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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, October 23, 1894,
11 o'clock A. M.

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

PRESENT :

Hon. George B. McClellan, President :

ALDERMEN

Andrew A. Noonan, Vice-President,	John Long, Edward McGuire, Joseph Martin, Rollin M. Morgan, Robert Muh, John J. Murphy, John T. Oakley, John J. O'Brien, James Owens, John G. Prague,	Frank G. Rinn, Frank Rogers, Patrick J. Ryder, Robert B. Saul, William H. Schott, Charles Smith, Samuel Wesley Smith, William Tait, Jacob C. Wund.
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The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

NEW YORK, October 20, 1894.

To the Common Council of the City of New York :

GENTLEMEN—As citizens of this city having large interests in the section which lies between Morningside Park and Kingsbridge we earnestly petition your Honorable Board to act immediately upon the application of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company for the right to extend its lines through St. Nicholas avenue, the Boulevard and upper Broadway to Kingsbridge.

This application was made as long ago as June. It was made at the solicitation and earnest request of the signers of this petition and of other residents of that section of the city, whose property has lain dormant and practically valueless for so many years because of the total absence of transit facilities. We felt that much had been accomplished when we succeeded in persuading the directors of the Metropolitan Company that sufficient advantages would accrue to their company in the future to compensate for the loss which would undoubtedly be entailed by the operation of such extensions for a few years to come. It would certainly be very disheartening if now the result of our first efforts should be nullified by possible procrastination on the part of your Honorable Board.

Yet this is the result which we have reason to apprehend, not because of any indication of unfriendliness from you, but because of conditions which make it improbable that the company itself will persist much longer in urging its application. We should have been unable to interest the directors of the company in the first place but for the fact that their organization for the cable construction on Columbus avenue would enable them to prosecute the same work on St. Nicholas avenue on a very economical basis. The Columbus avenue construction is now practically completed, and the working force will soon be disbanded unless the pending application be granted at once. If this should be done, we who know the indisposition of the company to make the venture originally, consider it extremely improbable that they could be induced to take up the subject again before spring, if indeed at all.

Thus a great public improvement of vital importance to a large portion of the city would be postponed inevitably and perhaps lost altogether. Moreover, the municipality itself cannot fail to suffer a material loss from delay, as the least that the company can pay for the privilege under the law is three per cent. of its gross receipts for the first five years, and five per cent. thereafter, and it might be compelled to pay much more in bidding for the franchise at the public auction which must be held in any event.

We therefore pray your Honorable Body to act, favorably, of course, if possible, but in any event promptly. We remain,

Very respectfully yours,

Rev. Jos. H. Bigley.	Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society,
Hugh N. Camp.	Moses Goodhart, President.
J. H. Godwin, Jr.	Thos. H. O'Connor.
R. Clarence Dorsett.	William Libbey.
George R. Sheldon, Wm. H. De Forest, assignee.	William Osborn.
Geo. S. Payson.	James Gordon Bennett, by John Townshend,
Oscar C. Ferris.	attorney in fact.
Cyrus Clark.	John Townshend.
Mary G. Pinkney, by Curtis B. Pierce.	Geo. F. Gantz.
J. Romain Brown.	James McCurny.
William H. Flitner.	Joseph H. Godwin.
Simon Wormser.	Richard Alexander.
Isidor Wormser.	Isaac M. Dyckman.
Wm. F. Buckley.	Frank R. Haughton.
Frederick P. Worth.	Marble Hill.
H. A. Hutchins.	Robert R. Perkins.
Thomas J. Powers.	

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,
ROOM 10, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, October 22, 1894.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

SIRS—By direction of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, at a meeting held on the 19th instant, I herewith transmit to you a true copy of resolutions adopted by said Board at said meeting, setting forth that the said Board propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by closing and discontinuing One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, sixty feet in width, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, and laying out One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street one hundred feet in width, and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street sixty feet in width, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the city.

I am, very respectfully,

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,
ROOM 10, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, October 22, 1894.

