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### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

#### STATED MEETING.

THURSDAY, December 5, 1889,  
1 o'clock P. M.

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

#### PRESENT :

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President :

#### ALDERMEN

James M. Fitzsimons, Vice-President,	Alexander J. Dowd, Cornelius Flynn, George Gregory, Henry Gunther, Charles M. Hammond, Thomas M. Lynch, George B. Morris, Andrew A. Noonan,	Patrick N. Oakley, Edward J. Rapp, William P. Rinckhoff, Walton Storm, Richard J. Sullivan, William Tait, William H. Walker.
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On motion of Alderman Storm, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

#### WRITS OF CERTIORARI.

The President stated that he had been served with writs of certiorari sued out by the New York Elevated Railroad Company, for review of proceedings in the matter of taxes imposed upon said company.

Which were referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 25, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which authorizes the placing of an improved iron drinking-fountain on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Fifth avenue, on the grounds contained in the report of the Commissioner of Public Works, which is here subjoined :

"The resolution should be detached from the ordinance, which directs that the expense be assessed on the adjacent property, as this is not a matter subject to assessment under the law."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be erected on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which provides for the placing of an improved iron drinking-fountain in front of No. 22 Peck Slip, on the ground that, according to the report of the Commissioner of Public Works, there is now in Peck Slip, about one hundred and twenty-five feet from the point named in the resolution, a drinking-fountain, for man and beast, and the proposed fountain is, therefore, unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, be erected at No. 22 Peck Slip, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which provides for the regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Tenth and Convent avenues, on the ground that this street is not legally opened, and there is, therefore, no authority on the part of the City Government to incur any expenditure for improvements.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which provides for the lighting of Bainbridge avenue, from Williamsbridge road to the Southern Boulevard, on the grounds contained in the following report of the Commissioner of Public Works :

"\* \* \* There are no buildings on this portion of Bainbridge avenue and no public travel, and \* \* \* there is no necessity for gas-mains and public-lamps."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Bainbridge avenue from the present termination of the main on said avenue near the Williamsbridge road to the Southern Boulevard, Fordham, Twenty-fourth Ward, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which provides for the lighting of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between the Boulevard and Twelfth avenue, on the ground that a similar resolution was approved by me on the 12th ult., and, consequently, the present resolution is unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Boulevard and Twelfth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which provides for the lighting of Claremont avenue, from Orchard street to Highbridge street, on the ground that the report of the Commissioner of Public Works shows that this thoroughfare is not yet legally opened, and the City, therefore, cannot incur any expenditures for improvements on it.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Claremont avenue, from Orchard street to High Bridge street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which provides for the lighting of Rockfield street, from Williamsbridge road to Anthony avenue, on the ground that the Commissioner of Public Works reports that public lamps have just been erected on this street, and will be lighted this week. The resolution, therefore, is unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Rockfield street, from Williamsbridge road to Anthony avenue, where not already done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which provides for the lighting of Webster avenue from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth to One Hundred and Eightieth street ; and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street from Webster avenue to Railroad avenue, on the ground that the subjoined report of the Commissioner of Public Works thereon shows the resolution to be premature :

"The portion of Webster avenue included in the resolution is not graded, and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Railroad avenue, is not legally opened."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-pipes be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth to One Hundred and Eightieth street, and in One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Railroad avenue, West, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which provides for the lighting of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Webster and Vanderbilt avenues, and Webster avenue between One Hundred and Seventy-ninth and One Hundred and Eightieth streets, on the ground that the resolution is premature, in that Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-ninth and One Hundred and Eightieth streets, is not graded.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-pipes be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Webster and Vanderbilt avenues ; also in Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-ninth and One Hundred and Eightieth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 18, 1889, which provides for the laying of water-mains in Moshulu avenue and Riverdale lane, on the ground that the resolution is premature, in that the thoroughfares mentioned should be graded and widened before water-mains are laid.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Moshulu avenue, from Riverdale avenue to Riverdale lane, and in Riverdale lane, from Moshulu avenue to Albany Post road, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which authorizes the laying of water-mains in Fort Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Ninetieth and One Hundred and Ninety-first streets, on the grounds contained in the following report of the Commissioner of Public Works :

"There is only one house in this block to be supplied with water, and the proposed main would be of no use without laying other mains for a distance of 3,000 feet through streets now graded to the nearest existing water-main. Under these circumstances there appears to be no necessity for laying the water-mains."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.



Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Fort Washington avenue (Ridge road), between One Hundred and Ninetieth and One Hundred and Ninety-first streets, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted November 19, 1889, which authorizes the flagging and reflagging of the sidewalks on Morris street, from Broadway to Greenwich street, on the grounds contained in the following report of the Commissioner of Public Works :

" A resolution for this work would have no legal force without the previous certificate of the Commissioner of Public Works that the work is necessary. Certificate has been made to the Board of Aldermen that it is necessary to flag, full width, and reflag the sidewalks of Morris street, from Broadway to West street, upon which a resolution was introduced in the Board of Aldermen and is now pending in the Board, G. O. No. 726, authorizing that improvement. The latter resolution is the one that should be adopted, and this Department holds that the one before you, No. 783, would be of no legal force because it does not conform to the certificate of the Commissioner of Public Works, as required by section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

PETITIONS.

(G. O. 791.)

By Alderman Divver—

Petition of property-owners and business men on Elm street and adjacent streets, in favor of changing the name of Elm street to Harry Howard street.

In connection therewith Alderman Divver offered the following :

Resolved, That the name of Elm street be changed to Harry Howard street.

Which was laid over.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 792.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed petition for repealing resolution to permit owners of property to pave Fifty-fifth street, east of Avenue A, at their own expense, and requesting that the work be done by the city in the usual manner, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, as the carriageway of the street is in such a condition as to render traffic thereon by vehicles both difficult and dangerous, particularly during inclement weather.

They therefore recommend that the accompanying resolutions and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the resolution permitting owners of property on Fifty-fifth street, east of Avenue A, approved April 18, 1888, be and is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed; and be it further

Resolved, That the carriageway of Fifty-fifth street, from the crosswalk near the easterly intersection of Avenue A to a distance of about feet east, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES M. FITZSIMONS,  
WILLIAM H. WALKER,  
JOHN CARLIN,  
WALTON STORM,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY,  
WILLIAM TAIT,

Committee  
on  
Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk :

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, }  
NEW YORK, December 2, 1889.

To Hon. JOHN H. V. ARNOLD :

SIR—Herewith please find list of names of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire during the month of December, 1889.

Respectfully, yours, etc.,

EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk.

Name.	Term Expires.
Clark B. Augustine	December 19, 1889
James J. Brennan	" 19, "
Lewis S. Burchard	" 19, "
William Crosby	" 29, "
George E. Goeller	" 15, "
Bryan P. Henry	" 2, "
S. Granville Harris	" 2, "
Edward J. Halligan	" 5, "
Leo Herzberg	" 19, "
Isaac M. Kapper	" 29, "
John W. Noble	" 30, "
Stephen Philbin	" 5, "
Louis Rosenberg	" 19, "
Jacob Samuels	" 29, "
John Turner	" 29, "
Wm. C. Tower	" 30, "
Henry A. Van Pelt	" 29, "
Townsend Wandell	" 2, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, }  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }  
November 23, 1889.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council, from January 1 to December 31, 1889, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances :

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$429 72	\$1,070 28
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	104 85	95 15
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	61,930 03	13,169 97

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, }  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }  
November 30, 1889.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council,

from January 1 to December 31, 1889, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances :

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$479 72	\$1,020 28
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council. ...	200 00	104 85	95 15
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	68,188 17	6,911 83

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator :

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, }  
NEW YORK, November 30, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

Pursuant to chapter 4, article III., section 24 of the Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, of January 1, 1881, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.

A transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled since the date of his last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions paid into the City Treasury.	Amount paid to Legatees or next of Kin.	Amount paid into City Treasury for unknown next of Kin.	
Hippolyte J. de Goer...	Oct. 31, 1889	\$2,969 68	\$2,505 81	\$136 74	.....	.....	*\$327 13
Ellen McCusker .....	" 30, "	621 33	64 73	31 06	\$356 36	\$175 18	.....
John Havens .....	" 22, "	1,904 47	1,448 57	101 45	.....	354 45	.....
Gustav Kubler .....	" 23, "	314 03	125 13	15 46	173 44	.....	.....
Carl L. Jensen, or Jansen	" 30, "	1,855 10	705 81	92 75	352 18	.....	1704 36
David Lichtenstein.....	June 6, "	30,734 81	117 00	.....	63 00	.....	\$30,554 81
Richard C. Herrmann ..	Oct. 28, "	301 95	143 14	15 09	143 72	.....	.....
Timothy Sullivan .....	Nov. 6, "	2,570 81	163 66	126 77	2,280 38	.....	.....
August Longbois.....	" 6, "	716 09	60 93	35 80	.....	79 36	\$540 00
John, or John H. Hennessy.....	" 7, "	459 87	142 78	22 90	.....	294 10	.....
Warren R. Hedden.....	Oct. 24, "	107 64	1 20	5 38	101 06	.....	.....
Walter L. Harben.....	Nov. 9, "	24 53	24 50		.....	.....	.....
James Meagher, or McCarthy.....	" 18, "	388 11	368 71	19 40	.....	.....	.....
Gerhard, or Girard	Closed by payment of burial expenses.....	37 02	37 02	.....	.....	.....	.....
Longbois .....	Closed by payment to administratrix.....	15 34	15 34	.....	.....	.....	.....
Margaret Valler .....	.....	482 53	482 53	.....	.....	.....	.....
Morris Wolff .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	.....	\$43,503 34	\$6,406 92	\$602 89	\$3,464 14	\$903 09	\$32,126 30

\* Retained pending litigation in the Supreme Court of the United States.

† Retained until appointment of ancillary guardian for minor next of kin.

‡ Distribution in July last ; see report dated July 31, 1889.

\$ Appraised value of Panama Canal Bonds, deposited with the Comptroller of the City of New York for the benefit of the unknown next of kin.

|| Estate closed by delivery of stock decreed worthless, on payment of advances of \$24.56.

A statement of the title of any estate on which any money has been received since the date of the last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.	NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.
John McNulty .....	\$956 47	John Storey .....	\$2 06
Mina Karp.....	2 60	Catharine A. Foster.....	55 98
Joseph H. Pritchard.....	242 68	Frank Ronan.....	646 05
Fannie, or Fanny O'Donnell.....	184 36	Adolph Grubenmann.....	1 00
Julius A. Clark.....	113 32	Catharine A. Foster .....	100 00
George Bohm.....	23 75	John F. C. Ott, etc.....	145 65
Catharine Barry.....	212 00	James J. Lalor.....	33
Christopher Ficken.....	24 85	Stefan Beer.....	209 29
Catharine A. Foster.....	148 45	John McDonald.....	105 34
Michael O'Boyle.....	25	Nicholas M. Skowerly.....	8 76
Robert Gainstorth.....	35	Interest on daily balances for October, 1880, from the—	
Peter Doyle.....	279 41	Continental National Bank.....	\$163 33
Theresa Kelly.....	1 48	Importers and Traders' National Bank.....	165 09
Howard Pinkney.....	150 50	National Park Bank.....	161 99
Theresa Kelly.....	50 00		
Christopher Ficken.....	3 02		
Bridget Healey.....	102 70		
Mina Karp.....	61		
Adolph Grubenmann.....	25 50		
Mary E. Feyh.....	350 00		
		Total .....	\$4,860 57

Which was ordered on file.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman D. Barry—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas F. Leahy to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of his premises on the south side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, near the corner of Third avenue, provided the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), that the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 793.)

By Alderman Carlin—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between the Boulevard and Hudson river, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 794.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the roadway of Ninety-eighth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone be laid at the abutting avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 795.)

By the same—

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Hamilton place at its intersection with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.



By Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the trustees of the Emanuel Baptist Church to place a transparency over the street-lamp on the northwest corner of Grand and Suffolk streets, in front of their church edifice; such permission to continue for a period of sixty days, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That the Commissioners in Charge of Lighting the City be and they are hereby respectfully requested to light Vesey street with electric lights.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 796.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the two gas-lamps in front of St. Peter's R. C. Church, in Barclay street, south side, between Broadway and Church street, be relighted, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Gregory—

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 245, article XXIV. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances, approved December 31, 1886.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That chapter 8, article XXIV., section 245, of the Revised Ordinances, approved December 31, 1886, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 245. No person shall beat any drum or perform on any musical instrument in any street or public place in the City of New York for the purpose of attracting attention to any show of beasts or birds, or any other things in said city, nor shall any person use or perform, or hire, procure or abet any other persons to use or perform with any hand-organ or other musical instrument in any of the streets or public places in the City of New York, except as hereinafter provided, under a penalty of five dollars or imprisonment for ten days for each offense. No person or persons shall play on any hand-organ or other musical instrument except between the hours of 9 A. M. and 8 P. M. of each day, nor during any part of the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, nor within a distance of five hundred feet of any school-house, or house of public worship, during school hours or hours of public worship, nor within a like distance of any hospital, asylum, or other public institution, nor within a distance of two hundred and fifty feet of any dwelling-house or other building, when requested or directed by the occupant not to so perform, nor shall such musicians ring any door bell to request payment therefor. Every such performer on hand-organs or any other musical instrument shall pay a license fee of one dollar per annum for each performer, and shall wear conspicuously a tag designating the number of such license, and the Mayor may license such number as he shall deem proper.

Sec. 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances, inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Alderman Oakley moved to refer to the Committee on Law Department.

Alderman Gregory moved to refer to the Committee on Streets, with instructions to report at the next meeting.

Alderman Sullivan moved to lay the ordinance on the table.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Dowd, Flynn, Gunther, Lynch, Noonan, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Storm, Sullivan, and Walker—15.

Negative—Aldermen Carlin, Clancy, Gregory, Hammond, Morris, and Rapp—6.

(G. O. 797.)

By Alderman Hammond—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between the westerly curb-line of Third avenue and the easterly curb-line of Gerard avenue, be regulated and graded and culverts built, that curb-stones be set, that flag-stones four feet in width be laid along and on each sidewalk, and that crosswalks be laid where not already across the roadway of each intersection of said street with each avenue and at the intersection of each avenue with said street, except where the said street crosses the New York and Harlem Railroad, at which point approaches shall be made to the existing bridge across said railroad, and that a bridge similar in style and construction to the bridge crossing the tracks of the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad at Third avenue, be built over the track of said branch railroad at said One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and that half of the cost of constructing said bridge be assessed upon and borne by the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 798.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the crosswalk near the westerly intersection of Third avenue to the crosswalk near the easterly intersection of Courtland avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, except where crosswalks are now laid near the intersection of Melrose avenue; that the curb-stones be set or reset on the established lines and grades, using the present stones where not broken or unfit for use, and that the crosswalks at the intersecting and terminating avenues be relaid where not on the established grade or lines, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 799.)

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That Burnside avenue, from Sedgwick avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as laid down on the Commissioners' map, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and crosswalks of two courses of bridge-stone be laid at each intersecting and terminating avenue, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 800.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Bainbridge avenue, from Ridge street south about three hundred and fifty feet, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 801.)

By the same—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be erected near the southeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and Willis avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Metz, to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of his premises No. 8 East Twenty-third street, on condition that the lamp shall be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman D. Barry—

Resolved, That Henry M. Jennings, Morton H. C. Foster, Patrick H. Loftus, Charles P. Foster and James E. Swenarton be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman R. J. Barry—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help to erect transparencies advertising their fair, on lamp-posts, northeast corner of Fifty-ninth street and Third avenue, southeast corner of Sixty-first street and Third avenue, southeast corner Sixty-first street and Second avenue, and southeast corner Sixty-first street and First avenue; also, on lamp-posts in front of the church on Sixty-first street, between First and Second avenues. Said permission not to extend beyond January 1, 1890, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Rapp—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Lynch—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Cowie called up G. O. 481, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to pave with asphalt the roadway of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Eighth avenue and the Boulevard, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, etc., be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, viz.: Beginning at the east crosswalk of Eighth avenue and ending at the west crosswalk of the Boulevard, the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Sullivan, and Walker—20.

