

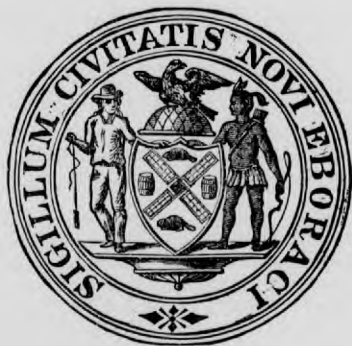
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BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 10, 1889.

The Hons. Hugh J. Grant, Mayor, William H. Clark, Counsel to the Corporation, and Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works, the three officers mentioned in section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, met this day in the Mayor's office.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.
The Supervisor submitted the following requisitions:

No.	DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
511	June 28, 1889	<i>From Office of Commissioners of Accounts.</i> 1 Trow's City Directory for 1889..... 50 sheets blotting paper for desk pads, 19x24, blue..... 50 sheets covers for reports.....	Allowed. " "
512	" 29, "	<i>From Office of Counsel to the Corporation.</i> 50 copies of the report of this office for quarter ending June 29, 1889, in pamphlet form.....	"
513	" 29, "	<i>From Department of Public Parks.</i> 75 copies of contract outlet sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street..... 75 copies of contract repairs to sidewalks, Madison Avenue Bridge..... 50 copies of proposals for same..... 1 book of blank surveyor's certificates, to order..... 1 letter press for Engineer of Construction, etc..... 5 dozen leather board boxes (these were omitted in contract). 1 dozen balls of twine (assorted).....	" " " Disallowed. " Allowed.
514	" 27, "	<i>From Department of Public Works.</i> 1 register Twelfth Ward F. (omitted in the original estimate).	"
515	July 2, "	<i>From Court of Special Sessions.</i> 1 fine book..... 2,000 Court calendars, like sample..... 5,000 official envelopes, like sample..... 3 reams of official note paper, like sample..... No. 1. 2,000 City Prison commitments..... No. 2. 2,000 Penitentiary commitments..... 6 bottles blue ink (Stafford's)..... 1 quart bottle of red ink..... 6 bottles of Barnes's black ink..... 6 balls heavy linen twine.....	Laid over. " " " " " " "
516	" 2, "	<i>From Department of Public Works.</i> 60 specifications of each of the following works: Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Ninth street, from Ninth avenue to Riverside Drive..... Curbing and flagging Ninety-first street, from First to Second avenue..... Also necessary posters..... 1 ream official letter paper, in pads..... 300 transmittal letters.....	Allowed. " Disallowed. Allowed.
517	" 2, "	<i>From Law Department.</i> 5 Trow's City Directory for 1889-90.....	"
518	" 2, "	<i>From Fire Department.</i> 100 indexes, general orders, etc..... 500 forms, notice to remove violations of law or regulations relating to explosives, bound in flexible covers..... 200 Theatre Detail badge cards.....	Laid over. " "
519	" 1, "	<i>From Department of Public Works.</i> 50 copies of specifications, 50 posters and posting of same for each of the following contracts for paving: Ninety-eighth street, from Second to Third avenue..... Ninety-eighth street, from west side of Ninth to east side of Tenth avenue..... Seventy-fourth street, from west side of Eighth to east side of Ninth avenue..... Seventy-fifth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue..... One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue..... One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Mount Morris to Lenox avenue..... Madison avenue, from Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Third street..... One Hundred and Sixth street, from Park to Fifth avenue..... Seventy-fifth street, from Avenue A to bulkhead line of East river.....	Allowed. " " " " " " "
520	" 3, "	<i>From Mayor's Office and City Record Office.</i> 1 dozen heavy cardboard notices to hang up, prohibiting lounging, etc.....	"

No.	DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
521	June 28, 1889	<i>From Department of Public Works.</i> 11 Trow's New York City Directories..... 2 Wilson's Business Directories, N. Y. City..... 1 Lain's Brooklyn Directory.....	Allowed. " "
522	" 29, "	4 reams official letter paper with heading..... 4 reams official letter paper, plain.....	Laid over. "
523	July 5, "	<i>From Finance Department.</i> 700 A warrants..... 200 B warrants..... 400 C warrants.....	Allowed. " "
524	" 5, "	<i>From Department of Street Cleaning.</i> 3 City Directories, 1889 (indexed).....	1 allowed.
525	" 5, "	<i>From Health Department.</i> 250 pads, to report cause of delay in reporting upon citizens' complaints.....	Laid over.
526	" 9, "	<i>From Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.</i> Binding three volumes opinions Counsel to Corporation..... Binding the "Daily Register" for quarter ending June 29, 1889, one volume..... Binding the blotters for the following months, January to June, 1889, both inclusive.....	Allowed. " "
527	" 8, "	<i>From Court of Common Pleas.</i> 2 City Directories for the year 1889, 1 for Clerk's office and 1 for the Judges.....	"
528	" 6, "	<i>From Superior Court of the City of New York.</i> 6 City Directories for 1889.....	2 allowed.
529	" 8, "	<i>From Board of Aldermen.</i> 2 new City Directories, indexed, 1 for office of the Clerk of the Common Council and 1 for the City Library.....	Allowed.
530	" 2, "	<i>From Department of Public Works.</i> 50 specifications, 50 posters and posting of same for the following work, paving Whitehall street, from Beaver street to South Ferry.....	"
531	" 9, "	<i>From Health Department.</i> 5,000 printed rules for care of infants, English and Italian..... 2,000 rules to be observed for the prevention of the spread of consumption.....	" "
532	" 10, "	<i>From Board of Assessors.</i> 1 letter-press.....	Disallowed.
533	" 10, "	<i>From Register's Office.</i> 2 Trow's City Directories for 1889-90..... 1 Gould's Lawyers' Diary for 1889-90.....	Allowed. "

Laid over Requisitions Nos. 284, 376, 397, 447, 463, and 510, were allowed.

On motion, the Supervisor was requested to confer with the contractor and change the paper required by the District Attorney's Office for a cheaper grade, and have a corresponding allowance in cost made in the contract.

On motion of the Mayor, the following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be requested to notify the heads of the various departments and bureaus of the City Government, that it will be necessary for them to make their requisitions for such printing matter and stationery as may be required by them for the remainder of the year, on or before Wednesday, July 17, as the next meeting of the Board, to be held on Thursday, July 18, will be the last at which any requisitions will be considered until December 1; and it is further

"Resolved, That the heads of the departments and bureaus be also requested to furnish this Board, on or before December next, with requisitions for such printed matter and stationery as will be required by them for the ensuing year."

Recommendation of Register James J. Slevin, increasing salaries of bookbinders, was denied.

Secretary of Board Fire Commissioners was requested to appear before this Board at the next meeting, July 18, at 12 M., relative to their requisition now awaiting action.

The experts on printing, stationery, and blank books, submitted their report, which, on motion, was received and ordered to be spread on the minutes.

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor, Chairman Board of City Record, etc.:

DEAR SIR—On the 9th of February, 1889, you designated us, under authority of the Board of City Record of February 4, 1889, as experts for the purpose of preparing specifications for the printing, stationery and blank books required for the use of the courts, departments and offices of the City Government during the year 1889; we immediately held a conference, agreed upon a plan of procedure, which was to visit every department, court and office, and familiarize ourselves with their requirements in order that the contracts and specifications might be intelligently prepared.

