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### APPROVED PAPERS.

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Resolved, That the sidewalks on the northwest corner of Mount Morris avenue and One Hundred and Twentieth street, extending a distance about one hundred feet on avenue and about three hundred feet on street, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 5, 1891.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Third to Lexington 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 5, 1891.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Second avenue, extending a distance about one hundred feet east of Second 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 5, 1891.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-second street, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 5, 1891.

Resolved, That the sidewalks in front of Nos. 390 and 392 Tenth 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 5, 1891.

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on Twenty-eighth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and on the east side of Tenth avenue, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 5, 1891.

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on Thirty-seventh street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 5, 1891.

Whereas, The appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," for 1890, was insufficient to meet the expense of repaving all of the several streets for the repavement of which resolutions were duly passed by this Board and approved by the Mayor in 1890; therefore,

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized to charge the expense of repaving said streets and avenues, for which the appropriation of 1890 was insufficient, to the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues" for 1891.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 5, 1891.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively reappointed to the office of Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office, viz.:

Henry Breunich.  
James F. Delaney.  
James McLoughlin.  
Merritt E. Haviland.  
Amos Hadley.  
William B. Koller.  
Thomas F. O'Brien.

Charles L. Halberstadt.  
James J. Duffy.  
Thomas I. Huston.  
Simon B. Sonnenfeld.  
Gilbert W. Minor.  
William Blake.  
Gustave C. Fiegel.

Thomas J. Deagen.  
Isaac I. Leon.  
Charles J. Mallon.  
Daniel J. M. O'Callaghan.  
David B. Simpson.  
Rufus H. Fowler.  
Thomas Hogan.

Solomon D. Rosenthal.  
Jesse D. Smith.  
George W. Van Tassel.  
Andrew Wagner.

William M. Downs.  
Francis De Caino.  
Charles L. Grennhall.  
Moses Herrman.

Andrew J. Roe.  
John H. Nagle.  
William J. Oliphant.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite and whose terms of office have expired, viz.:

Daniel Mahoney, in the place of.....	Samuel M. Abrahams.
William T. McGrath, ".....	Alexander Brough, Jr.
T. P. McGlynn, ".....	Daniel J. Cushing.
Bernard Zroinge, ".....	Dennis Dermody.
Michael J. Curley, ".....	Alexander Campbell.
Henry Harris, ".....	Samuel Eckstein.
Jacob Bauer, ".....	Robert Elliott.
John Sittler, ".....	Edward S. Flow.
Edward Mandell, ".....	Charles Griesenmeyer.
John A. Walsh, ".....	William E. Fay.
Charles J. Fagan, ".....	James A. Kehoe.
Edward Swann, ".....	Jacob Finkelstein.
Adam Finck, ".....	Harold D. Keeler.
Joseph A. McCray, ".....	Nathan Klion.
Stephen M. Anderson, ".....	Joseph A. Luckey.
Oscar E. Langer, ".....	James V. Morris.
A. Walker Ouis, ".....	Harold Nathan.
Ella F. Bramer, ".....	Phillip Orgler.
Edward B. Moore, ".....	Leopold Sondheim.
Charles A. Dryer, ".....	Alexander Rosenthal.
Albert Miller, ".....	Jule Stien.
Henry Hedden, ".....	Howard B. Snell.
Robert Walling Irving, ".....	Benjamin Z. Sussholz.
William B. Petit, ".....	Mathew Anderson.
Lawrence F. Collins, ".....	William Byrne.
William H. McGibbon, ".....	Theodore Lingeldein.
Leo Bailey, ".....	Rudolph Frank.
James J. Carroll, ".....	Timothy W. Heald.
J. J. Jones, ".....	Job E. Hedges.
John F. O'Reilly, ".....	Daniel T. Kimball.
James E. Hootor, ".....	John M. Karsch.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, who were recently appointed, but failed to qualify, viz.:

George W. Sill, in the place of.....	John T. O'Reilly.
Morris Cooper, ".....	Morris Cooper.
Samuel Fischer, ".....	Abraham Bernard.
James Galligan, ".....	James J. Carroll.
Christopher A. Carraher, in the place of.....	Cristopher A. Carraher.
Jones Cochran, in the place of.....	Jones Cochran.
Richard F. Flynn, ".....	Richard Flynn.
Lewis P. Mead, ".....	Charles A. L. Goldey.
Charles Roth, ".....	Ellis Glaser.
Thomas F. Coleman, ".....	Henry H. Jackson.
Edward E. Van Saun, ".....	Edward E. Van Saun.
Eugene B. Hughes, ".....	Alexander B. Lazarus.
Edward J. Plunkitt, ".....	Henry P. Leonard.
John Corbett, ".....	Herman Meyer.
Herman M. Meyer, ".....	Herman M. Meyer.
John J. Duffield, ".....	Theodore Martzloff.
A. A. Murphy, ".....	A. A. Murphy.
William B. Rankine, ".....	William B. Rankine.
Lionel J. Noah, ".....	John Palmieri.
Daniel Sherry, ".....	Augustus F. Sherman.
Joseph J. Berry, ".....	Paul R. E. Stein.
Charles Smith, ".....	Charles Smith.
Warren Springstead, ".....	Warren Springstem.
Edward S. Schoefield, in the place of.....	William Sauer.
Jule Stein, in the place of.....	Jule Stein.
Adolph Trube, Jr., in the place of.....	Adolph Trube.

Resolved, That Robert Elliot and A. D. Sugarman be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places of John L. Knight and Jeremiah Donovan, who have resigned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1891.

Resolved, That Lawrence F. Osborne be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, October 8, 1891.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk, Common Council.

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 2d day of October, 1891.  
Present—Commissioners MacLean, McClave, Voorhis and Martin.

#### Leave of Absence Granted.

Patrolman John J. Gannon, Fifteenth Precinct, three days, if pay is released.

Report of contagious disease in family of Patrolman William Roche, Twenty-eighth Precinct, was ordered on file.

Report of the Treasurer's Bookkeeper, inclosing \$80, pistol permit fees, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into the Pension Fund.

Report of the Superintendent of Telegraph on communication relative to removal of certain wires of Police Department, was ordered on file, and copy to be forwarded to Board of Electrical Control.

Application of Patrolman Thomas F. Snyder, Eighth Precinct, for promotion, was laid over.

The following applications for Civil Service examination were referred to the Superintendent for report:

Sergeant John Wiegand, Ninth Precinct.

Michael Foody, Fifteenth Precinct.

Roundsman Patrick Moran, Twenty-first Precinct.

#### Applications for Pension Referred to Committee on Pensions.

Celia M. Pierce, widow of Levi W. Pierce, late pensioner.

Charlotte A. Horton, widow of Hanford Horton, late pensioner.

Application of the Department of Parks for detail of 150 policemen at Van Cortlandt Park on the 8th instant, was referred to the Superintendent with power to make necessary arrangements.

#### Communications Referred to Chief Clerk to Answer.

Valentine Diefenthaler—Claim for damages to premises No. 451 Sixth avenue, caused by Patrolman John H. Thompson, Sixteenth Precinct, in arresting a woman.

Isabella Hines—Relative to appointment as Matron.



ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
41	24	Edward S. Charles.....	W. J. Holmes.....	Republican....	Declined.
39	24	M. McMahon.....	W. H. Cronin.....	".....	Resigned.
13	3	C. J. Sperco.....	J. M. Simpson.....	".....	"
3	7	S. C. Gallot.....	J. H. Sturkin.....	".....	"
21	10	Charles Berliner.....	J. Zimbelman.....	".....	"
9	13	J. Smith.....	T. Trolan.....	".....	"
3	14	H. P. Francis.....	M. J. Sreeman.....	".....	"
15	23	C. W. Israel.....	C. H. Hedden.....	".....	"
30	23	A. McMullin.....	M. J. Fagan.....	".....	"
56	23	E. N. Westervelt.....	J. M. Hyde.....	".....	"
14	11	Charles Hebson.....	T. S. Williams.....	".....	"
49	19	T. S. McPherson.....	G. Rehahn, Sr.....	".....	"
65	23	C. A. Hausman.....	E. V. Graham.....	".....	"
24	16	J. West.....	J. H. Mahon.....	".....	"
42	17	John Hughes.....	C. H. Lozee.....	".....	"
54	19	R. Jackson.....	C. J. Jeffrey.....	".....	"
29	22	J. Kolter.....	J. T. Betts.....	".....	"
26	15	H. Brown.....	A. Wanner.....	".....	"
17	19	E. Brann.....	P. O. Sullivan.....	".....	"
30	20	J. B. Ward.....	S. L. Kern.....	".....	"
27	7	William V. Snedecor.....	C. H. G. Ebert.....	".....	"
73	19	G. Kluberanz.....	J. Loomis.....	".....	"
16	1	M. Lynch, Jr.....	R. Mahoney.....	Democrat.....	"
1	2	James M. Walsh.....	H. Phalen.....	".....	"
10	7	Charles H. Morgan.....	T. J. Clarke.....	".....	"
20	7	James A. Cashen.....	J. A. Lynch.....	".....	"
26	7	J. A. Shirley.....	W. Mooney.....	".....	"
5	10	J. Schomberg.....	A. Mayers.....	".....	"
34	10	J. J. Cocoran.....	J. M. Hayes.....	".....	"
34	10	J. E. Woods.....	H. W. Beege.....	".....	"
36	10	J. Brüll, Jr.....	P. F. Smith.....	".....	"
38	10	M. Fuente.....	A. Fichtner.....	".....	"
39	10	Joseph Ether.....	M. H. Quinlan.....	".....	Declined.
7	16	M. Duffy.....	E. Weber.....	".....	Resigned.
4	17	Joseph J. Mangan.....	J. H. Vaughan.....	".....	Not found.
25	18	M. J. Kinney.....	M. Walsh.....	".....	Resigned.
9	20	J. F. Cotter.....	A. Rothschild.....	".....	"
16	20	S. L. Beekman.....	F. Obersheimer.....	".....	"
9	23	B. McManus.....	H. Doinke.....	".....	"
51	23	John F. Hannon.....	John J. Jackson.....	".....	"
52	23	T. F. Reilly.....	F. W. Poyntz.....	".....	Dead.
70	23	John W. Kennedy.....	C. Strittmater.....	".....	Resigned.
39	24	J. McHeem.....	Vacancy.....	".....	"
40	24	Charles Heps.....	".....	".....	"
11	8	Adam Dabrowski.....	John Clark.....	".....	Resigned.
16	8	A. Rosenblum.....	L. Vernon.....	".....	"
14	9	John Ward.....	J. Connor.....	".....	"
17	9	M. J. Gallagher.....	C. Holland.....	".....	"
27	12	Herman A. Stockris.....	M. Manheimer.....	".....	"
11	22	James J. Cotter.....	E. W. Webster.....	".....	"
31	22	Aug. Walter.....	P. Murphy.....	".....	"
22	24	A. G. Finesey.....	F. Hock.....	".....	"
25	24	T. J. Murphy.....	D. A. Van Buskirk.....	".....	"
33	17	E. J. Finnerty.....	J. McMahon.....	".....	"
9	11	Thomas McGoey.....	W. S. Hill.....	".....	"
3	2	Timothy F. Lyons.....	John J. Collins.....	".....	"
4	2	James F. Barrett.....	H. Byron.....	".....	"
23	2	Florence Sullivan.....	J. J. Sullivan.....	".....	"
13	22	M. W. Lynch.....	H. Stewart.....	".....	"
7	23	G. Rathmer.....	M. Lowery.....	".....	"
20	23	William Goldsmith.....	J. M. Stewart.....	".....	"
30	23	John Heilner.....	F. Rampen.....	".....	"
36	23	W. K. Fearon.....	W. M. Loutrel.....	".....	"
50	23	William Buchanan.....	G. C. Hoffman.....	".....	"
55	23	L. C. Cohn.....	J. Gensler.....	".....	"
6	1	D. O. Connor.....	J. Griffith.....	".....	"
1	5	James Gaffney.....	John Wheeler.....	".....	"



ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
19	5	Edward J. Dalton.....	E. J. Donlin.....	Democrat. ....	Resigned.
3	7	J. Straming.....	W. H. Gottlieb.....	"	"
19	7	James R. Nugent.....	S. J. Keyes.....	"	"
52	17	S. Lion.....	W. G. Halborow.....	"	"
29	22	I. Hermann.....	J. A. Kelly.....	"	"
30	23	L. Levy.....	J. Wright.....	"	"
72	23	W. H. Livingston.....	M. D. Hamilton.....	"	"
3	11	J. H. Marsh.....	F. J. McGuire.....	"	"
8	11	H. Ahearn.....	F. J. McGuire.....	"	"
11	20	J. Rosenblatt.....	M. Steinert.....	"	"
12	20	P. F. Maguire.....	I. Ullman.....	"	"
23	20	L. Cohn.....	S. J. Weiss.....	"	"
26	20	W. F. Harnett.....	W. H. Wanner.....	"	"
13	1	B. McGee.....	J. Brennan.....	"	"
3	4	Daniel Looney.....	M. Mullaly.....	"	"
4	4	F. Ryan.....	E. Sheridan.....	"	"
5	4	R. W. Timms.....	J. J. Higgins.....	"	"
7	4	Joseph Hagan.....	C. Kelly.....	"	"
11	4	John Harty.....	M. McCormack.....	"	"
13	4	Richard Tobin.....	T. McKenna.....	"	"
16	4	Michael Simon.....	William Tiernan.....	"	"
18	4	Tim. J. Murphy.....	M. Higgins.....	"	"
19	4	P. Canty.....	J. Coyle.....	"	"
21	4	John J. Tierney.....	L. Ryan.....	"	"
20	4	T. F. Manning.....	J. A. Donegan.....	"	"
22	4	E. A. McCormack.....	J. C. Clark.....	"	"
26	4	W. H. Hall.....	John J. White.....	"	"
34	4	James J. Clifford.....	O. McGowan.....	"	"
16	7	T. Peddie.....	J. Flynn.....	"	"
16	7	E. C. Coleman.....	E. P. Green.....	"	"
2	14	T. McDonnell.....	C. Brandt, Jr.....	"	"
13	21	J. McGuirk.....	J. Kearney.....	"	"
24	23	L. F. Ahner.....	W. McGrath.....	"	Not found.
12	24	John J. Banigan.....	J. F. Gamble.....	"	Resigned.
12	24	A. Cwanib.....	E. J. Farrelly.....	"	"
43	24	P. McDermott.....	H. J. Walters.....	"	"
2	3	William Dreasen.....	M. A. Kiely.....	"	"
17	22	John Korfman.....	F. Smith.....	"	"
7	10	J. Hermann.....	C. Kuhnel.....	"	"
18	10	M. Hofman.....	G. Siegler.....	"	"
19	10	F. Stein.....	F. Wohlers.....	"	"
27	10	J. F. Werle.....	W. Krieger.....	"	"
30	10	J. A. Herzog.....	H. Korman.....	"	"
31	10	R. Seyffart.....	C. Reeb.....	"	"
31	10	J. H. Folz.....	A. Miller.....	"	"
38	10	E. F. Flood.....	L. Bastencastel.....	"	"
22	5	M. A. Sartouli.....	A. L. Frey.....	"	"
6	5	Marvin T. Hall.....	C. E. Hall.....	"	"
39	15	J. P. Wolf.....	W. E. Dean.....	"	"
9	15	James Coughlin.....	J. McLaughlin.....	"	"
1	14	Patrick H. Homan.....	F. J. Mullen.....	"	"

Commissioner McClave offered the following :

Whereas, The Legislature of 1872 passed a law providing that the boundaries of all election districts and the location of all places of registration or polling places shall be publicly advertised in two daily newspapers only, published in the City of New York, to be designated by the Board of Police ; and

Whereas, It has been construed by the Board of Police, since the passage of the act, a period of nineteen years, that the intent of the law was that such advertising should be published in one of each of such newspapers as would best represent the two great political parties, viz. : The Republican and Democratic parties of the City of New York ; and

Whereas, For the purpose of carrying out what has been construed to be the intent of the law, the Commissioner or Commissioners representing each of the two different parties have been permitted, on behalf of their respective parties, for a period of nineteen years, to name on behalf of such party the particular newspaper which, in their judgment, would best represent such party, in advertising as provided by the passage of the act ; and

Whereas, A petition signed by the representatives of the Republican party in the City of New York, through its executive members in each one of the twenty-four Assembly Districts, has been sent to Mr. McClave, as the Commissioner representing such party in the Board of Police, requesting that he name the "New York Tribune" as the newspaper which, in their judgment, would best represent their party in such advertising ; therefore be it

Resolved, That in conformity with such petition (which is hereby attached), the "New York Tribune" be designated as one of the newspapers for such advertising.