The following is a true copy of a resolution relating to the closing of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, adopted by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement at a meeting held on the 19th October, 1894 :

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by closing and discontinuing One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, sixty feet in width, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, more particularly bounded and described as follows :

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 219 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth 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 for a width of 60 feet to be discontinued and closed between the lines of the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

Resolved, That notice be given that such proposed closing as aforesaid will be considered by this Board, at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the Mayor's office on Friday, November 16, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M.

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

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,
ROOM 10, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, October 22, 1894.

The following is a true copy of a resolution relating to the laying-out of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, adopted by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement at a meeting held on the 19th of October, 1894 :

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out, opening and extending One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street one hundred feet in width, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street sixty feet in width, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, more particularly bounded and described as follows :

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street ; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 775 feet, to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue ; thence northerly along said avenue, distance 100 feet ; thence westerly, distance 775 feet, to the easterly line of Boulevard ; thence southerly along said line, distance 100 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 499 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth 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 Boulevard ; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to be one hundred feet wide and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to be sixty feet wide between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

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

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 20, 1894.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1894, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances :

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$407 00	\$1,093 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	96 17	103 83
Salaries—Common Council.....	86,300 00	64,560 60	21,739 40

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Flynn—
Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration resolution now in his hands permitting William Witz to keep a booth on west side of Church street, between Duane and Reade streets.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows :
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Witz to place a booth on the west side of Church street, between Reade and Duane streets, for the purpose of an express office, the work to be done, material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Flynn, the paper was then ordered on file.

By Alderman Owens—
Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration resolution now in his hands permitting George Schmidt to keep watering-trough in front of No. 278 Lenox avenue.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows :
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Schmidt to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 278 Lenox avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.
On motion of Alderman Owens, the paper was then ordered on file.

By the same—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration resolution now in his hands permitting Henry Bartels to keep a watering-trough on southwest corner One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and Madison avenue. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Bartels to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and Madison avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Owens, the paper was then ordered on file.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to Jacob Gordon to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of confectionery in front of the premises No. 312 Broadway, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said Jacob Gordon, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Anton Beron to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 58 New Chambers street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to John L. Earley to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of candy in front of the premises No. 353 Broadway, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said John L. Earley, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to Abraham Jacobowsky to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of novelties in front of the premises No. 108 Broadway, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said Abraham Jacobowsky, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

(G. O. 1363.)

By Alderman Gecks—

Resolved, That Trinity avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to One Hundred and Sixty-third street, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles N. Perkins to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 3165 Third avenue, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That upon the annexed consent, filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to Max Sarnow to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of soda water in front of the premises No. 443 Broadway, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said Max Sarnow, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

(G. O. 1364.)

By Alderman Gecks—

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

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles N. Perkins to place and keep a watering-trough in front of No. 3165 Third avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 1365.)

By Alderman Keahon—

Resolved, That the vacant lots Nos. 216 and 218 West Thirteenth street be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Murphy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. M. Koehler & Co. to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 204 East Twenty-sixth street, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Morgan—

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to Christopher H. Stabropalas to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of flowers in front of the premises No. 19 East Forty-second street, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said Christopher H. Stabropalas, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 1366.)

By Alderman Owens—

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to Madison avenue (so far as the same is not within the limits of grants of land under water), be paved

with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Parks—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Primrose & West's Minstrels to parade from Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue to Fourteenth street; thence to Broadway, to Forty-second street, to Eighth avenue and Twenty-third street, on Thursday, October 25, 1894, accompanied by music, weather permitting; if the weather should prove unfavorable on this day, the parade is hereby permitted to be given on the first fine week day thereafter.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Rinn—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Adolph Kroll to place and keep an ornamental post, surmounted by a mortar and pestle, in front of his premises, No. 580 Tenth avenue, provided that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the mortar not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Raphael's Church to place and keep transparencies on the lamp-posts on the southwest corners of Fortieth street and Tenth avenue and Forty-second street and Tenth avenue, the work to be done and material supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only until December 1, 1894.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Saul—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Klushmier & Heren to place and keep a watering-trough on southwest corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street, the work to be done and water supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 1367.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Boulevard, between Manhattan and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets; in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Boulevard and Claremont avenue, and in Claremont avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman S. W. Smith—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to T. H. Kaljian to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 113 West Fifteenth street, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. S. Wise & Co. to remove the ornamental clock and post now in front of No. 861 Broadway, and place the same in front of No. 865 Broadway, the flagging to be relaid in same condition it was before it was disturbed, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 1368.)