Alderman Cowie called up G. O. 512, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to pave with asphalt the roadway of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Seventh and St. Nicholas avenues, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, etc., be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, viz.: Beginning at the west crosswalk of Seventh avenue and ending at the east crosswalk of St. Nicholas avenue, the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 169, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on the west side of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 172, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on Eighth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Butler called up G. O. 672, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Second street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Butler called up G. O. 772, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of West street, as widened, from Warren to Jay street, be repaved with granite-block pavement, the spaces between the blocks to be filled with gravel and cement, except that crosswalks now at the terminating streets be relaid across the full width of said street as widened, using the old bridge-stone where not too much worn or broken and substituting new bridge-stone where those now laid are unfit for use and where required to extend said walks to the full width of the street; that the curb-stones be reset, where not on the proper or established grade, and new stones set where the present curb-stones are broken; the work to be done pursuant to the provisions of chapter 449, Laws of 1889, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 636, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the road or public drive from its southerly intersection with One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to its intersection with Kingsbridge road and Dyckman street, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 175, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Sullivan called up G. O. 454, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to pave with asphalt the roadway of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, etc., be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, viz.: beginning at the west crosswalk of Seventh avenue and ending at the east crosswalk of Eighth avenue, the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Sullivan called up G. O. 514, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to pave with asphalt the roadway of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between St. Nicholas and Eighth avenues, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, etc., be laid at the intersecting and ter



minating avenues, viz.: Beginning at the west crosswalk of St. Nicholas avenue and ending at the east crosswalk of Eighth avenue; the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 177, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Seventy-second street, from Central Park west to Riverside Drive, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset, where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Negative—Alderman Carlin—1.

The President called up G. O. 179, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—20.

The President called up the following:

G. O. 753, being a resolution, as follows:

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

G. O. 757, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Brook avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 761, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Locust avenue to St. Ann's avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 764, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street placed thereon and lighted in Main street, West Farms, from the Southern Boulevard to Westchester Bridge, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 776, being a resolution, as follows:

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

G. O. 777, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 778, being a resolution, as follows:

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

G. O. 779, being a resolution, as follows:

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

G. O. 783, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Seventieth street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 781, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Sixty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 782, being a resolution, as follows:

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt the several resolutions.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President also called up the following:

G. O. 756, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in New street, between Wall and Beaver streets, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 759, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, east of the Southern Boulevard a distance of about five hundred feet, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 763, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in Pelham avenue, between Pyne street and Southern Boulevard, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 775, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Ninety-first street, from First to Second avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 784, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Washington avenue to Hoffman avenue, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt the several resolutions.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Rinckhoff called up G. O. 182, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Alderman Rinckhoff called up G. O. 212, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on the east side of Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Fourteenth to One Hundred and Fifteenth street, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Vice-President Fitzsimons called up G. O. 702, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be located at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Nineteenth street and Lexington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Vice-President Fitzsimons called up G. O. 213, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on the east side of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fourth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 214, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 262, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the curb-stones on West End avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street, on both sides of the avenue, be reset so as to conform with the width of roadway, as established by resolution of the Board of Aldermen, passed October 13, 1884, and approved by the Mayor, October 27, 1884, and that new curb-stones be set along the line of the work where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was again laid over.

The President called up G. O. 306, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the curb-stones be set and an additional course of flagging four feet wide be laid on the north side of One Hundred and Nineteenth street and the south side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Eighth and Manhattan avenues, and that the old flag-stones, where not laid or set in accordance with the established lines and grades, be taken up and reset and relaid, and new flagging laid where the old flag-stones have been broken or removed, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 516, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to pave with asphalt the roadway of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between St. Nicholas and Eighth avenues, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, etc., be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, viz.: Beginning at the west crosswalk of Eighth avenue and ending at the east crosswalk of St. Nicholas avenue, the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 515, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to pave with asphalt the roadway of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between St. Nicholas avenue and Eighth avenue, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, etc., be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, viz.: Beginning at the west crosswalk of Eighth avenue and ending at the east crosswalk of St. Nicholas avenue, the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 517, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is authorized to pave with asphalt the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between St. Nicholas and Eighth avenues, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, etc., be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, viz.: Beginning at the west crosswalk of Eighth avenue, and ending at the east crosswalk of St. Nicholas avenue, the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 665, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Gunther called up G. O. 789, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Flynn, Gilligan, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.



Alderman Gunther called up G. O. 663, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Seventy-second street, from First avenue to Avenue A, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

The President called up G. O. 313, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That the sidewalks on the north side of One Hundred and Fifth street and on the south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset, where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 314, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on One Hundredth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman R. J. Barry called up G. O. 662, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets, First and Second avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman R. J. Barry called up G. O. 710, being a resolution, as follows:  
 Resolved, That the old crosswalk now laid across Chambers street, diagonally from opposite No. 203 to the southeast corner of West street and Chambers street, consisting of two courses of bridge-stone, be taken up and a new crosswalk of three courses of bridge-stone, with a row of granite paving blocks between, be laid, using the present bridge-stone, where not worn or broken, and fit to be relaid, if any, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be charged to the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman D. Barry called up G. O. 766, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Mount Morris avenue, at its intersection with the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Alderman D. Barry called up G. O. 585, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across Lexington avenue within the lines of the northerly sidewalk of One Hundred and Seventeenth street and parallel thereto, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman D. Barry called up G. O. 704, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That One Hundred and First street, from First to Second avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman D. Barry called up G. O. 718, being a resolution, as follows:  
 Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of bridge-stone, with a row of paving-blocks between each course, be laid across One Hundred and Twenty-third street, on the west side of Lenox avenue and the east side of Seventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be charged to the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman D. Barry called up G. O. 752, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Lenox avenue, at its intersection with the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Alderman D. Barry called up G. O. 769, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street at its intersection with the westerly and easterly sides of Lexington avenue; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

The President called up G. O. 729, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across One Hundred and Sixty-second street at its intersection with the easterly side of Tenth avenue; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the

dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 315, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on One Hundredth street, from Manhattan to Ninth avenue, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Hammond called up G. O. 758, being a resolution, as follows:  
 Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be erected on the southeast corner of Elton avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-third street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Hammond called up G. O. 765, being a resolution, as follows:  
 Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of bridge-stone be laid across Canal street, diagonally, from the southwest corner of Mott street to the northwest corner of Mott and Canal streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be charged to the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 200, being a resolution, as follows:  
 Resolved, That an improved drinking-fountain be placed on Third avenue, at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 744, being a resolution, as follows:  
 Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be erected on northwest corner of Broadway and Church street, Kingsbridge, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 762, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Third to Vanderbilt avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—20.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 785, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That Giles street, from Sedgwick avenue to Heath avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—20.

The President called up G. O. 318, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
 Resolved, That the curb-stones be set and an additional course of flagging, four feet wide, be laid on the north side of One Hundred and Twelfth street and the south side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Eighth and Manhattan avenues, and that the old flag-stones, where not laid or set in accordance with the established lines and grades, be taken up and reset and relaid, and new flagging laid where the old flag-stones have been broken or removed, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—20.

## REPORTS RESUMED.

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the annexed petition of the Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company for permission to construct, maintain and operate a railway on the surface of the streets named in said petition, respectfully

## REPORT:

That your Committee has carefully considered the application, has held several meetings, after due notice, at which all persons interested were given an opportunity to be heard, as required by law, and have concluded to recommend favorable action on the application by your Honorable Body.

Your Committee are of opinion that too many facilities for communication between remote sections of our city cannot be given; that the public are entitled to every means of travel that can be properly obtained, and that it is the duty of the corporate authorities of this city to assent to the construction and operation of all such means of communication as, under existing laws, the corporate interests are so well and amply protected that no injury or detriment can be done the public by permitting the use of our streets for railway purposes under proper restrictions.

Your Committee, therefore, respectfully offer for your adoption the following resolutions:  
 Resolved, That the consent of the Common Council of the City of New York be and is hereby given to the Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company to the construction, maintenance, use and operation, upon the conditions hereinafter named, and not otherwise, of a street railroad upon and through the streets and avenues in said city, mentioned and described in the petition of said company, as follows, to wit: Commencing upon East street, at or near the Grand Street Ferry, and running thence through, upon and along East street, with a double track, to Delancey slip or street; thence through, upon and along Delancey street, with a double track, to the Bowery; thence through, upon and across the Bowery to Spring street; thence through, upon and along Spring street, with a double track, to South Fifth avenue; thence through, upon and along South Fifth avenue, with a double track, to Fourth street; thence through, upon and along Fourth street, with a double track, to Macdougall street; thence through, upon and along Macdougall street, with a double track, to Waverley place; thence through, upon and along Waverley place to Bank street; thence through, upon and along Bank street, with a double track, to Greenwich avenue; thence through, upon and along Greenwich avenue, with a double track, to Thirteenth and Horatio streets; thence through, upon and along Thirteenth street and Horatio street, with a single track to Eighth avenue; thence through, upon and across Eighth avenue to Thirteenth street; thence through, upon and along Thirteenth street, with a double track, to Thirteenth avenue; thence through, upon and along Thirteenth avenue, with a double track, to Fourteenth street, together with the necessary connections, turnouts, sidings, switches, turn-tables, and convenient stands for the working and accommodation of said railroad.



And be it further Resolved, That the conditions upon which, and not otherwise, the said consent is hereby given, are as follows, to wit:

First—That the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, pertinent thereto, shall be complied with.

Second—That the right, franchise and privilege of using the said streets and avenues to construct, maintain, use and operate a street surface railroad upon the said streets and avenues, subject to all the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, and of chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886, shall be sold at public auction to the bidder, which shall be an incorporated railroad or railway company organized to construct, maintain and operate a street railroad in the City of New York, for which such consent is given, and which will agree to give the largest percentage per annum of its gross receipts, with adequate security, by a bond or undertaking in writing, and under seal, in such form, condition, amount and sureties as shall be required and approved by the Comptroller of the said city, for the fulfillment of the said agreement, and for the commencement and completion of such road according to the plan or plans, and on the route or routes fixed for its construction, within the time or times designated and prescribed therefor by the provisions of chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886.

Third—That in the construction of the said railroad and its equipment, the materials and work employed shall be of the best quality and character, and the said railroad shall be constructed with side-bearing rail, having the outer edge of bearing flush with pavement, with inside drop not exceeding one inch in depth; and that the cars thereon shall be run as frequently as the convenience of the public may require.

Fourth—That the bidder to which the aforesaid sale shall be made, and any person or corporation using the tracks or any part of the tracks, constructed or laid under or in pursuance of this consent, shall comply with all reasonable ordinances or regulations which the local authorities having charge of the aforesaid streets and avenues, or any of them, shall make as to the rate of speed, mode of use of tracks, and removal of ice and snow, and with any and all provisions of law applicable to any street surface railroad company organized under chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, and shall not charge any passenger more than five cents from or to any point on the route hereinabove described, nor from any point on said route or any route connecting with the route hereinabove described, to any point on said route or any route connecting with the route hereinabove described, but shall give transfer tickets to a passenger when necessary to secure, and which shall secure to him one continuous ride between such points for the single fare of five cents.

And the said bidder, as to the whole route hereinabove described, shall be absolutely and unqualifiedly bound, and any person or company using or operating a railroad upon the tracks, or any part of the tracks, constructed upon the said route under or by virtue of the consent hereby given or the sale had in pursuance thereof, as to the tracks so used by it or him, shall be jointly and severally bound with the said bidder absolutely and unqualifiedly to repair and keep in permanent repair the portion of said streets and avenues upon which the tracks shall be so constructed, between the tracks, the rails of the tracks and a space two feet in width outside of and adjoining the outside rails of the track or tracks, so long as such tracks so constructed shall continue to be used, and this obligation in respect to the repairing of the streets shall not be dependent upon the requirements of the local authorities, but is hereby made an absolute and unqualified obligation; and they shall in like manner and to a like extent be bound to and shall remove the snow from the same parts of the streets or avenue immediately after it shall have fallen, or as soon as possible thereafter, and not merely to clear the tracks and the space between them by removing the snow to the space intervening between the tracks and the curb-stones, but to remove the snow entirely from that portion of the streets or avenues made use of for the construction and operation of the railroad, so far as such snow may have fallen or ice may have been formed upon the said tracks, or upon the space between them, or the designated two feet of space upon each side of the outside of said tracks; the snow or ice so removed to be taken from the street and deposited at the nearest and most convenient place used by the city authorities for the deposit of snow removed by themselves.

Fifth—That the railroad to the construction or operation of which this consent is given shall be operated only by animal or horse power, and that no cars shall be operated by any person or company over the route hereinabove described, and under or by virtue of this consent, by any other than animal or horse power, unless the right so to do shall be acquired as provided by section 12 of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884.

Sixth—That any person or company who shall use or operate a railroad upon the tracks, or any part of the tracks, constructed upon the route hereinabove described, under or by virtue of the consent hereby given, or the sale had in pursuance thereof, shall be subject to the same conditions, liabilities, obligations, duties and payments in respect to such use or operation by him or it, or of upon such tracks as the bidder to whom the sale shall be made under this consent would be subject were such use or operation made by such bidder, and in computing any percentage upon gross receipts that may thereby become payable, the amount thereof shall be computed upon a fare of five cents as having been received as part of the gross receipts from every passenger who shall ride upon any part of the route hereinabove described, and irrespective of the fact whether such passenger enters or leaves the car at any point upon the said route, and the bidder to whom such sales shall be made shall be jointly and severally liable with any such person or company for any default in any of such conditions, liabilities, obligations, duties and payments.

Seventh—That the percentage upon gross receipts payable under the bid at such sale, shall be made annually on the first day of November for the year ending on the next preceding thirtieth day of September.

Eighth—That the said Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company shall provide for the expense of publication of the aforesaid notice of sale before the said notice shall be published, and the company which at the said sale shall be the highest bidder shall at the time and place of sale reimburse the said Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company for all expenses for printing and publishing, necessarily incurred by it upon the application and sale herein, under the provisions of said chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884 and of said chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886.

Ninth—This consent is given and the said sale shall be made upon the express understanding that the conditions herein stated do not relieve the said bidder, or any person or company operating a road upon any of the tracks constructed under this consent from any conditions, obligations, liabilities, payments or duties to which they might have been liable in the absence of such conditions.

Tenth—That if the bidder shall not furnish satisfactory security, the said Comptroller may cancel the bid and sell this consent and the license in the same manner as is provided by chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886.

Eleventh—That the said bidder shall, within thirty days after the sale at public auction, execute under its corporate seal, to be attested by its president or treasurer, and by virtue of a resolution of its board of directors, an instrument in writing, which shall be delivered to the Comptroller of the City of New York, and which shall contain and express the acceptance by the said bidder of this consent of the Common Council for the construction, maintenance, use and operation of the proposed railroad upon the streets and avenues above mentioned upon the terms and conditions upon which this consent is granted, and binding the said company to abide by, comply with, faithfully perform and keep the said terms and conditions.

And be it further Resolved, That the sale at public auction of the right, franchise and privilege mentioned above shall be attended and conducted by the Comptroller of the City of New York, and shall be held at a place in the City of New York to be designated by the said Comptroller, and on the earliest practicable day to be designated by the said Comptroller, or at such time to which the same may be adjourned from the day specified in the notice so published, not exceeding twice, for a period not exceeding four weeks in the aggregate, and only after notice of the time, place and terms thereof, and of the route or routes to be sold, and of the conditions upon which this consent is given, shall have been published by the said Comptroller three times a week for at least three weeks, in two daily newspapers in said city, to be designated by his Honor the Mayor of said city (and if the bidder shall not furnish satisfactory security, the said Comptroller may cancel the bid and sell this consent and the license in the same manner as is provided by chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886).

WILLIAM P. RINCKHOFF,  
DAVID BARRY,  
HENRY GUNTHER,  
GEORGE B. MORRIS,  
GEORGE GREGORY,

Committee  
on  
Railroads.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolutions.

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division called by Vice-President Fitzsimons, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Vice-President Fitzsimons was excused from voting—1.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Morris moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, and Walker—12.