Commissioner Martin moved that the same be laid on the table.

Commissioner McClave asked and received permission to withdraw the preamble and resolution.

Commissioner McClave offered the following :

Resolved, That in the joint resolution the "New York Tribune" be designated as one of the newspapers for the advertising required under section 1929, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

Commissioner Martin moved to amend that the first blank in proposed resolution be filled by designating the "New York Daily News" as one of the newspapers for the advertising required under section 1929, chapter 410, Laws of 1882. Adopted—All voting aye.

Commissioner McClave moved that the second blank in proposed resolution be filled by designating the "New York Tribune" as one of the newspapers for the advertising required under section 1929, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

Commissioner Martin moved that the "New York Press" be substituted for the "New York Tribune." Lost, Commissioners Voorhis and Martin voting aye ; Commissioners MacLean and McClave voting no.

Commissioner McClave then offered the above preamble and resolution, which was ordered on file, Commissioners MacLean, Voorhis and Martin voting aye ; Commissioner McClave voting no.

Resolved, That the proposition of the East River Mill and Lumber Company to furnish election booths for the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars each, be accepted, and the Chairman of Committee on Repairs and Supplies directed to make the necessary arrangements.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 3d day of October, 1891.  
Present—Commissioners MacLean, McClave, Voorhis and Martin.

*Employed as Probationary Patrolmen.*

Edwin Wanamaker. Nicholas Guntzer.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be and is hereby directed to respectfully request the Health Department to return to this Department the rooms temporarily loaned to them, located on the first floor of Mott street side of Central Department building, and known as No. 38, the same being required for the use of Inspectors of Police, Second and Third Districts.

#### BUREAU OF ELECTIONS.

Commissioner McClave offered the following :

Resolved, That the "New York Tribune" be designated as one of the newspapers for the advertising required under section 1929, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

Commissioner Martin moved to amend, substituting the "New York Press." Lost, Commissioners Voorhis and Martin voting aye ; Commissioners MacLean and McClave voting no.

Commissioner Voorhis moved to amend that the morning edition of the "New York World" be so designated. Lost, Commissioners Voorhis and Martin voting aye ; Commissioners MacLean and McClave voting no.

The question on the original was then taken and carried, Commissioners MacLean, McClave and Voorhis voting aye ; Commissioner Martin voting no.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 5th day of October, 1891.

Present—Commissioners MacLean, McClave, Voorhis and Martin.

Report of Captain Cross, Twentieth Precinct, on death of Daniel Thompson, a prisoner on the 2d of October, was referred back to the Captain for report of all the circumstances of the case, giving dates of arrest, arraignment and time of detention.

*Applications for Civil Service Examination Referred to the Superintendent for Report.*

Sergeant Walter Norris, Twenty-third Precinct.

Roundsman David Cagney, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Communication from the Department of Parks, relative to detail of Policemen at Van Courtlandt Park on the 8th instant, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from Judges McAdam and Dugro, Superior Court, in behalf of Mrs. Rhodes, petitioner for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Communication from the Board of Aldermen—Resolution authorizing the Board of Police to perform work and procure supplies for election purposes, without contract founded upon sealed bids, was ordered on file.

Resolved, That of the Station-houses designated June 16, 1891, to receive women prisoners arrested in the several precincts, all women arrested in the First, Second, Third and Fourth Precincts shall be taken as soon as practicable to the Station-house of the Fourth Precinct ; those arrested in the Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twenty-fourth Precincts, to the Station-house of the Sixth Precinct ; those arrested in the Eighth, Ninth and Fifteenth Precincts, to the Station-house of the Fifteenth Precinct ; those arrested in the Sixteenth, Nineteenth and Twentieth Precincts, to the Station-house of the Nineteenth Precinct ; those arrested in the Seventh, Eleventh and Twelfth Precincts, to the Station-house of the Eleventh Precinct ; those arrested in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Precincts, to the Station-house of the Thirteenth Precinct ; those arrested in the Eighteenth and Twenty-first Precincts, to the Station-house of the Twenty-first Precinct ; those arrested in the Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Twenty-third Sub and Twenty-fifth Precincts, to the Station-house of the Twenty-fifth Precinct ; those arrested in the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth and Thirty-second Precincts, to the Station-house of the Twenty-ninth Precinct ; and those arrested in the Thirty-first, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Precincts, to the Station-house of the Thirty-third Precinct.

The Superintendent is directed to notify the force as often and as soon as the Station-houses designated are ready for the reception of women prisoners.

*Retired Officer—all aye.*

Roundsman George H. Winner, Thirty-second Precinct, \$650 per year.

Resolved, That Reuben R. Huntington be granted a re-examination by the Surgeons.

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen :

John H. Kearns.

Anthony C. Guntzer.

Jacob Samuels.

Thomas B. Kenney.

*To Civil Service Board for Examination for Promotion.*

Sergeant John Wiegand, Ninth Precinct.

Michael E. Foody, Fifteenth Precinct.

Roundsman Patrick Moran, Twenty-first Precinct.

#### Bureau of Elections.

Resolved, That the persons named in list marked "I" be selected and appointed as Inspectors of Election in the several districts named, in the place and stead of those previously selected, approved and appointed. That said list be ordered on file in the Bureau of Elections and the Chief of the Bureau directed to issue the necessary notices, and qualify them according to law.

ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
6	4	P. Barnett.....	Edw. Foley.....	Democratic....	Rejected.
18	19	W. J. Lyman.....	J. F. Pruden.....	"	Resigned.
23	19	J. A. Hyatt.....	W. Murray.....	"	"
37	19	Edw. Morris.....	J. E. Crowley.....	"	"
46	19	W. Requa.....	G. A. Allen.....	"	"
50	19	A. Hiffelsheimer.....	W. Kleine.....	"	"
71	19	V. Redmond.....	T. Gordon.....	"	"
39	17	J. Byrne.....	J. Keegan.....	"	"
10	24	S. O'Brien.....	W. F. Abbott.....	"	"
12	7	D. C. Ingram.....	L. C. Luthrs.....	"	"
15	13	G. D. Scott, Jr.....	E. V. Foley.....	"	"
21	15	C. Ford.....	P. Smith.....	"	"
21	4	J. F. Healy.....	J. J. Tierney.....	"	"
54	22	L. Purcell.....	H. T. Serf.....	"	"
55	22	J. Wilhelm.....	R. S. Meany.....	"	"
65	22	J. J. Morris.....	T. G. McGirr.....	"	"
12	2	D. Gallagher.....	R. F. Loftus.....	"	"
24	12	J. Kolb.....	H. Frey.....	"	"
13	20	William Scheuer.....	J. H. McGuire.....	"	"
31	4	T. Kelly.....	J. Kane.....	"	"
5	5	E. J. Feeney.....	T. Brennan.....	"	"
27	9	J. A. Carragher.....	H. C. Mercer.....	"	"
43	24	G. C. Van Wart.....	P. McDermott.....	"	"
25	23	H. Steinfelds.....	A. Baum.....	"	"
5	23	J. T. Cox.....	J. G. Gilmartin.....	"	"
72	23	B. Thompson.....	A. J. Gerety.....	"	"
56	19	B. Browne.....	J. G. Furman.....	"	"
2	10	A. Meerholz.....	W. Fuchslocher.....	"	"
21	10	E. Pfaff.....	F. Truicke.....	"	"
3	16	James J. Crawford.....	L. Gross.....	"	"



ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
12	19	T. Hunt.....	D. V. Butler .....	Republican .....	Resigned
73	22	C. S. Poore.....	W. Adams.....	" .....	"
17	23	A. M. Lynch.....	J. S. Earle.....	" .....	"
66	19	William Palmer.....	A. Nathan.....	" .....	"
20	6	W. L. Lynch.....	C. Ahner.....	" .....	"
8	9	A. Appel.....	C. A. Hunter.....	" .....	Not found.
15	13	J. F. Black.....	J. J. Delaney.....	" .....	Resigned.
1	21	J. T. Reilly.....	S. Klapper.....	" .....	"
3	21	T. F. Mallon.....	W. Weyss.....	" .....	Removed.
30	24	C. L. Rosenmiller.....	H. K. Hall.....	" .....	Resigned.
10	7	J. B. Hayes.....	J. McConnell.....	" .....	"
11	15	W. Leslie.....	S. Wilkes.....	" .....	"
29	10	J. Schmidt.....	J. Schmidt .....	" .....	"
5	10	J. Reiss.....	M. Adams.....	" .....	"
14	23	J. Nepel.....	F. Sgrist.....	" .....	"
14	23	H. E. Earle.....	A. Strauss.....	" .....	"
38	23	W. P. Peck.....	A. E. Kurtz.....	" .....	"
65	23	J. M. Sheehan.....	C. A. Hausman.....	" .....	"
48	19	W. J. Shackerton.....	W. W. Boyle.....	" .....	"
69	19	W. J. Brennan.....	W. Jessop, Jr.....	" .....	"
55	19	E. H. Knight.....	R. H. Caldwell .....	" .....	"
20	5	G. S. Taylor.....	C. Shiloh.....	" .....	"
50	23	C. Bayha.....	R. J. Wright.....	" .....	"
73	23	J. J. Elder.....	W. T. O'Brien.....	" .....	"
25	14	J. J. Lennon.....	M. J. McCarthy.....	" .....	"
28	22	H. Hanrahan.....	E. Stroppel.....	" .....	"
30	22	L. E. Cohen.....	J. K. Forde.....	" .....	"
49	22	J. DeYoung.....	M. Mayer.....	" .....	"
65	22	J. Diamond.....	P. O'Brien .....	" .....	"
69	22	J. Hemmingway.....	L. Brepson .....	" .....	"

Resolved, That the proposal of Martin B. Brown to furnish ballots, ten sets of nominations, seven hundred tickets each for eight hundred and eighty-seven Election Districts, at three dollars and ninety cents per thousand, all sample tickets to be furnished at same rate to be delivered at station-houses as directed, be and is hereby accepted—all voting aye.

Resolved, That the location of the following polling-places be and are hereby changed :

ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	FROM	TO
26	9	No. 82 Gansevoort street.....	No. 73 Gansevoort street.
33	19	No. 41 West Seventy-second street.....	No. 211 Columbus avenue.
35	19	No. 366 Amsterdam avenue.....	No. 360 Amsterdam avenue.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 6th day of October, 1891.

Present—Commissioners McLean, McClave, Voorhis and Martin.

Report of the Board of Examiners, eligible list for Roundsmen was ordered on file.

Weekly financial statement of the Comptroller was referred to the Treasurer.

Communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, relative to complaints, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from Mrs. Josephine Shaw Lowell, protesting against location of rooms in Fourth and Sixth Precinct Station-houses, assigned to use of Police Matrons, was ordered on file.

Resolved, That Rule 526 be amended to read as follows :

#### RULE 526—POLICE MATRONS.

The tours of duty of Police Matrons shall correspond with the arrangement of the same for Doormen of Police, during which tours the Police Matron on duty shall be constantly at the station-house and ready at all times to perform any and every service within her province as such Police Matron. She shall at all times, when on duty, be subject to the orders of the officer in command at the station-house.

A room shall be provided for the special use and accommodation of the Police Matrons in each station-house designated to receive and detain women prisoners. Members of the Police force are prohibited from interfering with or trespassing upon the privacy of the Police Matron during her tours of duty.

The officers in command at the station-houses designated as above shall cause women held under arrest to be kept separate and apart from the cells, corridors and apartments for males under arrest, and shall prevent any communication between the men and women therein confined except with the consent of the Police Matron or the officer in command.

When a woman prisoner is brought to the station-house the officer in command shall at once call the Police Matron on duty to make the necessary searches and perform such other service in connection with the arrest as may be required. When a woman prisoner is held she shall be conducted to a cell by the Police Matron and remain in her charge while so confined.

The Police Matron on duty shall visit the cells occupied by women prisoners at least once in each thirty minutes, and oftener, as the condition of the prisoner or prisoners shall require it and her other duties permit; and she shall be responsible for the safe-keeping of all such women prisoners, subject to the direction of the officer in command.

Any sick, injured or helpless woman prisoner who may be conveyed to the station-house shall be taken to a room other than the public sitting-room and there be treated and cared for only by a Surgeon and the Police Matron on duty, except in cases where the interests of humanity or justice shall require the attendance of others.

When the examination of the person or clothing of a woman prisoner, or other female in the temporary charge of the Police, shall be deemed to be necessary, such examination shall be made only by the Police Matron on duty, under direction of the officer in command and with the least possible exposure and publicity.

Doormen are prohibited from visiting the cells in which women prisoners are confined, except upon the call of the Police Matron or by special direction of the officer in command.

Arrests of women shall be reported on the daily morning returns of the precinct in which the arrest is made, but a record shall be made upon the blotter of the precinct where said women prisoners are confined, showing the name of the prisoner, name and precinct of the officer who made the arrest, also the time when the prisoner entered and left the station-house.

The officers in command of precincts where Police Matrons are employed shall keep the time of said Police Matrons and include them in the regular monthly pay-roll—all aye.

#### Transfer.

Patrolman William C. Schoelles from Eighteenth Precinct to Twenty-first Precinct.

Employed as Probationary Patrolmen.

Joseph A. Effenberger.	John J. Scott.	William J. Gregory.
Michael H. McCarthy.	William F. Lyman.	John McKenna.
Thomas W. Walsh.	John F. Bracken.	John Kelly.
Francis J. Farley.		

To Civil Service Board for Examination for Promotion.

Sergeant Walter Norris, Twenty-third Precinct.

Roundsmen David Cagney, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

#### Bureau of Elections.

Resolved, That the persons named in list marked "J," be selected and appointed as Inspectors of Election in the several districts named, in the place and stead of those previously selected, approved and appointed. That said list be ordered on file in the Bureau of Elections and the Chief of the Bureau directed to issue the necessary notices and qualify them according to law.

ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
17	4	John McMahon.....	J. Connors.....	Democratic.....	Failed to qualify.
30	4	James Walker.....	J. McBride.....	" .....	"
19	5	Thomas Heatherton.....	D. Brizzolara.....	" .....	"
17	7	Edward McGee.....	H. Binger.....	" .....	"
2	10	Aug. C. Hahn.....	A. Meerholz.....	" .....	"
7	10	Charles Schwing.....	C. Kuhne.....	" .....	"
21	10	William P. Scanlon.....	E. Pfaff.....	" .....	"
34	10	J. McDermott.....	J. J. Corcoran.....	" .....	Resigned.
34	10	C. G. Woods.....	John E. Wards.....	" .....	"
36	10	G. M. Brüll.....	J. B. Ill, Jr.....	" .....	"
13	12	James B. Cullen.....	D. J. Sharkey.....	" .....	Failed to qualify.
15	13	John F. Foley.....	G. D. Scott, Jr.....	" .....	"
10	15	John H. McKeon.....	J. Doyle.....	" .....	"
16	15	John Kelly.....	F. Kiernan.....	" .....	"
33	15	J. O. Kane.....	A. Healy.....	" .....	Resigned.
21	8	Michael Naftel.....	B. Reich.....	" .....	Failed to qualify.
3	16	Alexander Robinson.....	J. J. Crawford.....	" .....	"
9	17	George Wagner.....	R. Donovan.....	" .....	"
43	17	Edward Carney.....	P. J. O'Neill.....	" .....	"
2	19	Augustus Noonan.....	E. F. O'Neill.....	" .....	"
28	19	Stephen E. Negrin.....	P. Farley.....	" .....	"
32	19	Edward H. Kirby.....	M. J. Donovan.....	" .....	"
45	19	Henry Woods.....	J. M. Cogan.....	" .....	"
65	19	James S. Miller.....	G. Streetner.....	" .....	Resigned.
13	20	Harry R. Bailey.....	E. Gebharde.....	" .....	Failed to qualify.
26	20	Edward Kennedy.....	W. H. Wanner.....	" .....	"
29	20	Timothy E. Donohue.....	J. Eidt.....	" .....	Resigned.
2	21	Samuel Meyer.....	G. W. Murray.....	" .....	Failed to qualify.
27	21	George E. Darby.....	J. F. Sheridan.....	" .....	"
8	22	Benjamin C. Gerkin.....	J. Pierce.....	" .....	"
22	23	Walter D. Clark.....	M. Redden.....	" .....	"
39	24	Arthur J. Carey.....	J. Mehlem.....	" .....	Resigned.
68	22	M. J. McGuire.....	W. J. Loe.....	" .....	"
53	23	James Connor.....	Frank W. Geraty.....	" .....	"
17	13	John J. McGuire.....	Charles Miller.....	" .....	Removed.
32	19	John E. Hodges.....	John McCoy.....	" .....	"
10	4	Edward McFadden.....	Henry Monahan.....	" .....	"
8	7	Charles E. O'Donnell.....	John Glynn.....	" .....	"
27	16	James J. Crawford.....	B. Carey.....	" .....	"
64	19	Robert D. McClintock.....	W. J. Kinnard.....	" .....	"
43	19	James Egan.....	D. S. Murrey.....	" .....	"
40	23	John F. Kelly.....	George Moynahan.....	" .....	Resigned.
38	15	Thomas J. Dunn.....	M. Coburn.....	" .....	"
22	19	Thomas Gallagher.....	J. Bateman.....	" .....	"
25	19	James J. Ahearn.....	T. McCoy.....	" .....	"
26	17	James Malloy.....	E. F. Rush.....	" .....	"
19	19	Robert L. Wooley.....	P. F. Brady.....	" .....	"
49	17	Denis J. Sullivan.....	C. Gottlieb.....	" .....	"
21	20	Louis Levy.....	P. O. Connell.....	" .....	"
7	22	John E. Rooney.....	Benjamin Nagelschmitt.....	" .....	"
50	22	A. F. Fraser.....	J. A. Flanagan.....	" .....	"
1	23	W. H. Rooney.....	J. Dalton.....	" .....	"
20	23	S. H. Hallen.....	W. Goldsmith.....	" .....	"
21	23	T. F. Schaffner.....	J. F. Hannon.....	" .....	"
28	4	James J. Gunia.....	W. J. Ahearn.....	" .....	"
68	22	James Waterman.....	M. J. McGuire.....	" .....	"
49	19	Jono W. Hickey.....	G. J. Frankle.....	" .....	"
18	3	F. E. Bowns.....	W. Hartley.....	" .....	"
6	9	Sidney J. Smith.....	G. J. Dominick.....	Republican.....	Failed to qualify.
29	10	T. Frankenrich.....	J. Schmidt.....	" .....	"
23	13	Edw. J. Rogan.....	H. R. Kroll.....	" .....	"
11	14	George B. Jolliffe.....	G. J. Brett.....	" .....	Resigned.
24	15	H. G. Mallan.....	J. L. Gallagher.....	" .....	Failed to qualify.
3	19	Frederick P. Hayes.....	W. V. Ruppert.....	" .....	"
69	19	Frank F. Boyle.....	W. J. Brennan.....	" .....	"
5	21	Lewis D. Richards.....	F. A. Smith.....	" .....	"
8	21	A. E. Lessman.....	A. R. Packard.....	" .....	"
22	22	Max Goldman.....	S. Roth.....	" .....	"
34	22	George A. Taylor.....	J. F. Quirk.....	" .....	"
35	22	Henry Bach.....	M. H. O'Donoghue.....	" .....	"
66	22	Joseph Nohles.....	J. Diamond.....	" .....	Resigned.
38	23	G. P. Valls.....	W. P. Peck.....	" .....	Failed to qualify.
66	23	John J. Tracey.....	W. White.....	" .....	"
75	23	Frank McLean.....	W. S. Lockwood.....	" .....	"
12	24	W. T. Probert.....	A. Fox.....	" .....	"
7	8	George E. Brooks.....	R. G. Vail.....	" .....	Removed.



ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
16	5	Oliver Cromwell.....	A. Lawrence.....	Republican....	Removed.
21	18	Robert Clifford.....	H. Bielefeld.....	"	"
23	13	Peter W. Clarke.....	E. F. Holden.....	"	"
76	19	F. A. Powers.....	S. C. Tappen.....	"	"
46	23	Frank F. Wilford.....	F. Schofield.....	"	"
20	15	Ferdinand Whitlow.....	C. F. Dedrick.....	"	"
37	10	Joseph Schmidt.....	H. F. Hofacker.....	"	"
11	10	James H. Post.....	H. Buhler.....	"	"
23	19	William H. Baylin.....	J. J. Harrison.....	"	"
6	14	John Martin.....	J. F. Cline.....	"	"
35	20	David L. Brooks.....	P. Newmark.....	"	"
20	20	Levy Lazarus.....	A. Baer.....	"	"
30	22	Charles Cook.....	R. Althaus.....	"	"
32	22	R. P. Winne.....	W. C. Silsbee.....	"	"
2	23	Meyer Grayhead.....	H. A. Lewe.....	"	"
40	24	M. E. Gallenberg.....	W. E. Garrett.....	"	"
27	23	E. C. Coggershall.....	William Handlen.....	"	"
53	19	James McCourt.....	T. S. Kearns.....	"	"

Resolved, That the following polling-places be and are hereby changed :

ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	FROM	TO
26	9	No. 73 Gansevoort street.....	No. 31 Ninth avenue.
15	13	No. 159 Tenth avenue.....	No. 175 Tenth avenue.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
TUESDAY, October 6, 1891—11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call :

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, October 2, 1891.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 189th section of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor on Tuesday, October 6, 1891, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

INDORSED :

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 2d day of October, 1891.

HUGH J. GRANT,  
Mayor ;

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller ;

J. H. V. ARNOLD,  
President of the Board of Aldermen ;

E. P. BARKER,  
President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

On motion of the Chairman, the Board adjourned until to-morrow, October 7, 1891, at 11 o'clock A. M.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
WEDNESDAY, October 7, 1891—11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—All the members, viz.:

Hugh J. Grant, the Mayor ; Theodore W. Myers, the Comptroller ; John H. V. Arnold, the President of the Board of Aldermen ; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meetings held July 28, August 13, September 9, 11 and 16, 1891, were read and approved.

The Comptroller presented the following :

BOARD OF EDUCATION, No. 146 GRAND STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 28, 1891.

(In Board of Education, September 16, 1891.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of thirty-five dollars (\$35) be and the same is hereby appropriated from the premiums derived from the sale of School-house Bonds, under the act chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, for the purpose of paying the bill of Amerman & Ford, for survey of property on northeast corner of First avenue and East Ninth street, and Nos. 407 and 409 East Ninth street, May 26, 1891, adjoining Primary School No. 22, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to approve of the same and the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and that said Board designate and appropriate this amount for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same to be paid by the Comptroller, requisition therefor being hereby made upon the Comptroller.

Extract from the minutes.

And offered the following :

Whereas, The Board of Education adopted a resolution on September 16, 1891, requesting the approval of this Board to an appropriation of thirty-five dollars (\$35) for the payment of the bill of Amerman & Ford for survey of property on the northeast corner of First avenue and Ninth street, and Nos. 407 and 409 East Ninth street, dated May 26, 1891, adjoining Primary School No. 22, in the Seventeenth Ward ; therefore,

Resolved, That the sum of thirty-five dollars (\$35) be and is hereby appropriated for the payment of said bill of Amerman & Ford, and the Comptroller is authorized to pay the amount thereof out of the premiums received on the sale of School-house Bonds heretofore issued under the act, chapter 136, Laws of 1888, and credited to the account of the Board of Education, as required by said resolution.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following :

BOARD OF EDUCATION, No. 146 GRAND STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 28, 1891.

(In Board of Education, September 16, 1891.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents be and it is hereby appropriated from the premiums received from the sale of School-house Bonds issued under the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889 ; such sum to be applied to the payment of the bill of expenses of the Counsel to the Corporation, incurred in searching the title to property on One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, adjoining Grammar School No. 85, requisition for which sum is hereby made upon the Comptroller.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

And offered the following :

Whereas, The Board of Education adopted a resolution on September 16, 1891, requesting the approval of this Board to an appropriation of one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents (\$156.50), for the payment of bill of expenses of the Counsel to the Corporation, incurred in searching the title to property on One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, adjoining Grammar School No. 85, in the Twenty-third Ward, under the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889 ; therefore,

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents (\$156.50) be and is hereby appropriated for the payment of said bill of the Counsel to the Corporation ; and the Comptroller is authorized to pay the amount thereof out of the premiums received from the sale of School-house Bonds heretofore issued under the act, chapter 252, Laws of 1889, and credited to the account of the Board of Education, as required by said resolution.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 28, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

I present herewith a resolution of the Board of Education adopted at its meeting of September 9, 1891, requesting an appropriation of four hundred and seventy dollars (\$470) from the premiums received on the sale of School-house Bonds, to provide the necessary funds for the work of laying a water supply-pipe to the new school building at Spuyten Duyvil, from the nearest main, which is about nineteen hundred feet distant. The building is now completed and ready for occupancy with the exception of this supply-pipe ; but it appears from the specifications for the new building that the contractors have complied with every detail, which only required that connection should be made with the main in the street and this has been done to the curb-line. But it appears that there is no main in the street ; so that the supply must come from the nearest main which is, as stated above, nineteen hundred feet distant.

One estimate has been submitted to the Board of Education for the price named above ; the Engineer of the Finance Department considers such price fair and reasonable.

In view of the fact that the failure to provide for this supply-pipe in the contract is the only reason why the new building cannot be occupied, I am of opinion that the appropriation should be made, and I offer the following resolution for adoption.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,  
NEW YORK, September 11, 1891.

(In Board of Education, September 9, 1891.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of two thousand four hundred and seventy dollars (\$2,470), be and the same is hereby appropriated from the premiums derived from the sale of School-house Bonds, under the act, chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, for payment of expenses of laying water supply-pipe from water main at the fire-plug to and connect the same with school supply-pipe of new school building at Spuyten Duyvil ; and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to approve of the same and the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and that said Board designate and appropriate this amount for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same be paid by the Comptroller, requisition therefor being hereby made upon the Comptroller, and that all by-laws or parts of by-laws inconsistent herewith are hereby suspended for the purposes of this resolution.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 24, 1891.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller :

SIR—The Board of Education, by resolution adopted September 9, 1891, requests the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to an appropriation of \$2,470 "for payment of expenses of laying water supply-pipe from water-main at the fire-plug to and connect the same with school supply-pipe of school building at Spuyten Duyvil."

It appears that the specifications for the building only require the connection of the water-pipes of the building with the water-main in the street, and they have been run to the curb-line. But there being no water-main there, the water has to be brought from the nearest accessible point, which is distant one thousand nine hundred feet from the school-house. The estimate is for a one-inch tap at the water-plug, and a two-inch pipe to the school-house, to be laid three feet below the grade. The trench will be partly in earth and partly in rock—about one-half the distance in the latter.

The school-house is in readiness for use, with the exception of the water, which can only be obtained by means of this pipe.

Only one estimate has been submitted, which is for the above sum, \$2,470. It is reasonable and just.

I see no reason why the appropriation should not be approved.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following :

Whereas, The Board of Education on September 9, 1891, adopted a resolution requesting the approval of this Board to an appropriation of twenty-four hundred and seventy dollars from the premiums received on the sale of School-house Bonds heretofore issued under the provisions of chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, for work to be done in laying a supply-pipe from the present pipes in the building to the nearest water-main for furnishing water to the new school building at Spuyten Duyvil ; and

Whereas, The Engineer of the Finance Department reports that the price submitted is just and reasonable ; therefore,

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves of the action of the Board of Education as set forth in the above resolution ; and

Resolved, That this Board hereby designates and appropriates the sum of twenty-four hundred and seventy dollars (\$2,470), for the purpose of laying the water-supply pipe from the nearest main to the new school building at Spuyten Duyvil, as provided in the resolution of the Board of Education of September 9, 1891 ; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to pay the amount thereof out of premiums received on the sale of School-house Bonds heretofore issued under the act, chapter 136, Laws of 1888, and credited to the account of the Board of Education, as required by said resolution.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 11, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

The application of the Board of Education for the purchase of a site for a public school in the Twenty-fourth Ward, at Woodlawn Heights, is herewith reported favorably. The property has been examined by the Engineer of the Finance Department, whose report is annexed ; the price of forty-two hundred dollars is considered reasonable for eight city lots two hundred feet from the corner of Third street. I offer the following resolution for adoption by this Board.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,  
NEW YORK, June 4, 1891.

(In Board of Education, June 3, 1891.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200) be and is hereby appropriated from the premiums received on the sale of School-house Bonds heretofore issued under the act chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, for the purchase as a site for school purposes, of all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being on the northerly side of Clinton avenue and the southerly side of Willard avenue, between Second and Third streets, at Woodlawn Heights, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows : Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Willard avenue distant about two hundred feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Third street with the southerly side of Willard avenue and running thence easterly, along the southerly side of Willard avenue, about one hundred feet ; thence southerly, parallel with Third street, about two hundred feet, to the northerly



side of Clinton avenue; thence westerly, along the northerly side of Clinton avenue, about one hundred feet, and thence northerly, parallel with Third street, about two hundred feet, to the point or place of beginning; that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to approve of the same and of the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and to designate and appropriate the amount necessary to be expended for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same be paid by the Comptroller of the City of New York out of said premiums, requisition therefor being hereby made, for the said piece or parcel of land and premises above mentioned, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds for the same, together with the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation that the title thereto is satisfactory and free from all incumbrances, and is vested in The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

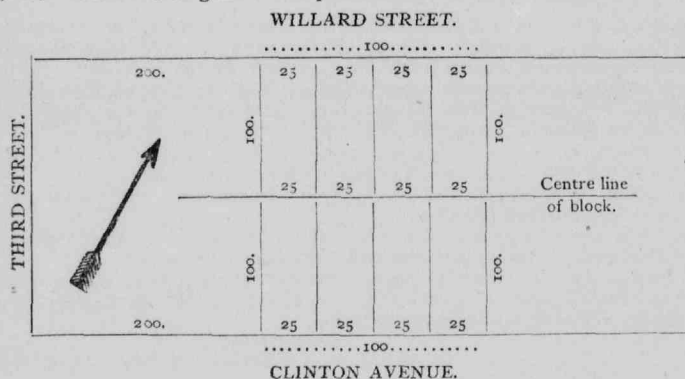
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ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
June 13, 1891.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—In the matter of the request of the Board of Education, made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the approval of an appropriation of \$4,200, for the purchase of a site for school purposes at Woodlawn Heights, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, I have the honor to report that, in my opinion, the property designated and described in the resolution is reasonable at the price named, \$4,200. Below is a diagram of the premises.



Respectfully,  
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Whereas, The Board of Education, at its meeting of June 3, 1891, adopted a resolution requesting the appropriation by this Board of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200) from premiums received on the sale of School-house Bonds, heretofore issued, for the purchase of a school site in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the City of New York; therefore,

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves of the action of the Board of Education in appropriating the sum of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200) from the premiums received on the sale of School-house Bonds, heretofore issued, under chapter 136, Laws of 1888, for the purchase as a site for school purposes all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being on the northerly side of Clinton avenue and the southerly side of Willard avenue, between Second and Third streets, at Woodlawn Heights, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Willard avenue, distant about two hundred feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Third street with the southerly side of Willard avenue, and running thence easterly along the southerly side of Willard avenue about one hundred feet; thence southerly, parallel with Third street, about two hundred feet to the northerly side of Clinton avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Clinton avenue, about one hundred feet; and thence northerly, parallel with Third street, about two hundred feet, to the point or place of beginning; and the Comptroller is authorized to pay the amount thereof out of premiums received on the sale of School-house Bonds heretofore issued under said act, and credited to the account of the Board of Education, as requested by said resolution, upon the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation; and that the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to take such measures as may be necessary to protect the interests of the City in the matter.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
October 7, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

In pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, the Board of Street Opening authorized the acquisition of title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward, bounded on the west by Avenue B, on the north and east by the Harlem and East rivers, and on the south by East Eighty-sixth street, for a Public Park, and Commissioners of Estimate were duly appointed by the Supreme Court for the assessment of damage and benefit, whose report was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated May 27, 1891, and entered in the office of the County Clerk, on June 12, 1891.

The assessment for benefit amounts to \$522,118.88, as follows:

Total awards.....	\$503,825 00
Taxed costs.....	18,293 88
Total.....	\$522,118 88
Assessments upon private property.....	\$261,059 44
Assessments upon the Mayor, etc.....	261,059 44
Total.....	\$522,118 88

Section 10 of said act provides for the issue of bonds or stock of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be payable from taxation and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than thirty years from the date of issue, in such amounts as shall be necessary for carrying out the purposes of the act.