By Alderman Schott—

Resolved, That a lamp-post and street-lamp placed thereon and lighted on the south side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, about one hundred and ten feet west of Valentine avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 1369.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Monroe avenue, from Columbine avenue to Crescent avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 1370.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid and extended on Monroe avenue, from Columbine avenue to Crescent avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 1371.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Crotona place, from Julian place to One Hundred and Seventy-first street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Wund—

Resolved, That the names of the following persons, recently appointed or superseded as Commissioners of Deeds, be corrected so as to read as follows:

Stephen N. Sisson to read Stephen M. Sisson.

Ernest N. Saportas to read Ernest M. Saportas.

J. B. Melville to read J. B. Melville.

Reginald Sidney Durant to read Thos. F. Gilroy, Jr.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That Fielding A. L. Seymour, No. 305 Henry street, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Owens—

Resolved, That Alexander S. Traub, No. 146 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Baumert—

Resolved, That August Gross, of No. 167 East Ninetieth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That Augustus C. Baxter, No. 2 Beach street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McGuire—

Resolved, That Mitchell Hershfield, No. 159 East Sixty-fourth street, be and he is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That William Balser, No. 218 East Thirteenth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Owens—

Resolved, That Charles Corn, No. 2021 Lexington avenue, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Rogers—

Resolved, That John Torney, No. 419 West Thirty-fourth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman C. Smith—

Resolved, That Charles Z. Birnbaum, No. 12 West One Hundred and Twentieth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Julius Kaiser, of No. 75 Ludlow street, be and he is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Abraham Unger, No. 129 Forsyth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Schott—

Resolved, That Stephen Wray, No. 1883 Vyse avenue, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That John F. Kavanagh, One Hundred and Eighty-second street and Bathgate avenue, and Frank Schaeffer, No. 132 Nassau street, be and they are hereby reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Tait—

Resolved, That Henry Maurer, No. 259 Seventh street, Charles J. Newman, No. 90 Avenue C, be and they are hereby reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Wund—

Resolved, That R. E. Day, No. 250½ East Fortieth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Wund called up G. O. 1301, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That Tiffany street, from Longwood avenue to Long Island Sound, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, and that fences be built along the sides of the street where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—28.

Alderman Wund called up

G. O. 1360, being a resolution, as follows:

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

And G. O. 1361, being a resolution, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman Rogers called up

G. O. 1332, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Grand avenue, from Central Park to the City line; in Verio avenue, from Grand avenue to the City line; in Katonah avenue, from Grand avenue to Mount Vernon avenue; in Keppler avenue, from Grand avenue to Mount Vernon avenue; in Willard street, from Bronx River road to Keppler avenue; in Opdyke street, from Bronx River road to Keppler avenue; in Oakley street, from Katonah avenue to Keppler avenue; in Kimble street, from Katonah avenue to Keppler avenue; in Knox street, from Katonah avenue to Mount Vernon avenue; in Holly street, from Katonah avenue to Mount Vernon avenue, and in Clifford street, from Verio avenue to Grand avenue (all in Woodlawn), under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

And G. O. 1346, being a resolution, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—26.

Alderman Rogers called up G. O. 1336, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That Vanderbilt avenue, East, from the Ward line to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman Lantry called up G. O. 1357, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of specification paving blocks between the courses, be laid across Lenox avenue, at its intersection with the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—26.

Alderman Lantry called up G. O. 1354, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—28.

Alderman Rinn called up G. O. 1077, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—26.