Negative—Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Flynn, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, and Tait—10.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, December 10, 1889, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

#### METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

#### ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the week ending November 30, 1889.

##### Barometer.

DATE.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
NOVEMBER.		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday,	24	30.150	30.050	30.070	30.090	30.170	30.036
Monday,	25	30.086	30.092	30.260	30.146	30.324	30.028
Tuesday,	26	30.466	30.442	30.480	30.463	30.516	30.324
Wednesday,	27	30.350	30.110	29.816	30.105	30.450	29.700
Thursday,	28	29.350	29.446	29.620	29.472	29.700	29.310
Friday,	29	29.718	29.732	29.862	29.771	29.928	29.630
Saturday,	30	30.074	30.160	30.332	30.189	30.364	29.928

Mean for the week..... 30.034 inches.  
Maximum " at 9 A.M., November 26th..... 30.516 "  
Minimum " at 8 A.M., November 28th..... 29.310 "  
Range " ..... 1.206 "

##### Thermometers.

DATE.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
NOVEMBER.		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday,	24	38	33	50	41	47	41	45.0
Monday,	25	45	42	45	41	37	30	42.3
Tuesday,	26	31	27	41	38	33	36.6	33.3
Wednesday,	27	40	37	44	43	55	54	46.3
Thursday,	28	55	55	45	40	40	37	46.6
Friday,	29	34	33	34	31	30	29	32.6
Saturday,	30	28	27	32	30	29	30.3	29.3

Mean for the week..... 39.9 degrees.  
Maximum for the week, at 12 M., 27th..... 56. " at 11 P.M., 27th..... 56. "  
Minimum " at 3 A.M., 30th..... 27. " at 3 A.M., 30th..... 28. "  
Range " ..... 29. " ..... 30. "

##### Wind.

DATE. NOVEMBER.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	9 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	24....	WSW	S	SW	68	49	40	157	0	½	0	1¼	2.20 P.M.
Monday,	25...	W	WNW	NW	19	21	66	106	0	0	2½	3½	8.30 P.M.
Tuesday,	26....	NW	NNW	NE	61	35	20	116	0	0	0	¾	0 A.M.
Wednesday,	27....	ENE	E	SE	57	70	75	202	0	½	1	3¼	10.30 P.M.
Thursday,	28....	SSE	WSW	SSW	106	104	90	300	¾	6	0	7¼	0.50 P.M.
Friday,	29....	WSW	WSW	W	100	87	85	272	0	1	¾	2¾	5.40 P.M.
Saturday,	30...	WSW	WNW	WNW	123	101	59	283	½	1¼	0	3½	11.50 A.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,436 miles.  
Maximum force " ..... 7 1/4 pounds.

DATE  NOVEMBER.	Hygrometer.								Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR, ☉. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	☉. 10.
Sunday, 24	.123	.139	.179	.147	53	38	55	49	3 Cir.	0	10	7 P.M.	8 P.M.	1.00	.01	....	0
Monday, 25	.228	.205	.086	.173	76	68	39	61	10	10	0	5.30 A.M.	2.30 P.M.	9.00	.35	....	2
Tuesday, 26	.101	.190	.165	.152	58	74	72	68	0	2 Cir.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	0
Wedn'day, 27	.181	.264	.404	.283	73	92	93	86	10	10	10	12 M.	12 P.M.	12.00	2.15	....	0
Thursday, 28	.433	.182	.181	.265	100	60	73	78	10	6 Cir.	2 Cir.	0 A.M.	5.30 A.M.	5.30	.94	....	0
Friday, 29	.175	.139	.149	.154	89	71	89	83	1 Cir.	8 Cir.Cu	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	0
Saturday, 30	.136	.168	.149	.151	88	89	89	89	4 Cu.	8 Cir.Cu	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	0

Total amount of water for the week..... 3.45 inch.  
Duration for the week..... 1 day, 3 hours, 30 minutes.

DATE.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.
Sunday,	Nov. 24	Cool, hazy	Cool, pleasant.
Monday,	" 25	Cool, raining, fog	Cool, raining.
Tuesday,	" 26	Cool, pleasant, ice	Cool, pleasant.
Wednesday,	" 27	Cool, raw, overcast	Cool, raining.
Thursday,	" 28	Mild, overcast	Cool, cloudy.
Friday,	" 29	Cool, pleasant	Cool, cloudy.
Saturday,	" 30	Cold, cloudy, ice	Cool, cloudy, snowflurry, 9 A.M.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.



POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 30th day of November.  
Present—Commissioners McClave, Voorhis, and Martin. Commissioner Martin in the Chair.  
Resolved, That the persons named in list marked "C" (special election) be selected and appointed as Inspectors of Election in the several districts named, in the place and stead of those previously selected, approved and appointed; that said list be ordered on file in the Bureau of Elections, and the Chief of the Bureau directed to issue the necessary notices and qualify them according to law.

"C."

ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
22	9	George R. Collier.....	George R. Collier.....	Republican....	Resigned.
11	1	Joseph Baum.....	Patrick Cody.....	County Dem...	Removed.

Resolved, That the persons named in list marked "Aa" (special election) be selected and appointed as Poll Clerks of Election in the several districts named in the place and stead of those previously selected, approved and appointed; that said list be ordered on file in the Bureau of Elections, and the Chief of the Bureau directed to issue the necessary notices and qualify them according to law.

"Aa."

ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
14	1	William H. Cross.....	Edward J. Heffernan..	Republican....	Resigned.
23	1	Joseph R. Gilander.....	Thomas H. Smith.....	"	"
10	5	P. J. Simmons.....	Samuel S. Campbell....	"	"
16	5	Florence F. McAuliffe....	Frederick B. Miller....	"	"
13	9	Herman M. Meyer.....	Julian H. Meyer.....	"	Removed.
18	9	David H. Hunter.....	H. C. Taylor.....	"	Resigned.
20	9	Thomas Herring.....	Charles A. McCollough..	Democrat.....	"
23	9	Joseph P. Minter.....	John H. Lounsbury....	Republican....	"
31	9	Henry C. Sloat.....	William H. Goodfellow..	"	"
15	9	Patrick T. Leary.....	Harry D. Adriance.....	Democrat.....	Removed.
33	9	George D. Frankenrich...	I. Hunter.....	Republican....	"

Adjourned.

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1889—SPECIAL MEETING—11 A. M.

Pursuant to the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
November 14, 1889.

Mr. CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, etc.:

SIR—You will please issue notices for a meeting of the Board to be held on Monday next, 18th instant, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be presented.

Respectfully,  
WALDO HUTCHINS, President D. P. P.

Present—Commissioners Hutchins (President), Borden, Gallup.  
On motion, the reading of minutes of previous meetings was dispensed with.  
Affidavits of John J. McGrath, Examiner of the CITY RECORD, stating that the following notices of proposed changes in the system of streets in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards had been duly advertised, were received and placed on file.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 24, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the street system in that part of the "Spuytten Duyvil District," Twenty-fourth Ward, lying between Kappock street, Independence avenue, the Ewen estate, and the first street east of Troy street, with the proposed grades of the several revised streets within said bounds, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721, Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the location, width, course, windings, lines and grades of, and discontinuing and closing, in whole or in part, certain avenues, streets and roads; readopting, extending and laying out others to take their places, and fixing the grades of the several revised streets in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward above described.

A map showing the proposed change is on exhibition in said office.

WALDO HUTCHINS, } Commissioners  
M. C. D. BORDEN, } of  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB, } Public Parks.  
ALBERT GALLUP, }

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the contemplated change of the lines of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the proposed change consist in altering the lines and discontinuing and closing a portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from the west side of Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Webster avenue, and extending the street to Burnside avenue.

A map showing the contemplated change is now on exhibition in said office.

WALDO HUTCHINS, } Commissioners  
M. C. D. BORDEN, } of  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB, } Public Parks.  
ALBERT GALLUP, }

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the proposed extension of Walton avenue and the grades proposed to be established for the same, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in extending Walton avenue, from Cheever place to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; and changing, fixing and establishing the grades of said avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to Cheever place, in the Twenty-third Ward.

A map showing the proposed change is now on exhibition in said office.

WALDO HUTCHINS, } Commissioners  
M. C. D. BORDEN, } of  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB, } Public Parks.  
ALBERT GALLUP, }

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the street system in a part of the Central District, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, lying between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Sheridan avenue and Elliott street; Jerome avenue, East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Tremont and Webster avenues, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the location, width, course, windings, lines and grades of, and discontinuing and closing in whole, or in part, certain avenues, streets, roads and public places, readapting, extending and laying out others to take their places, and fixing and establishing the grades of the several revised streets, etc., in that part of the Central District above described.

A map showing the proposed change is now on exhibition in said office.

WALDO HUTCHINS, } Commissioners  
M. C. D. BORDEN, } of  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB, } Public Parks.  
ALBERT GALLUP, }

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the lines of Ryer avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-first and East One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, in the Twenty-third Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the location, course, lines and grades, discontinuing and closing a portion, and fixing and establishing the grades of Ryer avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-first and East One Hundred and Eighty-second streets.

A map showing the proposed change is on exhibition in said office.

WALDO HUTCHINS, } Commissioners  
M. C. D. BORDEN, } of  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB, } Public Parks.  
ALBERT GALLUP, }

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 13th day of November, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers Street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the width of Union street, from Lind avenue to Marcher avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in reducing Union street from 60 to 50 feet in width, discontinuing and closing a portion and changing and establishing the grades of said street, from Lind to Marcher avenue.

A map showing the proposed change is now exhibition in said office.

WALDO HUTCHINS, } Commissioners  
M. C. D. BORDEN, } of  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB, } Public Parks.  
ALBERT GALLUP, }

In the matter of the proposed extension of Walton avenue, S. J. Storrs, K. Chandler, L. W. Seavey, George K. Stephens and Jordan L. Mott, appeared and were heard.

The matter was then laid over.

In the matter of the proposed changes in the Spuyten Duyvil District, A. E. Putnam, I. C. Johnson and Walter Cox, appeared and were heard.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, this Board does hereby alter, amend and revise the maps or plans heretofore adopted by it by authority of law, and change the location, width, windings, lines, and grades of, discontinue and close, in whole or in part, certain avenues, streets and roads, and extend, readopt, and lay out others to take the place of those discontinued and closed, and does hereby fix and establish the grades of the revised avenues, streets, and roads in a portion of the "Spuyten Duyvil District," in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as shown on a map or plan entitled "Map or plan showing revision of Street System in that part of the Spuyten Duyvil District lying between Kappock street, Independence avenue, Ewen estate, and the first street east of Troy street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York," dated, New York, October 21, 1889, and signed S. F. Chalfin, Topographical Engineer, D. P. P., and does hereby approve and adopt said map or plan, the same being deemed of the proper extent in order to show such alteration, amendment and revision; and that the President of this Board be and he is hereby designated and directed to cause three similar maps or plans to be made, to be certified to by him, and to cause the same to be filed as provided by chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden and Gallup—3.

The matter of the proposed change of width of Union street was then considered, whereupon Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, this Board does hereby alter, amend and revise the maps or plans heretofore adopted by it by authority of law, and change the width from sixty to fifty feet and discontinue and close a portion, and change, fix and establish the grades of Union street, from Lind avenue to Marcher avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, as shown on a map or plan entitled "Map showing the change in width of Union street, from Lind avenue to Marcher avenue, from sixty to fifty feet, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York," dated New York, August 1, 1889, and signed S. F. Chalfin, Topographical Engineer, D. P. P., and does hereby approve and adopt said map or plan, the same being deemed of the proper extent in order to show such alteration, amendment and revision; and that the President of this Board be and he is hereby designated and directed to cause three similar maps or plans to be made, to be certified to by him, and to cause the same to be filed, as provided by chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

In the matter of the proposed change of lines of Ryer avenue, B. P. Fairchild, Charles H. Alden and Edward Tierney, appeared and were heard.

A communication was received from L. J. Altman, attorney for C. Lanzer, in relation to the proposed change.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, the change as proposed was not agreed to.

The matter of the proposed change in the lines of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street was then considered.

Fordham Morris objected to the building of a foot bridge across the railroad at One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and advocated a broad travel bridge. Charles Jones was heard in favor of the proposed change. A communication was received from A. K. Royce opposing the proposed change.

The matter was then laid over.

In the matter of the proposed change in the Central District, Fordham Morris, B. P. Fairchild and J. Romaine Brown were heard in favor of the changes as shown on the map.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, this Board does hereby alter, amend and revise the maps or plans heretofore adopted by it by authority of law, and change the location, width, windings, lines and grades of, and discontinue and close, in whole



or in part, certain avenues, streets, roads and public places, and extend, readopt and lay out others to take the place of those discontinued and closed, and does hereby fix and establish the grades of the revised avenues, streets, roads and public places, in a portion of the "Central District" in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, as shown on a map or plan entitled "Map or plan showing change of Street System in that part of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, lying between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Sheridan avenue, Elliot street, Jerome avenue, East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Tremont avenue and Webster avenue," dated New York, October 7, 1889, and signed S. F. Chalfin, Topographical Engineer, D. P. P., and does hereby approve and adopt said map or plan, the same being deemed of the proper extent in order to show such alteration, amendment and revision; and that the President of this Board be and he is hereby designated and directed to cause three similar maps or plans to be made, to be certified to by him, and to cause the same to be filed as provided by chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

Which was adopted by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, the matter of the proposed change of grade of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street was made special order of business for the 27th instant.  
Commissioner Borden offered the following :  
Resolved, That this Board, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 577 of the Laws of 1887, and having been hereto directed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvements, as provided by said act, does hereby take from file the maps or plans hitherto prepared and filed by the Board of Parks, locating and laying out Undercliff avenue in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, and amend said maps or plans by the addition thereto of profiles and by indicating thereon the grades and location of monuments of said avenue, by figures, angles, and distances; and does hereby fix and establish the grades thereof, as shown on a map, plan and profile, entitled "Plan and Profile showing Undercliff avenue in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York," dated New York, September 17, 1889, and signed S. F. Chalfin, Topographical Engineer, D. P. P., the same being deemed such as may best subserve and promote the public interest, and does hereby approve and adopt said map, plan and profile; and that the President of this Board be and he is hereby designated and directed to cause three similar maps, plans and profiles to be made to be certified to by him, and to cause the same to be filed, as provided by chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

Which was adopted by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
Fordham Morris submitted a brief in opposition to certain proposed changes in streets lying between Broadway and Riverdale avenue, at Kingsbridge, as shown on a map now under consideration by the Board.  
On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, the matter was laid over until the 27th instant.  
Theodore Weston, architect, and a representative of the Edison Electric Light Company, were heard in relation to a proposed modification of the contract for an electric light plant for the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and were informed that no change from the specifications could be made.

The following communications were received :  
From the Counsel to the Corporation, advising the Department in relation to the failure of John Regan to execute a contract awarded him for making repairs to the roofs and skylights of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Filed.  
Commissioner Borden offered the following :  
Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to readvertise for proposals for repairing the roofs and skylights of the old building of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.  
Which was adopted by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
From the President of the Suburban Rapid Transit Company, stating the intention of said company to proceed at an early day with the construction of its railways upon a route through St. Mary's Park. Filed.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following :  
Whereas, It appears from a communication, dated October 28, 1889, addressed to this Board by the President of the Suburban Rapid Transit Company, that said company claims title to a strip of land running through St. Mary's Park and more particularly referred to in said communication, and that said company now proposes to enter upon said land and to construct its railroad thereon—  
And Whereas, Said land is included within the limits and forms a part of a tract of land known as St. Mary's Park, appropriated for park purposes under an Act of the Legislature of this State known as chapter 522 of the Laws of 1884, entitled, "An Act laying out public places and parks and parkways in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York," and in the adjacent district in Westchester county, and authorizing the taking of the lands for the "same," passed June 14, 1884, and the title to which has been duly acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, under proceedings instituted on behalf of said City as in said Act provided—  
And Whereas, Said land, to which said Suburban Rapid Transit Company now lays claim, forming a part of said park, is under the exclusive management and control of this Board for the purposes of a public park;

Resolved, That the said Suburban Rapid Transit Company be and it is hereby notified that this Board does not recognize the validity of said claim or the right of said company to enter upon said strip of land or to make use of the same for any of the purposes of said company, but asserts the title of the City thereto and the exclusive jurisdiction and control of this Department over the same as a portion of a public park, and said company is hereby expressly forbidden and the Superintendent of Parks is hereby directed to prevent said company and its servants and agents from going upon said lands or any part thereof for any of the purposes for which it asserts a claim thereto as above mentioned.

Which were adopted by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
From the American Marble and Granite Renovating Company, offering to clean the Worth monument without expense to the City. Referred to the Superintendent of Parks for report.  
From Thomas J. Lucey, claiming pay as an assistant to the Topographical Engineer, at the rate of \$3 per day, from January 16, 1886, to date. Referred to Commissioner Gallup to confer with the Counsel to the Corporation and report.  
Commissioner Gallup, to whom was referred an application of B. Cohn, representing property-owners, asking the consent of this Department to the erection of a station at Sixty-sixth street and Ninth avenue, presented a report recommending that the application be granted upon certain conditions named in said report.