From the first we experienced much embarrassment in collecting the samples and procuring the information necessary; in many instances we found the requisitions, but the samples were missing; we were compelled to trace them, and in a number of instances found that the articles had already been furnished by the Supervisor of the City Record.

The plan which you had inaugurated and the ends which you had expressed to us as being desirable to obtain, namely the procuring of all printing, stationery and blank books by contracts with the lowest bidders, was so out of the conventional order of things that not a few preferred the old method, hence the obstacles which we were compelled to overcome; all of this rendered our work more laborious than we had contemplated.

After repeated visits to the different departments, courts and offices, securing the samples and detailed information, we commenced our work. We were unable to use the same form or grade of goods, as a rule each department preferring some particular kind of paper, ink, stationery, etc. For all this the technical terms and descriptions were required, particularly where no samples could be furnished, in order that the specifications and advertisements for proposals might be plain, definite and with no possibility of being misunderstood.

This work required us to arrange twenty-six different specifications, all of which were advertised, proposals received and contracts awarded, with but a single exception, namely: that for printing law cases and points. This exception arose from informality in bidding. To facilitate our work, we divided the supplies for each department into three classes—printing, stationery and blank books—so that each trade could bid separately. It was necessary to visit every department and bureau, and in several cases repeated visits were necessary before copies could be obtained. To illustrate our method of procedure we shall take the case of blank books, of which 7,377 were required for the different departments: A sample was taken from each blank book and a technical description given, explaining the thickness, style of binding, grade of paper and all necessary particulars, so that bidders would be enabled to estimate on the work from these copies, which were kept on file in the office of the Department of Public Works. The only incomplete specification at this time, is that for the District Courts; we began early to secure samples and information for this work, there being 11 courts, and each clerk having his own ideas.

we had great difficulty in harmonizing them. It required frequent and persistent consultations, requiring much time, and in some cases no little effort to secure intelligent information, a chronic reticence or disinclination to aid us being apparent. After we had completed the lists of printing, stationery, etc., required, and secured its approval by one of the judges, as Chairman, we presented the same to your Board, who referred it to the Supervisor.

In the matter of tax bills for the office of the Receiver of Taxes, a similar condition of affairs exists; we have been unable to get any information further regarding them. They should receive attention at once, a delay will continue until they are required, and then the lack of time will not permit of their being advertised for. In a number of instances where the requisitions were small and did not justify their being advertised, we have procured estimates and submitted the same to you.

In the cases of the Fire Department and the Office of the District Attorney, where we were misled by incorrect statements regarding quantities and other matters of necessary information, we were compelled in each case to prepare a second set of specifications.

Herewith please find a list of specifications as prepared by us:

	Printing.	Stationery and Blank Books.
Health Department.....	1	1
Civil Service.....	1	1
Department of Public Works.....	1	1
Mayor's Office, City Record and Coroners.....	1	1
Counsel to Corporation, Corporation Attorney and Public Administrator.....	1	1
Police Justices and Commissioners of Accounts.....	1	1
District Attorney.....	2	2
Surrogate.....	1	1
Finance Department.....	1	1
Fire Department.....	2	2
County Clerk.....	1	1
Taxes and Assessments, Board of Assessors.....	1	1
Department of Public Parks.....	1	1
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	1	1
Law cases and points.....	1	1

Upon inquiry at Supreme Court, Court of Common Pleas, Court of General Sessions, City Court and Register's Office, we obtained information and necessary data, but have not been called upon to prepare specifications.

Another year, if all requisitions are more carefully and intelligently prepared and submitted, much of the labor we have been compelled to perform can be avoided.

The clerical labor alone, necessary, was so great, that we have been compelled to hire a person to aid us.

We have been conscientious in our desires to aid in proving that your theory, that the printing, stationery and blank books necessary for the City Government could be obtained at a saving to the tax-payers, is a correct one.

Although our labors have not in every case met with the success we desired, still we feel that, considering the embarrassments, many of which you are aware of, considerable progress has been made: the fact that a saving of over 30 per cent. has been effected shows this.

The plan you have inaugurated this year must, as a result, be more easily and more intelligently accomplished next year, and as a result of this year's work show such a large saving, the success for another year is assured.

In conclusion, permit us to urge the necessity of requiring absolute compliance with the specifications as to quantity and quality. These conditions being complied with, a saving even greater than that effected by this year's work will surely result; as it is, the success of your plan has already been fully proven.

We are, yours, very respectfully,

J. W. PRATT,
WILLIAM H. BARKER.

NEW YORK, July 5, 1889.

On motion, the Board adjourned to Thursday, July 18, at 12 M.

WM. G. McLAUGHLIN, Supervisor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, }
NEW YORK, July 3, 1889. }

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the chair and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Proposals Opened for New Buildings.

Affidavit of Clerk of CITY RECORD as to publication of advertisements read and filed. Approved forms of contract submitted.

Hospital and Training Stable, West Ninety-ninth Street, Between Ninth and Tenth Avenues.

1. Mahony Brothers, \$36,450. Filed.
2. Arthur Arctander, \$32,427. Referred to Comptroller for action on sureties.
3. Thomas Dwyer, \$42,700. Filed.
4. Thomas Overington, \$34,987. Filed.

Security deposits, certified checks for \$650, transmitted to the Comptroller.

House for Hook and Ladder Company, No. 432 West Thirty-sixth Street.

1. Mahony Brothers, \$19,890. Filed.
2. John E. McGuire, \$22,509. Filed.
3. George H. Christie, \$16,630. Referred to Comptroller, etc.
4. Thomas Dwyer, \$33,773. Filed.

Security deposits, certified checks for \$450 each, transmitted to the Comptroller.

House for Engine Company, One Hundred and Thirteenth Street, Between Tenth and Eleventh Avenues.

1. Mahony Brothers, \$21,380. Filed.
2. John E. McGuire, \$22,439. Filed.
3. George H. Christie, \$17,330. Laid over.
4. Thomas Dwyer, \$23,472. Filed.

Security deposits, certified checks for \$500 each. Transmitted to the Comptroller.

Trials.

Fireman 1st grade John J. Sullivan, Hook and Ladder 15, "disobedience of orders." Decision reserved.

Fireman 1st grade George J. Boles, Hook and Ladder 8, "absence without leave" (two charges). Adjourned, accused not being present.

Fireman 1st grade Joseph P. Greene, Engine 30, "disobedience of orders." Decision reserved.

Fireman 1st grade Robert J. McNamara, Engine 26, "Violation sec. 1, Par. II, G. O. 21, O. B. C. 1881," "neglect of duty." Referred back for service of amended charges.

Requisitions—Expenditure Authorized.