Alderman Rinn called up G. O. 1250, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman Rinn called up G. O. 1251, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the court-room of the First Judicial District Court be removed from its present location over the engine-house on the corner of Chambers and Centre streets to the first floor in the Brown-stone Building, in the City Hall Park, in accordance with the provisions of section 1291 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to provide for said removal and to make such changes as may be necessary for the accommodation of said First Judicial District Court and its Attendants.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman Muh called up

G. O. 1326, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Eighty-fifth street, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, as provided by section 356 of the Consolidation Act of the City of New York of 1882.

G. O. 1327, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in West End and Eleventh avenues, from Ninety-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, as provided by section 306 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 1328, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and First and Ninety-ninth streets, in One Hundredth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard, and in Ninety-sixth street, between Boulevard and Riverside Drive, as provided by section 556 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 1329, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Seventh street, from Columbus avenue to Central Park, West, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 1337, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in La Fontaine avenue, between Arthur and Third avenues, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 1338, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Perot street, from Sedgwick avenue to Boston avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

And G. O. 1349, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, between Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman Muh called up G. O. 1064, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That Ninety-eighth street, from Third to Park avenue, be re-regulated and regraded, the curb-stones set and reset, and flagging laid and relaid where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by chapter 410, Laws of 1882, section 321, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, to conform to change of grade approved by Board of Street Opening, dated April 6, 1894, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—25.

Alderman Burke called up G. O. 1067, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the vacant lots Nos. 142 to 150 West Sixty-sixth street be fenced in with a picket fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman Burke called up G. O. 1193, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That crosswalks of three courses of North river blue stone be laid across Seventy-fourth street, within the lines of the easterly and westerly sidewalks of Columbus avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman McGuire called up G. O. 1205, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of Sixty-ninth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman McGuire called up G. O. 846, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

Alderman Morgan called up G. O. 1229, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalks in front of No. 975 Sixth avenue be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Donovan, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—28.

Alderman Morgan called up G. O. 1322, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of Eighty-fourth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Eiseman, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, McGuire, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, Schott, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—27.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Martin moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Aldermen Burke, Eiseman, Keahon, Lantry, McGuire, Martin, Murphy, Oakley, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, C. Smith, Tait, and Wund—14.

Negative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Flynn, Gecks, Long, Morgan, Muh, O'Brien, Owens, Prague, Saul, Schott, and S. W. Smith—13.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, October 30, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement met at the Mayor's Office on Friday, October 19, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M., pursuant to notice.

The roll was called, and the following members were present and answered to their names.

The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

Absent—The President of the Board of Aldermen—1.

The minutes of the meeting of September 21, 1894, were read and approved.

In the matter of the construction of certain sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, under chapter 714 of the Laws of 1893, the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards submitted the following certificate, which was read and ordered on file.

CITY OF NEW YORK—COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
No. 2622 THIRD AVENUE, CORNER 141ST STREET,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, October 4, 1894.

To the Board of Street Opening and Improvement :

GENTLEMEN—I, Louis F. Haffen, Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, do certify that Morris avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Buckhout street ; Anthony avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Ash street ; Mount Hope place, between Anthony avenue and Morris avenue ; Buckhout street, between Anthony avenue and Morris avenue ; Ash street, between Anthony avenue and summit west of same ; East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Tremont avenue to Anthony avenue ; East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Willis avenue and Brook avenue ; —streets and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, the title to which has not as yet been acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, are now and have been used for public traffic and travel since January 1, 1874, and are so used for a width sufficient to permit of the construction of a sewer therein ; and I further certify that the said streets and avenues are now included in the street system shown on the official maps and plans of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

LOUIS F. HAFKEN,

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

At the same time affidavits from the Chief Engineer of the Department of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and also from two persons acquainted with the facts relating to each of the streets and avenues named, required to be proven by chapter 714 of the Laws of 1893, were submitted, all of which were ordered on file.