On motion, the report of Commissioner Gallup was accepted, and the recommendations therein contained were adopted.  
From the Topographical Engineer, submitting a map showing a proposed revision of the street system in that part of the Spuyten Duyvil District lying between the Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, Riverdale avenue, street on northern line of W. C. Wetmore estate, Waldo street and the southern line of the J. R. Whiting estate.

On motion, said map was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised.  
From A. P. Boller, reporting upon the condition of the draw-span of McComb's Dam bridge over Harlem river. Filed.  
From the Engineer of Construction, submitting plans, specifications and form of contract for rebuilding and placing in position the draw-span of McComb's Dam bridge.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following :  
Resolved, That the plans, specifications and form of contract for rebuilding, etc., the draw-span of McComb's Dam bridge, this day received, be approved and the specifications and form of contract ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
From the Engineer of Construction, submitting a time statement on the contract for paving walks in Tompkins square. Filed.

On motion, at 12.45 P. M., the Board went into executive session.  
A communication was received from the Comptroller in relation to the method of keeping the accounts of this Department, and prescribing a change in the present mode of keeping vouchers, etc. Filed.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the Secretary was directed to ask the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation as to the authority of the Comptroller to prescribe the method of accounts in this Department.

The Secretary submitted a report of the appraisers appointed to adjust the insurance on the building known as the Schroeder House, on the Bronx and Pelham Parkway, which was destroyed by fire, showing an allowance of \$7,010, made by the insurance companies.

On motion, the report submitted by the Secretary was approved.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following :  
Resolved, That the bill of Elward Smith, amounting to \$75, for services appraising loss and damage by fire to "Schroeder House," near Tompkins Station, Pelham Parkway, be and the same hereby is audited, approved and ordered transmitted the Finance Department for payment.

Which was adopted by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following :  
Resolved, That demand be made forthwith by the Secretary upon all persons heretofore occupying houses or buildings on the Park lands since title to said houses or lands was acquired by the City, and who may be in arrears in payment for the use and occupation thereof

to date, for the payment of all arrears and stating the amount due, the amounts demanded to be based upon the appraised rental value of such houses or buildings, respectively; and that they be notified that in case of default continuing beyond December 20 next, the Counsel to the Corporation will be requested to commence actions to enforce such payment.

Which was adopted by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
On motion of Commissioner Gallup, the Superintendent of Parks was directed to eject the present occupant of the premises at One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Cypress avenue (St. Mary's Park), and place a proper keeper therein.

Commissioner Gallup, to whom was referred an application of John H. Keller for the privilege of cutting ice on the Bronx river, made a verbal report recommending that permission be granted to Mr. Keller to cut and remove ice upon his agreeing to pay to the City proper compensation therefor.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, the Secretary was directed to request the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation as to the authority of the Department to dispose of ice.

Commissioner Gallup reported verbally in the matter of a proposed skate-house at Van Cortlandt Lake, and recommended that a house be erected at a location designated by the Superintendent of Parks and the Landscape Architect as shown on a plan submitted.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, the said plan was approved and the Superintendent of Parks was directed to proceed with the work of erecting the skate-house under the supervision of Commissioner Gallup.

The following communications were received :  
From the Superintendent of Parks :  
1st. Recommending that Foreman Guy A. Ward be transferred for duty on the Central and City parks.

On motion, the transfer of Foreman Ward was so ordered.  
2d. Recommending the appointment of Matthew Colford as Assistant Foreman on Pelham Bay Park.

On motion, the appointment of Matthew Colford was ordered to take effect on 12th instant.  
From Henry W. Vogel, resigning his position as Assistant Engineer. Accepted.  
From the Captain of Police, reporting Park Policeman Samuel Collins, as having been absent without leave, from the 7th to the 13th instant.

The President reported that he had directed the dismissal from the force of Samuel Collins, in compliance with the provisions of law, for such absence without leave.

On motion, the action of the President was approved, by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
From Bernard J. McKenna, resigning his position as a Park Policeman. Filed.  
From Thomas F. McGuire, resigning his position as a Park Policeman. Filed.  
From Thomas F. McGuire, asking for an allowance of pay for services as a Park Policeman.  
On motion of Commissioner Gallup, the action of the Board of October 23, 1889, fining Thomas F. McGuire twenty-five days' pay, was reconsidered, by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
Commissioner Gallup moved that a fine of five days' pay on each of the two charges, ten days in all, be imposed upon said Thomas F. McGuire.

Which was carried by the following vote :  
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
The President, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following reports :  
The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval.

Jones, Chas., Assignee of Thomas J. Gilles, Estimate No. 7.....Sewer from Railroad avenue, E., near One Hundred and Fifty-third street, to and across H. R. R. property, etc.....  
\$9,416 15

RECAPITULATION.

Street Improvement Fund—Chapter 680, Laws 1886..... \$9,416 15

Amounting to the sum of nine thousand four hundred and sixteen dollars and fifteen cents.  
W. HUTCHINS, } Auditing  
A. GALLUP, } Committee.

NEW YORK, November 18, 1889.

The above-mentioned bill having been read and passed on,  
On motion, the same was approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.  
The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval :

Abeel Bros., iron, horse shoes and nails.....Labor, Maint., etc.—General  
Maintenance..... \$38 30  
Police—Supplies..... 32 10  
Bronx River Bridge, etc..... 4 28  
Harlem River Bridge, etc.—  
Maintenance..... 14 65  
\$89 33

Abeel Bros., steel.....Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of.  
3 91

Brandes Mfg. Co., steel, surveyors' chains Riverside Park and avenue,  
etc..... 16 00

Bucki, Chas. L. & Co., lumber.....Labor, Maint., etc.—General  
Maintenance..... 800 55

Chalfin, S. F., petty disbursements.....Surveying, Laying-out, etc..... 104 37

Consolidated Gas Co., gas, October.....Labor, Maint., etc.—General  
Maintenance..... \$58 07

Police—Supplies..... 97 31

Harlem River Bridge, etc.—  
Maintenance..... 12 12  
167 50

Decker, Thompson W. & Sons, milk,  
September.....Zoological Department..... 14 40

Gilles & Geoghegan, arch plate, etc.....Labor, Maint., etc.—General  
Maintenance..... 16 50

Haggerty, J. Henry, illuminating oil.....Labor, Maint., etc.—General  
Maintenance..... 5 10

Harmer, Hays & Co., lap robes, etc.....Maintenance—23d and 24th  
Wards..... 47 83

Hurst & Treanor, stone.....Labor, Maint., etc.—Care and  
Maintenance 72d street,  
etc..... 105 00

Jones, Charles, Estimate G, Section 4.....Sewer, Webster avenue, bet.  
165th and 184th streets... 3,324 65

Mason, F. H. D., petty disbursements.....Labor, Maint., etc.—General  
Maintenance..... \$171 53

New Parks—Care and Main-  
tenance—23d and 24th  
Wards..... 199 45

Zoological Department..... 45 01

Police—Supplies..... 33 17

5 20  
454 36

McManus, James J., Estimate No. 2, setting  
curb, etc., 72d street, from Boulevard  
to N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R.....Labor, Maint., etc.—Care and  
Maintenance 72d street,  
etc..... 1,785 98

Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph  
Co., telephonic services, October.....Telephonic Service..... 333 33

Moffat, David & Co., harness, leather.....Labor, Maint., etc.—General  
Maintenance..... 19 44

Moore, Joseph, Estimate No. 2.....Paving 149th street from Third  
to Robbins avenue..... 6,118 00

Morgan, J. Pierpont, Treasurer, salaries and  
wages and expenses.....Maintenance—Museums..... 3,672 77

Mott (J. L.) Iron works, iron-pipe, etc.....Labor, Maint., etc.—General  
Maintenance..... 4 40

Myers, C. H., petty disbursements.....Surveys, Maps and Plans..... \$13 29

Maintenance—23d and 24th  
Wards..... 3 58

16 87



Neuchatel Asphalt Co. (Limited), repairing and repaving walks in Tompkins Square, payment on acceptance. Labor, Maint., etc.—Tompkins Square.....	\$8,092 26
Riegelman, J., coal.....Harlem River Bridge, etc.—Maintenance.....	95 00
Robinson, E., copy of map N. Y. City north of 130th street.....New Parks—Care and Maintenance.....	8 00
Spencer, Louis E., Estimate No. 2.....Regulating, etc.—Webster avenue, from 165th to 173d streets.....	6,458 20
Thorburn, Jas. M. & Co., grass seed.....Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of.....	29 50
Woeltje & Cutting, blue print paper.....Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of.....	12 38
Woeltje & Cutting, blue print paper.....Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	6 19
Young, Wm., grass sods.....Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of.....	9 00

\$31,810 82

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$1,113 89
Labor, Maintenance, etc.—Tompkins Square.....	8,092 26
Labor, Maintenance, etc.—Care and Maintenance of 72nd street, etc.....	1,890 98
Zoological Department.....	47 57
Police—Supplies.....	134 61
Harlem River Bridge, etc.—Maintenance.....	121 77
Maintenance—Museums.....	3,672 77
Telephonic Service.....	333 33
Riverside Park and avenue, etc.....	16 00
Maintenance—23rd and 24th Wards.....	96 42
Bronx River Bridges, etc.....	4 28
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	19 48
Surveying, Laying out, etc.....	104 37
Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of.....	54 79
New Parks north of Harlem River—Care and Maintenance.....	207 45
Local Improvement Fund, chapter 420, Laws 1886.....	3,324 65
Street Improvement Fund, chapter 420, Laws 1886.....	12,576 20

\$31,810 82

Amounting in the aggregate to the sum of thirty-one thousand eight hundred and ten dollars and eighty-two cents.

W. HUTCHINS, Auditing Committee.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18, 1889.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

On motion, at 1.20 P. M. the Executive Session arose, and the Board adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, 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 November 23, 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 Frederick Bankwitz, a supposed lunatic—Commission de lunatic inquirendo.  
In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, relative to acquiring title to certain New Parks, etc.—On the petition of Jacob Shady and another for an award made to unknown owners.  
Alexander Schweizer—To restrain collection of personal taxes assessed against plaintiff for year 1888, \$222.  
People ex rel. James Finn vs. Henry H. Porter et al., Commissioners of the Department of Charities and Correction of the City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator from office of Warden of District Prisons.  
Andrew K. Vendevert vs. The Star Printing Company—For an order authorizing Wm. P. Sullivan, receiver, to withdraw from the Comptroller notice formerly given by him not to pay to Tradesmen's National Bank certain moneys assigned by the Star Printing Company to the bank.  
George F. Perkins et al. vs. The Star Printing Company—For an order authorizing William P. Sullivan, receiver, to withdraw from the Comptroller notice formerly given by him not to pay to Tradesmen's National Bank certain moneys assigned by the Star Printing Company to the bank.  
Alexander H. Rice et al. vs. The Star Printing Company—For an order authorizing William P. Sullivan, receiver, to withdraw from the Comptroller notice formerly given by him not to pay to Tradesmen's National Bank certain moneys assigned by the Star Printing Company to the bank.  
People ex rel. Thomas F. Manning vs. John McClave et al., composing the Board of Police Commissioners of the Police Department of the City of New York—Certiorari to review dismissal of relator, a Patrolman, from the force, August 7, 1889.  
William Hill—To restrain the using of Pier No. 12, East river, as a dumping ground, and to compel removal forthwith of dumping-board.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Julia L. Gerding vs. Mary McKenna, as executrix of the last will and testament of James McKenna, otherwise known as James Cannon, and the said Mary McKenna, otherwise known as Mary Cannon, individually, and the Mayor, etc., of the City of New York—To cancel and set aside a certain lease made to James Cannon of premises 189, 190, on a map entitled "Map of Building Lots at Fordham," sold on December 31, 1881, for unpaid taxes of 1874, 1875 and 1876.

SURROGATE'S.

In the matter of the probate of the will of James Flanagan, deceased—Citation only served.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Pauline Dastler—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.  
The Manhattan Railway Company vs. James F. Wenman et al., Park Commissioners—Order entered modifying preliminary injunction providing for the giving of a new notice of intention to revoke right of way and license heretofore granted, etc.  
Joseph R. Smith—Order entered opening default and vacating judgment upon payment by plaintiff of \$35 costs within ten days, and upon failure so to do absolute order to be entered denying the motion.  
Matter John Garry, habeas corpus—Order entered dismissing appeal with costs.  
Joseph Palladino—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$5,459.55, after trial before Ingraham, J., and jury.  
Henry D. Aylesworth—Judgment entered in favor of the City, dismissing complaint on the merits, and for \$121.44 costs, after trial before Ingraham, J., and jury.  
David Newman—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$563.11 without trial; letter to Comptroller.  
Home Insurance Company—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$32.69 costs.  
Margaret McGrath—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.  
In re Mayer Kahn, tree-planting One Hundred and Tenth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion before Patterson, J.  
School site at Mulberry and Bayard streets—Order entered confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.  
School site at Broome and Ridge streets—Order entered confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

George M. Richardson—Judgment entered in favor of the City, dismissing complaint and for \$87.12 costs, after trial before Sedgwick, J., and jury.  
In re Willett Bronson, regulating, etc., Eighth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Louise S. Ackerman, Fordham drains—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Ebenezer C. Jackson, Fordham drains—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re W. I. Barnes, Fordham drains—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Ferdinand Ruttman, Fordham drains—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Simon Rothschild, alterations, etc., to Seventy-second street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Simon Rothschild, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Eleventh street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Michael H. Cashman, sewers in Riverside avenue, Seventy-sixth to Ninety-fourth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Sophie C. Snecker, sewers in Riverside avenue, Seventy-sixth to Ninety-fourth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Robert G. Gregg, Riverside sewer and outlet sewer in Riverside and Twelfth avenues—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Gilbert Wood, One Hundred and Fifteenth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re James Wood, One Hundred and Fifteenth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Maria Wood et al., One Hundred and Fifteenth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.  
In re Charles L. Tiffany, Ninety-fifth street regulating, etc.—Order entered reducing assessment, pursuant to decision in re Tiffany.  
People ex rel. Hannibal G. Cutugno vs. Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller, etc.—Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus without costs.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

