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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1891.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to chapter 226, Laws of 1889, I herewith transmit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department of the City of New York for the week ending June 12, 1891:

Applicants for Appointment.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	
Joseph D. Clark.....	2,053 Third avenue	Driver	Passed.
John D. Douglas	241 West Forty-eighth street.....	Foreman	"
Gustave Dumas.....	322 East Twenty-seventh street	Clerk	"
Thomas Hall	416 West Fiftieth street	"	Rejected.
Peter Kiernan.....	107 Amsterdam avenue	Truck-driver	Passed.
William Lawson.....	507 West Forty-eighth street	Driver	"
William J. McGuinness	330 East Twenty-seventh street	Packer	"
Milton H. Teator	943 Tenth avenue	Clerk.....	"
Frank Van Loan	80 Morton street	"	"
Andrew A. Treubig.....	633 East Thirtieth street.....	Porter.....	"
Thomas Donnelly.....	1466 First avenue.....	Plumber	"
Edward F. Phillips, Jr	334 East Sixty-sixth street	Varnisher	"

Appointed on Probation.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.
Thomas Gill.....	303 Mulberry street	Engineer.

Respectfully,
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks of the City of New York, held at the office of the Board, Pier "A," Battery place, Thursday, May 28, 1891.

Present—President Post.
" Commissioner Matthews.
" Cram.

The minutes of the meeting held 21st instant were read and approved.

Frederick Geggus appeared respecting his application for permission to place a bath and boat-house between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets, North river.

On motion, permit was granted, the said structures to be and remain only during the pleasure of the Board.

Clark Bell, Richard Lacey, and James J. Coogan, representing owners of property along the Harlem river, asked the Board to improve the water-front on the west side of the river between the Madison avenue and McComb's Dam bridges. They were requested to submit a petition signed by a majority of the property-owners of that vicinity favoring the improvement of said water-front; they were also informed that the Board will take definite action in the matter Thursday, June 4, 1891.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, viz.:

From the Counsel to the Corporation—Approving specifications and form of contract for repairing pier, etc., between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, East river, and for dredging at sundry places on the North river, under Contracts Nos. 379 and 380.

From the Finance Department—In reference to the payment of a voucher to John Gillies, for building a sewer-box under Pier, new 29, North river. The action of the President in replying thereto approved.

From the Department of Street Cleaning:

1st. Stating that orders have been issued for the cleaning of the bulkhead between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, North river.

2d. Reporting that they have granted Brown & Fleming (subject to the approval of the Department) the privilege of using the dumping-board located at Pier 12, East river, for the purpose of receiving cellar dirt.

From the Fire Department—Reporting that additional piles, also a sixty-foot boom are required at the berth occupied by "The New Yorker," at Castle Garden. Advise that the wharf property referred to has been assigned to the Department of Public Parks, and is, therefore, not under the jurisdiction of this Department.

From the Department of Public Charities and Correction—Requesting that a few piles be driven in front of the Nurses' Home, Blackwell's Island, East river.

From The East Bay Land and Improvement Company—Requesting that the time to comply with the terms and conditions of the resolution adopted the 7th instant be extended until September 1, 1891. Time extended as requested.

From Simpson, Spence & Young, agents, lessees—Requesting immediate repairs to the temporary approach to Pier, new 56, near the foot of Twenty-sixth street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair.

From Homer Ramsdell:

1st. Stating that the repairs ordered to the Pier foot of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river, will receive attention.

2d. Requesting a renewal of permits for the various tally-houses located on Pier, new 24, North river. Permits granted.

From The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, lessee—Requesting dredging on both sides of the Pier foot of Seventeenth street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Jefferson M. Levy, attorney—Accepting on behalf of his client the terms and conditions of the resolution adopted May 14, 1891, for the purchase of certain bulkhead and water rights westerly of Pier 48, East river.

Whereupon the following preambles and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, This Board did on the 14th day of May, 1891, adopt preambles and resolutions offering to purchase in the name and for the benefit of the Corporation of the City of New York, for the sum of one hundred dollars per front foot, certain wharfage and riparian rights of forty-eight feet of bulkhead at Clinton street, East river, as hereinafter described; and

Whereas, A communication was received from Jefferson M. Levy, attorney for James Keese, dated May 25, 1891, signifying his acceptance of the said offer of one hundred dollars per front foot, and stating that he will comply with the terms contained in the resolution adopted by this Board on the 14th day of May, 1891, as aforesaid; therefore

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 715 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, this Board enters into an agreement with James Keese for the purchase and acquisition of the right to wharfage, crannage, advantages and emoluments of the exterior wharf, street or bulkhead and the riparian rights, titles, easements and privileges incident to and in front of same, beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of Clinton street with the bulkhead along the East river, and running thence westerly along said bulkhead forty-eight feet, for the sum of one hundred dollars per front foot. Said agreement and purchase to be subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as provided by section 715, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

From Charles McManus' Sons—Requesting renewal of permit for tally-house on the dumping-board south of Fourteenth street, East river. Permit granted.

From the Knickerbocker Ice Company—Accepting the terms and conditions of the resolution adopted May 21, 1891, authorizing the use and occupation of the southerly side of the pier foot of Thirty-third street, East river.

From Henderson Brothers, agents of the Anchor Line, lessees of Pier, new 54, North river—Reporting that the paving in front of said pier is in a dangerous condition. Request the Department of Public Works to repair forthwith; also notify the lessees of the action of the Board.

From the New York and Baltimore Transportation Line—Requesting permission to drive piles at Piers 6 and 7, North river. Permit granted, the work to be kept within existing lines.

From John McLaughlin, with consent of owners—Requesting permission to fill in along the water-front north of Eightieth street, East river, a distance of one hundred feet. Notify the applicant that in filling-in thereat he must comply with rule number one of the rules and regulations of this Department, and also not permit any of said filling to be deposited in the harbor.

From Fordham Morris, attorney, on behalf of Lewis G. Morris—Requesting permission to make certain repairs to wharf property at Morris Dock, Harlem river. Permit granted.

From James Smith—Requesting a renewal of permit for Watchman's house on the shore end of Pier 55, East river. Permit granted.

From John H. Starin—Requesting permission to rebuild the shed between Piers 19 and 20 North river, in accordance with diagram submitted. Referred to the President with power.

From Brown & Fleming—Requesting a berth at Pier 12, East river, for the purpose of receiving cellar dirt.

From M. Koenig—Requesting permission to locate a swimming bath foot of Fifty-sixth street, East river. Permit granted, compensation to be fixed by the Treasurer.

From the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company—Requesting permission to repair the end of platform between Piers 49 and 50, East river. Permit granted.

From the Compagnie Générale Transatlantique, lessee—Requesting copy of plans of Pier, new 42, North river, including shed. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to furnish copies of said plans.

From S. & J. M. Requa—Requesting renewal of permit for tally-house on Pier, old 34, North river. Permit granted.

From Thomas Dunican—Requesting permit to place a derrick for hoisting coal on the bulkhead at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Madison avenue, Harlem river. Permit granted, the said derrick to be located thereat by the Dock Master, and the same to be and remain only during the pleasure of the Board.

From Neidlinger, Schmidt & Company—Reporting that they had repaired the bulkhead foot of Sixty-third street, East river.

From John H. Starin, lessee—Requesting permission to cover the frame located on Pier foot of Thirty-second street, East river, with corrugated iron. Referred to the President to examine and report.

From Austin, Baldwin & Co., agents of the Allan State Line of Steamships—Requesting a lease of the pier foot of Twenty-first street, North river, for a period of ten years, with privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years. Whereupon the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

In the matter
of
The application of the Allan State Line of Steamships for a
lease of Pier at the foot of Twenty-first street, North river.

Whereas, Application has been made by Austin, Baldwin & Co., agents of the Allan State Line of Steamships, for a lease of the Pier at the foot of Twenty-first street, North river, for a period of ten years, with a privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years, and requesting that the said pier be extended out to the pier-head line of 1890, and widened twenty feet:

Resolved, That this Department hereby agrees to extend the pier at the foot of West Twenty-first street, North river, out to the pier-head line of 1890 and to widen said pier for a distance of ten feet on both sides, so as to make the pier eighty feet wide between the bulkhead line of 1871 and the pier-head line of 1890; subject, however, to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as to change in lines of said pier. And this Department also agrees to widen the temporary approach ten feet on both sides for a distance of about ninety-seven feet easterly from the bulkhead line of 1871, measured on the centre line of West Twenty-first street produced.

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, this Department hereby agrees to lease to the said company, all and singular, the wharfage which may arise, accrue and become due in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, for the use and occupation of the Pier at the foot of West Twenty-first street, North river, together with the temporary approach thereto, for a period of ten years from the time when said company is placed in actual possession of the said pier and approach, for the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Treasurer of this Department during the continuance of said lease. The said lessee shall have the privilege of renewal of said lease for a further term of ten years on three months' notice being given prior to the expiration of the first term of ten years, at an additional rental of ten per cent. on \$25,000 that is to say, the sum of \$27,500, payable quarterly in advance, as above.

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and especially by subdivision 6 of section 6 of chapter 574 of the Laws of 1871, and section 716 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, commonly called the New York City Consolidation Act, as amended by chapter 577 of the Laws of 1884, the Pier at the foot of West Twenty-first street, North river, be and hereby is appropriated to the sole use of the special kind of commerce carried on by steam transportation.

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the said Allan State Line of Steamships to construct and maintain a shed on said pier, in accordance with the laws and regulations in such cases made and provided, and in conformity with plans and specifications to be first submitted to and approved by this Department; all the said work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and the said shed shall become vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York on the expiration or sooner termination of the lease or any renewal thereof.

Resolved, That the above resolutions shall be of no force or effect unless the said Allan State Line of Steamships shall, within thirty days after the receipt of a copy hereof, file in the office of the Department of Docks their agreement in writing, duly executed by the officers of said company, to execute a lease, made in accordance with the above-recited resolutions and containing the usual covenants and conditions as are at present embodied in the lease of wharf property now used by this Department, a copy of which may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

From Dock Master Woods—Reporting that fender piles should be placed at the inner end, north side, of Pier, new 75, foot of Forty-fifth street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief with power.

From Dock Master Coye—Reporting that a fender pile on the outer end, lower corner, of Pier 44, East river, requires refastening. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair.

From Dock Master Meehan—Requesting an office for his use on the bulkhead foot of Eighty-sixth street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to build the same.

From Dock Master Abeel—Reporting a hole in the bulkhead between Piers, new 36 and 37, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and repair.

From Dock Master Carson :

1st. Reporting that the chock on south side, outer end, of the bulkhead at One Hundred and Fortieth street, Harlem river, requires fastening. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and, if necessary, repair.