I submit herewith an opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation in regard to the issue of bonds to pay the awards and expenses incurred by the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter, and upon other points more or less obscure and doubtful, contained in the provisions of said act and requiring the construction of the chief legal adviser of the City for the government and action of this Board and the Comptroller in carrying out the purposes of the act. The Counsel to the Corporation advises in said opinion as follows:

"Section 10 contains the unusual provisions that the Comptroller shall issue bonds or stock payable from taxation and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than thirty years for the payment of the several expenses to be incurred under the authority of the act, including the damages awarded and expenses incurred upon the acquisition of land, etc., and the construction of the parks and erection of buildings therein.

"Although unusual in such an act, as already stated, the provision is perfectly clear and requires the issue of long bonds for the entire cost and expense of these additional public parks."

In accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation and the provisions of law applicable to the issue of bonds or stock, I present herewith a resolution to authorize the issue of stock to pay the awards for damage and expenses incurred in acquiring title to the lands for a public park, as above described and stated, amounting to the sum of \$522,118.88.

Respectfully submitted,  
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, September 14, 1891.

Hon. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—I am in receipt of your communication of the 16th of July, in which you request my opinion as to certain provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, which is an act to provide for the location, acquisition, construction and improvement of additional public parks in the City of New York.

You cite a portion of section 8 of the act and, in connection therewith, ask my opinion upon the following points:

1. How are assessments to be collected under the provision requiring them to be paid "on demand"? Shall the "demand" be made personally or by publication?
2. When does the penalty of interest for non-payment of assessments begin?

3. Are "owners" and "occupants" of premises assessed equally liable, and on whom shall demand be made?

4. Are long bonds, to be issued for the total cost of the small public parks, payable from taxation without reference to collections from assessments on private property for lands taken, and what disposition shall be made of them?

The act in question presents very great difficulties, not only by reason of its obscure phraseology, but because of several important omissions.

I think, however, a careful reading of the statute furnishes an answer to the questions which you ask.

Under the provision requiring assessments to be paid on demand, it would seem that however awkward and difficult such a course may be, that the demand contemplated is a personal one. It would not seem that a demand of this character could be legally made by publication.

As to the time which interest is payable, the act is very defective and obscure, but the time contemplated from which interest shall run is evidently intended to be the date of the confirmation of the report.

In your third question you ask whether the owners and occupants of premises assessed are equally liable and on whom shall demand be made.

As to who are the owners and occupants and who are the persons on whom demand shall be made, I think the answer must be found in the report of the Commissioners, and that the persons there designated are those referred to in your question.

Section 10 contains the unusual provisions that the Comptroller shall issue bonds or stock payable from taxation and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than thirty years for the payment of the several expenses to be incurred under the authority of the act, including the damages awarded and expenses incurred upon the acquisition of land, etc., and the construction of the parks and erection of buildings therein.

Although unusual in such an act, as already stated, the provision is perfectly clear and requires the issue of long bonds for the entire cost and expense of these additional public parks.

A question left entirely undecided under the act is "what shall become of the money received from assessments for benefit?"

Under the circumstances, I think the most advisable course is to deposit the money received from assessments for benefits in the general fund under section 179 of the Consolidation Act.

Yours, respectfully,

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 10 of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, and in conformity with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, dated September 14, 1891, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue from time to time as required, stock of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of five hundred and twenty-two thousand one hundred and eighteen dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$522,118.88), payable from taxation, for a term not less than ten nor more than thirty years from the date of issue, at such rate of interest as the Comptroller may determine, not exceeding three per centum per annum, for the purpose of paying the awards and expenses incurred in acquiring title to lands in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for a public park, known as the East River Park, as stated in the report of the duly appointed Commissioners of Estimate, confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated May 27, 1891.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 11, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

The Board of Education, at its meeting of July 1, 1891, adopted a resolution requesting that an appropriation of seventy-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$72,500) be made from the proceeds of further additional bonds to be issued under chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, with the approval of this Board, for the purchase as a site for school purposes of a certain parcel of land in the Nineteenth Ward of this city on the northeast corner of Eighty-first street and Avenue A, having an area of 8.025 city lots.

The Engineer of the Finance Department reports that he has examined the property; that it is well located for the purpose intended, and that the price named is reasonable.

I offer the following preamble and resolution for such action as this Board may deem advisable:

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,  
NEW YORK, July 2, 1891.

(In Board of Education, July 1, 1891.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of seventy-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$72,500) be and is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of further additional bonds to be issued under and in pursuance of the act, chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, for the purchase, as a site for school purposes, of all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Eighty-first street with the easterly side of Avenue A, and running thence northerly along the easterly side of Avenue A, about one hundred and seventy-eight feet eight inches; thence easterly, parallel with Eighty-first street, about ninety-eight feet; thence southerly, parallel with Avenue A, about seventy-six feet six inches; thence easterly, parallel with Eighty-first street, about twenty-five feet; thence southerly, parallel with Avenue A, about one hundred and two feet two inches, to the northerly side of Eighty-first street, and thence westerly, along the northerly side of Eighty-first street, about one hundred and twenty-three feet, to the point or place of beginning; that the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he is hereby requested to issue such further additional bonds, for the purpose of providing the funds to meet the expenditures necessary for the purchase of said site; and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to approve of the same and of the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and to designate and appropriate the amount necessary to be expended for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made for the said piece or parcel of land and premises above mentioned, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds for the same, together with the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation that the title thereto is satisfactory and free from all incumbrances, and is vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

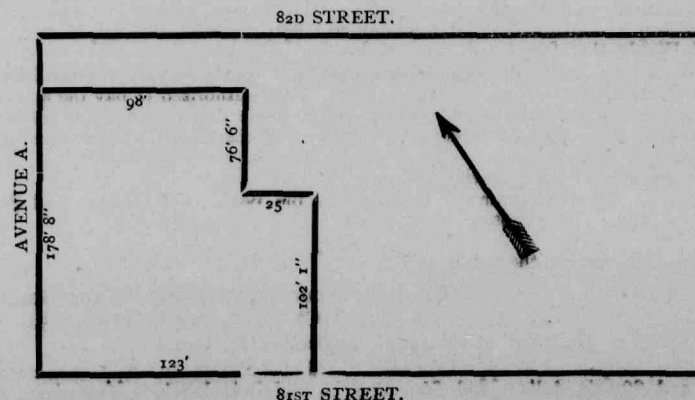
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ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
July 20, 1891.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education, by resolution adopted July 1, 1891, requests the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of an appropriation of the sum of \$72,500 for the purchase of property on the northeast corner of Eighty-first street and Avenue A as a site for school purposes.



I have examined the property, the location of which is shown on the above diagram, and think it well located for the purpose intended.

Taking into consideration the advantages of the site, it being the only suitable ground vacant in that vicinity, the streets and avenue being well built up, I regard the price, \$72,500, reasonable.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.



And offered the following :

Whereas, The Board of Education, at its meeting of July 1, 1891, adopted a resolution requesting an appropriation of seventy-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$72,500) from the proceeds of further additional bonds to be issued, with the approval of this Board, for the purchase of a site for school purposes, of all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Eighty-first street with the easterly side of Avenue A, and running thence northerly along the easterly side of Avenue A about one hundred and seventy-eight feet eight inches; thence easterly, parallel with Eighty-first street, about ninety-eight feet; thence southerly, parallel with Avenue A, about seventy-six feet six inches; thence easterly, parallel with Eighty-first street, about twenty-five feet; thence southerly, parallel with Avenue A, about one hundred and two feet two inches to the northerly side of Eighty-first street; and thence westerly, along the northerly side of Eighty-first street, about one hundred and twenty-three feet to the point or place of beginning; and

Whereas, The Engineer of the Finance Department reports that the property is well located for the purpose, and that the price is reasonable at the sum above mentioned; therefore

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves of the action of the Board of Education in the above matter; and

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue additional School-house Bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of seventy-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$72,500), to run for such period as the Comptroller shall determine, not longer than twenty years from the date of issue, and at a rate of interest not exceeding three per cent. per annum, the proceeds of which bonds are to be applied to the purpose mentioned in said resolution; and

Resolved, That the said stock is hereby exempted from taxation by the City and County of New York, pursuant to an Ordinance of the Common Council approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.  
October 7, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

I present herewith a communication from the President of the Fire Department, inclosing a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners on the 30th of September, 1891, requesting this Board to authorize the transfer of certain balances of the appropriations which are in excess of the amounts required, made to that Department for 1891, to certain other appropriations for 1891, which are insufficient for the uses thereof.

I offer the following resolution authorizing the transfer requested.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 30, 1891.

Hon. Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to inform you of the adoption of the following resolution by the Board of Fire Commissioners at a meeting held this day :

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the transfer of amounts of estimated balances, which will not be used for the purposes for which they were appropriated for the year 1891, to the appropriations specified, for the year 1891, for which the amounts are needed, as follows :

From the appropriation "For New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, etc."..... \$500 00

—to the appropriation "For New Sites for Apparatus Houses," to enable the purchase of a lot on the north side of West One Hundred and Fifteenth street, twenty-five by one hundred feet, about one hundred feet east of Lenox avenue.

From the appropriations for salaries, viz. :

"Headquarters Pay-roll"..... \$2,585 00  
"Salary—Instructor Sappers and Miners"..... 2,000 00  
"Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll"..... 2,700 00  
"Bureau of Inspection of Buildings Pay-roll"..... 2,938 00  
"Telegraph Force Pay-roll"..... 635 00

Total..... \$10,858 00

To the appropriation for "Salaries—Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-rolls"..... \$4,858 00  
—to the appropriation for "Apparatus, Supplies, etc."..... 6,000 00

The matter is very urgent and your favorable consideration of the resolution is requested.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) HENRY D. PURROY, President.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Fire Department for 1891, entitled "For New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies," which is in excess of the amount required, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1891, entitled "New Sites for Apparatus Houses" to be approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, which is insufficient for the purposes and objects thereof; and be it further

Resolved, That the sum of ten thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight dollars (\$10,858) be and hereby is transferred from the following appropriations made to the Fire Department for 1891, and which are in excess of the amounts required for the purposes, viz. :

From the appropriations—  
"For Salaries—Headquarters Pay-roll"..... \$2,585 00  
"Salary—Instructor Sappers and Miners"..... 2,000 00  
"Bureau of Combustibles, Pay-roll"..... 2,700 00  
"Bureau of Inspection of Buildings Pay-roll"..... 2,938 00  
"Telegraph Force Pay-roll"..... 635 00

Total..... \$10,858 00

—to the following appropriations made to the Fire Department for 1891, viz. :

"For Salaries—Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-rolls"..... \$4,858 00  
"For Apparatus, Supplies, etc."..... 6,000 00

Total..... \$10,858 00

—which are insufficient for the purposes and objects thereof.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller called the attention of the Board to a judgment obtained by George L. Green, an Attendant, appointed by the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, and for the payment of which no provision had been made in the Final Estimate for the year 1891.

The Corporation Counsel being present, recommended that provision be made for paying the judgment.

The Mayor objected to the consideration of the subject, inasmuch as it was represented to him that the claimant had not rendered services during the time it was claimed that he was employed, and to recognize the matter at this time would give the claimant grounds for further claims.

Debate was had thereon, when, on motion, the further consideration of the subject was deferred.

The Secretary offered the following :

Resolved, That one hundred copies of the Departmental Estimates of the heads of Departments and other annual estimates for the year 1892, sent to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to a resolution adopted July 22, 1891, be printed immediately, in the usual form, under the direction of the Clerk to the Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That the heads of Departments, the Board of Education and all officers who have annual appropriations made to them by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, be and are

hereby requested to furnish to this Board, positively, on or before the first day of December, 1891, statements of all unexpended balances of appropriations made to them for the year 1890 and all previous years, together with statements of all unsettled claims and liabilities that may exist against such unexpended balances of appropriations, stating the nature of the claims or liabilities and the names of the claimants and the amounts thereof.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

On motion of the Comptroller it was resolved that this Board designate Thursday, October 15, 1891, at eleven o'clock A. M., as the time when it will meet for the purpose of proceeding with the consideration of the Provisional Estimate for the year 1892.

Communications were received from the Italian Home and Hospital, Beth Israel Hospital, and Immaculate Heart Convent of Watertown, N. Y., making application for appropriations from the Excise Fund.

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending October 3, 1891 :

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

### SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGISTER FOLIO.	WHEN COMMENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme....	42 202	1891. Sept. 29	Schwalbe, Pauline.....	Damages for alleged personal injuries received from falling on sidewalk in front of No. 1574 Third avenue, on June 17, 1891, \$10,000.
"	42 203	" 29	Crane, Clarissa L. and Albert Crane.....	To recover back amount of alleged illegal assessment paid for 9th avenue flagging, etc., from 64th to 71st street, on premises Ward Nos. 3 and 4, Block 112, \$85.78 paid September 15, 1875; also for 3d avenue flagging, from 93d to 101st streets, on Ward Nos. 33, 34, 35 and 36, Block 384, \$142.05, paid September 3, 1885, \$227.83.
"	42 204	" 30	Dry Dock Savings Institution (The) vs. Lorenz Weiher, Bernard F. Martin, as Commissioner of Jurors of the City of New York et al., No. 1.	To foreclose a mortgage.
"	42 404	" 30	Dry Dock Savings Institution (The) vs. Lorenz Weiher, Bernard F. Martin, as Commissioner of Jurors of the City of New York et al., No. 2.	To foreclose a mortgage.
"	42 204	" 30	Dry Dock Savings Institution (The) vs. Lorenz Weiher, Bernard F. Martin, as Commissioner of Jurors of the City of New York, et al., No. 3.	To foreclose a mortgage.
"	42 204	" 30	Dry Dock Savings Institution (The) vs. Lorenz Weiher, Bernard F. Martin, as Commissioner of Jurors of the City of New York, et al., No. 4.	To foreclose a mortgage.
"	42 205	" 30	Hull, William H. H., K. Eugene Bunnell and Charles G. Dans.....	For printing advertisements for the Street Cleaning Department in various city newspapers prior to January 1, 1891, \$73.65.
Com. Pleas.	42 205	" 30	Brown, David S.....	For cost of repairing damage to sidewalk in front of No. 176 West Seventy-second street, in December, 1887, caused by the bursting of the water-main, \$16.
Superior..	42 207	" 30	O'Shea, Edward.....	Balance of salary as Inspector of Masonry on the New Croton Aqueduct since 1886, \$1,151.17.
Supreme....	42 208	" 30	Allen, Thomas.....	Salary as Laborer in the Department of Public Parks, \$98.56.
"	42 209	" 30	Byrnes, James.....	Salary as Laborer in the Department of Public Parks, \$96.56.
"	42 210	" 30	Dorsey, Patrick.....	Salary as Laborer in the Department of Public Parks, \$98.56.
"	42 211	" 30	Hoey, Michael.....	Salary as Laborer in the Department of Public Parks, \$82.72.
"	42 212	" 30	Kelly, Daniel.....	Salary as Laborer in the Department of Public Parks, \$251.68.
"	42 213	" 30	Long, James G.....	Salary as Laborer in the Department of Public Parks, \$251.68.
"	42 214	" 30	Murray, Patrick.....	Salary as Laborer in the Department of Public Parks, \$251.68.
"	42 215	" 30	Stender, Andrew.....	Salary as Laborer in the Department of Public Parks, \$103.84.
Surrogate's.	42 216	Oct. 1	Glauber, Sophie, Matter of....	Application for the appointment of a special guardian to appear for Abraham Glauber, an inmate of the Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.
Supreme....	42 217	" 2	Valentine, Elizabeth H.....	For awards made in the matter of opening Melrose avenue, \$9,920.
"	42 218	" 2	Valentine, Benjamin E.....	For awards made in the matter of opening Melrose avenue, \$2,700.
"	42 219	" 2	Valentine, Elizabeth H., and Margaret P. Valentine....	For awards made in the matter of opening Melrose avenue, \$6,650.

### SCHEDULE "B."

ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS ENTERED (EXCEPT THOSE INCLUDED IN SCHEDULE "D.")

John Jacob Astor, as trustee, etc.—Order entered granting the motion and continuing the action in the name of the New York Life Insurance and Trust Co., as trustee, etc.

People ex rel. Francis O. Matthiesson, executor, etc., vs. Michael Coleman et al., composing the Board of Taxes and Assessments—Order entered reducing the assessment upon the personal property of the relator from \$700,000 to \$400,000.