Atlases for use of Chief Officers.....	\$375 00
Telegraph Supplies.....	243 00
Articles for issue.....	247 00
Repairs to flags, clocks, etc.....	300 00
Articles for issue.....	332 50
Articles for issue.....	979 00
Underground Cable connections.....	950 00
Polishing and plating Engine 14.....	115 00
Iron sub-cellar pipes.....	149 74
Repairs to ladders and fire extinguisher.....	250 00
Repairs to fire-boat (Engine 43).....	450 00
Carpenter-work, Engine 9.....	\$14 00
Masonwork, Hook and Ladder 13.....	24 00
Carpenter-work, Engine 56.....	45 00
Masonwork, Fuel Depot No. 11.....	56 00
Carpenter-work, various company quarters.....	60 00
Masonwork, Engine 12 and Hook and Ladder 7.....	65 00
Plumbing, Engine 35, and Hook and Ladder 7.....	73 85
Plumbing, Hook and Ladder 2.....	118 00
Ironwork, various company quarters.....	127 00
Carpenter-work, Engine 35.....	145 00
Clacking, Hook and Ladder 12.....	188 00
Masonwork, Engine 4.....	190 00
Plumbing, various company quarters.....	252 78
Carpenter-work, Engine 37.....	265 00
Secretary, incidental expenses.....	250 00

Inspector of Combustibles, incidental expenses.....	\$225 00
Fire Marshal, ".....	120 00
Superintendent of Buildings, ".....	450 00
Attorney to Department, ".....	250 00
Superintendent of Telegraph, ".....	300 00
Supply Clerk, ".....	150 00
Repair Shops, ".....	50 00
Hospital Stables, ".....	20 00
Horse, Hook and Ladder.....	300 00

Referred.

A horse for Engine 14.....	300 00
A team of horses for Engine 56.....	600 00

Back for selection and report.

Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Recommending that two-wheeled hose-tender No. 26 be broken up, and that Engine No. 520 be provided with a new boiler. To Chief of Department for recommendation.

La France Fire Engine Company.—Requesting an extension of time on contract dated March 26, 1889, for furnishing fire engines. To Chief of Department for recommendation.

Filed.

Foreman in charge of Stables—Reporting death of horse, No. 408.

Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Reporting completion of work on fire-boat "Zophar Mills (Engine 51).

Attorney to Department—Reporting moneys collected for violations of law during the month of June, with check therefor. Transmission of same to Finance Department approved.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of the condition of the appropriation. Receipts for security deposits for proposals opened on the 26th instant.

Prunty Manufacturing Company—Stating that they will place one of Roe's Patent Signals on trial on one of the fire-boats.

Bills Audited.

Schedule No. 34 of 1889.

Headquarters pay-roll, June, salaries.....	\$4,235 77
Attorney to Department, pay-roll, June, salaries.....	333 33
Chief of Department, ".....	3,749 90
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, pay-roll, June, salaries.....	106,079 35
Bureau of Combustibles, ".....	1,094 43
Bureau of Fire Marshal, ".....	616 66
Bureau Inspection of Buildings, ".....	7,806 58
Bureau Inspection of Buildings, No. 2, ".....	549 99
Telegraph Force, ".....	2,062 07
Repair Shops, ".....	5,096 74
Hospital Stables, ".....	425 00
	\$132,049 82

Schedule 35 of 1889.

Extra Telegraph Force, pay-roll, June, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$1,668 70
Extra Telegraph Force, pay-roll No. 2, placing fire-alarm electrical conductors underground.....	847 55
	\$2,516 25

Communications Referred.

Inspector of Combustibles—Returning request of Charles F. Hanson for discontinuance of proceedings against him, approved and recommended. Back, approved.

Attorney to Department—Returning one fire-escape case of 1889, with recommendation that the complaint be dismissed, etc. To Commissioner Eickhoff.

Filed.

Foremen, Engine 47 and Engine 26—Reporting loss of keyholders' keys.

President pro tem.—Returning communication from Chief of Department, recommending the replacing of small water-mains by larger ones and the placing of 5,000 additional fire-hydrants, etc., throughout the city, with the information that the same has been communicated to the Mayor. Action approved.

Same—Returning special report of the Chief of Department upon fire at No. 83 Norfolk street on 14th ult., with report that the Mayor has been written to upon the subject of water-supply. Action approved.

John McCabe, Deputy Chief of Department—Requesting leave of absence for ten days, from the 20th instant. Granted.

Board of Examiners, Bureau Inspection of Buildings—Returning applications of James E. Dolen and Michael Meehan for appointment as Inspectors of Buildings with report that they are qualified.

Same—Returning application of Michael P. Burns for re-examination for appointment as Inspector of Buildings, with report that he is qualified.

Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Reporting that he has suspended Machinist Eugene Leonard from pay and duty from 8.20 A.M. on the 2d inst. Approved.

Brush Electric Illuminating Co., President of—Commending the efficiency of the Department and skill of the Foreman and members of Hook and Ladder Company No. 9 in the management of fire upon their premises.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the resolutions adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners on April 13, 1889, requesting the Common Council to authorize the erection of a reviewing stand and the employment of a band of music for the parade of the Department on the occasion of the presentation of the Bennett and Stephenson medals, on May 4, 1889, be recalled and that the following be adopted in lieu thereof:

Resolved, that the Common Council be requested to authorize an expenditure of \$300 for music, and of \$39 for carpenter work to protect the front of the Everett House from damage by the exhibition of the Life Saving Corps on the occasion of the parade and presentation of the Bennett and Stephenson medals on May 4, 1889.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, July 10, 1889.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Chief of Department returned charges of "reckless driving" against:

- Fireman 1st grade Philip Cahill, Engine 25.
- " " Robert Geddis, Engine 26.
- " " William West, Engine 35.
- " " John F. Mahon, Engine 36.

which were tried on the 26th ultimo, with report and recommendation. Accused admonished and charges filed.

Trials.

Fireman 2d grade David Webb, Hook and Ladder 2, "absence without leave." Fined one day's pay.

Fireman 1st grade James McCann, Hook and Ladder 15, "absence without leave." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 2d grade Joseph F. Wagner, Hook and Ladder 8, "Viol. sec. 3, Par. III, G. O. 19, O. B. C., 1881," "disrespect to superior officer." Fined five days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade John Ward, No. 2, Engine 27, "Viol. sec. 3, Par. III, G. O. 6, O. B. C., 1885," "disobedience of orders," "absence without leave." Fined ten days' pay and warned, etc.

Engineer of Steamer, Joseph B. Benson, Engine 55, "absence without leave." Reprimanded.

Fireman 1st grade Daniel Bonner, Engine 55, "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade William H. Weise, Engine 33, "absence without leave." Found guilty, but excusable under circumstances.

Fireman 1st grade Robert J. McNamara, Engine 26, "Viol. sec. 1, Par. II, G. O. 21, O. B. C., 1881, "neglect of duty." Fined seven days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Samuel M. Quigley, Hook and Ladder 7, "Viol. sec. 1, Par. II, G. O. 21, O. B. C., 1881." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Thomas Larkin, Hook and Ladder 7, "conduct prejudicial to good order," "disobedience of orders." Adjourned because of non-appearance of witnesses.

Trials.—Decisions Reserved on 3d Instant.

Fireman 1st grade John J. Sullivan, Hook and Ladder 13. Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Joseph P. Green, Engine 30. Fined two days' pay.

Requisitions—Expenditure Authorized.

Shop sundries, Fire-alarm Telegraph.	\$275 00
Telephone service	864 00
Supplies, Repair Shops.	998 50
Articles for issue.	980 00

Referred.

Chief of Department—Approving recommendation of Foreman in charge of Repair Shops, that two-wheeled hose tender No. 26 be broken up. Approved, to Foreman in charge of Repair Shops for compliance.

Filed.

Chief of Department—Approving recommendation of Foreman in charge of Repair Shops, that Engine No. 520 be provided with a new boiler. Approved, to prepare specifications and advertisement.