2d. Reporting that Nathaniel Wise, lessee, piled a quantity of brick upon the bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Sixth street, Harlem river, notwithstanding the fact that he had been directed to cease such work. Notify said lessee to appear before the Board, Thursday, June 4, 1891, at eleven o'clock A. M., and show cause why a penalty should not be imposed for a violation of rule three of the rules and regulations of the Department.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending May 27, 1891, amounting to \$5,722.88, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows :

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1891.					1891.
May 26	Ridgewood Ice Co.....	1 qrs. rent Pier 3d st., E. R.....	\$500 00		
" 26	"	"	500 00		
" 26	Joseph Cornell.....	" bkd. so. W. 11th st., N. R.	475 00		
" 26	Brown & Fleming.....	Dump tickets	1,320 00		
" 26	Cunard Steamship Co.....	Repairs, Pier, new 40, N. R.....	9 93		
" 26	John A. McCarthy.....	1 qrs. rent one-ninth of Pier 42, E. R.	12 50		
" 26	G. W. Plunkitt & Smith	" Pier 51st st., N. R.....	975 00		
" 26	Patrick J. Brady.....	Wharfage, District No. 2, N. R.....	273 00		
" 26	Edward Abeel.....	" 4, "	134 64		
" 26	William T. Coggeshall.....	" 6, "	104 26		
" 26	Charles Parks.....	" 8, "	124 71		
" 26	George A. Woods.....	" 10, "	123 11		
" 26	Bart. F. Kenney.....	" 12, "	177 59		
" 26	Henry A. Palmstine.....	" 1, E. R.....	124 37		
" 26	Charles S. Coye.....	" 3, "	253 30		
" 26	John J. Ryan.....	" 5, "	374 10		
" 26	Joseph B. Erwin.....	" 7, "	70 68		
" 26	Joseph F. Meehan.....	" 9, "	97 05		
" 26	James W. Carson.....	" 11, "	43 54		
" 26	John J. Martin.....	" 13, "	20 25		
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Respectfully submitted,

JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

From the Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Report for the week ending May 23, 1891.

2d. Reporting the death of Laborer Peter McArdle. The Secretary directed to cause his name to be taken from the list of employees.

3d. Reporting the dumping of earth and stones, without a permit, along the edge of the bank foot of Seventy-seventh street, and also on the north side of Eightieth street, East river.

4th. Report for the quarter ending April 30, 1891. The Secretary directed to transmit the same to his Honor the Mayor.

5th. Recommending that the time for the completion of the work of dredging, under Contract No. 370, be extended until June 15, 1891. Time extended as requested, provided the written consent of the sureties be filed in this Department.

6th. Recommending that the lessee of Pier 18, East river, be directed to make permanent instead of temporary repairs. Referred to Commissioner Cram to examine and report Thursday, June 4, 1891.

7th. Recommending that the time for the completion of the work of dredging the slip between Piers, new 44 and 45, North river, under Contract No. 371, be extended until June 15, 1891. Time extended as requested, provided the written consent of the sureties be filed in this Department.

8th. Recommending that the Civil Service Board be requested to submit a list of names of persons eligible for appointment as Assistant Engineers. Recommendation adopted.

9th. Submitting specifications and form of contract for yellow pine timber.

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the specifications and form of contract, as prepared and submitted by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, for about 1,700,000 feet, B. M., yellow pine timber, for the uses and purposes of the Department, be and they hereby are approved, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements inviting estimates for furnishing said timber inserted in the various newspapers designated by law.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 10978, submitting plans, specifications and form of contract for building a new wooden pier at the foot of Thirty-fifth street, East river.

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the plans, specifications and form of contract as prepared and submitted by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department for building a new wooden pier at the foot of Thirty-fifth street, East river, be and they hereby are approved, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements inviting estimates for doing the said work inserted in the various newspapers designated by law.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 10999, submitting specifications and form of contract for dredging at the dumping-boards foot of Thirty-seventh and Forty-seventh streets, North river.

On motion, ordered to be placed on file and the following resolution adopted :

Resolved, That the specifications and form of contract, as prepared and submitted by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, for the necessary dredging at the dumping-boards foot of West Thirty-seventh and West Forty-seventh streets, North river, be and they hereby are approved, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements inviting estimates for doing the said dredging inserted in the various newspapers designated by law.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 10304, that he had superintended extending and lengthening Pier, new 45, North river, by the White Star Line, lessee, in accordance with the resolution adopted August 1, 1890. The Secretary directed to cause the necessary lease to be prepared.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 10886, that he had superintended the erection of a pile platform between Piers 16 and 17, East river, and that the land under water covered by said platform contains 7,097 square feet, for which James E. Ward & Co. agreed to pay twenty-five cents per square foot per annum. The Treasurer authorized to collect the amount due.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 10374, that it is not the intention of J. D. and T. E. Crimmins to erect a dumping-board south of Sixty-eighth street, East river, in accordance with permit issued November 25, 1890, and recommending that the permit be revoked. Recommendation adopted.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 10,979, that he had prepared a diagram of the premises east of Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-first street, Harlem river. Transmit copy of said map to the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

16th. Report on Secretary's Orders Nos. 10498, 10529, 10577, 10632, 10669, 10708, 10734, 10836, 10896, 10920, 10923, 10936, 10946 and 10947, that he had superintended piercing bulkhead at Pier foot of Thirty-sixth street, North river; filling-in behind bulkhead wall at One Hundred and Tenth Street Section, Harlem river; altering ends of Pier, new 45, North river; repairing pile platform at One Hundred and Thirty-third street, Harlem river; repairing bulkhead northerly of One Hundred and Twentieth street, Harlem river; repairing shed on Pier, new 54, North river; driving piles for a temporary platform approach at Macomb's Dam Bridge, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Harlem river; refastening piles, etc., at northerly side of Pier foot of Fifty-eighth street, North river; dredging foot of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, and between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, Harlem river; removal of bath-houses, etc., between One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Fourth streets, Harlem river; driving

piles on the easterly side of Pier 23, East River; that he had made a floating fender and placed the same between Pier "A" and Pier, new 1, North river; that he had established points on the United States bulkhead line on the easterly side of the Harlem river, between High Bridge and Washington Bridge, as requested by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and superintended repairing Pier at Fifty-eighth street, North river.

Commissioner Matthews offered the following resolution, which was adopted :

Resolved, That the compensation to be charged for the use and occupation of the north half of Pier 56, the south half of Pier 57, East river, and the intervening bulkhead, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of ninety dollars (\$90) per month, payable at the end of each month to the Treasurer of this Department. Commencing June 1, 1891.

On motion of Commissioner Matthews the compensation to be charged D. C. Newell for the use of the land under water, to be covered by platforms between Eighteenth and Twentieth streets, North river, in accordance with the permit granted February 5, 1891, was fixed at the rate of one hundred dollars (\$100) per month, payable at the end of each month to the Treasurer of this Department; commencing when said platforms are ready for occupancy.

On motion of Commissioner Cram, the Secretary was directed to notify the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, that unless they comply with the terms and conditions of the resolution adopted January 30, 1891, by removing the dumping-board located on the Pier foot of Thirty-seventh street, North river, prior to July 1st proximo, this Department will abrogate their lease.

Commissioner Cram offered the following preambles and resolutions, which were adopted :

Whereas, It appears that certain persons have licenses from the Bureau of City Revenue, to build shanties on land now or formerly under water, easterly of Fifth avenue and northerly of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, which land is within the jurisdiction of this Department; and

Whereas, The said temporary tenants of said Bureau are carrying on nuisances on said premises; and

Whereas, The Department of Docks has recently built a crib-bulkhead and is engaged in filling-in said property; therefore

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is respectfully requested to revoke any and all permits covering the property belonging to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, easterly of Fifth avenue and northerly of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Harlem river, within the line of said new crib-bulkheads.

On motion of Commissioner Cram, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to prepare plans of Pier, new 13, North river, showing its relative position to Piers, new 14 and 15, North river.

Commissioner Cram offered the following resolutions, which were tabled :

Resolved, That the unanimous resolution for the work of the Old West Washington Market Section, passed on the 6th February, 1889, be and hereby is amended to read as follows :

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to proceed with the removal of so much of the old crib-work, filling and other material, and of the structures as now exist upon where West Washington Market is, or recently has been situated, as is necessary to execute the improvement of the water-front under the new plan, from about the middle of Pier, old 24, North river, between Vesey and Barclay streets, to about the middle of the foot of Dey street, North river, a distance of about five hundred and seventy-five feet; and also with the removal of Piers, old 20, old 21 and old 23, North river, in front of said filling, and the structures now or lately occupied by the West Washington Market, and to do such work as may be necessary to preserve and restore the portion of Pier, old 23, North river, as belongs to the City of New York, until the proper time for its removal, and to proceed with the construction of sufficient base blocks for the bulkhead or river wall, and to build the bulkhead or river wall from about the middle of Pier, old 24, between Vesey and Barclay streets, on the North river, to about the middle of the foot of Dey street, North river, a distance of about five hundred and seventy-five feet; and that all the work hereby ordered be performed otherwise than by contract, as provided by section 714 of the New York City Consolidation Act, and that it be done by the force of the Department by days' work, except so much of the labor as is now or may hereafter be contracted for, and that all the material and dredging necessary for the above-mentioned work of the wall not heretofore contracted for of which may not hereafter be contracted for, be purchased by the Treasurer otherwise than by contract.

From the Ocean Steamship Company of Savannah, lessees—Requesting the Department to extend Pier, new 35, North river, out to the pier-head line, as provided by chapter 482 of the Laws of 1890.

Upon reading and filing the application of the Ocean Steamship Company for an extension of Pier, new 35, North river, as provided for by chapter 482 of the Laws of 1890, and the Commissioners having met and duly considered said application, and the rental that ought to be paid therefor; it was unanimously

Resolved, That this Department hereby agrees to build the extension to Pier, new 35, North river, at its own expense, as provided by chapter 482 of the Laws of 1890, and to lease, grant and assign to the said company all and singular the wharfage which may arise, accrue and become due thereat, in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, for a period co-terminous with the existing lease of Pier, new 35, North river; provided said company shall agree to pay this Department the annual rental of twenty-five (25) cents per square foot per annum for the land under water, covered by said addition or extension, and in addition thereto, eight (8) per cent. on the actual cost of construction, payable quarterly in advance to the Treasurer of this Department: rental to begin when said extension is completed. Permission is hereby granted to the said company to shed the said extension at the expense of the said company, the extension to the said shed to become vested in and owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, free of all claims, charges and incumbrances of any kind whatsoever, in good condition and repair, at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease thereof. Said company shall, at its own expense, make all necessary repairs to the said extension and shed thereon, whenever required so to do, under the direction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department; that this Department shall do all dredging when it shall deem it necessary; that this resolution shall not be binding or of any force or effect unless the said company shall, within ten days after receipt hereof, accept in writing the terms and conditions of this resolution and agree to execute a lease for the said extension with like covenants, conditions and provisions as in the lease of the present pier to the said company, except as to the amount of rental and the commencement of the term.