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards then offered the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, The Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, in pursuance of chapter 714 of the Laws of 1893, has given due notice of its intention to consider and determine upon such proof as may be adduced before it on the nineteenth day of October, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M. ; whether

Morris avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Buckhout street ; Anthony avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Ash street ; Mount Hope place, between Anthony avenue and Morris avenue ; Buckhout street, between Anthony avenue and Morris avenue ; Ash street, between Anthony avenue and summit west of same ; East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Tremont avenue to Anthony avenue ; and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Willis avenue to Brook avenue ; —streets and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, the title to which has not as yet been acquired by the City, are now and have been used for public traffic and travel since January 1, 1874, and are so used for a width sufficient to permit of the construction of a sewer therein,

as appears from the certificate of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, together with the affidavit and testimony of the Chief Engineer of such Department, and of two property-owners acquainted with the facts relating to each of the streets and avenues named, required to be proven by chapter 714 of the Laws of 1893, all of which are accompanied herewith ; and

Whereas, The said Board on said date did consider the matter aforesaid, and has determined upon such said proof, as aforesaid, adduced before it and accompanied herewith ; that said streets and avenues are now included in the street system shown on the official maps and plans of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and have been used as aforesaid, and are so used for a width sufficient to permit of the construction of a sewer therein ;

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest that a sewer be constructed in—

Morris avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Buckhout street ; Anthony avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Ash street ; Mount Hope place, between Anthony avenue and Morris avenue ; Buckhout street, between Anthony avenue and summit west of same ; Ash street, between Anthony avenue and summit west of same ; East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Tremont avenue to Anthony avenue ; and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between the summit east of Willis avenue and Brook avenue ;

—streets and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, hereby authorizes and empowers the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards to proceed with and to complete the sewerage and drainage of said wards by constructing and extending the sewers in said streets and avenues, as stated in the above resolution.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

The following communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, transmitting maps for the closing of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, sixty feet in width, and laying out the same one hundred feet in width, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, and laying out One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, sixty feet in width, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, was presented and read.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 2, 1894.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Chairman, Board of Street Opening and Improvement :

DEAR SIR—With letter of 17th ultimo from the Secretary of your Board, were received petitions to open One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets according to diagrams attached, and to close One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard. By letter of the 24th ultimo, the Secretary transmitted the resolutions of your

Board to alter the map of the City accordingly, and requesting me to prepare the necessary map for filing.

In accordance therewith, I herewith return the petitions and diagrams and transmit maps and technical descriptions for closing and discontinuing One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, and for placing on the map One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, of the width of one hundred feet, and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, of the width of sixty feet, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Whereupon, the Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolutions :

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by closing and discontinuing One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, 60 feet in width, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, more particularly bounded and described as follows :

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 219 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth 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 for a width of 60 feet to be discontinued and closed between the lines of the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

Resolved, that notice be given, that such proposed closing as aforesaid, will be considered by this Board, at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the Mayor's Office, on Friday, November 16, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M.

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

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

Which were adopted by the following vote :

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

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out, opening and extending One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, 100 feet in width, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, 60 feet in width, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, more particularly bounded and described as follows :

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street ; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 775 feet, to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue ; thence northerly along said avenue, distance 100 feet ; thence westerly, distance 775 feet, to the easterly line of Boulevard ; thence southerly along said line, distance 100 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 499 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth 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 Boulevard ; thence southerly along said line, 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to be 100 feet wide and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to be 60 feet wide between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

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

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

Which were adopted by the following vote :

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

On motion the Board then adjourned.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., OCTOBER 13, 1894.

Estimated Population, 1,976,959.

Death-rate, 17.31.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

	WEEK ENDING—													
	July 14.	July 21.	July 28.	Aug. 4.	Aug. 11.	Aug. 18.	Aug. 25.	Sept. 1.	Sept. 8.	Sept. 15.	Sept. 22.	Sept. 29.	Oct. 6.	Oct. 13.
Phthisis.....	92	71	98	49	103	81	83	82	63	82	68	158	105	92
Diphtheria.....	178	180	159	133	100	108	104	98	107	98	103	80	107	112
Measles.....	59	41	42	27	16	31	11	14	17	14	24	8	18	18
Scarlet Fever....	57	45	38	40	28	28	22	17	15	17	38	21	23	53
Small-pox.....	4	4	3	6	1	3	7	13	17	9	5	6	10	1
Typhoid Fever...	17	14	21	21	37	26	26	33	29	25	27	33	25	35
Typhus Fever...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	407	355	361	276	285	277	253	257	248	246	265	306	288	311