Matter of opening East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue—Order entered confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

People ex rel. Michael Magee vs. Edwin A. Post et al., composing the Board of Docks—Judgment entered in favor of the relator for \$164.32 costs and disbursements.

Samuel O. Wright—Order entered discontinuing proceedings without costs to either party.

Matter of Ole Skarning, an alleged lunatic—Order of reference entered.

In re Second Avenue Railroad Company, paving First avenue, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Ninth streets—Order entered substituting Merrill & Rogers, as attorneys for the petitioner, in place of Augustus C. Hutchins.

Matter of opening Manhattan street; East One Hundred and Seventy-first street; Bergen avenue; Riverside Park; Edgecombe road; One Hundred and Sixty-third street; Webster avenue; Wendover avenue; One Hundred and Sixtieth street; East One Hundred and Sixty-second street—Orders entered adjourning the motions to confirm the reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

### SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

Matter of opening East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue—Motion to confirm the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment made before Ingraham, J.; granted; C. Berry for the City.

Matter of the Armory Board—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to October 2; proceeded and adjourned to October 9; C. D. Olenford for the City.

People ex rel. Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Co. vs. The Commissioner of Public Works—Motion for a permit to open Eighty-sixth street made before Van Brunt, J.; motion granted; D. J. Dean for the City.

Matter of Wilhelm Eger—Reference proceeded and adjourned to October 17, 1891; C. A. O'Neill for the City.



SCHEDULE "D."  
SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED.

REGIS- TER FOLIO.	COURT.	TITLE.	CAUSE OF ACTION.	CLAIM.	DATE.	HOW DONE.	REMARKS.
42 119	Supreme ....	Frank S. Beard .....	Transcript of stenographic notes furnished to } District Attorney.....	\$1,807 75	1891. Sept. 28	{ Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,807.75 certified to Comptroller .....	Without trial; letter to Comptroller.
42 191	" .....	Samuel O. Wright.....	To compel cancellation of an assessment for a sewer in 6th avenue, on plaintiff's property. ....	"	" 29	Order entered discontinuing action without costs ....	By consent.
[3] 116	" .....	Matter of opening East 172d street, from Van- derbilt to 3d avenue...	Proceedings to acquire title to property.....	"	" 30	{ Order entered confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment .....	Upon motion before Ingraham, J.
40 236	" .....	People ex rel. Francis O. Matthewson vs. Com- missioners of Taxes and Assessments.....	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's personal property for the year 1890.....	"	Oct. 1	Order reducing assessment certified to Comptroller..	After argument before Patterson, J.
39 540	" .....	People ex rel. Michael Magee vs. Dock Com- missioners of New York	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator. ....	"	" 2	{ Judgment for costs certified to Comptroller for pay- ment .....	After argument at General Term.

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Monday, September 21, 1891, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker and Scott.  
The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of Vouchers Nos. 7259 to 7267, inclusive, amounting to \$41,546.25, being estimates for work done by contractors.  
On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.  
The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, September 23, 1891, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon.  
The Construction or Executive Committee presented the following:  
The Construction or Executive Committee report:  
That at a meeting of said Committee, held on September 22, 1891, the following resolution was adopted, and they now ask your approval of their said action:  
"Resolved, That the bid-box be closed, and the keys given to the President; and that the Secretary be authorized by this Commission to receive the bids for grading, improving and fencing the grounds at several of the shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct; also for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners; also to receive the checks of the bidders, and to make the necessary preparations for opening the bids received for doing said work under the law."  
On motion of Commissioner Scott, the action of the Committee was approved.

In pursuance to the following notice, published daily for fifteen consecutive days, commencing with September 4, 1891, in the CITY RECORD, New York: "World" and "Commercial Advertiser," bids were received for grading, improving and fencing the grounds at several of the shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct; also for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house of the New Croton Aqueduct:

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, September 4, 1891.

## To Contractors.

Bids or proposals for grading, improving and fencing the grounds at several of the shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct; also for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, September 23, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of contract and specifications for doing said work, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their inclosure, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. DUANE, President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

The following bids, upon which the required deposits had been made, were then opened and read aloud by the Secretary:

For Grading, Improving and Fencing the Grounds of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house.

1. John J. Hopper.....	\$9,522 50
2. John Twiname.....	9,397 50
3. Joseph Moore.....	10,762 50
4. P. J. Moran.....	7,016 25

For Grading, Improving and Fencing the Grounds at several of the Shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct.

1. McCormick & Carpenter.....	\$32,630 83
2. John Twiname.....	36,589 80
3. Rider & Dougherty.....	30,167 80
4. John F. Gaynor.....	34,974 85
5. Levi & Company.....	35,867 81
6. F. V. Smith.....	36,817 72
7. Joseph Moore.....	62,639 50
8. P. J. Moran.....	47,291 77

Whereupon, on motion of Commissioner Scott, the following preamble and resolution was adopted:

Whereas, Bids for grading, improving and fencing the grounds at several of the shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct, also for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house of the New Croton Aqueduct, having been received and publicly opened and read; therefore

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer is hereby directed to have said bids calculated and tabulated, and submit the same, together with his estimates of the work, at a meeting of the Construction or Executive Committee of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for consideration and canvassing by them, at 3 o'clock P. M. on the 29th day of September, 1891, and the bids and checks of the bidders are hereby referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit for examination and report to the Commissioners as to their formality and the sufficiency of the sureties proposed by the bidders.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of Vouchers Nos. 7283 to 7286, inclusive, being estimates for work done by contractors, amounting to \$91,636.77; also of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 7268 to 7282, inclusive, amounting to \$1,693.59.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Construction or Executive Committee presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer, and recommended that the same be spread in full on the minutes and filed:

NEW YORK, September 15, 1891.

## To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—Since my last report, dated the 8th instant, the flow of water from Sodom Dam has been maintained at the rate of 50,000,000 gallons per twenty-four hours, lowering thereby the surface of the reservoir 4.68 feet. The water is now 23.25 feet lower than it was when the gates were opened for the first time.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the recommendation was approved.

The Committee also presented the following communication, received from the Health Department:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 26, 1891.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Esq., Secretary, Aqueduct Commission, Stewart Building, New York:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Health Department, held on the 25th instant, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That a copy of the report of Inspectors Martin and Beebe be forwarded to the Commissioners in charge of the New Croton Aqueduct, with the request that they take immediate measures for the removal of any nuisances on City property which is under their control that may in any way contaminate the water supply of this city."

A true copy.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

—and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary be and hereby is directed to communicate with the Health Department and notify them that a meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held on September 2, 1891, a resolution was adopted ordering and directing the abatement of all nuisances that may exist on City property under their control; and that the work of abating such nuisances is now being conducted under the direction of the Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the services of James E. Kearns, Assistant Journeyman Machinist, and Daniel Manning, Laborer, be and hereby are dispensed with on October 1 next.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the resignation of Assistant Engineer W. S. Humbert, and recommended that the same be accepted, to take effect on the 21st instant.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was accepted.

The Committee also presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer:

NEW YORK, September 21, 1891.

## To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—The resignation of Assistant Engineer Humbert at this time, so soon after the resignation of Division Engineer Burbank, calls for the transfer of a sub-assistant to partly make up for the vacancies created.

I desire to detail to that position Leveler A. S. Nye, who is now detached from this office, to assist the Yonkers party.

Mr. Nye, although having the rank of Leveler, has only Computer's pay, viz., \$75 per month; and I respectfully recommend that, after being transferred, he be given the full pay of his rank, viz., \$100 per month.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

—and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the foregoing recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the salary of Leveler A. S. Nye be increased from seventy-five to one hundred dollars per month, upon his transfer to duty at the Bog Brook Dams, that being the established rate of pay for Levelers.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in assigning Thomas T. Craven to duty as a Laborer to assist the engineering party at the Carmel Dam, on the 21st instant, at \$2 per day, be and hereby is approved.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer:

NEW YORK, September 18, 1891.

## To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—In pursuance of the authority granted by the Aqueduct Commissioners on August 19 last, for the abatement of the nuisance at Ardsley, I beg to report that I have received four bids for the work, as follows:

NAMES OF BIDDERS.	PRICE PER CUBIC YARD.	TOTAL AMOUNT BASED ON ESTIMATE OF 900 CUBIC YARDS.
Edward Berrigan.....	60 cents.	\$540 00
William H. Baker.....	45 "	405 00
Edward Fey.....	40 "	360 00
John Egan.....	38 "	342 00

I have ordered the lowest bidder (John Egan), to proceed immediately with the work.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

—and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer, in ordering John Egan to do the work of abating the nuisance existing on City property at Ardsley, at the bid of \$342, it being the lowest bid received, be and hereby is approved.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer:

NEW YORK, September 22, 1891.

## To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—In conformity with the practice followed heretofore for the sundry machinery connected with the dams and other works which should be built only by those experienced in that kind of work, I have asked six firms to make a tender for furnishing and placing six sets of lifting machinery for Sodom and Bog Brook Dams, my estimate for the same being \$2,000.

I now submit for your consideration five bids, received this day, as follows, viz.:

Names of Bidders.	Amounts Bid.
1. John Fox.....	\$1,460 00
2. Coldwell, Wilcox & Co.....	1,984 00
3. Joseph Edwards & Co.....	2,532 00
4. N. J. Foundry & Machine Co.....	2,556 00
5. Jonson Foundry & Machine Co.....	3,730 00

The lowest bidder (John Fox) having already furnished machinery of the same kind of a satisfactory character, and his price being very reasonable, I beg leave to recommend that the work be ordered from him for the sum of \$1,460.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

—and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the contract for furnishing and placing six sets of lifting machinery for Sodom and Bog Brook Dams is hereby awarded to John Fox at his bid of one thousand four hundred and sixty dollars, it being the lowest bid received for doing said work and less than the estimate of the Chief Engineer; the Aqueduct Commissioners being satisfied that the best interests of the City would be consulted by approving of the recommendation of the Chief Engineer.



The same was adopted by the following vote :  
Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4. The Comptroller not voting.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :  
Resolved, That that part of the resolution adopted by the Aqueduct Commissioners on September 9, 1891, dispensing with the services of George B. Bosworth, employed as Clerk in the office of the Chief Engineer, from and after September 30, 1891, be and the same is hereby reconsidered and rescinded.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, that part of the communication of the Chief Engineer recommending the dispensing of the services of said Bosworth was referred back to the Construction or Executive Committee.

The Committee also recommended that the following preamble and resolution, adopted on September 9, 1891, be and the same is hereby reconsidered :

"Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing, under date of September 8, 1891, that O'Brien & Clark have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by them with this Commission on the 18th day of December, 1884, for constructing Section No. 9 of the New Croton Aqueduct, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof ; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by O'Brien & Clark, under the contract above referred to, and direct that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished under said agreement be approved by the Aqueduct Commissioners and certified to the Comptroller for payment ; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate after deducting therefrom the sum of forty-eight thousand eight hundred and fifty-one dollars and thirty-three cents to reimburse the City for the actual loss or damage provable upon said section for superintending said work from the date of the last extension of time for the completion of said work up to the date when said section was finally accepted."

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the recommendation was approved.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following preambles and resolution :  
Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing, under date of September 8, 1891, that O'Brien & Clark have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by them with this Commission on the 18th day of December, 1884, for constructing Section No. 9 of the New Aqueduct, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof and

Whereas, The Aqueduct Commissioners heretofore requested the Comptroller to deduct from Estimate No. 70½ the sum of fifty thousand eight hundred dollars to defray the expenses of superintendence on said section, from November 9, 1888, the date of the last extension of time, to the time when the contract for the construction of said section was actually completed ; and

Whereas, There is now due to said contractors, exclusive of the sum so deducted for the cost of superintendence, the sum of twenty-three thousand five hundred and forty-four dollars and eighty-eight cents ; therefore,

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by O'Brien & Clark, under the contract above referred to, and direct that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished under said agreement be approved by the Aqueduct Commissioners and certified to the Comptroller for payment ; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate, namely, twenty-three thousand five hundred and forty-four dollars and eighty-eight cents, which is exclusive of the sum already retained out of Estimate No. 70½, dated December 10, 1890, returned for payment by the Chief Engineer for the actual loss or damage provable upon said section for superintending said work from the date of the last extension of time for the completion of said work up to the date when said section was finally accepted.

The same were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4. The Comptroller not voting.

The Committee also presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, September 22, 1891.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—The dwelling houses in the vicinity of the water-line of Sodom Reservoir, viz. : the Yale house, occupied this day as an office by the Engineer Corps, and the Barnum house, together with eight (8) minor buildings, outhouses, etc. (ten in all), should be removed from the vicinity of the reservoir. This is to ask you to direct the sale of the said buildings on the condition that they be removed before January 1, 1892.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

—and recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to take the necessary steps to provide for a sale of the buildings above referred to, at public auction, in the manner provided for by law ; and the money realized from the same to be transmitted to the Comptroller to be credited to the Sinking Fund Commissioners.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee report :

That they have been notified by Masten & Nichols, Attorneys, of the assignment of Clinton Stephens as executor under the last will and testament of John Sullivan, deceased, Albert L. Rider and Patrick J. Dougherty, of \$4,000 of the moneys due or to grow due under a certain contract, dated December 30, 1887, made with the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York for the construction of a dam and its appurtenances on the East Branch of the Croton river, in the town of South East, Putnam County, New York, to the American Cement Company of the State of New Jersey ; and inasmuch as the contract for doing said work provides that the contractors shall not assign, by power of attorney or otherwise, unless by and with the consent of the Aqueduct Commissioners, and your Committee being satisfied that it will be to the interests of the work and beneficial to the City of New York that said consent be given, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby assent and consent to the assigning of the sum of four thousand dollars that may become due to Sullivan, Rider & Dougherty under and in pursuance of a certain contract, bearing date December 30, 1887, for the construction of a dam and its appurtenances on the East Branch of the Croton river in the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following preamble and resolution :  
Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified, under date of September 23, 1891, that William H. Baker has completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by him with this Commission on the 21st day of August, 1891, for finishing Shaft No. 21, on Section 10B of the New Aqueduct, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof ; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by William H. Baker, under the contract above referred to, and direct that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished under said agreement be approved by the Aqueduct Commissioners and certified to the Comptroller for payment ; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate without any deduction for overtime.

The same was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4. The Comptroller not voting.

The Committee also presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, September 23, 1891.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith my estimates in detail for the work of grading, improving and fencing the grounds of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house, and for the work of grading, improving and fencing the grounds at several of the shafts.

The total amount of my estimate for the first-named work is \$8,530, and my estimate for the second work is \$28,519.80.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was ordered filed.

The Secretary presented the following :

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, }  
CITY OF NEW YORK.

Whereas, The Aqueduct Commissioners desire to extend the leases of Rooms Nos. 206, 207, 209, 211, 213, 214, 215, 216 and 217, in the Stewart Building, now occupied as offices of the Aqueduct Commission, for the term of one year from May 1, 1891, at a yearly rental of ten thousand two hundred dollars (\$10,200), and the owner, Henry Hilton, has agreed to such extension.

Resolved, That in pursuance of section 41 of chapter 490, Laws of 1883, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the releasing or extension of the leases of said rooms for the further term of one year from May 1, 1891, at the yearly rental of ten thousand two hundred dollars (\$10,200).

A true copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment September 9, 1891.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was ordered filed.

The Comptroller, under date of August 31, 1891, gave notice of the issue of warrants for the payment of vouchers not certified to by the Aqueduct Commissioners, for—

New York County Section.....	\$29,091 66
Westchester County Section.....	170 66
Sodom Dam and Reservoirs.....	453 69
Reservoir "D".....	2,495 05
Manhattan Island Section—Additional lands.....	6,301 88
Reservoir "M".....	125 25
Westchester County Section.....	65,927 39
Westchester County Section—Additional lands.....	1,702 56
Manhattan Island Section—Additional lands.....	790 30
New York Section—Additional lands.....	95 00
Double Reservoir "I"—Putnam County.....	1,440 93
Westchester County Section—Additional lands.....	18 50
Westchester County Section.....	271 73

—leaving a balance to the credit of "Additional Water Fund" of \$74,597.25.

Which were ordered entered upon the books of the Commission and filed.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the minutes of meetings of August 19 and 26, September 2 and 9, 1891, were ordered approved.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, September 30, 1891, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 7292 to 7310, inclusive, amounting to \$1,082.59 ; also of Voucher No. 7311, being final estimate for finishing Shaft No. 21 of the New Aqueduct, amounting to \$1,660.81.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Committee of Finance and Audit report :

That they have examined the bids and checks received September 23, 1891, for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of the New Croton Aqueduct, as follows :

1st. Of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house.