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to proceed with the extension of Pier, new 35, North river, to the pier-head line of 1890; and that all the work hereby ordered be performed otherwise than by contract, as provided by section 714 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and that it be done by the force of the Department by days' work, except so much of the labor and material as is now or may hereafter be contracted for, and that all the materials, tools and dredging necessary therefor, and not heretofore contracted for, or which may not hereafter be contracted for, be purchased by the Treasurer otherwise than by contract.

The Secretary reported that the pay-rolls for the month of May, 1891, amounting to \$11,900, and also the pay-rolls for the General Repairs and Construction Force for the week ending May 22, 1891, amounting to \$8,472.95, had been approved and audited, and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of seventeen bills or claims, amounting to \$19,695.25, which were approved and audited, and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows :

Construction Account.			Amount.
Audit No.	Name.		
11783.	Michael H. Whalen & Co., Estimate No. 6, Contract No. 368.....	\$1,012 41	
11784.	H. A. Rogers, machinists' supplies	759 02	
11785.	Bell Brothers, spruce	211 34	
11786.	John A. Bouker, cobble and rip-rap.....	3,037 22	
11787.	C. L. Bucki & Co., yellow pine	818 17	
11788.	W. Ames & Co., spikes	396 00	
11789.	Meecker & Co., coal	544 40	
11790.	Brown & Fleming, cobbles and rip-rap.....	2,699 28	
11791.	F. W. Devoe & Co., drawing materials.....	61 12	
11792.	Beard & Kimpland, piles.....	4,081 00	
11793.	Michael Moran, towing	250 00	
11794.	Baetjer & Meyerstein, cement	3,590 57	
11795.	Fairbanks & Co., testing iron	51 25	
11796.	Joseph W. Duryee, spruce and yellow pine.....	1,285 19	
			\$18,796 97
Gen. ral Repairs Account.			
11797.	Bell Brothers, spruce.....	\$630 08	
11798.	Atlantic Dredging Co., dredging	221 00	
11799.	Isaac Hall's Sons, chains	47 20	
			898 28
			\$19,695 25

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN A. POST, President, } Auditing
J. SERGEANT CRAM, } Committee.

The action of the President in transmitting the same, with requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment, approved.

The Board then proceeded to open the estimates for preparing for and repairing the bulkhead platform from Sixtieth to Sixty-second street, East river, advertised to be opened this day, at 12 o'clock M., a representative of the Comptroller being present. Six estimates were received, as follows :

No.	FROM	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
		For Repairing Bulkhead Platform, from 62d to 62d street, East River.	Rip-rap Stone, Per Cubic Yard.	For Repairing Bulkhead, from 61st to 62d street, East River.	
1	John S. Gillies, with security deposit, \$175.	\$4,494 00	\$0 60	\$8,694 00	\$13,368 00
2	John W. Flaherty, with security deposit, \$175.	4,025 00	55	9,253 00	13,443 00
3	Thomas E. Booth, with security deposit, \$175.	3,790 00	60	8,731 00	12,701 00
4	Fearon & Jenks, with security deposit, \$175.	4,800 00	90	9,785 00	14,765 00
5	William P. Kelly, with security deposit, \$175.	5,680 00	80	13,000 00	18,920 00
6	John D. Walsh, with security deposit, \$175.	4,242 00	60	9,345 00	13,737 00

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits made by said bidders and accompanying their estimates; whereupon the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this day for preparing for and repairing the bulkhead platform from Sixtieth to Sixty-second street, East river, be and hereby is awarded to Thomas E. Booth, he being the lowest bidder, upon the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller.

The President reported that he had received for the Treasurer the following estimates for furnishing the Department with coal, Lidgerwood Engine etc., for Pile-driver No. 5, wrought and cast-iron bolts, and cobble and rip-rap.

	ABOUT 150 GROSS TONS EGG COAL ON TUG OR SCOW.	ABOUT 35 TONS NUT, STOVE OR EGG COAL, DELIVERED AT WORKS.	ABOUT 5 TONS CUMBERLAND COAL, DELIVERED AT YARDS.
Meeker & Co.	\$3 65 per ton.	\$4 35 per ton.	\$4 35 per ton.
William Howe & Co.	3 65 "	4 75 "	4 50 "
David Duncan & Son.	3 67½ "	4 90 "	4 40 "
Popham & Co.	3 70 "	4 95 "	4 50 "

One Double-cylinder and Double-friction Drum Engine of the "Lidgerwood Style," and a Pile-sawing Device for Adjustable Pile-driver No. 5, as per Specifications.

H. A. Rogers.	\$2,137 00
Lidgerwood Manufacturing Co.	2,150 00

Wrought Iron, Cast Iron Bolts.

Henry B. Newhall Co.	\$1,200 00
H. A. Rogers.	1,505 00

FROM	ABOUT 3,000 CUBIC YARDS OF RIP-RAP.	ABOUT 1,000 CUBIC YARDS OF COBBLE.
Brown & Fleming.	52 cents per cubic yard.	89 cents per cubic yard.
John A. Bouker.	55 "	90 "

The action of the Treasurer in awarding the order for coal to Meeker & Co., for engine, etc., to H. A. Rogers, for wrought and cast iron bolts to Henry B. Newhall Co., and for cobble and rip-rap to Brown & Fleming, approved.

Commissioner Cram reported that he had received for the Treasurer the following estimates for furnishing manila rope, supplies, etc.

Alexander Pollock.	\$705 07
H. A. Rogers.	727 68

The action of Commissioner Cram in awarding the order to Alexander Pollock approved.

The following requisitions were passed:

Register No.	For What.	Estimated Cost.
8928.	Wrought and cast iron bolts.	\$1,515 00
8929.	Manila rope, etc.	799 99
8930.	Spruce plank, etc.	66 00
8931.	Treenails and wedges.	53 60
8932.	About 300 piles.	3,900 00
8933.	Cobble and rip-rap.	3,200 00
8934.	About 118 pieces of oak.	660 80
8935.	Rubber hose.	35 00
8936.	Duplicating apparatus.	27 75
8937.	Dredging.	160 00
8938.	Iron.	50 00
8939.	Kerosene oil.	7 50

On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

The Board then convened in executive session.

Commissioner Matthews moved that the resolution respecting the salary of the Secretary be taken from the table, and offered as an amendment the following resolution, which was adopted by the affirmative votes of Commissioners Matthews and Cram; the President voting in the negative:

Resolved, That the salary of Augustus T. Docharty, Secretary, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of four hundred dollars (\$400) per month, to take effect June 1, 1891.

Commissioner Cram offered the following resolutions, which were adopted by the affirmative votes of Commissioners Matthews and Cram, the President voting in the negative:

Resolved, That the salary of John H. Corley, Superintendent of Machinery, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of one hundred and sixty-five (165) dollars per month, to take effect June 1, 1891, subject to Civil Service Rules.

Resolved, That the salary of Hiram C. Calkins and George E. Rodgers, Hydrographers, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars per month, to take effect June 1, 1891, subject to Civil Service Rules.

Resolved, That the salary of James W. Dikeman, Jr., Chairman, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of eighteen (18) dollars per week, to take effect May 30, 1891, subject to Civil Service Rules.

Resolved, That the salary of Robert Kyles, Engineer on Pile Driver, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of forty-five cents per hour, to take effect May 30, 1891, subject to Civil Service Rules.

Resolved, That the salary of Robert Heaton, Laborer, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of fifteen dollars per week, to take effect May 30, 1891.

The following communications were received, read and, On motion, ordered to be placed on file:

From the Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting the suspension of Laborers Acting Watchmen James Devlin and John Devine, and recommending that they be discharged.

On motion, said James Devlin and John Devine were discharged.

2d. Reporting that he had directed that Laborer Acting Watchman Patrick Callaghan be not again assigned to duty as Acting Watchman, and recommending that his action be approved. Referred to Commissioner Cram, with power.

3d. Submitting list of Dock Builders and Laborers whose names have not been on the pay-rolls of the Department for sixty days, and recommending that they be discharged.

On motion, the following were discharged:

Dock Builders.

William J. Devine.	Thomas Gilluley.	Patrick Ward.
Davis H. Dunn.	Timothy Madden.	

Laborers.

James Briody.	Charles Fullbrook.	John Miller, Jr.
Francis Briody.	William Hutchinson.	John Mullin.
Joseph Crotty.	Francis S. Hickey.	Percy E. Naylor.
Nicholas A. Curtin.	Patrick Jordan.	Michael O'Connor.
John P. Dempsey.	Otto Junkerman.	Michael Ryan.
Michael Dunn.	Thomas Julian.	Louis Rosenberg.
John H. Dawson.	Frank Kelleher.	John Tuomey.
Francis Farney.	William Lattimer.	

Commissioner Cram offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to authority vested in them by section 143, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, sometimes called the "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," be and hereby are respectfully requested to direct the Comptroller of the City of New York to prepare and issue Dock Bonds of the City of New York for the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks.

The following persons were appointed:

Stone Cutter.

Thomas Leary.

Laborers.

Thomas Cox.	Michael O'Keefe.	James Misk.
T. J. Dwyer.	George F. Masterson.	Thomas McGowan.
David McCausland.		

Dock Builders.

Joseph Burns. James McConnell.

Discharged.

Patrick Cronin, Dock Builder.
On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks of the City of New York, held at the office of the Board, Pier "A," Battery place, Monday, June 1, 1891, at 12 o'clock M.

Present—President Post.
Commissioner Cram.

Mr. James J. Phelan, appointed as Commissioner of Docks on the 29th ultimo, for the term of six years from May 1, 1891, to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of James Matthews, presented his certificate of appointment and took his seat as a member of the Board.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to enter a copy of his appointment in full on the minutes, as follows:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 29, 1891.

Know all men by these presents, that, by virtue of the power in me vested, I do hereby appoint James J. Phelan to be a Commissioner of the Department of Docks, to succeed James Matthews, whose term of office has expired.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

[SEAL.]

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

The Board then proceeded to the election of a Treasurer. Commissioner Phelan, having received all the votes cast, he was unanimously elected Treasurer of the Board for the year ending April 30, 1892.

The President appointed Commissioners Cram and Phelan as the Auditing Committee.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

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 June 6, 1891.

Barometer.

DATE.	MAY AND JUNE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	31	29.866	29.844	29.850	29.853	29.882	9 A.M.	29.818	3 A.M.
Monday,	1	29.840	29.782	29.788	29.803	29.840	7 A.M.	29.760	5 P.M.
Tuesday,	2	29.836	29.800	29.846	29.827	29.900	12 P.M.	29.782	2 A.M.
Wednesday,	3	29.905	29.898	29.834	29.879	29.930	12 M.	29.800	12 P.M.
Thursday,	4	29.900	29.934	30.048	29.961	30.068	12 P.M.	29.770	1 A.M.
Friday,	5	30.116	30.090	30.100	30.102	30.116	7 A.M.	30.052	2 A.M.
Saturday,	6	30.112	30.100	30.096	30.103	30.132	11 A.M.	30.074	12 P.M.