George W. Richardson—Tried before Sedgwick, J., and jury; complaint dismissed on the merits; E. J. Freedman for the City.  
John P. Maloney—Reference proceeded and adjourned to December 4, at 2 P. M.; Woolsey Carmalt for City.  
U. S. Illuminating Co.—Motion to place on General Term calendar made and granted; D. J. Dean for City.  
Brush Electric Illuminating Co.—Motion to place on General Term calendar made and granted; D. J. Dean for City.  
Mt. Morris Electric Light Co.—Motion to place on General Term calendar made and granted; D. J. Dean for City.  
Matter East River Park—Hearing (before Commissioners) proceeded and adjourned to October 20, at 11½ A. M.; 20th, proceeded and adjourned to November 23, at 10½ A. M.; C. D. Olendorf for City.  
Dock Department Investigation—Hearing begun before the Commissioners of Accounts and adjourned to November 5; 5th, proceeded and adjourned to November 6; 6th, proceeded and adjourned to November 7; 7th, proceeded and adjourned to November 8; 8th, proceeded and adjourned to November 11; 11th, proceeded and adjourned to November 12; 12th, proceeded and adjourned to November 13; 13th, proceeded and adjourned to November 14; 14th, proceeded and adjourned to November 15; 15th, proceeded and adjourned to November 18, at 11 A. M.; 18th, proceeded and adjourned to November 19; 19th, proceeded and adjourned to November 20; 20th, proceeded and adjourned to November 21; 22d, proceeded and adjourned to November 25; Wm. H. Clark for Commissioners of Accounts.  
Minnie Hyde—Trial begun before Lawrence, J., and jury; verdict for the City, on the ground that no notice of intention to sue had been served; F. L. Wellman and H. B. Twombly for the City.  
In re Rutherford Stuyvesant, Fourteenth street trap-block pavement—Reference proceeded for two hours and adjourned to November 25, at 2 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
Swan Johnson—Tried before Brown, J.; decision reserved; W. Carmalt for City.  
Michael J. Dady—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; J. J. Townsend, Jr., for City.  
People ex rel. Louis Lorsch vs. Police Commissioners; submitted at General Term; J. J. Delany for Commissioners.  
In re Mayer Kahn, tree-planting, One Hundred and Tenth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
Matter William H. Drake—Reference to ascertain title proceeded and closed; C. N. Harris for City.  
In re Charles L. Tiffany, Ninety-fifth street regulating, etc.—Application for reduction of assessment made before Patterson, J.; order of reduction made; G. L. Sterling for City.  
Matter Armory Site—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to November 20; 20th, proceeded and adjourned to November 22, at 2 P. M.; 22d, proceeded and adjourned to November 25, at 2 P. M.; W. Hartwell for City.  
In re James A. Striker, Fifty-first street sewer, between Seventh and Ninth avenues—Reference proceeded and adjourned to November 25, at 2 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re James A. Striker, Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets sewers, between Seventh and Ninth avenues—Reference proceeded and adjourned to November 25, at 2 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Ellsworth L. Striker and James A. Striker, Eleventh avenue sewer—Reference proceeded and adjourned to November 25, at 2 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re James A. Striker, Ninth avenue sewer—Reference proceeded and adjourned to November 25, at 2 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Absalom Anderson, Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets sewers—Reference proceeded two hours and adjourned to November 21, at 2 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
People ex rel. Patrick McCormack vs. Stephen B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Submitted brief at General Term; E. H. Hawke, Jr., for City.  
People ex rel. Myron Allen vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Submitted at General Term; decision reserved; G. S. Coleman for City.  
Matter George Uhrie vs. Commissioner of Public Works—Motion for mandamus made before Patterson, J.; denied; alternative writ allowed by consent; E. H. Hawke, Jr., for City.  
John B. Titman et al., administrator—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; T. P. Wickes for City.  
James Brooks—Tried before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved on questions of land raised by the defendant; verdict to be entered by consent according to result; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Willett Bronson, regulating, etc., Eighth avenue—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Louise S. Ackerman, Fordham drains—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Ebenezer C. Jackson, Fordham drains—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re W. I. Barnes, Fordham drains—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Ferdinand Ruttman, Fordham drains—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Simon Rothschild, alterations, etc., to Seventy-second street sewer—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Simon Rothschild, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Eleventh street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Gilbert Wood, One Hundred and Fifteenth street regulating—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re James Wood, One Hundred and Fifteenth street regulating—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Maria Wood et al., One Hundred and Fifteenth street regulating—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Michael H. Cashman, sewer in Riverside avenue, Seventy-sixth to Ninety-fourth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Sophie C. Snecker, sewer in Riverside avenue, Seventy-sixth to Ninety-fourth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Robert G. Gregg, Riverside sewer and outlet sewer in Riverside and Twelfth avenues—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Francis Ferri, Seventy-fourth and Seventy-ninth streets sewers—Submitted at General Term; decision reserved; G. L. Sterling for City.  
In re Jesse A. Marshall, Seventh avenue sewer—Submitted at General Term; decision reserved; G. L. Sterling for City.  
Fitzallen Flynn—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before Ehrlich, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
Martin Worms—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before Ehrlich, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.



Simon Sichel—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before Ehrlich, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.

George Schachtel—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before Ehrlich, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.

John A. Hamann—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before Ehrlich, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Philip Jeselsohn—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before Ehrlich, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Louis E. Bohne—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before McGown, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Louis Schache—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before McAdam, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Alanson F. Nils—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before McAdam, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Matthew P. McKeon—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before McAdam, J.; granted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Frederick R. Begg—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before Ehrlich, J.; denied and fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Solomon Sollfrey—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before McGown, J.; denied and fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Charles E. Pratt—Motion to enforce fine made and granted; McGown, J.

Andrew Jackson—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; McGown, J.

Frederick J. Allen—Motion to enforce fine made and granted; McGown, J.

Mark Shevick—Motion to enforce fine made and granted; McGown, J.

Solomon Wolf—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Beach, J.

Henry B. Kellner—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Beach, J.

Howard Lapsley—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

Edmund F. Holbrook—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

J. Howard Sweetser—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

William Whitewright—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

Stephen C. Barnum—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

Robert J. Peterson—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

Lazarus Whitehead—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

Henry V. Lambert—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

Arthur Parrett—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

James M. Barney—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

James S. Lawlor—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Martine, J.

William White—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Gildersleeve, J.

Thomas Moore—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Gildersleeve, J.

William L. Mitchell—Motion to enforce fine made and denied; fine remitted; Gildersleeve, J.

John M. Gaskin—Motion to enforce fine made and granted; fine reduced; Gildersleeve, J.

Leo Frank—Motion to enforce fine made and granted; Cowing, J.

Frederick J. Ahle—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

Michael Abner—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

William Anderson—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

Leroy A. King—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

Emil L. Moltham—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

John C. Witte—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

Albert Delamontagne—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

John A. Stewart—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

Gillespie Awerney—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

William O. Sauter—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

Alfred J. Luce—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Cowing, J.

George M. Wilcox—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

Samuel Brown—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

Michael Scanlon—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

George C. Brown—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

Thomas Smith—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

Alfred Abraham—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

Henry C. Reed—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

John F. T. Rochrs—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

William Bemak—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

Charles H. Esler—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

Hugo J. Potosky—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

George F. Halloran—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Gildersleeve, J.

David B. Kirby—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Martine, J.

Frederick C. Schorndorf—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Martine, J.

Andrew J. Dwinette—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Martine, J.

John T. Kinne—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Martine, J.

Ely Hartman—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Martine, J.

James E. Felter—Motion to enforce fine heard; decision reserved; Martine, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.

David Rosenbaum—Motion to enforce fine against delinquent juror made before Ehrlich, J.; granted, but with leave to present affidavit on 25th inst.; M. P. Ryan for City.

Corlears Hook Park—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to November 25 at 2 P. M.; Sidney J. Cowan for City.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending November 30, 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 Sigismund Waterman for a writ of mandamus against John McClave et al., composing the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York—Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator, retired June 24, 1889, having attained the age of 60 years (section 2, chapter 364, Laws of 1885).

People ex rel. Caroline Dobbin vs. The Superintendent of Insane Asylum, N. Y. City—Habeas corpus for release of relator from N. Y. City Asylum for Insane on Ward's Island.

The People ex rel. Joseph C. Higgins vs. Hugh J. Grant, as Mayor, William H. Clark, as Counsel to the Corporation and Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works, of the City of New York, composing the Board of City Record in said city—Certiorari to review dismissal of relator, a Clerk in office of City Record.

William M. Purdy and J. Henry Purdy—For excess of assessment paid for Fourth avenue paving, Seventy-second to Ninety-sixth street, on Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 4½, in Block No. 381, \$86.71.

##### COMMON PLEAS.

Anicho Napoleone vs. Michael A. Fortunato, John Dawson and the Mayor, etc., et al.—To foreclose lien for labor and services rendered in curbing and guttering One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Edgecombe avenue, under contract of defendant Dawson.

Luigi Rinaldi vs. Michael A. Fortunato, John Dawson, the Mayor, etc., et al.—To foreclose lien for labor and services rendered in curbing and guttering One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Edgecombe avenue, under contract of defendant Dawson.

Lupo Meglio vs. Michael A. Fortunato, John Dawson, the Mayor, etc., et al.—To foreclose lien for labor and services rendered in curbing and guttering One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Edgecombe avenue, under contract of defendant Dawson.

Vito Russo vs. Michael A. Fortunato, John J. Rogers, the Mayor, etc., et al.—To enforce a claim for labor and services rendered on and about retaining-wall on Forty-ninth street, between First avenue and Beekman place, under contract of John F. Rogers.

Pasquale De Fiori vs. Michael A. Fortunato, John F. Dawson, the Mayor, etc., et al.—To foreclose lien for labor and services rendered in the curbing and guttering of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Edgecombe road, under contract of defendant Dawson.

##### CITY COURT.

Alexander Pollock vs. John B. Devlin—Order for examination of Comptroller as to certain moneys due judgment debtor on account of contract for paving Forty-second street (slate), assignment to plaintiff, and order directing payment of \$426.70, and \$30 costs to plaintiff from moneys due defendant Devlin.

##### TOMBS POLICE COURT.

The People of the State of New York vs. William L. Smyth—Prosecution for perjury in testifying before the Commissioners of Accounts in the Dock Department Investigation.

Joseph Palladino—Order entered denying motion to set aside verdict in favor of plaintiff and for new trial.

People ex rel. Matthew Hogan vs. Police Commissioners—Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners, but without costs.

Joseph F. Carrigan vs. The Mayor, etc., et al.—Order entered discontinuing action with costs to defendant, by consent.

Joseph F. Carrigan, administrator, etc., vs. The Mayor, etc., et al., Nos. 5 and 9—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Joseph F. Carrigan, as administrator—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

People ex rel. New York Underground Railway Company vs. John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works, et al.—Order entered denying motion to restore cause to day calendar without costs.

Laura W. Hegeman, executrix—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.

John Deppeler—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.

In re William Austin, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re C. C. Adams, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Samuel Bierhoff, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Timothy Brennan, executor, etc., closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Hugh Bartholomae, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Edwin F. Butler, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Emil J. Constain, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re C. C. Clausen et al., closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Lucretia G. Clowes, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Laura De Rohm, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Isaac Dayton, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Henry M. Field, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Charles H. Farman, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re John W. Gunter, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re William L. Gallagher, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Joseph King, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re John Matthew, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Charles H. Marsh, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re John Matthews et al., closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re William H. Richards, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re James H. Ridabock et al., closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Elizabeth Schulte, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Church of Transfiguration, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Henry McAllen et al., closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Charles Vallendor, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

In re Townsend Wandell, closing Bloomingdale road—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

Henry Dauscha vs. Dore Lyon et al.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Matter Ernest Friese, opening of West Third avenue award—Order entered confirming report of referee, and directing Chamberlain to pay award of \$646.70 to petitioner, upon motion made before Patterson, J.

Matter Heroy and Mariener, assignees of Emma Campbell—Order entered confirming report as to certain lots of Bronx Park, in City of New York.

Thos. A. Gross—Rule entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Geo. B. Christman vs. Jonas Sonneborn et al.—City has no interest.

#### SCHEDULE "C."

##### SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

In re Jas. A. Striker, Seventh avenue sewer—Reference proceeded and adjourned to December 2, at 4 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.

In re Jas. A. Striker, Fifty-first street sewer—Reference proceeded and adjourned to December 2, at 4 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.

In re Jas. A. Striker, Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets sewer—Reference proceeded and adjourned to December 2, at 4 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.

In re Ellsworth and Jas. A. Striker, Eleventh avenue sewer—Reference proceeded and adjourned to December 2, at 4 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.

People ex rel. Fredk. Perry vs. Lucius W. Stark et al., Dock Commissioners—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for City.

Chas. H. Rollinson vs. Wm. B. Whiteman, as executor, etc.—Reference on surplus; appearance noted; adjourned to December 3, at 2 P. M.; C. O'Neil.

Joseph W. Wishe—Motion to consolidate made; decision reserved; C. D. Olendorf for City.

Thos. Ritch and another—Motion to consolidate made; decision reserved; C. D. Olendorf for City.

Matter of investigation of Dock Department by Commissioners of Accounts—November 25, hearing proceeded, and adjourned to 26; November 26, proceeded, and adjourned to 27; November 27, proceeded, and adjourned to 29; Wm. H. Clark for Commissioners of Accounts.

Matter Geo. W. Chapman, Courtland avenue award—Motion to confirm report made and granted; J. P. Dunn for City.

Matter Armory Site—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to December 4, at 2 P. M.; W. Hartwell for City.

Matter Corlears Hook Park—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to November 29, at 2 P. M.; S. J. Cowen for the City.

People ex rel. N. Y. Underground Railway Company vs. John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works, et al.—Motion argued before Friedman, J.; motion denied; T. P. Wickes for defendant.

In re William Austin, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re C. C. Adams, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Samuel Bierhoff, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Timothy Brennan, executor, etc., closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Hugh Bartholomae, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Edwin F. Butler, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Emil J. Constain, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re C. C. Clausen et al., closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Lucretia G. Clowes, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Laura De Rohm, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Isaac Dayton, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Henry M. Field, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Charles H. Farman, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re John W. Gunter, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.



In re William L. Gallagher, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Joseph King, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re John Matthews, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Charles H. Marsh, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re John Matthews et al., closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re William H. Richards, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re James H. Ridabock et al., closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Elizabeth Schulte, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Church of Transfiguration, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Henry McAllenan et al., closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Charles Vallendor, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Townsend Wandell, closing Bloomingdale road—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

People ex rel. David H. Higgins vs. Hugh J. Grant, as Mayor of the City of New York—Motion for mandamus argued before Patterson, J.; decision reserved; W. Carmalt for City.

Jacob Boehm—Motion to vacate judgment made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.

Mary E. Barry—Motion to vacate judgment made before Patterson, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.

Matter Ernest Friese, North Third avenue—Motion to confirm referee's report made before Patterson, J.; granted; J. P. Dunn for City.

Matter East River Park—Hearing before Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to November 29, at 11.30 A. M.; C. D. Olendorf for City.

Matter Jacob Schraday and Mary Sweeny, New Parks Award—Reference proceeded and adjourned; C. N. Harris for City.

The People of the State of New York vs. William L. Smyth—Hearing begun before Judge Hogan and adjourned to November 27; 27th, proceeded and adjourned to December 3, 1889; G. S. Coleman for City.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

*Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, November 20, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M.*

Present—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe.

The minutes of the meetings of October 23, 25 and 30, and November 6 and 13, 1889, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of Vouchers Nos. 5309 to 5313, inclusive, being estimates for work done by contractors during the month of October, and amounting to \$1,674.56; also of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 5314 to 5337, inclusive, amounting to \$1,806.33.

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

The Committee also presented the following:

The Committee of Finance and Audit report:

That they have examined the bids and checks received November 13, 1889, for combined stationary hoisting engines and appurtenances for Shaft No. 25, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct. The checks, amounting to \$1,500, were correct and transmitted to the Comptroller, and his receipt is on file. The bids were found correct as to their formality, and the sureties proposed appear to be sufficient.

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

The Construction or Executive Committee presented the resignation of A. W. Kellogg, Inspector of Masonry, dated October 26, 1889, and recommended that the same be accepted, to take effect as of said date.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was accepted.

The Committee also presented the resignation of Patrick J. O'Grady, Inspector of Masonry, dated November 20, 1889, and recommended that the same be accepted.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was accepted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and owing to the lack of work, the following-named persons be and they are suspended, without pay, to date from November 23, 1889:

### Inspectors of Masonry.

James A. Fitzgerald, Division No. 1.  
Thomas F. McCauley, Division No. 2.  
James McCartney, Division No. 2.

### Line Inspector.

Joseph Gill.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and owing to the near completion of the New Aqueduct, the following-named persons, heretofore employed as Inspectors of Masonry and now on the suspended list, be and they are hereby dismissed from the service of the Aqueduct Commissioners, it appearing that their services will not again be required.

W. H. Hanrahan.  
Patrick Loughlin.  
Thomas Fallon.  
W. A. Jaycox.  
M. Malahan.  
F. P. Lary.  
William McNamara.  
D. Van Bussam.  
Richard Mathews.  
C. Y. Peters.  
Edward Davy.  
Daniel Moriarty.  
E. H. Judson.  
E. L. Foster.  
John Byrne.  
C. J. Henion.  
John S. Berry.  
Thomas F. Butler.  
J. H. Lavelle.  
Herman Jacobi.  
C. J. Savage.  
E. R. Sporman.  
R. G. Hargrave.  
Charles Pilkington.  
S. D. Cary.  
James H. Clinch.  
B. A. Yoemans.  
P. A. Murphy.  
William Purcell.  
Thomas F. O'Mara.  
C. L. Francisco.

Edward A. Coe.  
John B. Borst.  
P. A. Higgins.  
James Keit.  
F. W. Mahon.  
George H. Nason.  
Johnston Hastings.  
J. P. Lewis.  
John F. Tierney.  
John F. O'Brien.  
Peter Smith.  
John C. Dooley.  
James Murphy.  
Henry A. Percival.  
M. J. Hyland.  
Michael Ryan.  
Ogden H. Rood.  
Michael Skelly.  
Ezra Wright.  
B. H. Brevort.  
James Gough.  
Thomas Dorsey.  
Chester S. Clapp.  
John Donnelly.  
George H. Adcock.  
Patrick Curley.  
James G. Crowe.  
William Klein.  
James J. Lynch.  
Thomas Devlin.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, It appears from the communication this day submitted by the Chief Engineer to the Committee on Construction that it will be necessary to provide for the pumping of water at the Croton Gate-house, in order to set a portion of the iron work under contract to the firm of Coldwell, Wilcox & Co., and that arrangements have been made by him with Smith & Brown to pump said water with the appliances and steam power in their possession, at the rate of eight dollars per day; and it appearing to your Committee that said work must be done, and the price to be charged appearing to be fair and reasonable, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in arranging with Smith & Brown to pump water from the Croton Gate-house, on Section 1 of the New Aqueduct, in order to allow the setting of a portion of the iron work required for said gate-house, for a period of three weeks, at the rate of eight dollars per day, be and the same is hereby approved.