2d. At several of the shafts.

The checks, amounting to \$8,850, were correct, and transmitted to the Comptroller, and his receipt is on file.

The bids were found correct as to their formality, and the sureties proposed appear to be sufficient.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was ordered filed.

The Construction or Executive Committee presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer, and recommended that the same be spread in full on the minutes and filed :

NEW YORK, September 29, 1891.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—Since my last report, dated the 15th instant, the flow of water from Sodom Dam has been maintained at the rate of 50,000,000 gallons per 24 hours, lowering thereby the surface of the reservoir 6.52 feet. The water is now 29.77 feet lower than it was when the gates were opened for the first time.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the recommendation was approved.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the services of Axeman William Horton, whose leave of absence without pay will expire on October 1 next, are hereby dispensed with on and after said date.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :  
Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in assigning E. M. Smith to duty as a Laborer under Division Engineer Gowen at Purdy's Station, N. Y., at two dollars per day, to date from the 28th instant, be and hereby is approved.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :  
Resolved, That in view of the additional duties imposed upon William B. Guilfoyle, employed as Stenographer and Typewriter in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Aqueduct Commissioners, owing to the decrease of the clerical help in said office, the salary of said Guilfoyle be and hereby is increased from eighty-five to one hundred dollars per month, that being the salary paid to his predecessor in office.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, September 29, 1891.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—The new roads around the Brewster Reservoirs were finished last year, and I understood from Mr. Dykman that a commission would be designated to determine the time when they must pass from your jurisdiction into that of the town's. I was waiting for such time to ask you to put the roads in final order before transferring them. I now learn that the formality above mentioned is not to take place, and this is to ask you to authorize me to employ labor to put the roads in order before winter, so that we can notify the town authorities of their completion. The cost of the work will be, in my opinion, under \$750.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

—and recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That authority is hereby given to the Chief Engineer to employ the necessary labor to do the work above referred to, and an appropriation of seven hundred and fifty dollars is hereby made to cover the expense thereof.

The same was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the contract for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house of the New Croton Aqueduct be and hereby is awarded to P. J. Moran, at his bid of seven thousand and sixteen dollars and twenty-five cents, it being the lowest bid received for doing said work, and less than the estimate of the Chief Engineer.

The same was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That all of the bids received for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of several of the shafts of the New Aqueduct be and the same are hereby rejected, owing to the fact that the lowest of said bids is higher than the estimate of the Chief Engineer, and the President and Secretary are hereby directed to readvertise for bids for doing said work.

The same was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to fix the date for the completion of the contract for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of several of the shafts of the New Aqueduct for June 1, 1892, instead of December 31, 1891.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following preambles and resolution :  
Whereas, On the 22d day of September, 1891, John M. Waddle, the contractor for building the blow-off at Shaft No. 24, on Section No. 11A of the New Aqueduct, notified the Aqueduct Commissioners that he desired to assign the contract for doing said work to John F. Gaynor, of Syracuse, New York, and requested the Aqueduct Commissioners to approve of said assignment ; and Whereas, The Aqueduct Commissioners, after having given the matter careful examination and being satisfied that it will be beneficial to the city to assent to said assignment, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do hereby assent and consent to the assignment of the contract for building the blow-off at Shaft No. 24, on Section No. 11A of the New Aqueduct, to John F. Gaynor, of Syracuse, New York, providing the bondsmen for the doing of said work assent thereto ; and in case of their refusal to assent thereto, that said Gaynor furnish other bondsmen who shall be satisfactory to the Aqueduct Commissioners.



The same was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Committee also recommend the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing, under date of September 29, 1891, that O'Brien & Clark have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by them with this Commission on the 17th day of May, 1888, for constructing Section 16 of the New Aqueduct, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof; and

Whereas, Paragraphs A, B and C of clause O of said contract authorize and empower the Aqueduct Commissioners to retain out of the final installment of money which shall become due for the construction of said section a sum equal to five per cent. of the whole amount of money payable by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and expend the same for making such repairs as may become necessary, and referred to in said paragraphs of said clause of said contract; and the Aqueduct Commissioners having availed themselves of the provisions of clause O of said contract, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by O'Brien & Clark, under the contract above referred to, and direct that a proper voucher for the final payment for work to be done and materials furnished under said agreement be approved by the Aqueduct Commissioners and certified to the Comptroller for payment; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate, viz.: Fifty thousand six hundred and sixty-one dollars and three cents, without any deduction for overtime.

The same was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Secretary presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 30, 1891.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Esq., Secretary, etc.:

DEAR SIR—The following issues of Additional Water Stock have been made since last report, viz.:

August 21, 1891..... \$100,000 00  
September 14, 1891..... 100,000 00

Total..... \$200,000 00

Taken by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at par.

Respectfully,

I. S. BARRETT, General Bookkeeper.

On motion of Commissioner Cannon, the same was ordered entered upon the books of the Commission and filed.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, September 29, 1891.

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, Joseph D. Bryant, M. D., the Health Officer of the Port, the President of the Board of Police.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following Reports were received from the Sanitary Committee:

1st. Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital. Ordered on file.  
2d. Weekly report from Reception Hospital. Ordered on file.  
3d. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox). Ordered on file.  
4th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers). Ordered on file.  
The Finance Committee presented the following bill, which was approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:  
G. S. Yerbury, \$865.26.  
Ayes—The President, Commissioners Bryant, Smith, and MacLean.

The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports:

1st. Weekly reports of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected:  
Orders received for prosecution..... 216  
Attorneys' notices issued..... 309  
Nuisances abated before suit..... 185  
Civil suits commenced..... 50  
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit..... 31  
Suits discontinued—By Board..... 41  
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits..... 3  
Executions issued..... 5  
Judgments for the People—Criminal suits..... 3  
Civil suits now pending..... 38  
Criminal suits now pending..... 257  
Money paid into the Court—Criminal suits..... \$85

2d. Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated, and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued, without costs, to wit:

NAMES.	No.	NAMES.	No.
McDermott, John.....	3473	Cohen, Max.....	1248
McCoher, William S.....	464	Barbia, Andrew.....	1303
Frees, Chauncey A.....	775	Costello, Michael.....	1310
Ferrano, Michael.....	820	Cuno, Joseph.....	1311
Cohen, Max.....	854	Hayward, John.....	1318
Cody, John.....	1004	Suinsky, Max.....	1339
Martin, George F.....	1022	Attridge, John F.....	1345
Drucker, Max.....	1154	Donegan, R. Charles.....	1353
Doblin, Thomas.....	1155	Polson, George E.....	1354
Ferrano, Michael.....	1156	Flannery, Samuel P.....	1355
Malcolm, John.....	1174	Harboldt, Jacob.....	1359
Hughes, James.....	1217	Kroeger, Matilda.....	1362
Kempner, Hanchen.....	1217	Phillips, Josephine.....	1370
Martin, John.....	1220	Sanders, Jane.....	1382
Boyle, Mary.....	1241	Stobenber, John.....	1419
Attridge, John F.....	1244	Ward, John.....	37
Christello, Edward.....	3285		

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

1st. Weekly report of the Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.  
2d. Weekly report of the Chief Sanitary Inspector. Ordered on file.  
3d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police. Ordered on file.  
4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps. Ordered on file.  
5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil docks. Ordered on file.  
6th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses. Ordered on file.  
7th. Weekly report of work performed by Chemist and Assistant Chemists. Ordered on file.  
8th. Weekly report of work performed by Milk, Meat, Fish and Fruit Inspectors. Ordered on file.  
9th. Weekly report of work performed by Inspector of Offensive Trades. Ordered on file.  
10th. Monthly report of charitable institutions. Ordered on file.  
11th. Report of first semi-annual inspection of tenement-houses and stables. Ordered on file.

Reports and Certificates on Overcrowding in the following Tenement-houses:

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:  
Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in the City of New York are so overcrowded that less than six hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses:

It is ordered, That the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced as follows:

NUMBER.	LOCATION.	FRONT OR REAR HOUSE.	FLOOR.	LESSEE.	REDUCED TO	
					Adults.	Children.
1083	No. 39 Allen street.....	.....	Top, s. s. f. ....	Max Schederinsky.....	4	3
1084	No. 10 Clinton street.....	Rear.....	First, s. s. f. ....	Isaac Veckson.....	3	5
1085	".....	".....	Third, n. s. f. ....	Harris Kaufman.....	5	..
1086	".....	".....	Third, s. s. f. ....	Abraham Golder.....	3	5
1087	No. 9 Essex street.....	".....	Third, r. ....	Ike Brandler.....	2	1
1088	".....	".....	Third, f. ....	Mayer Zuckerman.....	7	2
1089	No. 73 Eldridge street.....	.....	Fifth, s. s. f. ....	Louis Rose.....	4	3
1090	No. 77 Eldridge street.....	.....	Fourth, s. s. f. ....	Issac Goodman.....	2	4
1091	No. 79 Eldridge street.....	.....	Second, s. s. f. ....	Morris Halbert.....	3	2
1092	".....	Rear.....	Second, n. s. ....	Arthur Moscovitz.....	1	6
1093	".....	".....	Fourth, s. s. ....	Joseph Esterson.....	4	2
1094	No. 220 Eldridge street.....	.....	First, Room No. 4.....	Herman Hass.....	4	4
1095	".....	.....	Second, Room No. 6.....	Morris Halbert.....	4	4
1096	".....	.....	Fifth, Room No. 10.....	Marcus Moskerwich.....	4	4
1097	No. 1 Forsyth street.....	.....	Second, e. s. f. ....	Julius Schwartz.....	5	1
1098	".....	.....	Second, w. s. r. ....	Rose Peters.....	4	3
1099	".....	.....	Third, e. s. f. ....	Max Rosenthal.....	4	3
1100	".....	.....	Third, w. s. r. ....	Simon Rosenstein.....	4	2
1101	".....	.....	Fourth, e. s. f. ....	Max Silverstein.....	5	1
1102	".....	.....	Fourth, w. s. f. ....	Henry Behrens.....	3	4
1103	".....	.....	Fourth, e. s. r. ....	Joe Blumenthal.....	4	4
1104	".....	.....	Fourth, w. s. r. ....	Allen Thorn.....	4	3
1105	".....	.....	Fifth, e. s. f. ....	Simon Rosenthal.....	4	3
1106	".....	.....	Fifth, e. s. r. ....	Max Cohen.....	4	2
1107	".....	.....	Sixth, e. s. r. ....	Peter Simson.....	4	3
1108	No. 10 Essex street.....	.....	Second, n. s. r. ....	Jacob Greenfield.....	4	3
1109	".....	.....	Third, s. s. f. ....	Jacob Freidel.....	3	2
1110	".....	Rear, No. 1.....	First, f. ....	Lazarus Forum.....	3	2
1111	".....	".....	First, f. ....	Joseph Cooperstein.....	1	5
1112	".....	No. 2.....	Third, r. ....	Israel Hershterg.....	3	3
1113	No. 12 Essex street.....	Rear.....	Fourth, f. ....	Samuel Cohen.....	1	8
1114	".....	".....	Fifth, f. ....	Louis Hoff.....	1	4
1115	No. 17 Essex street.....	.....	First, s. s. r. ....	Leo Karetzky.....	3	3
1116	".....	.....	Third, n. s. f. ....	Jacob Paratchey.....	3	4
1117	No. 18 Essex street.....	.....	Fifth, n. s. f. ....	Nathan Ectine.....	2	5
1118	No. 29 Essex street.....	.....	Third, s. s. f. ....	Louis Sucerberg.....	1	5
1119	".....	.....	Third, s. s. r. ....	Morris Abram.....	3	2
1120	".....	.....	Third, n. s. r. ....	Morris Blume.....	2	3
1121	".....	.....	Fourth, s. s. r. ....	Samuel Keopler.....	2	4
1122	No. 36 Essex street.....	.....	Third, s. s. f. ....	Jacob Stalowitz.....	3	3
1123	".....	.....	Third, n. s. f. ....	Morris Meyer.....	3	3
1124	".....	.....	Third, s. s. r. ....	Max Levene.....	3	2
1125	".....	.....	Fourth, s. s. f. ....	Jacob Levene.....	4	1
1126	".....	.....	Sixth, s. s. f. ....	Jacob Shafino.....	4	1
1127	".....	.....	Sixth, n. s. r. ....	Joseph Goldberg.....	4	1
1128	".....	Rear.....	Second, n. s. ....	Solomon Ro-sa.....	4	2
1129	".....	".....	Third, n. s. ....	Mrs. Meyer Voshofsky.....	4	2
1130	".....	".....	Fourth, n. s. ....	Meyer Lendeman.....	2	5
1131	No. 40 Essex street.....	.....	Third, n. s. ....	Lewis Becker.....	3	3
1132	".....	".....	Third, s. s. ....	Sarah Vogersky.....	5	2
1133	No. 47 Essex street.....	.....	First, s. s. f. ....	George Goldman.....	5	2
1134	".....	.....	Third, s. s. f. ....	Jacob Markowitz.....	5	2
1135	".....	.....	Fourth, s. s. r. ....	Louis R. coff.....	5	2
1136	".....	.....	Fourth, n. s. r. ....	Marcus Harrowitz.....	4	3
1137	".....	.....	Fourth, n. s. f. ....	Daniel Gornitch.....	5	2
1138	".....	.....	Fifth, s. s. r. ....	Hyman November.....	4	3
1139	No. 45 Essex street.....	.....	First, n. s. r. ....	Isaac Flavish.....	4	3
1140	".....	.....	First, s. s. r. ....	Herman Weeser.....	5	2
1141	".....	.....	First, n. s. f. ....	Jacob Brender.....	5	2
1142	".....	.....	Second, s. s. r. ....	Louis Gusinski.....	5	3
1143	".....	.....	Third, n. s. r. ....	Joseph Greenstine.....	6	..
1144	".....	.....	Fourth, n. s. f. ....	Abram Prenbury.....	4	3
1145	".....	.....	Fourth, s. s. r. ....	Moses Rihreni.....	5	2
1146	".....	.....	Fifth, s. s. r. ....	Marcus Salsmsky.....	5	1
1147	No. 115 Essex street.....	.....	Third, f. ....	Ira Serucken.....	1	9
1148	No. 53 Orchard street.....	.....	First, n. s. r. ....	Samuel Lob.....		

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied, as follows:

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
686	To kill chickens.....	Union Market.