Mean for the week.	29.932 inches.
Maximum " at 11 A.M., June 6th.	30.132 "
Minimum " at 5 P.M., June 1st.	29.760 "
Range " .....	.372 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	MAY AND JUNE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.
Sunday,	31	62	59	76	69	68.6	64.3	81	4 P.M.	72
Monday,	1	61	59	78	70	69.6	65.0	79	4 P.M.	70
Tuesday,	2	68	63	86	76	74	76.0	70.0	88	4 P.M.
Wednesday,	3	71	68	82	75	77	76.6	71.6	87	4 P.M.
Thursday,	4	62	58	65	59	59	62.0	57.6	74	0 A.M.
Friday,	5	57	52	66	54	62	61.6	54.0	71	5 P.M.
Saturday,	6	57	53	64	55	62	61.0	54.6	66	1 P.M.

Mean for the week.	67.9 degrees.	Wet Bulb.	62.4 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 4 P.M., 2d.	88.	at 5 P.M., 2d.	77.
Minimum " at 5 A.M., 5th.	55.	at 8 A.M., 5th.	51.
Range "	33.	.....	26.

Wind.

DATE.	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.
MAY AND JUNE.												
Sunday, 31....	NNW	ENE	SSE	24	18	33	75	0	0	0	¾	6.40 P.M.
Monday, 1....	WNW	SSE	SE	11	31	42	84	0	¼	0	1	2.50 P.M.
Tuesday, 2....	WSW	SSE	NE	49	49	30	128	¼	0	0	5	3 P.M.
Wednesday, 3....	WSW	ENE	S	19	31	33	83	0	0	0	1	4.40 P.M.
Thursday, 4 ...	N	NNE	NNE	56	77	61	194	1	¼	¼	2½	11.50 A.M.
Friday, 5....	NNE	NNE	SW	27	24	32	83	0	¼	¼	1¼	10.30 P.M.
Saturday, 6 ...	NNE	ENE	S	25	28	25	78	0	¼	0	1	1.30 P.M.

Distance traveled during the week 725 miles.
Maximum force 5 pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.								Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR, o. 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.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	o. 10.
Sunday, 31	.460	.614	.577	.550	83	68	84	78	4 Cir.	2 Cir.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Monday, 1	.473	.625	.586	.561	88	65	80	78	10	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Tuesday, 2	.509	.762	.718	.663	74	61	85	73	1 Cir.	8 Cir Cu	7 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Wedn'day, 3	.644	.773	.718	.712	85	71	77	78	10	0	10	0.15 A.M.	3 A.M.	2.45	.12	....	4
Thursday, 4	.429	.420	.409	.419	77	68	82	76	2 Cir.	7 Cu.	10	7.30 P.M.	9 P.M.	1.30	.02	....	4
Friday, 5	.322	.259	.369	.317	69	40	66	53	0	4 Cir.Cu	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Saturday, 6	.350	.314	.369	.344	75	52	66	64	10	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Total amount of water for the week.....																	.14 inch.
Duration for the week.....																	4 hours 15 minutes.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.
Sunday, June 31	Mild, hazy.	Warm, hazy.
Monday, May 1	Close, fog.	Warm, pleasant.
Tuesday, " 2	Warm, close.	Warm, close.
Wednesday, " 3	Close, overcast.	Hot, close.
Thursday, " 4	Cool, pleasant.	Mild, cloudy.
Friday, " 5	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.
Saturday, " 6	Cool, cloudy.	Cool, overcast.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., JUNE 6, 1891.

Estimated Population, 1,677,448.

Death-rate, 24.01.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

	WEEK ENDING—											
	Mar. 7.	Mar. 14.	Mar. 21.	Mar. 28.	Apr. 4.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.	May 16.	May 23.
Diphtheria.....	105	94	92	82	101	82	108	82	67	95	90	71
Measles.....	421	425	405	354	386	342	327	396	390	325	392	346
Scarlet Fever.....	158	155	159	177	225	228	200	181	184	199	241	229
Small-pox.....	...	1	1	...	...	2	1	2	...	...	1	...
Typhoid Fever...	12	9	14	11	8	9	7	14	5	10	18	15
Typhus Fever...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...
Total.....	696	684	671	624	721	663	644	675	648	630	741	657

Marriages reported.....	281	Burial permits issued.....	772
Births.....	829	Transit permits issued.....	17
Deaths.....	772	Searches made.....	241
Still-births.....	58	Transcripts issued.....	186

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	WEEK ENDING—											
	Mar. 7.	Mar. 14.	Mar. 21.	Mar. 28.	Apr. 4.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.	May 16.	May 23.
Diphtheria.....	20	23	39.6	14	6	...	3	6	9	18	2	...
Croup.....	9	7	14.2	7	2	...	...	1	7	8	1	...
Malarial Fevers.....	...	7	7.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Measles.....	15	37	20.5	8	7	...	5	9	1	15	...	...
Scarlet Fever.....	33	13	27.1	15	18	...	2	6	21	29	4	...
Small-pox.....	...	...	3.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid Fever.....	7	3	3.8	3	4	...	2	...	...	1	...	...
Typhus Fever.....	...	...	.9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough.....	7	13	8.2	5	2	...	3	1	3	7	...	...

* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.

† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.

‡ Police census, October, 1890, 1,710,715.

	Total.	† Total last year.	* Average 10 years.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	23	36	28.0	9	14	3	17	...	1	21	1	...	...	...	1
Phthisis.....	99	104	110.2	51	48	...	4	1	1	6	6	15	53	11	8
Other Tuberculous Diseases..	17	24	...	12	5	...	6	4	1	11	2	2	2	...	...
Diseases of Nervous System..	71	85	78.4	34	37	8	6	7	5	26	2	1	11	22	9
Heart Diseases.....	48	51	42.6	20	28	...	1	1	1	3	1	5	10	19	10
Bronchitis.....	23	41	33.2	15	13	3	11	4	1	19	1	...	3	1	4
Pneumonia.....	98	75	74.3	54	44	1	20	17	10	48	3	11	17	15	4
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	12	24	...	8	4	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	4	5	1
Diseases of Digestive System.	44	57	...	22	22	4	11	7	1	23	3	1	6	7	4
Diseases of Urinary System..	56	55	...	32	24	...	1	1	2	4	4	3	19	13	13
Congenital Debility.....	39	44	...	25	14	26	12	1	...	39	...	...	...	...	...
Old Age.....	10	13	...	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9
Suicide.....	10	8	5.3	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...
Other violent deaths.....	34	35	30.8	25	9	1	2	...	1	4	1	3	11	12	3
All other causes.....	92	66	...	36	56	1	8	3	3	15	1	16	28	20	12

* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.

† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.

‡ Including premature births, atrophy, inanition, marasmus, atelectasis, cyanosis and preterm births.

Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Table.

Zymotic.	Circulatory.	Genito-urinary.
Erysipelas, 4; Syphilis, 1; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 3; Influenza, 22; Septic Cellulitis from Vaccination, 1; Puerperal Fever, 7.	Embolism, 1; Phlebitis, 1.	Bright's Disease, 41; Nephritis, 10; Diseases of Bladder and Prostate Gland, 3; Calculus, 2; Diseases of Uterus and Vagina, 1; Ovarian Disease, 3.
Dietetic.	Respiratory.	Locomotor.
Alcoholism, 9.	Laryngitis, 1; Pleurisy, 3; Chronic Bronchitis, 8.	Spinal Disease, 1.
Constitutional.	Digestive.	Integumentary.
Cancer, 19; Tubercular Meningitis, 14; Tuberculosis, etc., 3; Anæmia, 2; Rheumatism, 5; Diabetes, 2; Dropsy, 2.	Gastro-Enteritis, 14; Gastritis, 3; Enteritis, 2; Cirrhosis, 6; Hepatitis, 4; Peritonitis, 2; Typhilitis, 1; Hernia, 2; Jaundice, 2; Gall Stones, 1; Ulcer of Stomach, 2; Dentition, 2; Ulcer of Intestines, 1; Indigestion, 1; Retro-pharyngeal Abscess, 1.	Abscesses, 1.
Nervous.	Other Causes.	Accident.
Convulsions, 8; Meningitis, etc., 20; Apoplexy, 18; Paralysis, etc., 6; Insanity, 3; Tetanus, etc., 3; Laryngismus Stridulus, 1; Epilepsy, 2; Myelitis, etc., 3; Congestion of Brain, 2; Locomotor Ataxy, 2; Sclerosis of Brain, 1; Cerebral Effusion, 1; Cerebral Mollities, 1.	Outis, 4; Puerperal Convulsions, 1; Placenta Prævia, 1; Extra Uterine Pregnancy, 1.	Poison, 1; fractures and contusions, 11; burns and scalds, 4; drowning, 7; suffocation, 4; wounds, 3; surgical operations, 1; effects of immersion, 1.
	Homicide, 2.	

Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology, and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 weeks.

WEEK ENDING.	Mar. 14.	Mar. 21.	Mar. 28.	Apr. 4.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.	May 16.	May 23.	May 30.	June 6.
Total deaths.....	813	840	895	1,100	1,216	1,347	1,208	961	910	873	777	799	772
Annual death-rate.....	25.46	26.29	28.00	34.39	38.00	42.07	37.70	29.98	28.37	27.20	24.20	24.87	24.01
Diphtheria.....	31	29	16	31	30	38	28	12	24	21	8	29	20
Croup.....	23	14	13	13	14	12	8	11	11	4	10	14	9
Malarial Fevers.....	5	3	3	3	3	2	...	4	2	1	4	4	...
Measles.....	15	16	12	22	18	23	20	14	21	21	19	15	15
Scarlet Fever.....	25	21	28	25	35	37	49	37	23	34	29	53	33
Small-pox.....	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid Fever.....	6	1	3	8	2	2	4	3	4	5	4	6	7
Typhus Fever.....	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough.....	5	13	11	13	20	11	8	3	9	11	10	5	7
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	11	21	7	19	28	20	7	17	16	20	20	18	23
Diarrhoeal Diseases under 5 years.....	9	17	5	10	20	16	5	14	14	19	17	16	21
Phthisis.....	119	102	124	137	128	127	106	114	99	112	108	103	99
Bronchitis.....	44	45	47	60	83	94	85	52	33	43	47	40	28
Pneumonia.....	99	136	179	225	289	296	272	176	168	139	112	105	98
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	23	20	23	36	37	37	30	24	25	26	17	20	12
Violent Deaths.....	29	30	22	31	19	41	45	47	59	27	34	31	44
Under one year.....	166	185	162	219	227	281	263	202	178	203	148	155	161
Under five years.....	324	327	300	375	400	484	455	353	314	334	290	324	299
Five to sixty-five.....	388	442	495	571	623	625	559	474	484	427	393	389	395
Sixty-five years and over	101	71	100	154	193	237	194	134	112	117	94	86	78
In Public Institutions...	191	187	195	257	240	272	273	212	235	216	175	181	197
Inquest Cases.....	92	90	79	106	92	120	117	100	128	87	92	89	91
Mean barometer.....	29.933	30.002	29.915	29.772	30.061	29.992	29.789	29.787	29.891	29.870	30.058	29.956	29.932
Mean humidity.....	59	61	61	66	66	77	71	60	74	81	64	71	72
Inches of rain.....	1.89	.70	.43	.93	.69	.34	.49	...	.56	.77	.16	.96	.14
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....	38.3	34.6	42.0	40.7	38.9	55.5	57.3	57.1	50.2	58.5	60.8	61.8	67.9
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	51°	48°	58°	57°	50°	76°	80°	78°	82°	81°	82°	75°	88°
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	23°	19°	27°	31°	29°	44°	39°	36°	31°	44°	42°	48°	55°

Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Total number of dead animals removed from streets	498
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Executive Action.