The same was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—5.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in employing A. Fleming, J. L. Cautt and Levi Cautt as temporary laborers in digging trenches and test-pits at the Wire Mill site in the Croton Basin, be and the same is hereby approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Axeman William H. Armstrong, Jr., be and he is hereby certified to the Civil Service Commission for examination for promotion to the grade of Computer in the Engineer Corps.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following:

The Construction or Executive Committee submit herewith a communication received from William H. Clark, Counsel to the Corporation, showing that Map No. 1, of the property maps for the construction of a blow-off at Shaft No. 24, on Section A of the New Aqueduct, was, on October 22, 1889, filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, pursuant to section 5 of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

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

The Committee also submitted an opinion received from the Counsel to the Corporation advising against the suspension of the work of repairs on Sections 10B and 11A, pending the further order of the Court in the premises affecting or modifying the injunction in the actions brought by Rodgers & Farrell and Collins & Farrell against John O'Brien, Heman Clark, the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the City of New York.

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

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, An application has been made by Robert Hanna & Co., contractors, for an extension of time from December 1, 1889, to January 1, 1890, for the completion of the work embraced in their contract for the construction of Section 15½ of the New Aqueduct, and it appearing that said extension should be granted; therefore

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to Robert Hanna & Co., contractors, an extension of time to January 1, 1890, to complete the work above referred to, provided their bondsmen shall, within ten days from the date hereof, enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said contract, under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed to them as further time for the performance of said contract.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, An application has been made by David R. Paige & Co., contractors, for an extension of time to July 1, 1890, for the completion of the work embraced in their contract for building the tunnel aqueduct, its gate-house and its approaches in connection with the building of Dams Nos. 1 and 2, on Bog brook, and adjacent tunnel in connection with the East Branch reservoir; and the Chief Engineer having recommended that said extension of time be allowed; therefore

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to David R. Paige & Co., contractors, an extension of time to July 1, 1890, to complete the work above referred to, providing their bondsmen shall, within ten days from the date hereof, enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said contract under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed to them as further time for the performance of said contract.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing that, in his opinion, Charles Peterson has completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made with this Commission, on the 28th day of August, 1889, for building timber head-frames over the pump and Aqueduct wells at Shaft 25, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct; therefore

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by Charles Peterson under the contract made with this Commission on the 28th day of August, 1889, for building timber head-frames over the pump and Aqueduct wells at Shaft 25, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct; and that a proper voucher for final payment for work done and furnished under said agreement be approved by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The same was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—5.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing that, in his opinion, the firm of Rider & Dougherty have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made with this Commission on the 27th day of August, 1889, for sodding the South Yonkers embankment, on Section 9 of the New Aqueduct; therefore

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by Rider & Dougherty under the contract made with this Commission on the 27th day of August, 1889, for sodding the South Yonkers embankment, on Section 9 of the New Aqueduct; and that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished under said contract be approved by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The same was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—5.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing that, in his opinion, the firm of Pennell & O'Hern have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made with this Commission on the 27th day of March, 1889, for cutting timber and clearing grounds for reservoirs on the East Branch of Croton river and Bog brook, in the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York; therefore

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by Pennell & O'Hern, under the contract made with this Commission on the 27th day of March, 1889, for cutting timber and clearing grounds for reservoirs on the East Branch of Croton river and Bog brook, in the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York; and that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished under said agreement be approved by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The same was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—5.

The Committee also presented the following communications:

NEW YORK, November 19, 1889.

J. C. SHEEHAN, Esq., Secretary, Aqueduct Commission, New York City:

DEAR SIR—An estimate was made to me for my work on Pocantico gate-house, for the month of October, amounting to \$5,949.77; the same has been sent by you to the Comptroller's office, but they have declined to pay it, stating that I have had no extension of time under the contract. If you will refer to your records, you will see that I was stopped from doing any work on that contract for a very long period of time, waiting for certain repairs to be made by other contractors. The delay has been through no fault of mine, as you are well aware. Will you please put me in such a position so that I can at once get this payment, and very much oblige

Yours, very truly,

JOHN PEIRCE.

NEW YORK, November 20, 1889.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—In confirmation of my verbal statement of to-day, that the delay in the construction of the superstructure of the Pocantico gate-house by the contractor, John Peirce, was not due to any fault of his, I will state that owing to the necessity of using the gate-house as an entrance for all materials necessary in the repairs of Section 4, Mr. Peirce was informed several times that he could not be allowed to commence work. It was only on August 19 last that he was officially informed by the Deputy Chief Engineer that he could begin work.

Mr. Peirce's communication to Secretary Sheehan is herewith returned.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

And reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, It appears from the foregoing communication of the Chief Engineer that the delay in the construction of the superstructure of the Pocantico gate-house was not due to any fault of the contractor for the construction of the same, but that owing to the necessity of using the said gate-house as an entrance for all material that was required for repairing Section 4 of the New Aqueduct, the contractor was unable to commence work until August 19 of the present year; therefore

Resolved, That, pursuant to the conditions of Clause J of the contract for the construction of the superstructure of the Pocantico gate-house, on Section 4 of the New Aqueduct, and upon the



recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to John Peirce, contractor for the construction of said gate-house, an extension of time to August 19, 1890, in which to complete the work above referred to.

The same was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—5.

The Secretary gave notice of the filing of a lien by Hurlbut Bros. against Coldwell, Wilcox & Co., for hauling pipe to be used in the construction of Shaft No. 24 of the New Aqueduct, and amounting to \$117.67. Which was ordered filed.

Commissioner Scott then moved that the hearing on the order to show cause why the further work of construction of Sections 10B and 11A should not be discontinued and the completion of the same done under the direction and supervision of the Aqueduct Commissioners, be adjourned to Wednesday, December 4, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M., and that Heman Clark, the contractor for said sections, be notified of this action. Carried.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the following report was then called from the table :

The Construction or Executive Committee submit the following communication received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, November 13, 1889.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—When the Commissioners stopped the work on Section 16, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Tenth streets, for the purpose of repairing a certain sewer, which had been found defective at a considerable depth under the surface, a number of the 48-inch pipes had been placed, and in order to do the sewer work conveniently, a quantity of earth was unavoidably thrown over the pipes by the contractor for the sewer. A large proportion of the pipes themselves were displaced and covered with mud.

When Messrs. O'Brien & Clark resumed work, after a long delay, a considerable amount of work was necessary to free the pipes and to replace them in proper position and to leave the work generally in the condition in which it was when interrupted by the Commissioners.

As it was impossible to estimate such work under the terms of the contract, I caused an estimate to be made by Division Engineer Wegmann of the cost of doing such work, and, after receiving his report, I found that \$500 would be a reasonable compensation, and that it would be for the interest of the City to pay such sum to the contractors, provided they waive all claims to any damage whatsoever due to the interruption of their work at that place and to the necessity of restoring the work to the condition in which it was at the time that the sewer work was commenced.

The contractors agreed to do the work for the sum named and were ordered to do so.

The bill herewith presented is in accordance with the above, and I recommend the payment of the same, provided the contractors give to the Commissioners such waiver as hereinbefore specified.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

And report in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, It appears from the foregoing communication of the Chief Engineer that the contractors for the construction of Section 16 of the New Aqueduct were obliged to stop work between the points therein named in order that a defective sewer found at said points might be repaired, and that in order to do the work of repairing said sewer conveniently a quantity of earth was unavoidably thrown over the 48-inch pipes which had already been laid by the contractors for the construction of said section, and some of said pipes displaced and covered with mud ; and that the work of putting the same in proper condition was not provided for in the contract for the construction of said Section 16 ; therefore

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, O'Brien & Clark be and they are hereby allowed the sum of five hundred dollars for doing the work referred to in the foregoing communication, and upon the conditions therein named.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the report and the bill therein referred to were referred to the Commissioner of Public Works, and he was requested to advise the Commissioners whether or not the work therein referred to was included in the contract made with the contractor for the construction of the sewer at the place mentioned in said report.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the following report was then called from the table :

The Construction or Executive Committee present the following communication received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, November 13, 1889.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—On the completion of Shaft 30, the various contracts for the New Aqueduct from the gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Shaft No. 26 (viz. : For the gate-house for Sections 13 and 14, for the iron-lined aqueduct near Shaft 30, and for other work of minor importance) will be completed.

Some miscellaneous work is now needed for the purpose of testing the Aqueduct, which is to be subjected in these parts to an unusually high pressure, and to prepare it for service. The work contemplated cannot be done to advantage by contract, and I respectfully recommend that the Chief Engineer be empowered to hire such labor, and to purchase material, under the direction of the Committee on Construction, as, in his opinion, will be necessary to perform the necessary work.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

And report in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, It appears from the foregoing communication of the Chief Engineer that some miscellaneous work is needed for the purpose of testing the work of construction of the New Aqueduct at the points therein referred to, and it appearing that said work could not be done under the contracts for the construction of the New Aqueduct, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby authorized to hire such labor and purchase such material, under the direction of the Committee on Construction of the Aqueduct Commissioners, as may be necessary to perform the work of testing the work of construction of the New Aqueduct at the points indicated in the foregoing communication of the Chief Engineer, at an expense not to exceed the sum of twelve hundred dollars ; and the Chief Engineer is hereby directed to confer with the Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Works as to the manner and mode of making such tests.

The report was then adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Comptroller, and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—5.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, November 27, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe.

In the absence of the Secretary, the Auditor, J. C. Lulley was elected Secretary pro tem.

On motion of Commissioner Howe, the reading of the minutes of the stated meeting of November 20, 1889, was dispensed with at this time, owing to the fact that the same had not been received from the printer.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 5341 to 5360 inclusive, amounting to \$3,761.59 ; also of Vouchers Nos. 5361 to 5363 inclusive, being final estimates for sodding the South Yonkers embankment ; timber-head frames over pump and Aqueduct wells at Shaft No. 24 ; cutting timber and clearing grounds on East Branch and Bog Brook reservoirs, respectively, amounting to \$6,981.73.

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

The Construction or Executive Committee reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Computer A. S. Nye, Jr., is hereby recommended to the Civil Service Commission for examination for promotion to the position of Leveler.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in suspending the following named Inspectors of Masonry without pay, owing to the lack of work, said suspensions to date from December 1, next, be and the same is hereby approved.

William J. Daly.

John L. Murray.

Edward J. Butler.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That Inspector of Masonry William W. Wheeler be and he is hereby dismissed from the service of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution : Whereas, The Chief Engineer has reported that in view of the advanced condition of the work on the New Aqueduct, the services of Assistant Engineers Henry H. Bowly, W. S. Church, Isaac Morley and Gracie S. Roberts can be dispensed with on December 15, 1889, and the services of Assistant Engineer Albert W. Hale can be dispensed with on December 31, 1889 ; therefore,

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer is hereby requested to ask for the resignations of said parties, to take effect on the dates hereinbefore mentioned.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee present the following communications :

BREWSTER, N. Y., Nov. 20, 1889.

To the Aqueduct Commissioners, New York :

GENTLEMEN—Owing to various unforeseen and unavoidable circumstances, but mostly on account of continued heavy rains, which have not only delayed us while rain was falling, but have raised the water in the river when we were at work in foundations, we shall not be able to complete our contract on January 1, 1890, and respectfully request an extension of time until the 20th of November, 1890, for completion of same.

The elevation of top of dam at lowest point will be above 372 when we stop work this fall, and we shall be able to raise nearly one foot per day when we resume work next spring until we reach elevation 395.

We submit herewith the number of days lost time on account of rain, etc., since the commencement of the contract.

Rain and snow.....	164
Holidays.....	12
	<u>176 days.</u>

Very respectfully,

SULLIVAN, RIDER & DOUGHERTY.

NEW YORK, November 27, 1889.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—The inclosed letter of Messrs. Sullivan, Rider & Dougherty, contractors for East Branch Reservoir Dam, has been referred to me for report.

The facts recited by the contractors are true. The season, as you are well aware, has been exceptionally wet, and the work has been very much retarded thereby. The death of the principal partner of the firm caused also, at the time, some delay in the work.

Moreover, the amount of time granted to the New York and New England Railroad for the execution of their work in the basin would not allow us, were the dam completed, to permit the water to rise to any useful height before the middle of next summer. I must add that the work has been prosecuted with commendable care, although some parts of it might have been pushed with more vigor.

Under these circumstances, and irrespective of other than professional grounds, I am of the opinion that the required extension of time should be granted to Messrs. Sullivan, Rider & Dougherty, with the understanding that they will in all cases so arrange and build their work, under the directions of the Engineer, as to allow the water to rise behind the dam as much as he may think advisable ; and that they will not, in any case, present any claim for alleged damage done them on account of the said directions.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

And report in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, An application has been made by Sullivan, Rider & Dougherty, contractors for the construction of a dam and other work on the East Branch of the Croton river, in the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York, for an extension of time to November 20, 1890, in which to complete said work ; therefore

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to Sullivan, Rider & Dougherty, contractors for the work above referred to, an extension of time to November 20, 1890, in which to complete the same ; providing their bondsmen shall, within ten days from the date hereof, enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said work, under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed to them as further time for the performance of said contract ; and also, providing that said contractors will execute an agreement with the Aqueduct Commissioners providing that they will in all cases so arrange and build their work, under the directions of the Chief Engineer, as to allow the water to rise behind the dam as much as he may think advisable ; and that they will not, in any case, present any claim for alleged damage done them on account of the said directions.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the report was adopted.

The Secretary gave notice of the filing of liens by David R. Paige & Co., against O'Brien & Clark, contractors, for work done on Section 9 of the New Aqueduct, amounting to \$267,261, also by the Passaic Rolling Mill Company against Sullivan, Rider & Dougherty, contractors, for materials furnished in the construction of the Sodom Dam and Reservoir, amounting to \$381.54 ; also by the Passaic Rolling Mill Company against Coldwell, Wilcox & Co., contractors, for materials furnished in the construction of the New Croton Gate-house, amounting to \$4,264.83 ; also by the Passaic Rolling Mill Company against David R. Paige & Co., contractors, for materials furnished in the construction of Dams Nos. 1 and 2, on Bog Brook, amounting to \$818.31.

Which were ordered filed.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

J. C. LULLEY, Secretary pro tem.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, NOVEMBER 18 TO 23, 1889.

### Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending November 16, 1889 : Males, 47 ; females, 7. On file.

List of 34 prisoners to be discharged from November 24 to 30, 1889. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 10 patients admitted, 8 discharged and 4 that have died during week ending November 16, 1889. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 30 patients admitted, 4 discharged and 3 that have died during week ending November 16, 1889. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending November 16, 1889, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From Finance Department—Statement of unexpended balances to November 16, 1889. To Bookkeeper.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending November 16, 1889, \$59. On file.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending November 16, 1889. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending November 16, 1889, \$270. On file.

From Storekeeper—Rejecting butter, coffee, potatoes, muslin, furnished under contracts, they being inferior to sample. Approved.

### Contracts Awarded.

J. C. Juhring—3,000 pounds Rio coffee, at 19 74-100 cents per pound ; 500 pounds Maracaibo coffee, at 7 20-100 cents per pound ; 16,000 pounds brown sugar, at 5 2-100 cents per pound ; 2,000 pounds granulated sugar, at 6 8-100 cents per pound.

### Appointed.

From Nov. 18. Patrick F. Rochford, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 18. Marguerite Arkle, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 18. William Baird, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 19. Frank Scanlon, Fireman, Workhouse. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 19. Charles W. Beach, Stableman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$500 per annum.

" 19. Jennie Hennessy, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 19. Patrick J. Noone, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 20. Agnes Carroll, Waitress, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.

" 22. W. C. Holton, Laborer, Branch Workhouse. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 22. John Keegan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 22. Elora Chamberlain, Berta Letz, Anna W. Kerr, Alice Cooper, Mary F. Prail, M. J. Hoagland, Nurses, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum, each.