Chief of Department—Recommending that an extension of thirty-five days' time asked for by the La France Fire Engine Company for furnishing three fire-engines be granted. Approved and granted.

Foreman in charge of Stables—Reporting death of horse No. 214.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of the condition of the appropriation.

Bills Audited.

Schedule 81 of 1888.

Pearce & Jones, placing fire-alarm electrical conductors underground.	\$31 81
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Schedule No. 36 of 1889.

Banta, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$40 00
Barry & Keegan, apparatus, supplies, etc.	64 00
Campbell & Gardiner, apparatus, supplies, etc.	8 00
Caswell & Guy,	167 50
Central Gas-light Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.	29 12
Consolidated Gas Company,	599 50
Crew, Henry,	8,000 00
Dahlman, I. H.,	600 00
Dobbs, Edwin,	40 00
Duffey, Philip,	30 00
Edison Electric Illuminating Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.	36 10
Findley, William L.,	35 61
Frisbee, James G.,	62 50
Fryer, William J., Jr.,	40 00
Gallagher, C., placing fire-alarm electrical conductors underground	36 60
Hardy, M. J., apparatus, supplies, etc.	20 00
Holmes, Booth & Haydens, apparatus, supplies, etc.	180 00
Isley, Doubleday & Co.,	40 00
Ingersoll, Horace,	448 09
Judd, S. C.,	29 32
Jussen, Carl,	76 39
Le Brun, N.,	115 00
Metropolitan Telegraph and Telephone Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.	50 75
Mitchel, James,	29 20
Northern Gas-light Company	17 44
Notman, Peter,	40 00
O'Reilly, Cornelius,	40 00
Ogden, William B., estate of,	350 00
Pearce & Jones, placing fire-alarm electrical conductors underground.	167 48
Seery, Peter, apparatus, supplies, etc.	60 68
Seneca Lake Ice Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.	31 26
Shea, Joseph,	8 90
Shields, John R.,	174 65
Smith, J. Elliott,	51 25
Travers Brothers,	12 15
United Gas Improvement Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.	34 40
Upjohn, R. M.,	100 00
	\$11,865 89

Communications Referred.

Commissioner Eickhoff—Returning recommendation of the Attorney to the Department that fire-escape case of 1889 be dismissed, approved. Approved, to Superintendent of Buildings for file.

Attorney to Department—Returning report of the Chief of Department of the arrest and confinement in the City Prison of Fireman 1st grade George J. Boles, Hook and Ladder 8, etc., with opinion and recommendation. To Chief of Department.

Filed.

Chairman Committee on Telegraph and Supplies—Returning statement of the Superintendent of Telegraph as to the condition of the underground telegraph system of the Department, in operation and under construction, for file. Approved.

Chief of 8th Battalion—Reports of investigation relative to an article which appeared in the New York "Sun," on the 3d instant, concerning members of Hook and Ladder 7, and relative to injuries received by Foreman Nugent, Hook and Ladder 7, on the 1st instant.

Chief of Department—Forwarding report of accident at Poole's Theatre on the 8th instant.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, July 11, 1889.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the chair and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Contracts Awarded.

Comptroller—Returning proposals of Arthur Arcander, for building Hospital and Training Stable, for \$32,427, and George H. Christie, for building a house for Hook and Ladder Company, at No. 432 West Thirty-sixth street, for \$16,630, with approval of sureties.

Contracts awarded and filed.

Bills Audited.

Schedule 37 of 1889.

Beyer, Charles, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$24 00
Carlin, William,	81 00
Cleary & Donnelly,	24 00
Dean, Jeremiah,	39 00
Dougan, Patrick,	21 00
Dowd, James,	12 00
Duane, J.,	3 00
Dunn, John F.,	55 12
Fallon, Owen,	75 00
Fitzgerald, Ed.,	24 00
Fitzpatrick, John,	48 00
Fox, C.,	24 00
Gallon, Thomas J.,	36 00
Graham, John,	13 50
Graley, Benjamin F.,	21 00
Hassler, John A.,	18 00
Hayes, Dennis,	12 00
Hayes, John,	3 00
Kenny, Bernard,	45 00
Kiernan, B.,	45 00
Lally, John,	77 00
Lattimore & Dougherty,	33 00
Leighton, J. A.,	9 00
Malloy, Mrs. Joseph,	9 00
Malone, P.,	18 00
Moffit, Edward,	42 00
McAvoy, John,	15 00
McCann, Henry,	33 00
McFaull, Charles,	21 00
McCann, Patrick,	30 00

McKenna, Patrick, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$12 00
McKenna, William,	51 00
McNalley, John,	12 00
Nimphius, Adam,	24 00
Quilty, Patrick,	48 00
Roche, David J.,	24 00
Rose, Charles,	15 00
Woods, Thomas F.,	21 75

Total. \$1,118 37
Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, 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 July 13, 1889.

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, etc., relative to acquiring land for New Parks, on the petition of Heroy & Marrener, assignees of Emma Campbell—For an award made to unknown owners on Map No. 379.

Susan P. Lilienthal—For excess of assessment for Fifth Avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-sixth street to Mount Morris Square, on Ward Nos. 33 to 40, Block 597, paid July 9, 1884, \$564.15.

Alexander J. Howland—Damages to scows "Kuth," "Seth" and "Amos," while in charge of Street Cleaning Department, between December, 1888, and March, 1889, \$299.89.

John Siebert vs. Edwin A. Post et al., individually and as Commissioners of Docks, composing the Dock Department of the City of New York—To restrain removal or interference with platform situate between Piers 23 and 24, North river.

Albert H. Hastorf—Damages to scow "Austria," November 7, 1888, and April 5, 1889, while in charge of Street Cleaning Department, \$50.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Edgar B. Lear—For damages caused by steam-tug "Municipal" running into canal-boat "C. V. Meserole," at foot of Rivington street, East river, November 7, 1888, \$500.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

People ex rel. Peter W. Felix vs. Edward Gilon et al., Board of Assessors—Order entered denying motion for a writ of certiorari, but without prejudice to relator's right to subsequently apply for a similar writ.

Henry K. S. Williams—General Term order entered denying motion to set aside report of referee with \$10 costs and judgment thereon in favor of plaintiff for \$100,831.38, upon payment of which plaintiff is to deliver deed of the property.

William M. Kingsland, sole surviving trustee, and others—General Term order entered denying motion to set aside report of referee with \$10 costs and judgment thereon in favor of plaintiff for \$198,512.11, upon payment of which the plaintiff is to deliver deed of the property.

George W. Donaldson et al. vs. John F. Harriot, Property Clerk—Discontinued action without costs by consent.

William A. Topping and another vs. D. Lowber Smith, Commissioner of Public Works—Order entered denying motion for injunction and vacating temporary injunction with \$10 costs.

People ex rel. Fairfield Chemical Company vs. Tax Commissioners—Order on remittitur entered.

Mary Conklin—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$42.55 without trial; letter to Comptroller.

Ann Mulholland—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$3,369.10, upon offer.

Denis W. Moran—Ordered entered directing payment to referee, \$700, balance of his fees, and to Carrie A. Barrett for stenographer's transcript, \$327.25, out of the fund.

In re James A. Striker, Fifty-first street sewer—Ordered entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re Meriam.

William Nelson, Jr.—General Term order of affirmance entered.