Reports on Applications for Relief from Orders.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be suspended, extended, modified, rescinded or referred, as follows:

No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
10978	No. 479 Washington street.....	Oct. 15, 1891	Provided the premises are kept in good sanitary condition.
3517	Nos. 28 and 30 Lawrence street.....	May 1, 1892	
5198	Nos. 378 and 380 First avenue.....	Dec. 15, 1891	And modification of order was denied. For fencing the lots, provided said lots are cleaned at once.
6348	No. 137 West Sixty-seventh street.....	May 1, 1892	
10495	No. 49 West One Hundred and Ninth street	" 1, "	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board
8587	Nos. 316 and 318 East One Hundred and Seventh street.....	Nov. 15, 1891	
8848	One Hundred and Fifty-third street and Eleventh avenue.....	.....	Rescinded.
9383	No. 312 East Fifty-first street.....	Nov. 1, 1891	Rescinded.
9392	No. 35 West Sixty-fourth street.....	Oct. 15, 1891	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board. Provided the premises are kept in an inoffensive condition.
10481	No. 330 East Twenty-fourth street.....	.....	
10488	No. 118 East Twenty-sixth street.....	.....	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board for portion of order relating to cesspool, the balance of order to be complied with at once.
11015	South side of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, three houses west of Eleventh avenue.....	.....	
11656	Nos. 238 and 240 East Twenty-eighth street	May 1, 1892	Provided the stable is kept in good condition, and relief from order was denied.
11664	No. 354 East One Hundred and Twentieth street.....	" 1, "	
12054	No. 1641 Lexington avenue.....	May 1, 1892	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board for portion of order relating to cesspool, the balance of order to be complied with at once.
12067	Anthony avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.....	.....	
12212	No. 160 East Twenty-fifth street.....	May 1, 1892	For portion of order relating to air-shaft, provided balance of order be complied with at once.
12213	No. 209 East Thirty-third street.....	Oct. 10, 1891	
12366	No. 16 Watts street.....	Nov. 16, "	Provided the premises are kept in an inoffensive condition.
12366	No. 1926 Amsterdam avenue.....	May 1, 1892	
12661	No. 116 Carmine street.....	Nov. 1, 1891	Provided the cesspools are disconnected at once and the new cesspools cleaned and properly cemented.
13636	No. 2265 Rye avenue.....	" 1, "	
13979	Nos. 346 West Forty-fourth street.....	May 1, 1892	Provided the premises are kept in an inoffensive condition.
14013	No. 315 East Twenty-fourth street.....	Oct. 15, 1891	
14052	No. 12 Essex street.....	" 1, 1891	Provided the stable is kept in an inoffensive condition.
10154	No. 614 East Thirteenth street.....	Dec. 31, "	
16253	No. 11 West Fourth street.....	" 31, "	The work to be completed on or before that date.
16434	Nos. 514 and 516 East Sixteenth street.....	Nov. 1, "	
16435	No. 176 Second avenue.....	.....	Rescinded.
16755	No. 613 East Sixteenth street.....	Oct. 2, 1891	
16773	Nos. 553 and 555 First avenue.....	Dec. 29, "	The work to be completed on or before that date.
16778	No. 39 Monroe street.....	Nov. 1, "	
16846	No. 512 East Sixteenth street.....	" 1, "	
16894	No. 276 East Houston street.....	Jan. 1, 1892	



No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS
17102 17132	No. 334 East Twentieth street..... West side of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Fortieth street.....	Nov. 1, 1891	Rescinded.
17430 17457 16785 17437	No. 133 Perry street..... No. 97 Monroe street.....	Nov. 1, 1891 Dec. 1, "	Provided the saturated earth be removed from beneath the stable floor, the stable floor repaired, and the stable kept clean.
17491 17557 17492	No. 17 Cornelia street..... Nos. 25 and 27 Cornelia street.....	Oct. 1, " May 1, 1892	Provided all manure is kept inside the stable until removed from the premises, that the manure-vault be emptied, cleaned, and disinfected, and the stable kept in an inoffensive condition.
17504 17531 17560 17732	No. 12 Hamilton street..... No. 13 East Fifty-ninth street..... No. 2336 Second avenue..... No. 110 Waverley place.....	Oct. 5, 1891 " 4, " Dec. 15, " "	Suspended as long as the house is occupied by two families only.
17925 17938	No. 706 East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street..... No. 645 East Eleventh street.....	May 1, 1892 Feb. 1, 1892	Provided the waste-pipe on fourth floor be repaired at once so as not to leak.
18030 18136 18137 18248 18293	No. 1848 Park avenue..... No. 578 Third avenue..... No. 596 Third avenue..... No. 411 East Sixty-fifth street..... West One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and New avenue.....	Oct. 1, 1891 Nov. 1, " " 1, " Oct. 1, " "	Rescinded.
18327 18383 18442	No. 608 Second avenue..... No. 411 East Twenty-second street..... No. 1959 Third avenue.....	Nov. 1, 1891 Dec. 1, " Mar. 1, 1892	For connecting ice-box to sewer connected sink.
18497 18582	No. 414 East Ninth street..... No. 222 Cherry street.....	Jan. 1, 1892	Rescinded. For portion of order relating to stable, and the portion of order relating to cellar ceiling to be complied with at once.
18634 18640	No. 504 East Eleventh street..... No. 328 East Seventy-ninth street.....	" 1, " Oct. 17, 1891	For portion of order relating to new wood-work and ventilating water-closet apartment, provided balance of order be complied with at once.
18721 18748 18766 18836 18805 18836 18803 19189 19236	Nos. 107 and 109 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street..... Nos. 270 and 272 Cherry street..... Nos. 121 and 123 West Nineteenth street..... No. 179 East Third street..... No. 2065 Madison avenue..... No. 4 Horatio street..... No. 127 Greenwich avenue..... No. 48 Clinton street..... No. 339 East One Hundred and Fourth street.....	Nov. 15, " " 1, " Dec. 1, " Nov. 1, " " 15, " Oct. 5, " " 15, " "	Modified not to require additional windows to inner bedrooms, the balance of order to be complied with at once.
19230 19281 19282 19283 19330 19387 19491 19302 19307 19314 19315 19487 19604 19612 19784 19794	No. 133 Charles street..... No. 134 Charles street..... No. 136 Charles street..... Nos. 324 and 326 Cherry street..... No. 8 Jay street..... No. 113 Perry street..... No. 271 West Tenth street..... Steamer Crystal Stream and Barges Spear, Republic, Susquehanna and Caledonia..... No. 1613 First avenue..... No. 1245 Ogden avenue..... No. 46 Avenue D..... No. 303 East Twenty-sixth street..... No. 351 West Sixteenth street.....	May 1, 1892 Nov. 1, 1891 May 1, 1892 Oct. 1, 1891 Dec. 1, " Oct. 1, " Nov. 1, " May 1, 1892 Apr. 1, 1891 Oct. 25, " " 15, " Nov. 1, " " 1, " "	Provided the roof of No. 326 be repaired at once.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following applications for relief from orders be and are hereby denied :

No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT
6670 12988 15662 17209 17734 18020	No. 123 Goerck street. No. 182 Clinton street. No. 68 West Forty-third street. No. 344 East Sixty-second street. No. 251 Hudson street. No. 119 Christopher street.	18854 19003 19212 19482	No. 417 East One Hundred and Sixth street. No. 2184 Second avenue. No. 170 Lincoln avenue. No. 69 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases :  
1st. Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases. Ordered on file.  
2d. Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian. Ordered on file.

The following Communications were Received from the Register of Records :

- 1st. Weekly letters. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly abstract of births. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Weekly abstract of still-births. Ordered on file.
- 4th. Weekly abstract of marriages. Ordered on file.
- 5th. Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious disease. Ordered on file.
- 6th. Weekly mortuary statements. Ordered on file.
- 7th. Weekly report of work performed by Clerks. Ordered on file.
- 8th. Reports on delayed birth and marriage certificates.

On motion, it was  
Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following delayed birth and marriage certificates :

No.	NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
1	Carmino Catonio.....	Born.....	April 6, 1891
2	Annie Nugach.....	".....	" 28, "
3	Blinny Wolf.....	".....	May 14, "
4	Blanch Bullginch.....	".....	June 20, "
5	Louis Anderson Miller.....	Married.....	July 18, "

9th. Reports on applications to file supplemental papers.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to file supplemental papers relating to

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
Amanda Heinstradt.....	Died.....	April 9, 1883
Patrick Temple.....	".....	July 15, 1891

10th. Submitting a letter from the Superintendent of the United States Census in respect to the establishment of a Census Bureau at Washington, D. C., with draft of reply which was approved, and the Register was authorized to forward the same to the Superintendent of Census.

#### Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

The weekly statement of the Comptroller was received and ordered on file.

A copy of the report on the subject of the contamination of the Croton water was received from the Commissioner of Public Works and ordered on file.

A communication from the Board of Aqueduct Commissioners, in respect to abatement of all nuisances on the City property under their control, was received and ordered on file.

A communication from the Chairman of the American Public Health Association, in respect to a meeting to be held at Kansas City, Missouri, October 20, was received and referred to the Secretary to answer.

A communication from C. W. Dougharty & Co., in respect to the prevention of pollution of the water supply of this City, was received and referred to the Sanitary Committee.

The application of William F. Woodruff, for leave of absence of one week on account of sickness, was granted.

A communication from Dr. W. H. Dustman, in respect to suit against Dr. J. W. Lyman for neglect to report the birth of a child, was received, and,

On motion, it was  
Resolved, That the Attorney be and is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue proceedings against Dr. J. W. Lyman for neglect to report the birth of a child, as required by law.

In compliance with the resolution of this Board of date Sept. 22, granting a hearing to the Standard Gas-light Company upon the declaration and order of September 10, the said company appeared, and Mr. Hawes of counsel for said company was heard and submitted a protest and a brief, and asked a further suspension of the order until any change suggested might be made. Upon inquiry made by the President, the counsel stated they had nothing further to submit at present; the hearing was then closed. The consideration of the matter was adjourned to the next meeting of the Board.

On motion, it was  
Resolved, That the action of the President and Dr. Bryant at the conference held by them with the representatives of the fruit-dealers, fruit-grocers, and Professor Galloway of the Department of Agriculture at 4 P. M. Saturday, September 26, 1891, be approved by this Board.

Ayes—The President, Commissioners Bryant and Smith.  
Nays—Commissioner MacLean.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to amend the record of death of Henry Murphy, who died June 15, 1891, by changing the place of burial from City Cemetery to Cypress Hills Cemetery, and Undertaker Joseph Bryan, 305 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, in place of Charities and Correction.

The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation :

1st. Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Plumbing and Ventilation. Ordered on file.

2d. Weekly report on light and ventilation of tenement-houses, plumbing and drainage plans of new buildings. Ordered on file.

On motion, it was  
Resolved, That the recommendations of the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation be and the same are hereby approved.

Action of the Board on Plans for Plumbing and Drainage of the following Houses :

Resolved, That plans for plumbing and drainage of the following houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions contained in the statement of the action of the Board, attached to the specifications submitted with the plans, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith :

- Plan No.
13562. For two dwellings, Nos. 55 and 57 Bayard street, as amended.  
13587. For one dwelling, north side of Cedar place, seventy-five feet east of Forest avenue, as amended.  
13590. For one dwelling, east side of Washington avenue, twenty-one feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-second street, as amended.  
13593. For one factory, Nos. 163 to 165 and 1 and 2 Division street, as amended.  
13624. For four dwellings, Boston Post road, between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and George street, as amended.  
13621. For one church, northwest corner of Tenth avenue and Ninety-sixth street, conditionally.  
13634. For one dwelling, south side of Thirty-seventh street, one hundred feet west of Lexington avenue, as amended.  
13639. For four tenements, south side of One Hundred and Fortieth street, one hundred feet west of Third avenue.  
13652. For one storage-house, Nos. 22, 24 and 26 East Twelfth street, as amended.  
13654. For drainage, northwest corner of West End avenue and Eighty-third street.  
13660. For two stables, north side of Seventy-sixth street, ninety feet west of Tenth avenue, as amended.  
13661. For one dwelling, south of Anthony avenue, five feet seven inches north of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, as amended.  
13666. For one stand, No. 34 Grace avenue, West Washington market, conditionally.  
13657. For drainage, northeast corner of Columbus avenue and Ninety-second street, conditionally.

#### Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for plumbing and drainage be and are hereby tabled for amendment :

- Plan No.
13655. For one tenement, No. 25 East Third street.  
13656. For one tenement, south of Sixty-sixth street, four hundred and twenty-five feet east of Ninth avenue.  
13658. For one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, one hundred and seventy-five feet west of St. Nicholas avenue.  
13659. For one warehouse, No. 67 Courtlandt street.  
13662. For two tenements, north side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, fifty feet west of Madison avenue.  
13663. For one dwelling, west side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, one hundred and fifty feet east of Eleventh avenue.  
13664. For one factory, No. 68 New Chambers street and No. 76 Roosevelt street.  
13667. For one dwelling, east side of Kingsbridge road, one hundred feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street.

#### Amendments to Plumbing and Drainage Plans.

Resolved, That the following amendments to plumbing and drainage plans be and are hereby approved :

- Plan No.
12209. For three tenements, Nos. 73 and 75 East Eighty-fifth street.  
12504. For one tenement, No. 434 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street.  
12529. For store and lofts, Nos. 492 and 494 Broome street.  
12625. For five dwellings, north side of Seventieth street, two hundred and twenty-five feet east of Columbus avenue.  
12717. For three tenements, south side of Eighty-fourth street, ninety-one feet east of Amsterdam avenue.  
12752. For two tenements, south side of Sixty-fourth street, one hundred and fifty feet east of Grand Boulevard.  
12851. For four tenements, south side of Ninety-third street, two hundred feet east of Ninth avenue.  
12929. For five dwellings, north side of Eighty-fourth street, three hundred and twenty-five feet east of Tenth avenue.  
12937. For stores and lofts, No. 136 Liberty street.  
12963. For eight dwellings, southwest corner of West End avenue and Seventy-seventh street.  
12985. For one warehouse, No. 2209 Third avenue.  
13053. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Fifth street, one hundred feet west of First avenue.  
13088. For three dwellings, east side of Washington avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, conditionally.  
13142. For one dwelling, northwest corner of Edenwood avenue and Fordham place.  
13179. For one factory, south side of Seventy-seventh street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Avenue A.  
13187. For three tenements, south of Bradhurst avenue, twenty-four feet fourteen inches south of One Hundred and Forty-third street.  
13186. For one tenement, southeast corner of Bradhurst avenue and One Hundred and Forty-third street.  
13282. For eighteen dwellings, nine north side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, forty-one feet six inches east of Eighth avenue, and nine south side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, forty-one feet six inches east of Eighth avenue.  
13514. For one stable, south side of Sixty-eighth street, three hundred and ninety-five feet west of Tenth avenue.  
13528. For one storehouse, Nos. 60 and 62 West Sixty-seventh street, conditionally.

#### Amendments to Plumbing and Drainage Plans.

Resolved, That the following amendments to plumbing and drainage plans be and are hereby disapproved :

- Plan No.
6689. For one hotel, northwest corner of Broadway and Thirty-sixth street.  
13163. For two dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, one hundred and eighty-three feet four inches east of St. Nicholas avenue.







Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to the close of business.  
JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. SYLVESTER E. NOLAN, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to the close of business.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.  
JOHN JEROLMAN, Justice. CARSON G. ARCHIBALD, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 150 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM H. LISCOMB, Clerk.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9½ A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.  
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice. MATTHEW P. BREEN, Clerk.

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.  
JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

### 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 3506, No. 1. Paving Eighty-seventh street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, with granite blocks.

List 3597, No. 2. Paving Eightieth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3604, No. 3. Repaving Thirteenth avenue, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth streets (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water), with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3607, No. 4. Flagging, reflagging, curbing and receding both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

List 3608, No. 5. Flagging, reflagging, curbing and receding south side of Fifty-first street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.

List 3622, No. 6. Flagging, reflagging and receding both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Avenue A to the East river.

List 3625, No. 7. Laying crosswalks across Tenth avenue, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-second street and across Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, at the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-second street.

List 3629, No. 8. Laying crosswalks across Amsterdam avenue, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets.

List 3634, No. 9. Regulating and grading, setting curb-stones and flagging One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Eighth to Manhattan avenue.

List 3636, No. 10. Extension of sewer in Twenty-eighth street, between East river and First avenue, connecting with present sewer built by Department of Docks.

List 3640, No. 11. Sewer in Twelfth avenue, east side, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-seventh streets, with outlet through pier at Thirty-sixth street, North river, and connections to present sewers in Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets.

List 3644, No. 12. Sewer in Park avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets.

List 3647, No. 13. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Essex street, between Delancey and Broome streets.

List 3648, No. 14. Sewer in First avenue, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets.

List 3650, No. 15. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

List 3654, No. 16. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Eighth avenue.

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. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Eightieth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Thirteenth avenue, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street, and the piers at foot of Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, North river.

No. 4. South side of Seventy-seventh street, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 5. South side of Fifty-first street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Avenue A to the East river.

No. 7. Farm No. 53, Ward Nos. 34-40, inclusive; also Ward Nos. 57-67, inclusive, and 68-73, inclusive; also Farm No. 31-35, inclusive, and Ward No. 124 and Farm No. 53A, Ward Nos. 32-38, inclusive.

No. 8. Both sides of Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixtieth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Eighth to Manhattan avenue.

No. 10. East side of First avenue, from Twenty-sixth to Thirtieth street; west side of First avenue, from Twenty-seventh street to one-half the distance between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets; both sides of Second avenue, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-ninth street, and east side of Second avenue, from Twenty-ninth street to one-half the distance between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets; both sides of Thirtieth street, from First to Second avenue; both sides of Twenty-ninth street, from Second to Third avenue; both sides of Twenty-eighth street, from Third avenue to the East river; north side of Twenty-seventh street, from Second to First avenue, and north side of Twenty-sixth street from First avenue to East river.

No. 11. Property bounded by Thirty-third and Thirty-ninth streets, Tenth avenue and the Hudson river, and east side of Tenth avenue, from Thirty-fourth to Thirty-fifth street, both sides of Thirty-fourth street and south side of Thirty-fifth street, extending about 325 feet easterly from Tenth avenue.

No. 12. East side of Park avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

No. 13. Both sides of Essex street, from Broome to Delancey street.

No. 14. Both sides of First avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street.

No. 15. Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 16. North side of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Eighth to Bradhurst avenue.