### Reappointed.

Nov. 16. James Jacobson, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 20. Mary A. Trainor, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 20. Samuel Watts, Walter D. Brown, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum, each.



*Resigned.*

- Nov. 16. Eliza Bromberg, Waitress, Charity Hospital.  
 " 18. Christina A. Wilson, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.  
 " 18. Richard Seiffert, Cook, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.  
 " 18. Peter Diffley, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.  
 " 18. John Connors, Elevator Boy, Charity Hospital.  
 " 19. Annie R. Phelan, Nurse, Infant's Hospital.  
 " 20. Jane Bourke, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.  
 " 21. Jennie Ruant, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

*Places Declared Vacant.*

- Nov. 21. Michael J. Horgan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.  
 " 21. Mary McGoorty, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

*Dismissed.*

- Nov. 19. Michael Kirke, Cornelius Diffley, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.  
 " 21. John Foy, Keeper, City Prisons.

*Salary Increased.*

- Nov. 23. Marion Nolan, Alice O'Reilly, Nurses, Randall's Island Hospital, from \$180 to \$240 per annum, each.

*Transferred.*

- Nov. 18. Charles M. Bride, Maurice Levy, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, to N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary increased from \$300 to \$360 per annum.  
 " 23. Edward Burke, Assistant Apothecary, Randall's Island Hospital, to Apothecary, Infants' Hospital, salary increased from \$400 to \$500 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Stebbins avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to a point about four hundred feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from St. Ann's avenue to the South Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

Resolved, That Boulevard lamp-posts, with large ornamental lamps on same, be placed in front of the entrance to new Eighth Regiment Armory on Park avenue, Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted on the east side of Park avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Eighty-third street, from Avenue B to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Grace Mission, Nos. 540 and 542 East Thirteenth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from St. Ann's avenue to the Southern Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Tinton avenue, from Denman place to Clifton or One Hundred and Sixty-first street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Mott avenue to the westerly end of the bridge over the Harlem Railroad tracks, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 19, 1889.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1889.

## 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 unredemmed pawns or pledges by public auction in said city, by pawnbrokers, shall be published for at least six days previous thereto, until otherwise ordered.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which 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. KEESSE, 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 and fourth floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.  
 ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

*Office of the Public Administrator.*

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

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

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., Attorney.  
 SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

*Office of the Corporation Attorney*

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

*Central Office.*

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

*Central Office.*

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.  
 Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.  
 Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.  
 Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

*Headquarters.*

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

*Bureau of Chief of Department.*

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

*Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.*

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

*Bureau of Fire Marshal.*

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

*Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.*

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

*Attorney to Department.*

WM. L. FINDLEY.

*Fire Alarm Telegraph.*

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

*Repair Shops.*

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

*Hospital Stables.*

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

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

*Office of Topographical Engineer.*

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

*Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.*

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.  
 EDWIN A. POST, President; 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.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner;  
 —, 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. ADDEE, 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 of 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.  
 W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. McGRATH, Examiner.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.  
 MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZE, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

## 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. 37.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 37, 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; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court open at 10 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. 21.  
 Part III., Room No. 15.  
 Part IV., Room No. 11.  
 Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 10, 9 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.

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10 1/2 o'clock A. M.  
 JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

## DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.  
 PETER MITCHELL, Justice.  
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Pearl and Centre streets.  
 CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.  
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE B. DEANE, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.  
 ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 134 Clinton street.  
 HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues open to close of business.  
 SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice.

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

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

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

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

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 279 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

## POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY, DANIEL F. MCMAHON, EDW. HOGAN, JOHN COCHRANE, CHARLES N. TANTOR.  
 GEORGE W. CREGER, 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.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
 NEW YORK, November 27, 1889.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** a Horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Friday, December 13, 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 OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A** stable or addition to the present stable, located on the easterly side of Washington avenue, in the City of New York, and north of the Thirty-third Precinct Station-house, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, the 6th day of December, 1889. The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Building a Stable," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire work is to be completed within four months from the date of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

By order of the Board.  
 WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.  
 NEW YORK, November 27, 1889.

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 CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY, ETC.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING—**  
 About 18,920 pounds of Poultry—  
 For use on Christmas Day.

—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 Wednesday, the 18th day of December, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. 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 on Tuesday, December 24, 1889, before 7 o'clock A. M., all in accordance with specifications.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates 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.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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 form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, December 6, 1889.  
 HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
 CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,  
 EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
 Commissioners Public Charities and Correction.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house dock, Blackwell's Island (east side), 2,000 barrels extra Wheat Flour, at such times and in such quantities as shall be required by a schedule to be furnished to the contractor, to be delivered in barrels only: 1,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1. 1,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, December 13, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange, that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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 a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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, can be obtained 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, December 2, 1889.  
 HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
 CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,  
 EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.



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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY  
GOODS, LEATHER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FUR-  
nishing

GROCERIES, ETC.

10,893 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition  
Thursday, December 12, 1889.

1,500 pounds Cheese.  
2,200 pounds Barley, price to include packages.  
200 pounds Cocoa.  
3,600 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.  
600 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.  
500 pounds Chicory.  
1,000 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include pack-  
ages.

2,600 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.  
5,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.  
150 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted.  
4,000 pounds Rice.  
15,000 pounds Brown Sugar.  
2,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
1,000 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.  
1,500 pounds Granulated Sugar.  
300 pounds Corn Starch, one pound packages.  
2,100 pounds Oolong Tea.  
1,000 Gallons Syrup, in barrels.  
143 bushels Beans.  
25 bushels Peas.

4,320 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.  
10 tubs prime quality kettle-rendered Leaf Lard,  
50 pounds each.  
653 barrels good, sound White Potatoes, 172 pounds  
net per barrel.

10 dozen Canned String Beans.  
10 dozen Canned Lima Beans.  
20 dozen Canned Corn.  
10 dozen Canned Peaches.  
25 dozen Canned Peas.  
40 dozen Canned Peas.  
10 dozen Canned Salmon.  
40 dozen Canned Tomatoes.  
10 dozen Tomato Catsup.  
12 dozen Chow Chow.  
6 dozen Ghirkins.

150 bales prime quality, long, bright Rye Straw,  
tare not to exceed 3 lbs.; weight charged  
as received at Blackwell's Island.

25 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare and  
weight same as on straw.  
60 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.  
30 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.  
25 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.

DRY GOODS, ETC.

3,000 yards Bandage Muslin.  
6 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces  
to the pound.

25 pieces Crinoline.  
200 dozen pairs Women's Stockings.  
50 dozen pairs Girl's Stockings.  
10 bales Broom Corn.

LEATHER AND PAINT.

200 sides good damaged Sole Leather, 21 to 25  
pounds each.  
100 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to  
average about 17 feet.  
170 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to  
average about 17 feet.  
1,300 pounds Offal Leather.

5,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free  
from adulterations and any added impurities  
and subject to analysis if necessary, 25-100s,  
25-50s, 50-25s.

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, December 13,  
1889. The person or persons making any bid or esti-  
mate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope,  
indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods  
and Leather," with his or their name or names, and  
the date of presentation, to the head of said Depart-  
ment, at the said office, on or before the day and  
hour above named, at which time and place the  
bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by  
the President of said Department and read.

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awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Cor-  
poration upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as  
surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpora-  
tion.

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 en-  
gaged 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.

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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 inter-  
ested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it  
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which he would be entitled on its completion and that  
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which the bids are tested. The consent above men-  
tioned 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  
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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  
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shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that  
the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the  
same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be  
forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as  
liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if  
he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid,  
the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and  
merchandise must conform in every respect to the sam-  
ples 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., re-  
quired, 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 Compt-  
roller, 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 care-  
fully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction  
will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every par-  
ticular.

Dated NEW YORK, December 2, 1889.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 4, 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 Com-  
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as  
follows:

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Julia Morris,  
aged 39 years. Committed November 19, 1889. Had  
on when admitted Corporation dress, colored skirt and  
shawl.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Michael  
Phelan, aged 40 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown  
hair, gray eyes. Had on when admitted brown coat,  
black pants and vest, white shirt, brogan shoes, brown  
derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, November 27, 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 Com-  
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as  
follows:

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—John Brennan,  
aged 50 years. Had on when admitted gray cotton  
pants, dark coat, check shirt, black derby hat.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 46, North  
river—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7  
inches high; brown, sandy chin beard. Had on black  
coat, blue jumper, blue jean pants, gray woolen un-  
der-shirt, brown woolen drawers, blue socks, brogan shoes;  
belt around waist with badge marked "L. W. P. A., No.  
2, Brooklyn, N. Y."

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE

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

List 3109, No. 1. Receiving-basin on the northwest  
corner of One Hundred and Thirty-first street and  
Lenox avenue.

List 3110, No. 2. Receiving-basin on the northeast  
corner of Ninety-seventh street and Tenth avenue.

List 3112, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third  
street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

List 3119, No. 4. Alterations and improvements to  
sewer in Tenth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and  
Eighty-first streets.

List 3113, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from  
First to Second 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 One Hundred and Thirty-first  
street, from Lenox to Seventh avenue.

No. 2 North side of Ninety-seventh street, from Ninth  
to Tenth avenue, and east side of Tenth avenue, from  
Ninety-seventh to Ninety-eighth street.

No. 3 Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third  
street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

No. 4 Both sides of Tenth avenue, from Seventy-  
seventh to Eighty-first streets; also both sides of  
Seventy-seventh, Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth and  
Eightieth streets, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 5 Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from First to  
Second 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 objec-  
tions in writing to the Chairman of the Board of As-  
sessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within  
thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as pro-  
vided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction  
of Assessments for confirmation on the 30th day of  
December, 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, November 30, 1889.

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 com-  
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-  
sessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 3095, No. 1. Paving Tenth avenue, from One  
Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan streets, with granite  
blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3099, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and  
flagging One Hundred and Seventy-first street, from  
Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

List 3106, No. 3. Paving the Southern Boulevard, from  
the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue to the easterly  
crosswalk of Willis avenue, with trap blocks, and laying  
crosswalks.

List 3108, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in Rider  
avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One  
Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, with a branch in One  
Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Rider  
and Morris avenues.

List 3123, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and  
flagging One Hundred and Seventh street, from West  
End avenue to Riverside Drive.

List 3122, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing and  
flagging Ninety-second street, from the Boulevard to  
Riverside Drive.

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

No. 1 Both sides of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred  
and Tenth street to Manhattan street, and to the extent  
of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2 Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-first  
street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the ex-  
tent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3 Both sides of the Southern Boulevard, from the  
easterly crosswalk of Third avenue to a point half way  
between Willis avenue and Brown's place, and to the  
extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4 Commencing at the northerly corner of One  
Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Rider avenue;  
thence running northeasterly through the centre  
of the block to Third avenue and One Hundred  
and Thirty-sixth street; thence northerly along the  
westerly side of Third avenue to One Hundred and  
Forty-third street; thence northerly and including both  
sides of Third avenue to One Hundred and Forty-sixth  
street; thence westerly along One Hundred and Forty-  
sixth street to the westerly side of Morris avenue;  
thence southwesterly to the easterly side of Mott Haven  
Canal; thence southerly along the canal to One Hun-  
dred and Thirty-fifth street; thence easterly along One  
Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the place of begin-  
ning.

No. 5 Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street,  
from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 6 Both sides of Ninety-second street, from the  
Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half  
the block at the intersecting avenues.

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 objec-  
tions in writing to the Chairman of the Board of As-  
sessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within  
thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as pro-  
vided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of  
Assessments for confirmation on the 30th day of  
December, 1889.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 29, 1889.

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 com-  
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-  
sessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 3111, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging east side  
of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street.

List 3112, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding north side of Sixty-second street, from  
Second to Third avenue.

List 3115, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding east side of Avenue A, from Eighty-  
seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

List 3116, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding south side of Ninetieth street, from First  
to Second 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 East side of Fifth avenue, commencing at  
Sixty-fifth street and running northerly about 150 feet  
5 inches.

No. 2 North side of Sixty-second street, commencing  
105 feet westerly from Second avenue, and running  
westerly about 50 feet, upon lots known as Block 266,  
Ward Nos. 19 and 20.

No. 3 East side of Avenue A, commencing at Eighty-  
eighth street and extending southerly about 100 feet.

No. 4 South side of Ninetieth street, from First to  
Second 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 objec-  
tions in writing to the Chairman of the Board of As-  
sessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within  
thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as pro-  
vided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction  
of Assessments for confirmation on the 27th day of  
December, 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, November 26, 1889.

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 com-  
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-  
sessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 3094, No. 1. Paving West End avenue, from Sixty-  
fifth to Sixty-ninth street, with granite blocks and lay-  
ing crosswalks.

List 3096, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and  
flagging Twelfth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-  
third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

List 3100, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding west side of Eighth avenue, between One  
Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth  
streets.

List 3101, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth  
street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

List 3103, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding east side of Lenox avenue, from One  
Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-  
sixth street.

List 3104, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging, curbing  
and receding both sides of Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth  
streets, from Second to Third avenue.

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

No. 1 Both sides of West End avenue, from Sixty-  
fifth to Sixty-ninth street, and to the extent of half  
the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2 Both sides of Twelfth avenue, from One Hun-  
dred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-

fourth street, and south side of One Hundred and  
Thirty-fourth street, extending easterly 387 feet 6  
inches, and westerly 269 feet 7 inches from Twelfth  
avenue.

No. 3 West side of Eighth avenue, from One Hun-  
dred and Twelfth to One Hundred and Thirteenth  
street.

No. 4 Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth  
street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, excepting the lots  
situated on the north side of One Hundred and Eight-  
eenth street, commencing 85 feet easterly from Lenox  
avenue, and extending 100 feet easterly.

No. 5 East side of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred  
and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-sixth  
street.

No. 6 Both sides of Ninetieth street, from Second  
to Third avenue, and north side of Eighty-ninth street,  
extending 110 feet easterly from Third 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 objec-  
tions in writing to the Chairman of the Board of As-  
sessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within  
thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as pro-  
vided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction  
of Assessments for confirmation, on the 24th day of  
December, 1889.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 23, 1889.

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 com-  
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-  
sessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 3025, No. 1. Regulating and grading Boston  
road, between the northerly curb line of Jefferson street  
and the southerly curb line of Locust avenue.

List 3082, No. 2. Fencing vacant lots on the block  
bounded by Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets,  
Fifth and Madison avenues.

List 3093, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-  
fourth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, with granite  
blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3107, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb-  
stones, paving the gutters three feet wide with trap  
blocks on each side of the roadway, flagging the side-  
walks four feet wide, and laying crosswalks in the Boston  
road, between the easterly curb line of North Third  
avenue and the northerly curb line of Jefferson street.

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

No. 1 Both sides of Boston road, from Jefferson street  
to Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block at  
the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2 East side of Fifth avenue, from Ninety-third  
to Ninety-fourth street; north side of Ninety-third  
street, distant 103 feet easterly from Fifth avenue, and  
south side of Ninety-fourth street, distant 196 feet  
easterly from Fifth avenue.

No. 3 Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth  
street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and to the extent  
of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4 Both sides of Boston road, from North Third  
avenue to Jefferson street, and to the extent of half the  
block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

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 objec-  
tions in writing to the Chairman of the Board of As-  
sessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within  
thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as pro-  
vided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction  
of Assessments for confirmation on the 23d day of  
December, 1889.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 21, 1889.

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 com-  
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-  
sessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 3071, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Ninth  
street, from First avenue to the bulkhead-line of the  
East river, with trap blocks.

List 3083, No. 2. Crosswalk across the Bowery, from  
numbers 192 to 199.

List 3097, No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb-  
stones and flagging Eighty-seventh street, from West  
End avenue to the Riverside Drive.

List 3102, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging north side of  
Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

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

No. 1 Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street,  
from First avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river,  
and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting  
avenues.

No. 2 West side of the Bowery, extending northerly  
from Spring street about 135 feet, and east side of  
Bowery, between Delancey and Rivington streets, upon  
Ward numbers 5 to 10, inclusive, in the Tenth Ward.

No. 3 Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from West  
End avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of  
half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4 North side of Fifty-seventh street, between  
Fifth and Sixth avenues, upon lots known as Block 542,  
Ward numbers 1 and 13.