In re Mutual Life Insurance Company, One Hundred and Twenty-second street regulating—Order entered dismissing petition made before O'Brien, J.

In re Ann Carroll, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition made before O'Brien, J.

In re Catharine Eileman, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition made before O'Brien, J.

In re Second Avenue Railway Company, Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets sewers—Order entered dismissing petition made before O'Brien, J.

Denis W. Moran—Order entered granting stay, except as to referee's and stenographer's fees, and without prejudice to City to move for leave to deposit the fund into court.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Denis W. Moran—Motion for payment of referee's and stenographer's fees and for extra allowance made before O'Gorman, J.; granted; five per cent. allowance to plaintiff; three per cent. to defendants Candes & Co.; three per cent. to defendant McShane, and two per cent. to defendant Tufts; W. Carmalt for City.

Matter Trustees New York and Brooklyn Bridge—Motion for condemnation of Kosmak premises and for appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal made before O'Brien, J.; papers submitted; C. N. Harris for City.

Sarah Lynch—Attended at Chambers before O'Brien, J., on motion for judgment; interposed no opposition; papers handed up; G. S. Coleman for City.

In re Mutual Life Insurance Company, One Hundred and Twenty-second street regulating, etc.—Motion to dismiss petition made before O'Brien, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.

In re Ann Carroll, regulating, etc., Broadway—Motion to dismiss petition made before O'Brien, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.

In re Catharine Eileman, regulating, etc., Broadway—Motion to dismiss petition made before O'Brien, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.

In re Second Avenue Railway Company, regulating, etc., Broadway—Motion to dismiss petition made before O'Brien, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,
July 11, 1889.

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the Board of City Record, held July 10, 1889, at the office of the Mayor, the following resolutions, offered by the Mayor, were adopted:

"Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be requested to notify the heads of the various departments and bureaus of the City Government, that it will be necessary for them

to make their requisitions for such printing matter and stationery as may be required by them for the remainder of the year, on or before Wednesday, July 17, as the next meeting of the Board, to be held on Thursday, July 18, will be the last at which any requisitions will be considered until December 1; and it is further

"Resolved, That the heads of the departments and bureaus be also requested to furnish this Board, on or before December next, with requisitions for such printed matter and stationery as will be required by them for the ensuing year."

You will please take notice that the above resolutions have no reference whatever to the requisitions already in the hands of the Supervisor, which have been allowed and are now being filled and will be delivered without delay.

Respectfully,
W. G. McLAUGHLIN,
Supervisor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. **THOMAS C. T. CRAIN**, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM H. RURODE, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
 Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.
 Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES DALY, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; **ALFRED VREDENBURGH**, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD CROKER, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM H. KIFF, President; **JOHN J. O'BRIEN**, Chief Bureau of Elections

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. **CHARLES BENN**, General Bookkeeper.
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. **WILLIAM BLAKE**, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
EDWIN A. POST, President; **G. KEMBLE**, Secretary.
 Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; **FLOYD T. SMITH**, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes
 No. 53 Chambers street, Room 41, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., Attorney; **SAMUEL BARRY**, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; **ALBERT H. ROGERS**, Deputy Commissioner; **R. W. HORNER**, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
THE MAYOR, Chairman; **CHARLES V. ADEE**, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. FLACK, Sheriff; **JOHN B. SEXTON**, Under Sheriff; **JOHN M. TRACY**, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; **JAMES A. HANLEY**, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; **JAMES E. CONNER**, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; **JAMES MCCABE**, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.
WILLIAM G. McLAUGHLIN, Supervisor; **R. P. H. ABEL**, Bookkeeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSMER, **FERDINAND LEVY**, **DANIEL HANLY**, **LOUIS W. SCHULTZ**, Coroners; **EDWARD F. REYNOLDS**, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

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

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

Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, **WILLIAM J. HILL**, Clerk.

Chambers, Room No. 11, **AMBROSE A. MCCALL**, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, **WALTER A. BRADY**, Clerk.

Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, **JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK**, Clerk.

Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, **GEORGE F. LYON**, Clerk.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

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

Chambers, Room No. 33.
 Part I, Room No. 34.
 Part II, Room No. 35.
 Part III, Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers.
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; **THOMAS BOESE**, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

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

General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part I, Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part II, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; **NATHANIEL JARVIS, JR.**, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; **RANDOLPH B. MARTINE**, **HENRY A. GILDERLEEVE** and **RUFUS B. COWING**, Judges of the said Court.

Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20.

Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20.

Part II, Room No. 19.

Part III, Room No. 15.

Specia. Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID MCADAM, Chief Justice; **MICHAEL T. DALY**, Clerk.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.

Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.

Clerk's Office, Tombs.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—**MAURICE J. POWER**, **J. HENRY FORD**, **JACOB PATTERSON, JR.**, **JAMES T. KILBRETH**, **JOHN J. GORMAN**, **HENRY MURRAY**, **JOHN B. SMITH**, **ANDREW J. WHITE**, **CHARLES WELDE**, **DANIEL O'REILLY**, **PATRICK G. DUFFY**, **DANIEL F. MCMAHON**, **EDW. HOGAN**, **JOHN COCHRANE**, **CHARLES N. TAINTOR**.

George W. CREGIER, Secretary.

Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
 NEW YORK, July 17, 1889.

SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THE OWNER
 or owners of rifle or sporting powder seized on
 Pier 16, East river, for violation of section 455, chapter
 420, Laws of 1882:

That on Monday, July 22, 1889, at eleven (11) o'clock
 A. M. the Fire Commissioners will sell at public auction,
 at the Bureau of Combustibles, Nos. 157 and 159 East
 Sixty-seventh street, about two hundred and fifty (250)
 pounds of rifle powder in canisters of about one pound
 each.

By order of
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
 Commissioners.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
 ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
 CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
 NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1889.

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

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called
 or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or
 interference permitted. The fines, if unpaid, will be en-
 tered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.
 All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and
 secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their
 duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing
 their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me
 any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names
 for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 307.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING
AT PIERS, NEW NO. 44, 45 AND 46 ON THE
NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIERS, New No. 44, 45 and 46, North river, 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, AUGUST 1, 1889,

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 Three Thousand Dollars.

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

Pier, new 44, North river (north side).....	17,000 cubic yards.
Pier, new 45, North river.....	26,000 "
Pier, new 46, North river (south side).....	14,000 "
	57,000 "

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the 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.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the twenty-first day of September, 1889, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment has expired, are, by a clause in the contract fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the Contractor, and deposited in all respects, according to law.

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 re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for his or their 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 by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the

successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, July 19, 1889.DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, July 12, 1889.

NOTICE.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, will sell at public auction in the Board Room at Pier "A," Battery place, in the City of New York, on

TUESDAY, JULY 30, 1889,

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 wharf property:

ON THE NORTH RIVER.

Pier at the foot of West Eighteenth street, North river, for a term of three years, commencing August 1, 1889.

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 tenable 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 up-set price of the parcel 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 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, July 12, 1889.

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 284.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING
AT THE BULKHEAD BETWEEN PERRY
STREET AND WEST ELEVENTH STREET,
NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE BULKHEAD BETWEEN PERRY street and West Eleventh street, on the North river, 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

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 1889,

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of One Hundred and Fifty 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:

Bulkhead between Perry street and West Eleventh street, North river.....