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances	508
“ attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders	412
“ civil actions begun	45
“ arrests made	8
“ judgments obtained in civil courts	9
“ “ criminal courts	2
“ permits issued	123
“ persons removed from overcrowded apartments	20

Map of the City of New York, Showing Ward Lines.

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The 772 deaths represent a death-rate of 24.01, against 24.87 for the previous week and 26.52 for the corresponding week of 1890.

Diphtheria and measles show an increase and scarlet fever a decrease, the number of cases reported being respectively 100, 370 and 204, against 95, 329 and 220 for the previous week. Diphtheria increased between Twenty-sixth and Eighty-sixth streets, West, and above Canal street, on the east side, excepting between Grand and Fourteenth streets, east of Avenue B, Clinton and Norfolk streets, decreasing or remaining stationary elsewhere. The increase of measles was mostly confined south of Fourteenth street, on both sides of the City, and to the upper part of the annexed district, the disease showing a marked decrease elsewhere. Scarlet fever decreased slightly all over the City, excepting below Fourteenth street, where there was a slight increase, excepting east of Avenue B, Clinton and Norfolk streets.

By order of the Board.
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1891.

The Hons. Hugh J. Grant, Mayor; William H. Clark, Counsel to the Corporation, and Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works, the officers designated by section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, met this day.

The minutes of the meetings of May 19 and 21 were read and approved.

The Supervisor of the City Record presented the following report :

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1891.

To the Honorables the Mayor, Counsel to the Corporation and Commissioner of Public Works :

GENTLEMEN—The requisitions from the Commissioner of Street Improvements, the Fire Department and the Finance Department are for contracts, warrants, etc., which are always allowed by you as a matter of course.

The District Attorney made several requisitions during the month which I returned to him because he gave no reasons for them. He has sent the following letter addressed to your Board :

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, }
May 21, 1891. }

To the Honorable the Board of City Record:

GENTLEMEN—During the present month I caused to be transmitted to the Supervisor requisitions for,

I. Undertakings on appeal to the General Term of the Supreme Court.

II. Summonses.

III. Vouchers for bills rendered to this office.

IV. Large size manila envelopes.

Inspection of Foods, Chemical Analyses, etc.

Total number of inspections of milk.....	1,161
“ specimens examined.....	2,506
“ quarts of milk destroyed.....	120
“ inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods.....	1,280
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	15,335
“ inspections of meat and fish.....	1,318
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	45,515
“ analyses of milk and other foods.....	19
“ experimental analyses.....	.....

Analysis of Croton Water, June 5, 1891.

Result Expressed in Parts per 100,000.

Result Expressed in Parts per 100,000.		
Appearance.....		Slightly turbid.
Color.....		Light yellowish brown.
Odor (at 100° Fahr.).....		Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....		0.189
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....		0.311
Phosphates.....		None.
Nitrites.....		None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites (method of Gladstone and Tribe).....		0.0165
Free Ammonia.....		Trace.
Albuminoid Ammonia.....		0.0100
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime	{ Before boiling.....	5.47
	{ After boiling.....	5.47
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....		1.90
Mineral matter (non-volatile)—Lost Carbonic Acid not restored.....		7.60
Total solids (by evaporation at 230° Fahr.).....		9.50
Temperature at hydrant, 64° Fahr.		

I am informed by the Supervisor that your Board desires to be informed of the necessity thereof. I. The forms of undertaking on appeal which have been heretofore used in this office and for which requisition was made for the present year prior to my accession to office, are not in the form required by existing laws. They were drafted and have been used prior to the adoption of the Code of Criminal Procedure, which contains mandatory requirements respecting such bonds and to which requirements the bond heretofore used does not conform.

II. Part of the duties charged upon the District Attorney are the recovery of penalties for the violations of certain laws, and which are only recoverable in actions specially instituted therefor. Such actions are based upon a summons and complaint, and the form for which copies are asked are generally applicable to such actions, of which some are now pending and a number are contemplated.

III. Over seventy five separate vouchers have thus far been certified this year by me in every instance requiring the special insertion of the matter appearing on the form attached to my requisition and not originally printed thereon. This form is necessary for the proper despatch of the business of my office and substantially the same as that furnished to the Corporation Counsel's Office and other city departments.

IV. In a large number of the cases pending in this office the papers accumulate, and as they are frequently handled time is lost by tying them together and much inconvenience is caused by failure to enclose them in one packet. This is obviated by a good-sized and strong envelope to contain the papers, such as is used in all well-regulated offices.

I accordingly return my requisitions and request your early attention thereto.

Respectfully yours,
DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

In addition to the requisitions covered by the above-quoted communication, I have to-day received from the District Attorney four requisitions for printed copies of briefs and points on appeal, which I think should be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,
W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor City Record.

The requisitions laid before the Board were then acted on as the side-notes below indicate, the Supervisor being authorized, by a concurrent vote of the three officers, to procure by direct orders the goods on the requisitions allowed:

No.	DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
<i>By Commissioner of Street Improvements.</i>			
May 19, 1891		50 copies contract for sewer in Walnut avenue.....	Allowed.
		50 copies estimates for above.....	"
		24 document envelopes, 9 1/2 x 4 x 5.....	"
" 20, "		50 copies contract for regulating, etc., Hampden street.....	"
		50 copies estimates for above.....	"
" 20, "		250 Inspectors' certificates (gas pipes).....	"
<i>By District Attorney.</i>			
" 5, "		250 copies summons and complaint, under chapter 534, Laws 1879 (Game Law).....	"
		250 copies general expenses vouchers.....	Laid over.
Apr. 28, "		1,000 manila envelopes, ruled and printed.....	"
" 29, "		250 copies undertakings on appeal to Supreme Court.....	Allowed.
May 25, "		30 copies brief and points, In re The People vs. Pincus Black.....	"
		30 copies brief and points, In re The People vs. McGuinness.....	"
		30 copies brief and points, In re The People vs. Barker.....	"
		30 copies brief and points, In re The People vs. John Most.....	"
<i>By Fire Department.</i>			
" 22, "		25 copies contract for repairs to fire-boat "Zophar Mills".....	"
		35 copies brief, In re The People ex rel. Finnegan vs. Purroy et al.....	"
<i>By Department of Taxes.</i>			
" 20, "		Authority to advertise opening of assessment-rolls for fifteen days.....	"
<i>By Finance Department.</i>			
" 19, "		2,825 "A" warrants.....	"
		1,075 "B" warrants.....	"
		100 "C" warrants.....	"

On motion of the Mayor, the Department of Taxes was authorized to advertise, for fifteen days from July 6, 1891, in "The Sun" and "Daily News," that the assessment rolls were filed for inspection in the office of the Clerk to the Board of Aldermen.

Bills were approved, as follows: Rowland A. Robbins, \$317.40; M. F. Conway, \$21.45; M. B. Brown, \$2,839.86. Pay-rolls were also approved (for the month of May): Regular salary list, \$741.65; Louis F. Gaffney (Expressman), \$116.66; John F. Morris, John McMahon, Joseph Fehr and Henry J. Goggins (Bookbinders), each \$100; (for the week ending May 24) Robert McManus, Richard Donaldson and William H. Levett (Bookbinders), each \$21, and Washington H. Hettler (Storekeeper, etc.), \$24.

The meeting was then adjourned.

W. J. K. KENNY, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. WM. McM. SPEER, 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.
MICHAEL T. DALY, CHARLES G. F. WAHLE.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
Address EDWARD P. BARKER, 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.
MICHAEL C. PADDEN, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, 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.

Office of 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 T. CUMMINGS, Superintendent.

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KRESE, City Hall.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
No. 2656 Third Avenue.

LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER, Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN EYCK, Secretary.

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; D. LOWBER SMITH, Assistant 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.
OSBORNE MACDANIEL, Collector of Assessments and 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. 37 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

THOMAS C. T. CHAIN, City Chamberlain.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

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.
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. Plans and Specifications, 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.

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Washington Building, No. 1 Broadway.

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.
ALBERT GALLUP, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

The Mayor, Chairman; E. P. BARKER, Secretary,
CHARLES V. ADER, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

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.
JOHN J. GORMAN, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD F. MARTIN, 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.
LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, 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.
DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. MCKENNA, 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.

No. 124 Second Avenue, 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.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.
Terms open, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till P. M.

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.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Equity Term, Room No. 30.

Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 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.
JOSEPH F. DALY, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

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. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
SIMON M. EHRLICH, Chief Justice; JAMES P. KEATING, Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING THE
Headhouse and Engine Room Superstructure, etc., at Shaft No. 25, on Section 12 of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 1 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, June 17, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Also bids or proposals for finishing Shaft No. 21, on Section B of the New Aqueduct, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Academy of Music, corner of Fourteenth street and Irving place, on Thursday, June 18, 1891, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of conferring degrees upon graduates of the College.

JOHN L. N. HUNT,
Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN,
Secretary.

Dated New York, June 11, 1891.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1891.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions on the dates mentioned:

June 16. MEDICAL SANITARY INSPECTOR, Summer Corps.
Application blanks and other information may be obtained at the office of the Secretary in the Cooper Union.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A
sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Monday, June 20, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE OLD RESERVOIR IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 2. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN SEVENTY-SECOND, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIFTH, BRISTOL AND BUCKHOLD STREETS, IN BROOK, AMSTERDAM, RIVERDALE, HONEYWELL, RAILROAD AND TWELFTH AVENUES, AND IN NORTH RIVER BULKHEAD.

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 his faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A
sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Monday, June 15, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINTH STREET, between Fifth avenue and University place; TWENTY-SECOND STREET, between Lexington and Third avenues; THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Fifth and Madison avenues, and FIFTY-SECOND STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTERS,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, May 11, 1891.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
annual Water Rates for 1891 are now due and payable at this office.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 3343, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to Harlem river.

List 3410, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth to Bradhurst avenue.

List 3468, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Willis and Brook avenues.

List 3470, No. 4. Curbing and flagging east side of Boston avenue, from the north side of Jefferson street to the south side of Bristol street, and laying crosswalks at the intersection of Prospect avenue and Boston road.

List 3474, No. 5. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Third to Willis avenue, with trap blocks.