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 13th day of November, 1891.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
Board of Assessors.  
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 12, 1891.

### CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,  
COOPER UNION,  
NEW YORK, April 3, 1890.

### 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 in 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

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING THE Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison on the ground and premises, situated in the City of New York, at No. 137 West Thirtieth street, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 23d day of October, 1891.

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

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement.

No estimates 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.

The entire work is to be completed within SIXTY DAYS from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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.

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.

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 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 to and be 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.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

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

NEW YORK, October 8, 1891.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING THE Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison on the ground and premises, situated in the City of New York, at No. 146 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 23d day of October, 1891.

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

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement.

No estimates 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.

The entire work is to be completed within SIXTY DAYS from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety 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 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.

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.

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 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 to and be 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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By order of the Board,  
WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, October 8, 1891.

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

### TO CONTRACTOR

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING THE Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison on the ground and premises, situated in the City of New York, known as "Union Market," will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 23d day of October, 1891.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Altering the Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison of the Thirteenth Precinct, known as 'Union Market,'" 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 date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement.

No estimates 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.

The entire work is to be completed within SIXTY DAYS from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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.

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.

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 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 to and be 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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WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, October 8, 1891.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING THE Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison on the ground and premises, situated in the City of New York, at No. 105 Eldridge street, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 23d day of October, 1891.



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

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

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The entire work is to be completed within SIXTY DAYS from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, and herein stated, over and above 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.

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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 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 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.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,  
WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.  
NEW YORK, October 8, 1891.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING THE** Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison on the ground and premises, situated in the City of New York, at No. 221 Mercer street, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of Friday, the 23d day of October, 1891.

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

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement.

No estimates 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.

The entire work is to be completed within SIXTY DAYS from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate

for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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.

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 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 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.

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NEW YORK, October 8, 1891.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING THE** Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison on the ground and premises, situated in the City of New York, at No. 160 East Thirty-fifth street, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 23d day of October, 1891.

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

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

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By order of the Board,  
WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.  
NEW YORK, October 8, 1891.

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

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** a Buggy, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, October 13, 1891, at ten o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth 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.

**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, rope, 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.

#### AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
Room 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, October 5, 1891.

#### NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

**ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1891, AT ELEVEN** o'clock A. M., the Aqueduct Commissioners propose to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Division Engineer of the Aqueduct Commissioners, at Brewster, New York, by S. P. Smith, auctioneer, the following described property, located on the lands required for the construction of Sodom Dam and reservoirs, namely:

One dwelling-house in good condition, 50 by 43 feet, with extension 48 by 22 feet. One tenement-house, 50 by 20 feet, and out-house 11 by 9 feet. One dwelling-house 38 by 37 feet. Wood and out house 44 by 14 feet. Ice-house 16 by 12 feet. Barn 18 by 65 feet. Hen-house 16 by 11 feet. Board fence 180 feet long. Brick tenement-house 21 by 13 feet.

Any bidder or bidder to whom said property shall be sold will be required to pay for the same in cash and remove the property so purchased on or before January 1, 1892.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,  
JAMES C. DUANE,  
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
Room 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, October 5, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR GRADING, IM-** proving and fencing the grounds at several of the shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, October 21, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of contract and specifications for doing said work, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their inclosure, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,  
JAMES C. DUANE,  
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
Secretary.

#### NEW AQUEDUCT.

NEW AQUEDUCT, WESTCHESTER  
COUNTY SECTION

SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

To all persons interested in this proceeding:

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** sixth separate report of the above-mentioned Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed herein on October 11, 1884, which report was filed on August 25, 1891, in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County, at the Court-house in the Village of White Plains, in said County, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on October 24, 1891, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, September 24, 1891.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),  
NEW YORK, October 5, 1891.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Assessment Rolls of Real Estate, Personal Property and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1891, and the warrants for the collection of taxes, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that all the taxes on said assessment rolls are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment on or before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in section 842 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, viz.: a reduction of interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum between the day of such payment and the first day of December next.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 30, 1891.

#### 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 Seventy-second street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, September 22, 1891, and entered on the 26th day of September, 1891, 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 November 25, 1891, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 28, 1891.

#### 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 Melrose avenue, from Third avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 1, 1891, and entered on the 23d day of September, 1891, 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."

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THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

#### NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

**WHEREAS, SECTION 928 OF THE NEW** York City Consolidation Act of 1882 authorizes the Comptroller, in his discretion, to postpone any sale for unpaid taxes or assessments; and

Whereas, a sale for unpaid assessments advertised to be held on Monday, March 2, 1891, was postponed until June 1, 1891, and

Whereas, Applications for a further postponement of said sale have been made by many persons who own and are interested in the property so advertised to be sold for unpaid assessments thereon. Now, therefore, I do hereby order and direct said sale to be postponed from June 1, 1891, to Monday, the 9th day of November, 1891, when it will be held at 12 o'clock, noon, at the County Court-house, City Hall Park.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 1, 1891.

#### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

**THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1891, ON** the Register. 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 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from September 30 to November 1, 1891.

The interest due November 1, 1891, on the Coupon Bonds of the City of New York will be paid on that day by the State Trust Company, No. 50 Wall street.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Sept. 21, 1891.



## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Monday, October 13, 1891, for supplying the Furniture required for the New School Building at the northwest corner of Ninety-third street and Amsterdam avenue.

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

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees for the Seventh Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for supplying the new Furniture required for the Annex to Grammar School Building No. 2, at No. 124 Henry street.

WM. H. TOWNLEY, Chairman,  
JAMES B. MULRY, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventh 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.

The party submitting a proposal must include in his proposal the names of all sub-contractors, and no change will be permitted to be made in the sub-contractors named without the consent of the School Trustees and Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated New York, September 28, 1891.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 6, 1891.

## 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., on Tuesday, October 20, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN NINETY-FIFTH STREET, between First and Third avenues, and in SECOND AVENUE (east and west sides), between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, AND CURVE IN SECOND AVENUE, south of Ninety-fifth street.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, between present sewer and bulkhead-wall at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Harlem River.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, between Amsterdam and Audubon avenues.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN FIRST AVENUE, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN FIRST AVENUE, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, CONNECTING WITH PRESENT SEWER IN FORTY-THIRD STREET, east of First avenue.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN FIRST AVENUE, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN PARK AVENUE, east side, between One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets.

No. 9. FOR NECESSARY MATERIALS AND LABOR FOR REPAIRING SIDEWALKS AND FENCING AROUND THE CORPORATION YARD, MANGIN, RIVINGTON AND TOMPKINS STREETS.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINETEENTH STREET, from Avenue A to First avenue (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-SECOND STREET, from the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to bulkhead-line of Hudson river.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Eleventh avenue to a line about 360 feet westerly.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, from a line about 360 feet west of Eleventh avenue to the Hudson river (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, from First avenue to East river.

No. 15. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON THE EAST SIDE OF TENTH AVENUE, from Twenty-ninth to Thirtieth street, AND ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THIRTIETH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 16. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON NINETEENTH STREET, from Avenue A to First avenue.

No. 17. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET from Madison avenue to Eighth avenue.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from St. Nicholas avenue to Lawrence street, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING AMSTERDAM AVENUE, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Fort George avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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 the 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 Rooms 1, 5, 9 and 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. 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 therefor 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 DOCKS.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 400.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT SUNDRY-NAMED PLACES ON THE NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT SUNDRY-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 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1891, 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 Five 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:

ON THE NORTH RIVER.	
For Pier, new 57 (south side).....	25,000 cubic yards
ON THE EAST RIVER.	
For Pier 4 (east side).....	3,750 cubic yards.
For Pier 5 (west side).....	3,750 "
For Bulkhead between Piers 4 and 5	300 "
For Bulkhead at foot of Cherry	1,800 "
street.....	2,500 "
For Pier 55 (south side).....	2,500 "
For Pier 56 (north side).....	2,000 "
For Pier 57 (south side).....	2,000 "
For Bulkhead between Piers 56 and	1,000 "
57.....	200 "
For Pier 60 (north side).....	200 "
For Bulkhead along Rivington	2,500 "
street.....	1,250 "
For Bulkhead between Rivington	2,500 "
street and Pier 61.....	1,250 "
For Pier 61 (south side).....	2,500 "
Total.....	48,550 "

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:

(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 this 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 30th day of December, 1891, 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 thereof 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.

Each 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, upon 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 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.

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 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 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,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated New York, October 7, 1891.

## NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,  
New York, September 24, 1891.  
MESSRS. VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY,  
auctioneers, will sell, at public auction, at Pier "A," Battery place, in the City of New York, on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1891,  
at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all wharfage which may accrue for the use and occupation by vessels of more than five tons burden, of the following-named piers and bulkheads, to wit:

On the North River.

For the term of five years from May 1, 1896.  
Lot 1. Pier, foot of Jane street (to be extended).  
For the term of five years from November 1, 1891.

Lot 2. Pier at foot of West Fifty-second street.  
Lot 3. Pier at foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, except the dump of Department of Street Cleaning on southerly side.

For the term of three years from November 1, 1891.  
Lot 4. Pier at foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

Lot 5. Pier at foot of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

On the East River.

For the term of five years from November 1, 1891.  
Lot 6. Bulkhead platform southerly of East Thirty-ninth street, about 90 feet.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be at the commencement of the term of the lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or property are not in suitable and tenantable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by this Department.

All repairs, maintaining or rebuilding required or necessary to be done to or upon the premises, or any part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of the lessee or purchaser.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharfage or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding or dredging.

The upset price of the parcels or premises exposed or offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale.

The Department will do all dredging whenever it shall deem it necessary or advisable so to do.

The term for which leases are sold will commence at the date mentioned in the advertisement, and the rents accruing therefor will be payable from that date in each case.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to the Department of Docks, twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease with good and sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the Department, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks, Pier "A," North river, Battery place.

The Department expressly reserves the right to resell the lease or premises bid off, by those failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so failing, refusing or neglecting, to be liable to the Corporation of the City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department. In all cases where it is mentioned in the advertisement of sale, the purchaser shall be entitled to the privilege of occupying any shed upon the pier or bulkhead at the commencement of the term or that may thereafter be permitted or licensed by the Department, and to the rights attached to such permission or license, but subject to the conditions thereof, such purchaser being engaged in the business of steam transportation and using and employing the same for the purpose of regularly receiving and discharging cargo thereat.

Not less than two sureties, each to be a householder or freeholder in the State of New York, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and severally with the lessee, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the names and addresses of the sureties to be submitted at the time of sale.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon ten days' notice so to do, execute a lease with sufficient surety as aforesaid, the printed form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place.

No person will be received as a lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from this Department or the Corporation.

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to this Department or the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to this Department or to the Corporation of the City of New York.

The auctioneer's fees (\$25) on each lot or parcel must be paid by the purchasers thereof respectively at the time of sale.

Dated New York, September 24, 1891.

EDWIN A. POST,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 398.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE STONES FOR BULKHEAD OR RIVER WALL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE Stones for Bulkhead or River Wall 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 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1891, 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 Thirteen Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

To be furnished, cut in accordance with specifications, 1,240 pieces of Granite, consisting of:

Class 1.—566 Headers and 546 Stretchers, containing about 23,000 cubic feet.

Class 2.—128 Coping-stones, containing about 10,240 cubic feet.

For further particulars, see the drawings referred to in the specifications forming part of the contract.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities of cubic feet, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, is 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 similar stones now owned by the Department of Docks, and of the plans 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 and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, per cubic foot, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The first delivery of granite under this contract will be made as soon as practicable after the date of the execution of this contract, and will proceed thereafter with reasonable dispatch, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of July, 1892, and the amounts in each delivery are to be divided between the several classes, as ordered by the Engineer-in-Chief. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates the price per cubic foot for the stones to be furnished, 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 the 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.

Each 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, upon 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 on 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, in each class, 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 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.

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 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 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,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated, New York, September 30, 1891.

## 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.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS  
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,  
NEW YORK, September 28, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, 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 by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday, October 13, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the Southern Boulevard to a point 330 feet east of Locust avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET, from the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad to Mott avenue.

No. 3. FOR SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET, from Third avenue to Washington 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 a 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 the deposit will be returned to him.

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards 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 other information desired, can be obtained at this office.

LOUIS J. HEINTZ,  
Commissioner of Street Improvements,  
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,  
OF THE  
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,  
NEW YORK, September 18, 1891.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York will, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, in said city, on Monday, October 19, 1891, at 10 o'clock a. m., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may be then and there offered in reference to the contemplated change and revision of maps in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, and of chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890, the general character and extent of the contemplated changes being as follows:

First—Changing of grade in Willow avenue, from the Long Island Sound to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

Second—Changing the location of Dawson street, westerly of Prospect avenue, and discontinuing Hewitt place, from Robbins avenue and Westchester avenue to Prospect avenue.

Third—Discontinuing the avenue, between Brook avenue and Third avenue, bordering on and west of the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad, and the widening of German place, between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and John street.

Fourth—A new plan of drainage for Sewerage District 33U, bounded by Brook avenue, Webster avenue, Pelham avenue, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Washington avenue.

Fifth—A new plan of drainage for Sewerage District 37A, bounded by East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, Harlem river; River avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Walton avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Mott avenue.

Sixth—A new plan of drainage for Sewerage District 33V, bounded by East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Morris avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Railroad avenue, West.

Maps and profiles showing the contemplated changes are now on exhibition in said office.

LOUIS J. HEINTZ,  
Commissioner of Street Improvements,  
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

## MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO RANDALL'S ISLAND STABLES.

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 Friday, October 16, 1891, until 10 a. m. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Randall's Island Stables," 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 FIVE HUNDRED (\$500) 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 shall 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 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 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, 1880, 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 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 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 provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, 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 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, October 3, 1891.  
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,  
NEW YORK, October 8, 1891.

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 Barclay street—Unknown man, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; bald head; sandy beard about one week's growth. Had on when admitted white cotton undershirt, gray jean pants, black diagonal coat and vest, gray stockings, gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Eighty-sixth street, East river, aged about 38 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on black coat and vest, blue pants, brown and white striped shirt, white cotton flannel drawers, gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 41, North river; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair, moustache and full beard. Had on black and brown striped coat, pants and vest, brown and white striped cotton shirt, gray woolen undershirt and drawers, brown cotton socks, gaiters; clothes marked Meyers.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Seidel or Heisel, aged 58 years; 5 feet 2 1/4 inches high. Had on when admitted brown skirt, petticoat, black shawl, slippers, stockings.

Kate Stewart, aged 51 years; 4 feet 8 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Transferred from Workhouse July 2, 1891.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Josephine Smith, aged 37 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown eyes; black hair. Had on when admitted drab skirt, black cloth jacket, low cut shoes.

Mary St. Alban, aged 29 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black skirt, black sash, buttoned gaiters, blue cloth 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 CEDAR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, opposite to the junction of Burnside and Sedgwick avenues, to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth 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 and 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. 51 Chambers street, in said city, on or before the 8th day of October, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten working days next after the said 8th day of October, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 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 10th day of October, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southern line of Fordham road, easterly (1) by the centre line of the block bounded by Cedar avenue, Cammann street and Fordham road, prolonged to the centre line of a certain unnamed street south of Cammann street; thence easterly along said centre line to the centre line of the block south of said unnamed street and between Cedar avenue and Sedgwick avenue; (2) by this last-mentioned centre line to the southern boundary line of the same block; thence westerly along said southern boundary line to the eastern line of Cedar avenue; (3) by the said eastern line of Cedar avenue to the southern line of the street south of the park, between Cedar avenue and Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly along said southern line to the centre line of the block south of same park; (4) by the last-mentioned centre line to about the central point of said block; thence easterly along a line drawn from this point to the western line of Sedgwick avenue; (5) by the western line of Sedgwick avenue to the southern limit of Cedar avenue; southerly (1) by the said southern limit of Cedar avenue prolonged to the centre line of Riverview Terrace; thence northerly along the said centre line to the easterly prolongation of the centre line of the block between Powell place and a certain unnamed street to the north thereof; (2) by the said prolongation line to the centre line of the block between Cedar avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue to the west thereof; westerly, by the centre line of the block between Cedar avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue to the west thereof and by the centre line of the blocks between Cedar avenue and Harlem River Terrace; 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 22d day of October, 1891, 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, August 27, 1891.  
LEWIS J. CONLAN, Chairman,  
THOMAS DUNLAP,  
LEICESTER HOLME,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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