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the tenth day of May, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, April 28, 1890.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
MITCHEL LEVY,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Locust avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, extending from Locust avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Brook avenue, distant 200 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Southern Boulevard with the eastern line of Brook avenue:  
1st. Thence southeasterly along the eastern line of Brook avenue for 60 feet;  
2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 90° 02' to the left, for 2,729.28 feet;  
3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 8° 26' 53" to the right, for 815.10 feet;  
4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 60 feet;  
5th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 819.53 feet;  
6th. Thence northwesterly for 2,733.70 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-second street is designated a street of the first class and is 60 feet wide.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of Trinity, or Cypress, avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of Trinity, or Cypress, avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point distant 5,848.18 feet south of the eastern prolongation of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured at right angles to the same from a point 13,567.66 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street with the eastern line of Tenth avenue:

1st. Thence northwesterly on a line forming an angle of 68° 24' 32" westerly and to the left with a line parallel to Tenth avenue, drawn through the point of beginning, for 819.54 feet;  
2d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 8° 26' 53" to the left, for 1,275.54 feet;  
3d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 89° 56' to the left, for 60 feet;  
4th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 90° 04' to the left, for 1,271.18 feet;  
5th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 8° 26' 53" to the right, for 815.11 feet;  
6th. Thence northeasterly for 60 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-third street is designated a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Com-



missioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the State grant line in the East river to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, extending from the State grant line in the East river to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Southern Boulevard, distant 873.61 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of St. Ann's avenue:

- 1st. Thence easterly along the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,482.9 feet, for 285.12 feet;
- 2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting  $46^{\circ} 44' 07''$  to the right from the prolongation of the radius drawn through the eastern extremity of the preceding course, for 107.62 feet;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting  $90^{\circ}$  to the left, for 1,178.71 feet;
- 4th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting  $8^{\circ} 22' 53''$  to the right, for 1,367.63 feet;
- 5th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting  $89^{\circ} 31' 35''$  to the right, for 80.0 feet;
- 6th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting  $90^{\circ} 28' 25''$  to the right, for 1,362.43 feet;
- 7th. Thence northwesterly for 1,386.96 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street is designated a street of the first class and is 80 feet wide. And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, distant 836.04 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street:

- 1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard, and curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,482.9 feet, for 75.22 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting  $38^{\circ} 32' 27''$  to the left from the prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its southern extremity, for 1,168.08 feet;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting  $8^{\circ} 22' 53''$  to the right, for 819.59 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting  $90^{\circ}$  to the left, for 60 feet;
- 5th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting  $90^{\circ}$  to the left, for 823.99 feet;
- 6th. Thence northwesterly for 1,127.12 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street is designated a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide. And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court,

to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, distant 531.39 feet southerly from the intersection of the said line with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street:

- 1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard for 69.31 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting  $120^{\circ} 02' 30''$  to the left, for 1,037.24 feet;
- 3d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting  $8^{\circ} 22' 53''$  to the right, for 819.57 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting  $90^{\circ}$  to the left, for 60 feet;
- 5th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting  $90^{\circ}$  to the left, for 823.96 feet;
- 6th. Thence northwesterly, for 1,006.94 feet, to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street is designated a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide. And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of MELROSE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the second day of May, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, April 19, 1890.  
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN,  
MITCHEL LEVY,  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREET, from Tenth avenue to New avenue (Morningside, West), in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the second day of May, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, April 19, 1890.  
EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
MITCHEL LEVY,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Franklin avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and 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 this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-sixth day of May, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-sixth day of May, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-seventh day of May, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Seventieth streets, from Third avenue to Franklin avenue, the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Jefferson street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road and a line parallel with, and distant 1,000 feet northerly from, the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and extending from Boston road to Southern Boulevard; easterly by the westerly line of Southern Boulevard; southerly by a line parallel with, and distant 600 feet southerly from, the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and extending from Southern Boulevard to Union avenue, and the centre line of the

blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Union avenue to Third avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Union avenue, the easterly line of Third avenue and the easterly line of Boston road; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of June, 1890, 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, April 14, 1890.