Marriages reported.....	379	Burial permits issued.....	656
Births.....	1,063	Transit permits issued.....	9
Deaths.....	656	Searches made.....	257
Still-births.....	51	Transcripts issued.....	210

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	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.
Total, all causes.....	656	697	798.1	353	303	39	113	39	35	226	27	59	137	133	74
Diphtheria.....	30	23	25.9	12	18	..	3	4	15	22	8	..	..	..	..
Croup.....	5	17	14.1	2	3	..	1	1	1	3	2	..	..	..	..
Malaria Fevers.....	2	1	7.8	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Measles.....	3	2	4.6	2	1	..	1	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever.....	4	2	7.8	2	2	..	1	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..
Small-pox.....	..	2	.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	10	17	16.6	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	4	1	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough.....	4	8	11.0	2	2	..	3	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..

* 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.

‡ State census, February 1, 1892, 1,801,739.

	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.....	38	58	67.7	16	22	2	20	4	2	28	..	1	3	..	6
Phthisis.....	73	111	118.1	44	29	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	37	14	4
Other Tuberculous Diseases..	18	10	..	10	8	..	5	2	4	11	1	2	4	..	..
Diseases of Nervous System.	47	59	68.2	28	19	2	7	2	2	13	..	4	8	13	9
Heart Diseases.....	35	37	43.2	14	21	..	..	..	1	1	..	5	9	15	5
Bronchitis.....	22	21	32.8	12	10	..	10	8	..	18	..	..	1	3	..
Pneumonia.....	61	70	69.0	33	28	..	15	8	5	28	1	4	14	6	8
Other Diseases of Respira- tory Organs.....	17	12	..	10	7	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	2	7	6
Diseases of Digestive System.	62	41	..	29	33	5	20	4	2	31	2	4	7	15	3
Diseases of Urinary System..	54	56	..	33	21	..	..	..	..	2	3	11	29	9	0
Congenital Debility.....	51	44	..	25	26	26	23	2	..	51	..	..	..	..	..
Old Age.....	10	15	..	4	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Suicides.....	8	7	4.9	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	2	..
Other violent deaths.....	45	25	31.2	33	12	..	..	..	1	1	7	7	14	11	5
All other causes.....	57	59	..	30	27	4	4	1	1	10	..	5	16	17	9