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the twenty-sixth day of August, 1889, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the Contractor, and deposited in all respects, according to law.

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 re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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

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

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

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

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

JAMES MATTHEWS,
EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, July 12, 1889.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 16, 1889.

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 for the opening of East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, July 1, 1889, and entered on the 9th day of July, 1889, 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 September 16, 1889, 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.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 15, 1889.

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 for the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Edgecombe and Eighth avenues, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, July 1, 1889, and entered on the 9th day of July, 1889, 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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THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price.....	\$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound.....	50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding.....	15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound.....	10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

PROPOSALS FOR \$112,537.63 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS.

INTEREST TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Thursday, the 25th day of July, 1889, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of an issue of One Hundred and Twelve Thousand Five Hundred and Thirty-seven Dollars and Sixty-three Cents (\$112,537.63), Registered Stock, denominated

CONSOLIDATED STOCK of the City of New York, and known as "School-house Bonds," the principal payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETY-SEVEN, with interest at the rate of TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENTUM per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, chapter 458 of the Laws of 1884, chapter 494 of the Laws of 1885, chapter 456 of the Laws of 1886, and chapter 136, Laws of 1888, for the purchase of new school sites, for the erection of new school buildings, and for fitting up and furnishing the same for the use of the Common Schools of the City of New York.

CONDITIONS.

Section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 provides that "the Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law"; and provided also, "that no proposals for stock shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount

of stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

The proposals should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "School-house Bonds" of the Corporation of the City of New York, and each proposal should also be enclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 13, 1889.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE CITY STATIONERY.

BOARD OF THE CITY RECORD.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE District Courts of the City Government with Printing and Stationery, including Books, Blank Books, etc., as per annexed specifications, will be received at the office of the Mayor, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Thursday, the 25th day of July, 1889, at which place and time said estimates will be publicly opened and read.

Any person making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Printing and Stationery," and also the name of the person making it, and the date of its presentation. 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 to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Should the person to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of fifty per centum of the amount of the preliminary security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the Secretary of the Board of the City Record, who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said Secretary 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 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.

N. B.—Bidders will state a total price for each description of Printing or Stationery, including Blank Books, as set forth in the specification. Separate bids will be received (1) for all the Printing, (2) for all the Stationery, including Blank Books, but all estimates will be considered informal which do not contain bids for all the items of Printing, or for all the items of Stationery, including Blank Books, for which bids are called for.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Board of the City Record to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests. The entire quantity of Printing, Stationery and Books, is to be put up in packages and delivered at such times and places and in such quantities as shall be directed by the Board of the City Record.

Separate contracts will be made with the lowest bidder for each and every description of Printing, or articles of Stationery or Books, involving an expense of more than five hundred dollars.

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.

For particulars as to the quantity and kind of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books, reference must be had to the specifications attached to the blank forms of the estimates, copies of which, as well as samples of said Printing, Stationery and Blank Books may be seen by application to the Department of Public Works.

By order of the Board.
WILLIAM G. McLAUGHLIN,
Supervisor of the City Record.
NEW YORK, July 8, 1889.

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 3022, No. 1. Sewer on the north side of Southern Boulevard, between Willis avenue and summit east of Willis avenue.

List 3023, No. 2. Sewer in Clifton street, between Third avenue and Cauldwell avenue, with a branch on the east side of St. Ann's avenue, extending northerly from Clifton street about 210 feet.

List 3027, No. 3. Sewer in Ninety-fifth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

List 3028, No. 4. Sewer in Ninetieth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

List 3029, No. 5. Sewer in Eighty-ninth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

List 3034, No. 6. Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-eighth 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. North side of Southern Boulevard, extending easterly from Willis avenue about 505 feet 3 inches.

No. 2. Both sides of Clifton street, from Third avenue to Cauldwell avenue, and east side of St. Ann's avenue, from Clifton street to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, from Madison to Park (Fourth) avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Ninetieth street, from Riverside to West End avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from Riverside to West End avenue.

No. 6. Block bounded by One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets, Eighth avenue and first new avenue west of Eighth 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 15th day of August, 1889.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 15, 1889.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.
9,200 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, July 25, 1889.

1,600 pounds Cheese.

3,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.

9,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.

5,000 pounds Rio Coffee roasted.

1,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.

500 pounds Macaroni.

5,000 pounds Rice.

1,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.

15,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

1,000 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.

4,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.

1,000 pounds Evaporated Apples.

15 barrels pure Cider Vinegar.

200 bushels Rye.

4,320 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

30 dozen Canned Corn.

10 dozen Tomato Catsup.

10 dozen Chow Chow.

24 dozen Canned Peaches.

20 dozen Canned Tomatoes.

12 dozen Canned Pears.

691 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.

50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels prime Carrots, 135 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.

1,600 heads prime good-sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels.

60 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.

50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.

25 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

10 tubs prime quality kettle-rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.

30 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.

50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

200 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, three bushels each.

CROCKERY, DRY-GOODS, ETC.

2 gross Chambers.

5 gross Saucers.

10 gross Safety Pins, Nos. 2 and 3.

25 gross Women's Thimbles, assorted.

10 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound.

15,000 yards Bandage Muslin.

3,000 yards Shroud Muslin.

HARDWARE AND LEATHER.

12 dozen pairs Narrow Fast Cast Butts, 4".

50 dozen each Knives and Forks.

25 gross each Screws 1" No. 8, 1 1/4" No. 10, 1 1/2" No. 12, 1 3/4" No. 14.

12 dozen Iron Pad Locks 2 1/2" No. 1058.

200 pounds Swede's Iron Shoe Nails 3/8" No. 16.

100 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each.

PAINTS, CEMENT, ETC.

10,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from adulterations and any added impurities, and subject to analysis if necessary 50 50s, 100 25s, 50 100s.

112 pounds first quality Ultramarine Blue, dry, 28-pound boxes.

50 pounds first quality Indian Red in oil, one pound packages.

500 pounds first quality Emerald Green in oil, in 10s.

200 pounds first quality Prussian Blue in oil, in 5s.

2 barrels first quality Raw Linseed Oil.

1 barrel first quality Boiled Linseed Oil.

2 barrels pure Spirits Turpentine.

100 pounds first quality Dark Chrome Green in oil, 50 15s, 25 25s.

50 pounds first quality French Ochre in oil, 2-pound packages.

50 pounds first quality Burnt Umber in oil, 2-pound packages.

25 barrels first quality Rosendale Cement.
25 barrels first quality W. W. Lime.
15 barrels first quality Plaster Paris.
10 barrels first quality Chloride Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of Chlorine.

LUMBER.

3,000 feet first quality extra clear Shelving, 12 to 16" x 12 to 16 feet, dressed two sides.

150 first quality White Pine Fence Boards, 1" x 9 1/2", dressed one side.

12 pieces first quality Sound Oak, seasoned, 2" x 12" x 16 feet, dressed.

12 pieces first quality Sound Oak, seasoned, 1 1/2" x 10" x 16 feet, dressed.

80 pieces first quality sound Spruce, 4" x 6" x 16 feet.

50 pieces first quality sound Spruce, 3" x 4" x 16 feet.

50 pieces first quality sound Spruce, 2" x 3" x 16 feet.

500 feet first quality sound Chestnut, 1" x 12" to 18", dressed two sides.