List 3476, No. 6. Paving East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue to the crosswalk at the westerly side of Robbins avenue, with granite blocks.

List 3478, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from the easterly curb-line of Vanderbilt avenue, East to the westerly side of Third avenue.

List 3479, No. 8. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Rider avenue to Morris avenue.

List 4490, No. 9. Paving Eighty-eighth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, with granite blocks.

List 3500, No. 10. Paving Eighty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with asphalt.

List 3501, No. 11. Paving First avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3509, No. 12. Paving Sylvan place, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, with granite blocks.

List 3510, No. 13. Paving Eighty-ninth street, from Western Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3550, No. 14. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to the Boulevard (excepting block between Tenth avenue and Boulevard).

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 Forty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth to Bradhurst avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Brook to Third avenue; both sides of Bergen and Willis avenues, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-sixth to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.

No. 4. East side of Boston avenue, from a point opposite Jefferson street to the south side of Pristow street, and both sides of Prospect avenue, extending from Boston avenue to one-half the distance to Jennings street.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Third to Willis avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Third to Robbins avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Third to Vanderbilt avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Rider to Morris avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of First avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 12. Both sides of Sylvan place, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 13. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 14. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue, 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 objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation, on the 13th day of July, 1891.

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, June 11, 1891.

IN THE MATTER OF REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., EIGHTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FIFTY-NINTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET.

The People ex rel. Frederick Heiser, executor of Christina E. Smith, vs. Edward Gilon and others, composing the Board of Assessors, and Edward V. Low, as Comptroller of the City and County of New York.

PURSUANT TO A DECISION OF THE COURT
of Appeals, State of New York, rendered June 17, 1890, and an order issued by a Special Term of the Supreme Court, which was held in and for the County of New York, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of July, 1890, in the above entitled matter, the Board of Assessors will, on the 18th day of June, 1891, at 11 A. M., proceed to receive such proofs and hear such arguments as may be presented by Frederick Heiser, executor, on behalf of a claim for damages to certain real estate fronting on Eighth avenue, and affected by a change of the grade of said avenue between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

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, June 9, 1891.

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

List 3411, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Ninth street, from Ninth avenue to Riverside Drive.

List 3444, No. 2. Re-regulating, regrading, curbing and flagging Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

List 3445, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

List 3472, No. 4. Regulating and paving Rider avenue, from the north curb-line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the south house-line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, with trap blocks.

List 3480, No. 5. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging Sedgewick avenue, from the northerly curb-line of Montgomery avenue to the southerly house-line of Van Cortlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

List 3486, No. 6. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river.

List 3497, No. 7. Paving One Hundred and First street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3502, No. 8. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks.

List 3510, No. 9. Paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3541, No. 10. Paving One Hundred and Fourth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3442, No. 11. Paving Eighty-fourth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3449, No. 12. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to a point distant about 425 feet west of the Boulevard.

List 3568, No. 13. Alteration and improvement to sewers in Fourth (Park) avenue, west side, between

Seventy-first and Seventy-third streets, and in Seventy-second street, between Park and Madison avenues.

List 356, No. 14. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Harlem river.

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 Ninth avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Rider avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Sedgwick avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Van Cortlandt avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues, including both sides of Giles street, from its intersection with Montgomery avenue to its intersection with Sedgwick avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to a point distant about 425 feet westerly from the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. Blocks bounded by Seventieth and Seventy-second streets, Park and Fifth avenues, including both sides of Seventy-second street, between Park and Fifth avenues, and both sides of Madison avenue, from Sixty-ninth to Seventieth street, and west side of Park avenue, from Sixty-ninth to Seventieth street.

No. 14. Both sides of Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 6th day of July, 1891.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1891.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
June 10, 1891.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS will sell at public auction, by George P. Morgan, Auctioneer, on Tuesday, June 30, 1891, at the Sheepfold, Sixty-sixth street and Central Park, West.

36 Ram Lambs of the Central Park flock of sheep.
One lot of Sheep Fleeces.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.

Purchases to be removed immediately after the sale.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

300,000 pounds of Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.

40,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.

2,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

300 bags clean, sound Yellow Corn, 112 pounds to the bag.

350 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, June 24, 1891.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall present the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Forage," with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, at the said office, on or before the day and

hour above named, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

All of the articles are to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be directed, at the following places:

Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal).
Sixty-fourth street and Eighth avenue (Sheepfold).
Eighty-fifth street, Transverse road (Stables).

One Hundred and Fifty street and Fifth avenue (Stables).

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for his faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 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 National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid 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 amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$2,000.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contract, when awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute, and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

ALBERT GALLUP,
NATHAN STRAUS,
PAUL DANA,
ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
JUNE 10, 1891.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at public auction, by George P. Morgan, Auctioneer, on Wednesday, June 17, 1891, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, in the Central Park (Fifth avenue and Eighty-second street), an inclosed Elevator and Engine, standing on the north side of the Museum building—platform 8 feet square, 30 feet high, wooden frame, inclosed with galvanized iron, Copeland & Paeon engine, tested to lift 2,000 pounds.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.

Elevator to be removed immediately after the sale.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING and Repaving with Rock Asphalt the Walks within the City Parks, other than Central Park, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, June 24, 1891.

The nature and extent of the work based upon the Engineer's estimate is as follows:

10,800 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt with concrete base.

37,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt without concrete base.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be FORTY DAYS, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at FOUR DOLLARS per day.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to, No

extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before enumerated 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.

The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for his faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 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 National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within ten 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.

N. B.—The price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid 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 amount in which security will be required for the performance of the work is Four Thousand Dollars.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contract, when awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposal and forms of contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

ALBERT GALLUP,
NATHAN STRAUS,
PAUL DANA,
ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

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, 1891.

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, editors, editorial writers or reporters of daily newspapers, licensed pharmacists or pharmacists, 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.

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.

BERNARD F. MARTIN,
Commissioner of Jurors.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the interest of the public so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by closing a certain avenue known as Cliff avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, distant five hundred and forty (540) feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said Eighth avenue, and five hundred and forty (540) feet westerly therefrom, distance one thousand and five feet and five-eighths of an inch; thence westerly in a curved line, radius one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet, distance sixty-two feet and eleven and seven-eighths inches; thence southerly and parallel with and distant six hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distance nine hundred and eighty-eight feet and two inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street; thence easterly sixty feet along said line to the point and place of beginning.

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 9, 1891.
V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the interest of the public so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York so as to lay out a certain new avenue to be known as St. Nicholas Terrace and extending One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Convent and St. Nicholas avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, which said avenue and street are more particularly bounded and described as follows:

ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Academy place and distant three hundred and seventeen and six-sevenths one-hundredths (317.875) feet southerly from the intersection of said easterly line of Academy place with the south line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, measuring along said easterly line of Academy place; thence in a northeasterly direction curving to the right, radius one hundred and sixty-one (161) feet, distance one hundred and forty-one and sixteen one-hundredths (141.16) feet; thence in a northeasterly direction in a reverse curve to the left, radius two hundred and eighty and forty-six one-hundredths (280.46) feet, distance one hundred and seventy-one and eighty-nine one-hundredths (171.89) feet; thence northerly and tangential to the last described curve, being parallel with Eighth avenue and distant five hundred and fifty-five (555) feet westerly therefrom, distance six hundred and thirty-nine and fifty one-hundredths (639.5) feet; thence curving to the left in a northwesterly direction, radius two hundred and eighty-two and eighty-eight one-hundredths (282.88) feet, distance three hundred and fifty-two and eighty one-hundredths (352.8) feet; thence still in a northwesterly direction and in a reverse curve to the right, radius one hundred and one and four one-hundredths (101.4) feet, distance fifty-four and ninety-four one-hundredths (54.94) feet; thence in a northerly direction still curving to the right, radius six hundred and twenty (620) feet, distance four hundred and thirty-six and nine one-hundredths (436.9) feet to the south line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, if extended easterly, and distant seven hundred and sixty (760) feet easterly from the east line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and tangential to the last-described curve, distance sixty (60) feet; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius seven hundred and ten (710) feet, distance three hundred and fifty-eight and thirty-five one-hundredths (358.35) feet; thence still in northeasterly direction and in a reverse curve to the left, radius three hundred and sixty-four and sixty-three one-hundredths (364.63) feet, distance one hundred and eighty-four and four one-hundredths (184.4) feet; thence northerly and tangential to the last described curve, being parallel with Convent avenue, and distant four hundred and sixty-eight (468) feet easterly therefrom, distance four hundred and nine and eighty-three one-hundredths (409.83) feet; thence in a northwesterly direction, curving to the left, radius two hundred and ten (210) feet, distance one hundred and sixty-four and ninety-four one-hundredths (164.94) feet; thence northwesterly and tangential to the last-described curve, distance two hundred and forty-six and sixty-five one-hundredths (246.65) feet; thence northwesterly and curving to the left, radius one hundred and sixty (160) feet, distance one hundred and twenty-five and sixty-six one-hundredths (125.66) feet, until the same intersects the north line of One Hundred and Fortieth street, if extended easterly; thence westerly along the north line of One Hundred and Fortieth street, if extended easterly as aforesaid, distance one hundred and eighteen and ninety-five one-hundredths (118.95) feet to the easterly line of Convent avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Convent avenue, distance sixty (60) feet to the south line of One Hundred and Fortieth street, if extended easterly; thence easterly along the south line of One Hundred and Fortieth street, if extended easterly as aforesaid, distance one hundred and eighteen and ninety-five one-hundredths (118.95) feet; thence southeasterly curving to the right, radius one hundred (100) feet, distance seventy-eight and fifty-four one-hundredths (78.54) feet; thence southeasterly and tangential to the last described curve, distance two hundred and forty-six and sixty-five one-hundredths (246.65) feet; thence southeasterly curving to the right, radius one hundred and fifty (150) feet, distance one hundred and seventeen and eighty-one one-hundredths (117.81) feet; thence southerly and tangential to the last described curve, distance four hundred and nine and eighty-three one-hundredths (409.83) feet to the north line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, said last-mentioned course being parallel with and distant four hundred and eight (408) feet easterly from Convent avenue; thence curving to the right in a southwesterly direction, radius three hundred and four and sixty-three one-hundredths (304.63) feet, distance one hundred and fifty-three and seventy-five one-hundredths (153.75) feet; thence still in a southwesterly direction in a reverse curve to the left, radius seven hundred and seventy (770) feet, distance three hundred and eighty-eight and sixty-three one-hundredths (388.63) feet to the north line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, if extended easterly and distant seven hundred (700) feet easterly from the east side of Tenth avenue, thence southerly and tangential to the last described curve, distance sixty (60) feet; thence in a southerly direction and curving to the left, radius six hundred and eighty (680) feet, distance four hundred and seventy-eight and twenty-nine one-hundredths (478.29) feet, thence in a southeasterly direction and curving to the left, radius one hundred and sixty-one and four one-hundredths (161.4) feet, distance eighty-seven and fifty-seven one-hundredths (87.57) feet; thence still in a southeasterly direction and in a reverse curve to the right, radius two hundred and twenty-two and eighty-eight one-hundredths (222.88) feet, distance two hundred and seventy-seven and ninety-seven one-hundredths (277.97) feet; thence southerly and tangential to the last described curve and parallel with Tenth avenue and distance ten hundred and eighty-five (1085) feet easterly therefrom, distance six hundred and thirty-nine and fifty one-hundredths (639.5) feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, thence in a southwesterly direction and curving to the right, radius two hundred and twenty and forty-six one-hundredths (202.46) feet, distance one hundred and sixty-eight and forty-three one-hundredths (168.43) feet to the easterly line of Academy place and distance one hundred and sixty-six and eighty three one-hundredths (166.83) feet southeasterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, measuring along the easterly line of Academy place, thence in a southeasterly direction and along the easterly line of Academy place, distance one hundred and fifty and eighty-four one-hundredths (150.84) feet to the point or place of beginning.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE TO CONVENT AVENUE.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of the new avenue, known as Convent avenue, distance as measured along the easterly line of said avenue four hundred and sixty and twenty-three one-hundredths (460.23) feet; from the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, and distant four hundred and fifty-nine and sixty-six one-hundredths (459.66) feet southerly therefrom, distance eight hundred and ten feet and ninety one-hundredths (810.9) feet passing through the new avenue to be known as St. Nicholas Terrace to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence southerly along said westerly line, distance forty and fifty-six one-hundredths (40.56) feet; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, distance four hundred and seventy-three and seventy-six one-hundredths (473.76) feet to the easterly line of avenue to be known as St. Nicholas Terrace; thence southerly along said easterly line, distance twenty (20) feet; thence westerly and across the said new avenue and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to the easterly line of the new avenue to be known as Convent avenue, distance three hundred and sixty-two and fifty-seven one-hundredths (362.57) feet; thence northerly along said easterly line and in a curved line, radius three hundred and seventy-five (375) feet, distance sixty-two and ninety-two one-hundredths (62.92) feet to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 9, 1891.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, June 4, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing and altering the building of this Department, viz.: Quarters of Engine Company No. 17, at No. 91 Ludlow street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 17, 1891, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within the time specified in the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or