* 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.
Syphilis, 3; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 1; Pyæmia, 1; Influenza, 1; Puerperal Fever, 3.	Aneurism, 3; Embolism, 1.	Bright's Disease, 39; Nephritis, 11; Diseases of Bladder and Prostate Gland, 2; Uræmia, 2; Diseases of Uterus and Vagina, 1; Ovarian Diseases, 2.
Constitutional.	Respiratory.	Locomotor.
Cancer, 17; Tubercular Meningitis, 11; Tuberculosis, etc., 4; Tubercular Enteritis, 2; Tubercular Peritonitis, 1; Anæmia, 2; Rheumatism, 4; Diabetes, 6.	Laryngitis, 1; Emphysema, 3; Pleurisy, 3; Hemorrhage of Lungs, 2; Chronic Bronchitis, 8.	Spinal Disease, 1.
Nervous.	Digestive.	Integumentary.
Convulsions, 4; Meningitis and Encephalitis, 11; Apoplexy, 16; Paralysis, 2; Insanity, 5; Softening of Brain, 2; Epilepsy, 2; Myelitis, 1; Congestion of Brain, 1; Abscess of Brain, 2; Paralysis Agitans, 1.	Gastro-enteritis, 24; Gastritis, 2; Enteritis, 4; Cirrhosis, 7; Jaundice, 1; other Diseases of Liver, 2; Peritonitis, 8; Stricture of Intestines, 1; Typhlitis, 1; Ulcer of Stomach, 1; Dentition, 1; Ulceration of Intestines, 5; Stomatitis, 1; Catarrh of Stomach, 2; Malnutrition, 1; Duodenitis, 1.	Abscesses, 3; Ulcers, 2.
		Accident.
		Poison, 2; Fractures and Contusions, 18; Burns and Scalds, 1; Drowning, 3; Suffocation, 6; Wounds, 1; Surgical Operations, 9; Railroad, 3.
		Other Causes.
		Outis, 1; Addison's Disease, 1; Puerperal Convulsions, 2; Childbirth, 1; Umbilical Hemorrhage, 2; Spina Bifida, 2.
		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.	July 21.	July 28.	Aug. 4.	Aug. 11.	Aug. 18.	Aug. 25.	Sept. 1.	Sept. 8.	Sept. 15.	Sept. 22.	Sept. 29.	Oct. 6.	Oct. 13.
Total deaths.....	1,106	982	988	769	737	765	725	710	733	665	703	690	656
Annual death-rate.....	29.42	26.11	26.23	20.42	19.56	20.28	19.24	18.80	19.40	17.59	18.58	18.22	17.31
Diphtheria.....	41	38	37	34	27	36	33	27	30	25	31	21	30
Croup.....	4	6	6	4	5	3	7	6	5	3	5	6	5
Malarial Fevers.....	2	1	4	2	5	5	1	2	..	4	4	4	2
Measles.....	5	5	5	..	1	2	2	..	3	5	2	4	3
Scarlet Fever.....	9	4	5	6	6	1	3	4	2	5	2	4	4
Small-pox.....	2	..	1	1	..	..	2	1	2	3	2	1	..
Typhoid Fever.....	4	12	7	6	10	7	14	20	13	7	10	17	10
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough.....	9	7	10	10	12	4	5	3	6	1	3	3	4
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	289	255	244	140	125	177	105	104	89	78	88	66	38
Diarrhoeal Diseases } under 5 years..... }	272	225	222	150	107	103	96	89	85	74	79	60	28
Phthisis.....	104	77	83	80	86	93	90	78	89	76	85	77	73
Bronchitis.....	14	12	11	19	15	11	14	15	16	21	12	19	22
Pneumonia.....	56	54	34	48	49	47	50	51	52	51	50	60	61
Other Diseases of Res- piratory Organs..... }	16	13	10	10	5	15	8	10	12	15	13	7	17
Violent Deaths.....	51	54	92	42	42	40	48	37	48	37	34	34	53
Under one year.....	466	406	395	242	253	249	211	235	244	219	213	207	152
Under five years.....	629	540	517	378	356	331	321	335	357	307	327	294	226
Five to sixty-five.....	403	361	395	326	334	367	352	314	320	303	309	340	356
Sixty-five years and over	74	81	76	65	47	67	53	61	56	55	67	56	74
In Public Institutions ...	261	202	219	180	175	191	181	165	201	159	159	166	178
Inquest Cases.....	110	106	133	82	90	95	89	80	99	75	83	73	87
Mean barometer.....	29.960	30.000	29.912	30.011	29.910	29.964	29.931	30.034	30.102	29.890	30.031	29.809	29.846
Mean humidity.....	.79	.82	.80	.75	.83	.74	.71	.76	.72	.83	.78	.83	.74
Inches of rain and snow.	.26	.05	1.06	.04	.45	.08	..	2.79	.96	5.93	..	.44	2.14
Mean temperature } (Fahrenheit)..... }	77.1°	75.3°	75.9°	70.3°	68.9°	71.0°	71.3°	72.2°	71.4°	72.1°	61.0°	59.1°	55.0°
Maximum temperature } (Fahrenheit)..... }	92°	93°	96°	84°	81°	87°	83°	86°	93°	88°	79°	69°	67°
Minimum temperature } (Fahrenheit)..... }	66°	63°	61°	58°	60°	53°	62°	63°	55°	62°	43°	48°	48°