NEVIN W. BUTLER, Chairman,  
FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER,  
JOHN H. KITCHEN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain land on Fourth avenue and Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, in the Twenty-first Ward of said city, duly selected and approved as an armory site, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 330, Laws of 1887.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of said estimate in the office of the Department of Public Parks for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within thirty days after the first publication of this notice file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 61, at No. 150 Broadway, in the said city, as provided by section 5 of chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 13th day of May, 1890, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court in the City of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 1890, 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, April 3, 1890.

EDWARD SCHELL,  
EUGENE L. BUSHE,  
CHAUNCEY S. TRUAX,  
Commissioners.

JOHN W. McDONALD, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Rider avenue to Locust avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and 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 this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 29th day of April, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 29th day of April, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 30th day of April, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Rider avenue to Third avenue; the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and Third avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Lincoln avenue to Locust avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Locust avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from St. Ann's avenue to Brook avenue and from Willis avenue to Third avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Third avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 16th day of May, 1890, 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, March 18, 1890.  
EDWARD L. PARRIS, Chairman,  
MITCHEL LEVY,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Manhattan street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and 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 this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the thirtieth day of April, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirtieth day of April, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the first day of May, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Manhattan street; easterly by the westerly line of Manhattan street and a line extending from the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Manhattan street to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and westerly by the easterly line of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the land included within the lines of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the sixteenth day of May, 1890, 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, March 18, 1890.

EDWARD L. PARRIS, Chairman,  
JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER,  
HENRY G. CASSIDY,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third avenue to Willis avenue, and from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and 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 this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-third day of April, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-third day of April, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-fourth day of April, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Willis avenue and from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from St. Ann's avenue to Brook avenue and from Willis avenue to Third avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Third avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of May, 1890, 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, March 11, 1890.

EDWARD L. PARRIS, Chairman,  
BERNARD REILLY, Jr.,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

### NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, in the Stewart Building.

HANS S. BEATTIE,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 25, 1890.

## NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, MAY 8, 1890, THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on the premises, the sale to commence at Twenty-eighth street and Eleventh avenue at 10.30 A.M., the following, viz.:  
Belgian Paving-blocks, located as follows:  
At Twenty-eighth street and Eleventh avenue, about ..... 350,000  
At Sixteenth street and Eleventh avenue, about ..... 100,000  
At Piers 24 and 25, North river, about ..... 400,000  
At Coenties Slip, about ..... 100,000  
At Thirty-fourth street and Fourth avenue, about ..... 100,000

## TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in full must be made in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the stones purchased must be removed by the purchasers within ten days from date of sale, otherwise the purchasers will forfeit their right to same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 25, 1890.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Thursday, May 8, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WASHINGTON STREET, from Clarkson street to Spring street.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF HOUSTON STREET, from Washington street to West street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LEROY STREET, from Washington street to West street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF BANK STREET, from West street to Washington street.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LITTLE WEST TWELFTH STREET, from Washington street to Tenth avenue.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTEENTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Hudson river.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTEENTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Hudson river.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWENTIETH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Hudson river.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. 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 in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 22, 1890.

## NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1890, AT 10.30 A.M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at the Corporation Yards, One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, foot of East Sixteenth street, and foot of Livingston street, the sale to commence at the yard One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, the following articles, viz.:

WAGONS, TRUCKS, CARTS, STANDS, BOOTHS, TELEGRAPH POLES, WIRE, SIGNS, ETC.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in full must be made in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the articles purchased must be removed by the purchasers within ten days from date of sale, otherwise the purchasers will forfeit their right to same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 23, 1890.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Tuesday, May 6, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWERS IN WEST STREET, between Dey and Murray streets, WITH OUTLET THROUGH PIER (NEW) No. 14, NORTH RIVER, AND ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO EXISTING SEWERS IN DEY, FULTON, VESEY AND BARCLAY STREETS AND PARK PLACE.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN WASHINGTON STREET, between Beach and North Moore streets.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN NINETEENTH STREET, between Avenue A and Second avenue.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, between Boulevard and West End avenue.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN FIFTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, and in ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, WITH ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO EXISTING SEWER IN FIFTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, between Eighth and Bradhurst avenues.

No. 8. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road, and IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, east side, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets.

No. 9. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN EIGHTH AVENUE, west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, and connections with present sewers in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth, One Hundred and Twenty-seventh, One Hundred and Twenty-eighth, One Hundred and Thirty-third, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. 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 in the estimate, or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 0, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 15, 1890.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Wednesday, April 30, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTH AVENUE, from the south side of Thirty-fourth street to the circle at Fifty-ninth street (except the space in and between the railroad tracks).