250 feet first quality sound Chestnut, 1 1/2" x 12" to 18", dressed two sides.

250 feet first quality sound Chestnut, 1 3/4" x 12" to 18", dressed two sides.

500 feet first quality clear, seasoned Chestnut Base, 1" x 8", dressed one side.

300 feet first quality Spruce Boards, 1" x 10" x 13 feet.

7,000 feet first quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, well seasoned, 1 1/4" x 3" x 18 feet, tongued, grooved, dressed and all one milling.

500 feet, first quality Georgia Yellow Pine, edged or vertical grained, well seasoned, 1 1/4" x 12", dressed.

5,000 square feet, first quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, well seasoned, edged or vertical grained, tongued, grooved and dressed, 1 1/4" x 3 1/2" x 18 feet and upwards.

2,000 square feet first quality, clear, seasoned Ceiling Boards, tongued and grooved, beaded and dressed one side, 7/8" x 4 1/2".

5,500 lineal feet first quality, clear seasoned Ceiling Boards, tongued and grooved, beaded and dressed one side, 7/8" x 4 1/2".

6 pieces first quality sound Spruce, 3" x 6" x 20 feet.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, July 26, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Crockery, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included 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 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.

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 re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, July 15, 1889.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHAS. 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, July 11, 1889.

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 Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Joseph O'Donnell, aged 33 years; committed July 1, 1879. Had on when admitted dark blue coat, black pants and vest, cotton shirt, undershirt and drawers.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—James Daley, aged 65 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted brown coat and vest, brown mixed pants, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—William Martin, aged 28 years; brown hair; blue eyes; admitted October 10, 1882.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS.

PLANS FOR A MUNICIPAL BUILDING IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS of chapter 81 of the Laws of 1889, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of a building for certain purposes relating to the public interests in the City of New York," passed March 27, 1889, the Board of Commissioners thereby constituted will, until the first day of August, 1889, receive plans and specifications for a New Municipal Building, provided for in said statute, to be erected in the City Hall Park, upon the plot of ground east of the City Hall and the New County Court-house.

A diagram showing the ground plan of the proposed building, and instructions to architects, enumerating the requirements in the submission of plans, can be obtained on application at the Comptroller's office.

Four premiums will be awarded, as follows:

For the plans adjudged to be the best, a premium of \$1,500 will be paid; and, in the event of their adoption by the Board of Commissioners, the author will be appointed to the superintendence of the construction of the building, with the fees prescribed by the American Institute of Architects, provided his standing is such as to guarantee a faithful discharge of his duties.

For the plans adjudged to be the second best, a premium of \$1,000 will be paid, and for the plans adjudged to be the third and fourth best, premiums of \$500 each will be paid.

In the examination and judgment of plans the Board will be assisted by a Committee to be appointed by the Mayor, consisting of not more than three competent architects and a civil engineer.

All plans submitted for competition, for which premiums are awarded, shall become the property of the city, and all plans must be filed with the Comptroller on or before the date mentioned. Each plan submitted shall be marked with such assumed designation as the architect may select, provided there shall be filed with the Mayor a sealed envelope, giving the real name of the author of the plans so designated, which shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of the Board, after the premiums shall have been awarded.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller,
RICHARD CROKER,
Chamberlain,
WALTON STORM,
Chairman Finance Committee,
Board of Aldermen,
NEW YORK, May 9, 1889.

Committee of the Board of Commissioners constituted by chapter 81, Laws of 1889.

ment 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 maps 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 twentieth day of September, 1889, 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, July 17, 1889.
EDWARD MCCUE, Chairman.
GILBERT M. SPEIR, Jr.,
JOHN H. KITCHEN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 28th day of August, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 28th day of August, 1889, 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 the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 28th day of August, 1889.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-second street and East One Hundred and Fifty-third street; easterly by the westerly side of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-first street and East One Hundred and Fifty-second street, and westerly by the easterly side of Railroad avenue, East; 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, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the thirteenth day of September, 1889, 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, July 12, 1889.
MICHAEL J. MCKENNA,
J. FAIRFAX MCLAUGHLIN,
THOMAS O'CALLAGHAN, Jr.,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY,
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to certain lands required for a public park or parks, square or squares, place or places, known as the High Bridge Park, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Council to the Corporation will make application to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held at the Chambers of said Court, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1889, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of two Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Grover Cleveland, who refuses to act, and Leicester Holme, who has resigned.

Dated New York, July 5, 1889.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 7th day of September, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 7th day of September, 1889, 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 the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 7th day of September, 1889.

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

New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between Grove street and Rose street; easterly by the westerly side of Bergen avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between Westchester avenue and Rose street, and westerly by the easterly side of Third avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of September, 1889, 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, July 3, 1889.
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
THOMAS DUNLAP,
HIRAM D. INGERSOLL,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands on Washington, Albany and Carlisle streets, in the First Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 17, on the second floor of No. 45 William street, in the said city, as provided by section four of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 5th day of August, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third.—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 Chambers in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 13th day of August, 1889, 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, June 27, 1889.
JOHN E. WARD,
WINTHROP PARKER,
JAMES H. WOOD,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands in the block bounded by First and Second streets and First and Second avenues, in the Seventeenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 17, on the second floor of No. 45 William street, in the said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 22nd day of August, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third.—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 Chambers in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 5th day of September, 1889, 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, June 22, 1889.
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN,
HORATIO HENRIQUES,
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands at the northwest corner of Ninety-third street and Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 17, on the second floor of No. 45 William street, in the said city, as provided by section four of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the twenty-second day of July, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third.—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 Chambers in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 25th day of July, 1889, 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, June 12, 1889.
GILBERT M. SPEIR, Jr.,
DENIS A. SPELLISSY,
CHARLES M. CLANCY,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BREMER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Jerome avenue to Birch street, and to that part of DEVOTE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Bremer avenue to Ogden avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first class streets or roads by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Council to the Corporation will make application to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held at the Chambers of said Court in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1889, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John B. Shea, resigned.

Dated New York, July 5, 1889.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands on the northerly side of Fourth street, near First avenue, in the Seventeenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 17, on the second floor of No. 45 William street, in the said city, as provided by section four of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 8th day of July, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third.—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 Chambers in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 18th day of July, 1889, 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, May 27, 1889.
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN,
HORATIO HENRIQUES,
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands at the northeast corner of Mulberry and Bayard streets, in the Sixth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 17, on the second floor of No. 45 William street, in the said city, as provided by section four of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 19th day of July, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third.—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 Chambers in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 25th day of July, 1889, 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, June 11, 1889.
JOHN E. WARD,
WINTHROP PARKER,
JAMES H. WOOD,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at No. 51 Chambers street.

J. S. COLEMAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, July 12, 1889.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a Horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, July 26, 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street. By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1889.