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 objec-  
tions in writing to the Chairman of the Board of As-  
sessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within  
thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as pro-  
vided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction  
of Assessments, for confirmation on the 8th day of  
December, 1889.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
EDWARD







Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated NEW YORK, November 25, 1889.



## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 20, 1889.

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A SEA WALL ON NORTH BROTHER ISLAND.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING a sea wall on North Brother Island, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, No. 301 Mott street, until 2.30 o'clock P.M. of the 10th day of December, 1889, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed, "Estimate for building a Sea Wall on North Brother Island, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the 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 Health Department, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the prices therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract 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 securities offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimate 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 by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which said Corporation or the Health Department 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 and stated in the proposals, 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 is to be approved 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 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-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said book 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 by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a 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.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, No. 301 Mott street, New York.

CHARLES G. WILSON,  
JOSEPH D. BRYANT,  
WILLIAM M. SMITH,  
Commissioners.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

## NOTICE.

- Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
- Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
- Examinations will be held from time to time as the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.
- All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
- The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

G. K. ACKERMAN,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),  
NEW YORK, December 2, 1889.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY of New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1889, to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1890, as provided by section 846 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1889, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1890, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the seventh day of October, 1889, on which day the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1889 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 845 of said act.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

## PROPOSALS FOR \$268,455.58 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS.

## EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Friday, the 13th day of December, 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 Two Hundred and Sixty-eight Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty-five Dollars and Fifty-eight Cents (\$268,455.58), 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 NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHT, with interest at the rate of THREE 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, and chapter 136 of the Laws of 1883, 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, and is

## EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from State Taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Sinking Fund, adopted November 25, 1889, and as authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted on the same day, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Board of Education November 20, 1889.

## 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 bonds or stocks 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 inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "School-house Bonds" of the Corporation of the City of New York, and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 30, 1889.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 27, 1889.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 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 following assessment lists, to-wit:

Paving east side of St. Nicholas avenue, from the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to a line about 50 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, with granite blocks.

Sewer in West street, between Rector and Carlisle streets.

Laying a crosswalk across the Boulevard, at the north side of Eighty-fourth street.

Laying a crosswalk across Avenue A, at the southerly side of Eighty-eighth street.

Laying a crosswalk across the Western Boulevard, at the north side of Eighty-second street.

Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

Laying crosswalks across Pleasant avenue, at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Twenty-first street.

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the southerly side of Seventy-fifth street.

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the southerly side of Seventy-ninth street.

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the north side of Eighty-third street.

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets.

Extension of sewer in Ninetieth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, from end of present sewer.

Laying crosswalks across Pleasant avenue, at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

Laying a crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, at the east side of Seventh avenue.

Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Seventy-seventh street, between Park and Madison avenues.

Laying crosswalks across Sixth avenue and Seventh avenue, within the lines of the north and south sidewalks of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

Laying crosswalk across Fifty-ninth street, at the east side of Avenue A.

Laying crosswalk across Avenue St. Nicholas, at the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

Laying a crosswalk across Avenue St. Nicholas, at the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Laying crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, at the east side of Second avenue.

Laying a crosswalk across First avenue, at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

Laying a crosswalk across First avenue, at the south side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

Second avenue, flagging and reflagging west side of, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

One Hundred and Sixteenth street, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings both sides of, between Pleasant avenue and Harlem river.

Park avenue, flagging, reflagging and curbing on west side of, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

Fifth avenue, flagging and reflagging east side of, from Eighty-eighth to Eighty-first street.

Madison avenue, flagging and reflagging east side of, from Eighty-eighth to Eighty-ninth street, and north side of Eighty-eighth street and south side of Eighty-ninth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street, flagging and reflagging north side of, from Lenox to Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, paving with granite blocks, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Eighteenth street, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

One Hundred and Fiftieth street, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, from Tenth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Twentieth street, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, from Seventh to Lenox avenue.

West End avenue, paving with Trinidad asphalt pavement, from Sixty-ninth to Seventy-second street.

Ninety-ninth street, regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive (except between the Boulevard and Riverside Drive).

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Seventh avenue.

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Second street and Tenth avenue.

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Madison avenue.

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of Fifty-fourth street and Second avenue.

Sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Edgecombe road.

Sewer in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets, connecting with the present sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, east of Tenth avenue.

Sewer in Seventy-fifth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Sewer in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

Flagging, reflagging, curbing and recurbings Seventy-ninth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

Paving Manhattan avenue, from Morningside avenue, near One Hundred and Thirtieth street to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Forty-third street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Sewer in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

Sewer in One Hundred and First street, between Boulevard and West End avenue.

Sewer in One Hundred and Third street, between Eighth and Manhattan avenues.

Alteration and improvements to sewer in Twenty-second street, between First and Third avenues.

Alterations and improvements to sewer in Fifty-third street at Tenth avenue.

Receiving-basin on northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-third street and Eighth avenue.

Eighty-seventh street paving with granite blocks, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street paving with granite blocks, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street paving with granite blocks, from First to Second avenue, and laying crosswalks.

Sixtieth street paving with granite blocks, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirtieth street paving with trap-blocks, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

Eighty-seventh street paving with granite blocks, from Avenue A to Avenue B, and laying crosswalks.

West End avenue paving with granite blocks, from Eighty-ninth to Ninety-sixth street, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Seventeenth street regulating,

grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

Third avenue, west side, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

Seventy-seventh street, south side, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings, between Park and Madison avenues.

Sewer in Eldridge street, between Grand and Broome streets.

Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between St. Ann's and Trinity avenues.

Sewer on the north side of the Southern Boulevard, between Willis avenue and the summit east of Willis avenue.

Sewer in Ninetieth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Sewer in Eighty-ninth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between West End avenue and the Boulevard.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and Eighth avenue.

Sewer in West street, between Murray and Jay streets, connecting with sewer constructed by Department of Docks through Pier 21, with alterations and improvements, to existing sewers in Murray, Warren, Chambers, Duane and Jay streets.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Nineteenth streets.

Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from North Third avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from North Third avenue to Morris avenue.

Sewer in Clifton street, between Third and Cauldwell avenues, with a branch on east side of St. Ann's avenue, north of Clifton street.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, November 14, 1889, and entered on the same date 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 entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 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 assessments are 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," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 28, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 26, 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 in the matter of acquiring title to Rose street, from Third avenue to Bergen avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, November 15, 1889, and entered on the 21st day of November, 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 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 January 27, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 4, 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 in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Rider avenue to St. Ann's avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, October 14, 1889, and entered on the 28th day of October, 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 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 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 December 31, 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 centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 4, 1889.



FINANCE DEPARTMENT.  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),  
NEW YORK, November 1, 1889.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Receiver of Taxes of the City of New York to all persons whose taxes for the year 1889 remain unpaid on the 1st day of November of said year, that unless the same shall be paid to him, at his office, on or before the 1st day of December of said year, he will charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such taxes, one per centum on the amount thereof, and charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January thereafter, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from October 7, 1889, the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants therefor were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, as provided by sections 843, 844 and 845 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

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.

JURORS.

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

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

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

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

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, if unpaid, will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents. All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors, are not exempt.

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

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, held in the Mayor's Office, on Friday, December 6, 1889, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business, and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated December 3, 1889.  
V. B. LIVINGSTON,  
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1889, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated NEW YORK, December 4, 1889.  
NEVIN W. BUTLER,  
J. THOMAS STEARNS,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET, between Kingsbridge Road and Eleventh Avenue.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern:

That it is our intention to present our amended supplemental or amended report herein to the Supreme Court of the State of New York for confirmation, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; that an abstract of our amended estimate and assessment, together with our maps and all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our amended supplemental or amended report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 28th day of December, 1889; that all persons interested in this proceeding 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 December, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 28th day of December, 1889, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of the said ten days, at 4 o'clock P. M.; that the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz:

First—Westerly by the easterly line or side of Eleventh Avenue; northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets; from the easterly line or side of Eleventh Avenue to the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge Road; easterly by the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge Road, and southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets; from the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge Road to the easterly line or side of Eleventh Avenue, excepting therefrom all the streets and avenues within the said area, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Second—Beginning at a point the northeasterly corner of One Hundred and Sixtieth Street and Kingsbridge Road; running thence easterly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixtieth Street, distance 90 feet; thence northerly, distance 55 feet 3/4 inches; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Sixtieth Street, distance 95 feet 1 1/4 inches, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge Road; thence southerly along said line, distance 55 feet 8 1/4 inches, to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Third—Beginning at a point the southeasterly corner of One Hundred and Sixtieth Street and Kingsbridge Road; running thence easterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixtieth Street, distance 112 feet 4 1/4 inches; thence southerly and at right angles to the One Hundred and Sixtieth Street, distance 100 feet; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Sixtieth Street, distance 93 feet 3/4 inches, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge Road; thence northerly along said line, distance 101 feet 8 1/4 inches, to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

JOHN WHALEN,  
J. DANA JONES,  
EDWARD HOGAN,  
Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, December 3, 1889.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Docks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring all rights, terms, easements and privileges pertaining to those seventy-five feet of wharf or bulkhead on the westerly side of West Street, in the City of New York, next north of Harrison Street, not now owned by the said corporation.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 715 OF CHAPTER 410 of the Laws of 1882, and the statutes in such case made and provided, Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the twenty-fourth day of December, 1889, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition, in the name and for the benefit of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, and for the execution of a certain plan for the water front of the City of New York heretofore, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, determined upon by the Department of Docks, on the thirtieth day of April, 1871, adopted and certified to by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and filed in the office of the Department of Docks, on the twenty-seventh day of April, 1871, of all the rights, terms, easements and privileges pertaining to the wharf or bulkhead hereinafter described and not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, viz.: All the rights to wharfage, cranes, advantages and emoluments of that part of the exterior wharf, street or bulkhead, and all the riparian rights, terms, easements and privileges on the westerly side of West Street, in the City of New York, next north of Harrison Street; beginning at a point in the westerly side of West Street, which said point is the point of intersection of the said westerly side of West Street, with a line drawn in prolongation of the northerly line of Harrison Street, and extending northerly along West Street a distance of seventy-five feet, more or less, to the property now belonging to the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, November 30, 1889.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH 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 all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of December, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said twenty-eighth day of December, 1889, and for that purpose will be in

attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers Street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of December, 1889.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street, the prolongation easterly of the centre line of the said blocks from the westerly side of Third Avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel with the easterly side of Third Avenue and distant about 78 feet easterly therefrom and a line drawn at right angles with the easterly side of Third Avenue and connecting the two easterly limits of the area of assessment as hereinafter described; easterly by a line parallel with the easterly side of Third Avenue and distant about 78 feet easterly therefrom, and extending from the northerly boundary line of the area of assessment southerly for about 84 feet and a line parallel with the easterly side of Third Avenue, and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom, and extending from a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Third Avenue and about 145 feet southerly from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street to its intersection with the prolongation easterly from the westerly side of Third Avenue of the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street; southerly by said prolongation easterly from the westerly side of Third Avenue of the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth Street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth 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, in the City of New York, on the tenth day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, November 14, 1889.  
J. FAIRFAX MCGAULHIN, Chairman,  
MICHAEL J. MCKENNA,  
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 that part of COLLEGE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Morris Avenue to East One Hundred and Forty-sixth Street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 26th day of December, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 26th day of December, 1889, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers Street, in the said city, there to remain until the 27th day of December, 1889.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, November 9, 1889.  
CHARLES H. LOVETT, Chairman,  
JOHN REILLY,  
PETER L. MULLALLY,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH 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 all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 26th day of December, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 26th day of December, 1889, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers Street, in the said city, there to remain until the 27th day of December, 1889.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-eighth Street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street; easterly by the westerly side of Third Avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-eighth Street and Third Avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth Street and East One Hundred and Forty-eighth 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, in the City of New York, on the 11th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, November 9, 1889.  
CHARLES H. LOVETT, Chairman,  
JOHN REILLY,  
PETER L. MULLALLY,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth Avenue to the Kingsbridge Road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-sixth day of November, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-sixth day of November, 1889, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers Street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-seventh day of November, 1889.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Seventy-third Street and One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Street; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth Avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Seventy-second Street and One Hundred and Seventy-third Street, and westerly by the easterly side of Kingsbridge Road, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the thirteenth day of December, 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, October 16, 1889.  
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, Chairman,  
WILLIAM V. I. MERCER,  
EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

J. S. COLEMAN,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

TO ILLUMINATING GAS MANUFACTURERS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATE, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, for furnishing illuminating gas for lighting the Public Markets, Armories, Buildings and Offices of the City of New York, or any of them, for the period from January 1, 1890, to December 31, 1890, both days inclusive, will be received at this office until Monday, December 9, 1889, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for



Washington Market.  
 Catharine " "  
 Fulton " "  
 Essex " "  
 Centre " "  
 Clinton " "  
 Union " "  
 Tompkins " "  
 Jefferson " "  
 First District Police Court  
 Second " "  
 Third " "  
 Fourth " "  
 Fifth " "  
 Sixth " "  
 First District Civil Court.  
 Second " "  
 Fourth " "  
 Fifth " "  
 Sixth " "  
 Eighth " "  
 Ninth " "  
 Tenth " "  
 Clock, Third District Court-house Tower.  
 Armory, Seventh Regiment.  
 " Eighth " "  
 " Ninth " "  
 " Twelfth " "  
 " Twenty-second Regiment.  
 " Sixty-ninth " "  
 " Seventy-first " "  
 " First Battery Artillery.  
 " Second " "  
 " Brigade Headquarters.  
 Register's Office.  
 City Record Book Bindery.  
 Court of Special Sessions.  
 New Court-house.  
 Brown-stone (Court-room) Building.  
 City Hall.  
 Corporation Counsel's Office.  
 Corporation Attorney's Office.  
 Office of Public Administrator.  
 Office of Board of Assessors.  
 Offices of Department of Public Works.  
 Offices of Department of Taxes.  
 Dog Pound, East One Hundred and Second street.  
 County Jail.  
 Corporation Yard, East Sixteenth street.  
 Rivington street Pipe Yard.  
 Pipe Yard, East Twenty-fourth street.  
 Repair Shop of Bureau of Streets and Roads, West One Hundred and Nineteenth street.  
 Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, West Thirtieth street.  
 Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, East Eighty-seventh street.  
 Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
 Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, No. 3351 Third avenue.  
 South Gate-house.  
 Engine-house of High Water Service at High Bridge.  
 Engine-house of High Water Service at Ninety-eighth street.  
 Public Bath, Battery.  
 " Corlears Slip, E. R.  
 " Duane street, N. R.  
 " foot of Stanton street, E. R.  
 " Market street, E. R.  
 " Nineteenth street, E. R.  
 " Horatio street, N. R.  
 " Twenty-seventh street, N. R.  
 " Thirty-seventh street, E. R.  
 " Fifty-first street, N. R.  
 " Fifty-first street, E. R.  
 " Seventy-eighth street, E. R.  
 " One Hundred and Twelfth street, E. R.  
 " One Hundred and Thirty-second street, N. R.  
 " One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, E. R.  
 Photometrical Room, Grand street and Powery.  
 Seventy-ninth street.  
 Offices of N. Y. City Civil Service Board.  
 Or any other public building, office, or public bath, in which gas may be required during the aforesaid term.  
 Any person making an estimate for the above-mentioned supplies shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope at said office, at or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The gas shall have an illuminating power of not less than eighteen sperm candles when tested on the improved form of the Bunsen Photometer, by a Sugg-Lethby 15-hole argand burner, calculated on a consumption of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The regular daily tests, however, will be made with a burner that will obtain from the gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use by the consumer, and consuming at the rate of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The testing candle shall be of sperm of six to the pound, and consuming, as near as possible, one hundred and twenty grains of spermaceti per hour, and no candle shall be used for testing which consumes less than one hundred and fourteen or more than one hundred and twenty-six grains of spermaceti per hour. And as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphureted hydrogen, and other sulphurous and noxious compounds.

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

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

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.

The amount of security required is \$20,000, but the same may be reduced at the option of the parties of the first part, if an award is made warranting a less amount of security.

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-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, 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.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to enclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Room 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
 Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,  
 Commissioner of Public Works.

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

## PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 550, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 321 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 any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are 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:

BAKERS.—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
3,500	02½	280 00
4,000	02½	303 75
4,500	02½	333 50
5,000	02	360 00
6,000	02	420 00
7,000	02	480 00
8,000	02	540 00
9,000	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,

## 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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