they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-second Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 25, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 17, 51, 58, 67, 84, and Primary School No. 41.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,
RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 11, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Friday, June 19, 1891, for Heating Apparatus, Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 20.

PAIRICK CARROLL, Chairman,
FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 6, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, June 18, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 2, 12, 31, and Primary School No. 36.

WILLIAM H. TOWNLEY, Chairman,
JAMES B. MULRY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, June 18, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 38, and Heating Apparatus, Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 38.

HOMER P. BEACH, Chairman,
SAMUEL C. MOTT, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, June 18, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 74; also for Heating Apparatus Work at Grammar Schools Nos. 74 and 76; also for Sanitary Work at Grammar Schools Nos. 73 and 77.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 4.30 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, June 18, 1891, for Heating Apparatus Repairs at Grammar Schools Nos. 33 and 48.

J. WESLEY SMITH, Chairman,
G. W. FERGUSON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees for the Twentieth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 17, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 26, 32, 33, 48, and Primary School No. 27.

J. WESLEY SMITH, Chairman,
G. W. FERGUSON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 4, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 17, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 67.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,
RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 4, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-first Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, June 16, 1891, for Improving the Property Nos. 222 and 230 East Thirty-eighth street, adjoining Grammar School No. 49, and Alterations, etc., at said school.

A. G. AGNEW, Chairman,
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 3, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Seventh Ward, at the same place, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 15, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 12, 31, and Primary School No. 36.

WILLIAM H. TOWNLEY, Chairman,
JAMES B. MULRY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 2, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Monday, June 15, 1891, for supplying the Heating Apparatus for the new school building in course of erection on northwest corner Amsterdam avenue and Ninety-third street.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, May 29, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 3.30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 15, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Department, Grammar School No. 60 and Grammar School No. 61.

WILLIAM HOGG, Chairman,
ALBERT F. BRUGMAN, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, May 29, 1891.

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 383.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED YELLOW PINE TIMBER.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED Yellow Pine Timber will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. of

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

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

	Feet, B. M.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	84,539
2. " " " 12" x 12".....	767,118
3. " " " 10" x 12".....	18,565
4. " " " 10" x 10".....	3,600
5. " " " 8" x 12".....	792
6. " " " 8" x 10".....	2,304
7. " " " 8" x 15".....	4,960
8. " " " 8" x 12".....	5,824
9. " " " 8" x 10".....	450
10. " " " 8" x 8".....	52,666
11. " " " 7" x 14".....	11,338
12. " " " 7" x 12".....	1,071
13. " " " 7" x 10".....	52,272
14. " " " 6" x 12".....	52,328
15. " " " 5" x 12".....	16,406
16. " " " 5" x 10".....	150,506
17. " " " 5" x 8".....	971
18. " " " 4" x 12".....	240
19. " " " 4" x 10".....	470,628
20. " " " 4" x 8".....	470,628

Total lengths under 37 feet.....1,698,598

	Feet, B. M.
21. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	6,624
22. " " " 6" x 12".....	3,312
23. " " " 4" x 12".....	2,108
24. " " " 4" x 10".....	1,840

Total lengths over 37 feet.....13,984

Grand total.....1,712,582

The following tables give the required lengths and the number of pieces of each length, in each dimension or size, to be delivered under this contract to cover the above specified number of feet, board measure, in each dimension:

SECTIONS.	12 inches by 14 inches.	12 inches by 12 inches.	10 inches by 12 inches.	10 inches by 10 inches.	8 inches by 12 inches.	8 inches by 10 inches.	8 inches by 8 inches.
35 feet 6 inches..	21	..	..	..	..	..	..
35 feet 0 inches..	245	..	..	..	..	..	..
34 feet 6 inches..	38	..	..	..	..	..	..
33 feet 6 inches..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
33 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
32 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
32 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
31 feet 6 inches..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
31 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
31 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
31 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
31 feet 0 inches..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..
30 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
30 feet 3 inches..	125	..	..	..	..	..	..
30 feet 0 inches..	742	..	..	..	..	..	..
29 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
29 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
29 feet 0 inches..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
28 feet 6 inches..	179	..	..	..	..	..	..
28 feet 3 inches..	54	..	..	..	..	..	..
28 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
27 feet 6 inches..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
27 feet 3 inches..	16	..	..	..	..	..	..
27 feet 0 inches..	26	..	..	..	..	..	..
26 feet 6 inches..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
26 feet 3 inches..	36	184	..	..	..	..	..
25 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25 feet 3 inches..	18	..	..	..	..	..	..
25 feet 0 inches..	18	..	..	..	..	..	..
24 feet 6 inches..	50	24	..	..	..	..	..
24 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
24 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
23 feet 6 inches..	50	..	..	..	..	..	..
23 feet 3 inches..	41	..	..	..	..	..	..
23 feet 0 inches..	79	91	20	..	..	..	..
22 feet 6 inches..	24	..	..	..	..	..	..
22 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
22 feet 0 inches..	39	..	..	..	..	..	..
21 feet 6 inches..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
21 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
21 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 feet 6 inches..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 feet 3 inches..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
19 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
19 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
19 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 feet 6 inches..	109	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 feet 6 inches..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 feet 6 inches..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 feet 0 inches..	186	..	..	..	..	..	..
13 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13 feet 0 inches..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 feet 3 inches..	32	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 feet 0 inches..	56	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 feet 3 inches..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10 feet 6 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10 feet 3 inches..	52	..	..	..	..	..	..
10 feet 0 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9 feet 6 inches..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
9 feet 3 inches..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9 feet 0 inches..

SECTIONS.	12 inches by 14 inches.	12 inches by 12 inches.	10 inches by 1
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be delivered on or before the 23d day of December, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per thousand feet, board measure, for yellow pine timber to be delivered in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the receiving of the material by the Department of Docks.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated, NEW YORK, June 11, 1891.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 382.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF EAST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, EAST RIVER, AND FOR REPAIRING THE EXISTING CRIB-BULKHEAD THEREAT.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a new wooden pier, with its appurtenances, at the foot of East Thirty-fifth street, East river, and for preparing and repairing the crib-bulkhead thereat, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. of

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1891,

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work, is as follows:

CLASS I.—CRIB-BULKHEAD.

1. New Cribwork complete, including all Timbers and Ironwork, Backing-logs, Earth and Stone Filling, Fenders, Mooring-posts, etc., measured from mean low-water mark to the under side of the backing-log, and from front of facing timber to rear of cross-ties, about..... 8,000 cubic feet.
2. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles..... 23
(It is expected that these piles will have to be about 55 feet long, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
3. White Oak Fender-pile, about 50 feet long..... 1
4. Cast-iron Pile-shoes, about..... 759 pounds.
5. Round Logs furnished to the contractor (not estimated in the cribwork, about..... 705 linear feet.
6. Labor and Materials for Relaying Old Pavement for about..... 70 square yards.
7. Labor and Materials for laying New Pavement, about..... 70 "
8. Labor of excavating Old Cribwork and disposal of Material, about 311 cubic yards.
9. Labor and Material for Back-filling, about..... 200 "
10. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Jointing, Planing, Bolting, Spiking, etc., as set forth in the specifications.

CLASS II.—NEW PIER.

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measured in
the work. |
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| 1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14"..... | 252 |
| " " " 12" x 12"..... | 24,807 |
| " " " 10" x 12"..... | 464 |
| " " " 10" x 10"..... | 214 |
| " " " 8" x 16"..... | 177 |
| " " " 8" x 12"..... | 280 |
| " " " 8" x 10"..... | 86 |
| " " " 8" x 8"..... | 2,335 |
| " " " 7" x 14"..... | 245 |
| " " " 7" x 12"..... | 196 |
| " " " 7" x 10"..... | 48 |
| " " " 6" x 12"..... | 936 |
| " " " 5" x 12"..... | 430 |
| " " " 5" x 11"..... | 133 |
| " " " 5" x 10"..... | 6,466 |
| " " " 5" x 9"..... | 105 |
| " " " 5" x 8"..... | 70 |
| " " " 4" x 10"..... | 11,300 |
| " " " 2" x 4"..... | 500 |
| Total..... | 49,004 |

Feet, B. M.,
measured in
the work.

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| 2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10"..... | 13,552 |
| " " " 2" x 5"..... | 50 |
| Total..... | 13,602 |

Feet, B. M.,
measured in
the work.