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: Boats, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, July 17, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Wednesday, July 31, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING FIRST AVENUE, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to Harlem river, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, between Eighth and Edgecombe avenues, with ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO CURVE AT ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET AND EIGHTH AVENUE AND SEWERS IN EDGECOMBE AVENUE, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

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

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

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 5 and 9, No. 31 Chambers street. THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 17, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Wednesday, July 21, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

- No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CHAMBERS STREET, from Park Row to Greenwich street (except where now paved with asphalt).
- No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE PAVING OF THE PLAZZA IN FRONT OF THE CITY HALL WITH ARTIFICIAL STONE OR CONCRETE BLOCKS.
- No. 3. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN FIFTEENTH STREET, between Second avenue and Rutherford place; in RUTHERFORD PLACE, between FIFTEENTH and SIXTEENTH streets, and in SIXTEENTH STREET, between Rutherford place and Third avenue.
- No. 4. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.
- No. 5. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN THIRD AVENUE, west side, between One Hundredth and One Hundred and Second streets.
- No. 6. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN PARK AVENUE, west side, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Third streets, and in ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, between Park and Madison avenues.
- No. 7. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

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 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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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, July, 1889.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ACCORDING TO LAW five per cent will be added on the 1st of August next on all unpaid Croton water rates.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 9, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Tuesday, July 23, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

- No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NEW CHAMBERS STREET, from Park Row to Cherry street.
- No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PERRY STREET, from Waverly place to Fourth street; COMMERCE STREET, from Bleecker street to Barrow street; LIBERTY PLACE, from Liberty street to Maiden lane; THEATRE ALLEY, from Ann street to Beekman street; HAGUE STREET, from Pearl street to Cliff street; BIRMINGHAM STREET, from Madison street to Henry street; STABLE STREET, from Jay street to Harrison street, and COLLISTER STREET, from Beach street to Light street.

- No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LITTLE TWELFTH STREET, between Ninth and Tenth avenues; TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue, and THIRTEENTH STREET, from Ninth avenue to Washington street.

- No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Fourth avenue to Lexington avenue; WASHINGTON STREET, from Gansevoort street to Little Twelfth street, and FIRST STREET, from Avenue A to Houston street.

- No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SCAMMEL STREET, from Water street to East Broadway.

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 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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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS AND RULES GOVERNING THE USE OF WATER, FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY ORDER OF THOMAS F. GILROY, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

UNDER CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 and 353, and as amended by chapter 559, Laws 1887, as follows:

"The commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings in said city in reference to their dimensions, values, exposure to fires, ordinary uses for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, number of families or occupants, or consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall

become a charge and lien upon the buildings upon which they are respectively imposed, and, if not paid, shall be returned as arrears to the clerk of arrears. Such regular rents, including the extra charges above mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining water-pipes or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water. Said rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as herein provided, but no charge whatever shall be made against any building in which a water-meter may have been, or shall be placed as provided in this act. In all such cases the charge for water shall be determined only by the quantity of water actually used as shown by said meters. * * * * *

"The said commissioner of public works is hereby authorized to prescribe a penalty not exceeding the sum of five dollars for each offense, for permitting water to be wasted, and for any violation of such reasonable rules as he may, from time to time, prescribe for the prevention of the waste of water; such fines shall be added to the regular water rents."

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 16 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates.

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet....	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet....	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet....	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet....	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet....	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet....	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 feet....	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwelling-houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family, one dollar per year shall be charged.

METERS will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows, to wit:

BAKERIES.—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, three dollars per annum.

BARBER SHOPS shall be charged from five to twenty dollars per annum each in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works; an additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each bathtub therein.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, shall be charged at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding-houses, and bathing establishments. Combination stationary wash-tubs, having a movable division in the centre and capable of use for bathing, shall be charged the same as bathing tubs.

BUILDING PURPOSES.—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick—ten cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

COWS.—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum.

DINING SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

FISH STANDS (retail) shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows: HORSES, PRIVATE.—For two horses there shall be charged six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, two dollars.

HORSES, LIVERY.—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, one dollar.

HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART.—For each horse, one dollar per annum.

HORSE TROUGHS.—For each trough, and for each half barrel or tub on sidewalk or street, twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families, be charged for each lodging room, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LAUNDRIES shall be charged from eight to twenty dollars per annum, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LIQUOR AND LAGER BEER SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of ten dollars each. An additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each tap or wash-box.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERIES shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

PRINTING OFFICES, when not metered, shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

SODA, MINERAL WATER AND ROOT BEER FOUNTAINS shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

STEAM ENGINES, where not metered, shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: For each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; for each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge; each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets connected in any manner with sewer shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on any other portion of the premises. Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each.

WATER-CLOSET RATES.—For hoppers of any form, when water is supplied direct from the Croton supply, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, hopper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each, per year, twenty dollars.

For any pan closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock, and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, so that overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so constructed that not more than three gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle, or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but be carried like a safe-waste, as provided by the Board of Health regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 352, Consolidated Act 1882, water-meters, of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops,

hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

It is provided by section 352, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law."

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter.

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet.

Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
60	05	9 00
70	05	10 50
80	05	12 00
90	05	13 50
100	05	15 00
150	05	22 50
200	05	30 00
250	04½	33 75
300	04	36 00
350	03½	36 75
400	03½	42 00
500	03½	52 50
600	03½	63 00
700	03½	73 50
800	03½	82 00
900	03½	94 50
1,000	03½	105 00
1,500	03	135 00
2,000	02½	150 00
2,500	02½	180 00
3,000	02½	225 00
4,000	02½	280 00
4,500	02½	303 75
5,000	02½	333 50
6,000	02	360 00
7,000	02	420 00
8,000	02	480 00
9,000	02	540 00
10,000	02	600 00

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water daily or belonging to daily lines, is one-half cent per ton (Custom House measurement) for each time they take water.

Steamers taking water other than daily, one cent per ton (Custom House measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not hereinbefore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

HYDRANTS, HOSE, TROUGHS, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.

No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to another person or persons.

All persons taking water from the City must keep their own service-pipes, street tap, and all fixtures connected therewith, in good repair, protected from frost, at their own risk and expense, and shall prevent all waste of water.

The use of hose to wash coaches, omnibuses, wagons, railway cars or other vehicles or horses, cannot be permitted.

No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except upon a license or permit taken out for that purpose. All licenses or permits must be annually renewed on the first of May. Such fixtures must be kept in good order and the water not allowed to drip or waste by overrunning the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous in winter by freezing in and about such troughs or fixtures.

No hydrant will be permitted on the sidewalk or in the front area, and any hydrant standing in a yard or alley, attached to any dwelling or building, must not be left running when not in actual use, and if the drip or waste from such hydrant freezes and becomes dangerous in winter, the supply will be shut off in addition to the penalty of five dollars imposed.

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, baths and urinals must not be left running, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense, which will be strictly enforced.

Fountains or jets in hotels, porter-houses, eating-saloons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, yards, court-yards, gardens, and about stables, is prohibited. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the police or inspectors of this department may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

Opening fire-hydrants to fill hand sprinklers or other vessels will not be allowed.

The penalty for a violation of any of the preceding rules and regulations will be five dollars for each offense, and if not paid when imposed will become a lien on the premises in like manner as all other charges for unpaid water rates.

By order,
THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN made to this Department by citizens claiming reductions or rebates on bills for water supplied through meters, on the alleged ground of leakage caused by defective plumbing and worn-out service pipes, or by willful waste of water by tenants allowing the faucets to be turned on in full force in water-closets, sinks, etc., without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the premises.

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted.

Notice is therefore given to all householders that in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

House-owners are further notified that whenever their premises become vacant, and are likely to remain vacant, they must notify this Department in writing, and that unless this requirement is complied with no deductions in extra water rents will be allowed for any portion of one year.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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