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTH AVENUE, from Thirtieth to Thirty-fourth street (except the space in and between the railroad tracks).

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; SIXTIETH STREET, from Lexington to Fourth avenue; HANOVER STREET, from Pearl street to Exchange place; EXCHANGE PLACE, from Hanover to William street, and WILLIAM STREET, from Beaver to Wall street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF GREENWICH STREET, from Chambers to Canal street.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CANAL STREET, from Hudson street to the Bowery.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PARK ROW, from Frankfort street to and including Chatham Square.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF HARRISON STREET, from Hudson to Washington street, and DESBORSES STREET, from Hudson to Greenwich street.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SOUTH WILLIAM STREET, from William street to Broad street, and WILLIAM STREET, from Wall to Frankfort street.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ELIZABETH STREET, from Bleecker to Bayard street.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CATHARINE STREET, from Division to Cherry street.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PEARL STREET, from Fulton to Oak street, and NEW BOWERY, from Oak street to Chatham Square.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EAST BROADWAY, from Chatham Square to Grand street.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Madison avenue to Broadway, and THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, from Fourth to Sixth avenue.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, and THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FORTY-NINTH STREET, from Madison to Sixth avenue; FIFTIETH STREET, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, and FIFTY-FIRST STREET, from Madison to Sixth avenue.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-THIRD STREET, from Madison to Sixth avenue, and SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Third to Fourth avenue.

No. 17. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, from Madison to Sixth avenue, and SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from Lexington to Fifth avenue.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. 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 in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 14, 1889.

## TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE RECENT act of the Legislature (chapter 449, Laws of 1889), which provides that whenever any streets or avenues in the city, described in any grant of land under water, from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty, containing covenants requiring the grantees and their successors to pave, repave, keep in repair or maintain such streets, shall be in need of repairs, pavement or repavement, the Common Council may, by ordinance, require the same to be paved, repaved or repaired, and the expense thereof to be assessed on the property benefited; and whenever the owner of a lot so assessed shall have paid the assessment levied for such paving, repaving or repairing, such payment shall release and discharge such owner from any and every covenant and obligation as to paving, repaving and repairing, contained in the water grant under which the premises are held, and no further assessment shall be imposed on such lot for paving, repaving or repairing such street or avenue, unless it shall be petitioned for by a majority of the owners of the property (who shall also be the owners of a majority of the property in frontage) on the line of the proposed improvement.

The act further provides that the owner of any such lot may notify the Commissioner of Public Works, in writing, specifying the ward number and street number, of the lot, that he desires, for himself, his heirs and assigns, to be released from the obligation of such covenants, and elects and agrees that said lot shall be thereafter liable to be assessed as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns shall thenceforth be relieved from any obligation to pave, repair, uphold or maintain said street, and the lot in respect of which such notice was given shall be liable to assessment accordingly.

The Commissioner of Public Works desires to give the following explanation of the operation of this act: When notice, as above described, is given to the Commissioner of Public Works, the owner of the lot or lots therein described, and his heirs and assigns, are forever released from all obligation under the grant in respect to paving, repaving or repairing the street in front of or adjacent to said lot or lots, except one assessment for such paving, repaving or repairs, as the Common Council may, by ordinance, direct to be made thereafter.

No street or avenue within the limits of such grants can be paved, repaved or repaired until said work is authorized by ordinance of the Common Council, and when the owners of such lots desire their streets to be paved, repaved or repaired, they should state their desire and make their application to the Board of Aldermen and not to the Commissioner of Public Works, who has no authority in the matter until directed by ordinance of the Common Council to proceed with the pavement, repavement or repairs.

THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 1st, 1889.

## PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 921 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in arrears in the same manner as regular rents have heretofore been treated.

2d. In every building where a water meter or meters are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

3d. The returns of arrears of water rents, including the year 1887, shall be made as heretofore on the confirmation of the tax levy by the Board of Aldermen, and shall include all charges and penalties of every nature.

4th. A penalty of five dollars (\$5) is hereby established, and will be imposed in each and every case where the rules and regulations of the Department prohibiting the use of water through hose, or in any other wasteful manner, are violated, and such penalties will be entered on the books of the Bureau against the respective buildings or property, and, if not collected, be returned in arrears in like manner as other charges for water.

5th. Charges for so-called extra water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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