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| 3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12"..... | 2,016 |
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NOTE.—The above quantities of timber in items 1, 2 and 3, are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles for Pier..... 92
(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 60 feet in length to about 65 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
5. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet long.... 8
3/4" x 26", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 6", 3/4" x 4", 3/4" x 3", 3/4" x 2", 3/4" x 1", 3/4" x 1/2", 3/4" x 1/4", 3/4" x 1/8", 3/4" x 1/16", 3/4" x 1/32", 3/4" x 1/64", 3/4" x 1/128", 3/4" x 1/256", 3/4" x 1/512", 3/4" x 1/1024", 3/4" x 1/2048", 3/4" x 1/4096", 3/4" x 1/8192", 3/4" x 1/16384", 3/4" x 1/32768", 3/4" x 1/65536", 3/4" x 1/131072", 3/4" x 1/262144", 3/4" x 1/524288", 3/4" x 1/1048576", 3/4" x 1/2097152", 3/4" x 1/4194304", 3/4" x 1/8388608", 3/4" x 1/16777216", 3/4" x 1/33554432", 3/4" x 1/67108864", 3/4" x 1/134217728", 3/4" x 1/268435456", 3/4" x 1/536870912", 3/4" x 1/1073741824", 3/4" x 1/2147483648", 3/4" x 1/4294967296", 3/4" x 1/8589934592", 3/4" x 1/17179869184", 3/4" x 1/34359738368", 3/4" x 1/68719476736", 3/4" x 1/137438953472", 3/4" x 1/274877906944", 3/4" x 1/549755813888", 3/4" x 1/1099511627776", 3/4" x 1/2199023255552", 3/4" x 1/4398046511104", 3/4" x 1/8796093022208", 3/4" x 1/17592186044416", 3/4" x 1/35184372088832", 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N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

- 1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the locations of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.
- 2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, per cubic yard, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of September, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, June 8, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, 1

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 381.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE DUMPING-BOARD AT WEST THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET AND AT WEST FORTY-SEVENTH STREET PIER, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

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

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1891,
at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of

the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

Dump-board at West Thirty-seventh street, North river,	5,600 cubic yards
Pier at West Forty-seventh street, North river (south side)	14,000 "
Total	19,600 cubic yards.

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

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the locations of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.
2. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, per cubic yard, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of July, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, June 4, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS. MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO GAS-HOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Wednesday, June 24, 1891, at 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Gas-house, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$1,500, DOLLARS).**

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 11, 1891.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M.D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 29, 1891.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to Wales Avenue, from Kelly street to St. Joseph's street, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 19, 1891, and entered on the 27th day of

May, 1891, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31 Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before July 27, 1891, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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 1837, 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 75 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.

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 the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, between Amsterdam Avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 10th day of July, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, between Amsterdam Avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard, distant 100 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 775 feet to the westerly line of Amsterdam Avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence westerly, distance 775 feet to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam Avenue and the Boulevard.

Dated New York, June 12, 1891.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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 22d day of June, 1891, 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, June 8, 1891.
NELSON SMITH,
WILLIAM J. LACEY,
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY,
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 WILLOW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Bronx Kills to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth 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 and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the fifteenth day of July, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said fifteenth day of July, 1891,

and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the sixteenth day of July, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Walnut avenue and Willow avenue, prolonged southerly to the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills; southerly by the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills; westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Cypress avenue and Willow avenue, from the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills to the centre line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence northerly by the last-mentioned centre line to the centre line of the blocks between Willow avenue and the Southern Boulevard, prolonged southerly at right angles to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Willow avenue and the Southern Boulevard, prolonged northerly to the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth 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 thirty-first day of July, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, June 6, 1891.

JAMES L. PHELAN, Chairman,
JAMES OLIVER,
SIDNEY HARRIS,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, from Carter avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the eighth day of July, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said eighth day of July, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the ninth day of July, 1891.

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 line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, prolonged easterly to the northerly prolongation of the easterly line of Fulton avenue; easterly by the easterly line of Fulton avenue, prolonged northerly to the easterly prolongation of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; southerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, prolonged easterly to the easterly line of Fulton avenue, from the easterly line of Fulton avenue to the centre line of the block between Railroad avenue, East, and Railroad avenue, West; thence westerly by last-mentioned centre line to the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; thence southerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, prolonged easterly to the centre line of the block between Railroad avenue, East, and Railroad avenue, West; westerly by the easterly line of Carter avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of July, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 29, 1891.

LEWIS J. CONLIN, Chairman,
WILLIAM LYNN,
WILLIAM H. MARSTON,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of CATHEDRAL PARKWAY by widening and enlarging One Hundred and Tenth street, between Seventh avenue and Riverside Park, so as to conveniently connect thereby, and by appropriate entrances in connection therewith, Central Park, Morningside Park and Riverside Park in the City of New York, pursuant to chapter 275 of the Laws of 1891, passed April 28, 1891.

PURSUANT TO 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 Friday, the 26th day of June, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Esti-

mate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the purposes of Cathedral Parkway, by widening and enlarging One Hundred and Tenth street, between Seventh avenue and Riverside Park, in the City of New York, so as to provide sufficient and convenient means of communication between Central Park, Morningside Park and Riverside Park, and sufficient and appropriate entrances for said parks in connection therewith, as provided in chapter 275 of the Laws of 1891, passed April 28, 1891; being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of Eighth avenue, one hundred and twenty-nine feet; thence southeasterly one hundred and sixty and thirty-two hundredths feet on the arc of a circle having a radius of one hundred and forty-two feet until the same meets a line drawn parallel with the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street and distant thirty feet northerly from the northerly line from One Hundred and Tenth street, the centre of which said arc lies southwesterly of the northeast corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street, and whose radius drawn to the northern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of eight degrees, eighteen minutes forty-one seconds with the eastern line of Eighth avenue; thence easterly along the said line drawn parallel with and distant thirty feet northerly from the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street to the westerly line of Seventh avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Seventh avenue thirty feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street seven hundred and seventy-five feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street, running thence northerly along the westerly side of Eighth avenue seventy-five feet; thence southwesterly to the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street along the circumference of a circle which will intersect a line drawn from the said northwesterly corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street, between the westerly side of Eighth avenue and the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street, at an angle of forty-five degrees with the westerly side of Eighth avenue and of forty-five degrees with the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street, at a distance of about fifty feet from the said northwesterly corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street, and which said circumference of said circle, as aforesaid, will intersect the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street, at a distance of seventy-five feet from the said northwesterly corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street; thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street seventy-five feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Eighth avenue, distant one hundred and thirty feet south of the southerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street, and running thence northwesterly one hundred and sixty-six feet and thirteen thirty-seconds of an inch on the arc of a circle whose centre lies on the westerly line of Eighth avenue, drawn across One Hundred and Tenth street, and distant seventeen and forty-eight hundredths feet north of the southerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street; thence westerly on a line parallel with the southerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street, and distant forty-six feet therefrom, two hundred and thirty-six feet and eleven sixteenths inches to the easterly line of Manhattan avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Manhattan avenue forty-six feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street; thence along the southerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street one hundred and seventy feet to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Eighth avenue one hundred and thirty feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "D."

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Manhattan avenue, distant forty-six feet southerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street; and running thence westerly on a line drawn parallel with the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street, and distant forty-six feet southerly therefrom to the easterly side of Ninth avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Ninth avenue forty-six feet to One Hundred and Tenth street; and thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street to Manhattan avenue, and thence southerly along the westerly side of Manhattan avenue forty-six feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "E."

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Ninth avenue, distant twenty feet southerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street; and running thence westerly on a line drawn parallel with the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street, and distant twenty feet southerly therefrom to the easterly side of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Tenth avenue twenty feet to One Hundred and Tenth street; and thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street to Ninth avenue, and thence southerly along the westerly side of Ninth avenue twenty feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "F."

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Tenth avenue, distant twenty feet southerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street, and running thence westerly on a line drawn parallel with the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street, distant twenty feet southerly therefrom to the easterly side of the road or drive, otherwise known as the "Boulevard"; thence northerly along the easterly side of said road or public drive twenty feet to One Hundred and Tenth street; and thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street to Tenth avenue, and thence southerly along the westerly side of Tenth avenue twenty feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "G."

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of the Boulevard or road and public drive, distant twenty feet southerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street; running thence westerly on a line parallel with the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street and distant twenty feet southerly therefrom three hundred and twenty-two feet; thence southerly one hundred and forty-five and thirty-four one-hundredths feet to a point thirty-three feet north of the northerly side of One Hundred and Ninth street on a line drawn parallel with the easterly side of Riverside avenue, and ten feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along the said line drawn parallel with the easterly side of Riverside avenue and distant ten feet easterly therefrom thirty-three feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Ninth street; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Ninth street ten feet to the easterly side of Riverside avenue; thence northerly along the said easterly side of Riverside avenue to the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street three hundred and seventy-five feet to the westerly side of the Boulevard or road and public drive; thence southerly along the westerly side of the Boulevard or road and public drive twenty feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "H."

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street, distant two hundred and ninety-five feet westerly from the northwesterly corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and the Boulevard or road and public drive; running thence westerly along

the said northerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street eighty feet to the easterly side of Riverside avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Riverside avenue one hundred and ninety-one feet ten inches to the southerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street fifteen feet; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly side of Riverside avenue fifty-seven and fifty-eight one-hundredths feet; thence southeasterly one hundred and fifty and eighty-three one-hundredths feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated NEW YORK, May 29, 1891.

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

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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 second day of July, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said second day of July, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the third day of July, 1891.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the seventeenth day of July, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 22, 1891.

HENRY G. CASSIDY, Chairman,
ROGER A. PRYOR, Jr.,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,

Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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 nineteenth day of June, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said nineteenth day of June, 1891, 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 twentieth day of June, 1891.

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 a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; easterly by the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from, the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; and westerly by the easterly line of Vanderbilt 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 third day of July, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 9, 1891.

JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, Chairman,
ABRAHAM L. JACOBS,
MICHAEL J. McKENNA,

Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment, having reconvened pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court, in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our amended, corrected and revised estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the seventh day of July, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said seventh day of July, 1891, 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 amended, corrected and revised estimate and assessment, together with our amended, corrected and revised 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 eighth day of July, 1891.

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 a line parallel to and distant 100 feet from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; easterly by the westerly line of Tenth or Amsterdam avenue; southerly by a line parallel to and distant 100 feet from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; westerly by the easterly line of Eleventh avenue.

Fourth—That our report amended, corrected and revised herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twenty-second day of July, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 22, 1891.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
HAROLD M. SMITH,
EDWARD HOGAN,

Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BERGEN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 1st day of June, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week day next after the said 1st day of June, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 2d day of June, 1891.

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 a line drawn parallel with and distant 25 feet northerly of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Willis avenue, and the centre line of the block between Bergen avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Third avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Brook avenue, the centre line of the blocks between Bergen avenue and Brook avenue, extending from the intersection of the easterly line of Bergen avenue with the westerly line of Brook avenue to East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly line of Willis avenue and extending from East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; southerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and westerly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Willis avenue from East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, the easterly line of Third avenue, the easterly line of Willis avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Bergen avenue and Third avenue; excepting from said area all 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 15th day of June, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, April 20, 1891.

NELSON SMITH, Chairman,
WILLIAM J. LACEY,
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY,

Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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