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.							
	Scarlet Fever (Children).	Diphtheria.	Total.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever with Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever with Whooping-cough.	Scarlet Fever with Measles.	Measles.	Diphtheria with Whooping-cough.	Measles with Diphtheria.	Total.
Remaining Oct. 6...	18	37	55	17	3	..	..	6	..	..	26
Admitted.....	5	8	13	1	1	..	1	2	1	..	6
Discharged.....	2	10	12	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	7
Died.....	..	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Remaining Oct. 13..	21	29	50	12	4	..	1	7	1	..	25
Total treated..	23	45	68	18	4	..	1	8	1	..	32

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported and Deaths from the Same, by Wards.

WARDS.	SICKNESS.						DEATHS REPORTED.					
	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.
First.....	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Second.....	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	2
Fourth.....	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	2
Fifth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixth.....	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	3
Seventh.....	3	6	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	5
Eighth.....	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Ninth.....	3	..	2	..	1	7	..	..	..	1	..	4
Tenth.....	3	3	2	..	1	4	1	..	..	..	..	3
Eleventh.....	3	..	..	..	2	4	1	..	..	2	..	2
Twelfth.....	37	1	16	..	7	8	9	1	2	..	1	8
Thirteenth.....	2	..	1	..	1	4	1	..	..	..	..	1
Fourteenth.....	1	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	1
Fifteenth.....	..	..	2	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	3
Sixteenth.....	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Seventeenth.....	9	1	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	6
Eighteenth.....	4	..	8	..	1	2	2	..	..	1	..	2
Nineteenth.....	19	3	9	..	6	8	5	..	..	..	..	10
Twentieth.....	7	..	2	..	4	6	2	..	..	2	..	2
Twenty-first.....	5	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
Twenty-second.....	6	2	4	..	4	22	3	1	..	..	..	9
Twenty-third.....	3	..	3	..	2	3	3	..	2	..	..	4
Twenty-fourth.....	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total.....	112	18	53	1	35	92	30	3	4	10	..	73

Inspections of Premises.

Total number of inspections made.....	6,430
Classified as follows:	
Inspections of tenement-houses.....	3,605
“ tenement apartments at night, to detect overcrowding.....	371
“ private dwellings.....	189
“ lodging-houses.....	205
“ stables.....	176
“ slaughter-houses.....	1,017
“ other premises.....	867

Total number of citizens' complaints attended to.....	285
“ verified.....	162
“ found baseless, or nuisance already abated.....	123
“ original complaints by Inspectors.....	194

Inspection of Foods, Chemical Analyses, etc.

Total number of inspections of milk.....	1,150
“ specimens examined.....	1,262
“ quarts of milk destroyed.....	3,393
“ inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods.....	23,455
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	1,499
“ inspections of meat and fish.....	20,505
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	1
“ analyses of milk and other foods.....	..
“ experimental analyses.....	..

Analytical Work—Summary.

Milk—Found to be watered.....	..
“ Found to be skimmed.....	..
“ Found to be skimmed and watered.....	..
“ Found to be normal.....	..
Croton water—Partial sanitary analysis.....	..
“ Complete sanitary analysis (see below).....	1

Analysis of Croton Water, October 12, 1894.

Result Expressed in Parts per 100,000.

Appearance.....	Slightly turbid.
Color.....	Yellow brown.
Odor (at 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.238
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.392
Phosphates, Phosphoric Acid (P ₂ O ₅) in.....	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates (method of Gladstone and Tribe).....	0.0436
Free Ammonia.....	0.0030

Albuminoid Ammonia		0.0185
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling.....	4.35	
{ After boiling.....	4.35	
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.80	
Mineral matter (non-volatile)—Lost Carbonic Acid not restored .	5.90	
Total solids (by evaporation at 230° Fahr.).....	7.50	
Temperature at hydrant, 65° Fahr.		

Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Total number of cases visited by Inspectors.....	90
“ premises visited by Disinfectors.....	16
“ rooms disinfected and fumigated.....	24
“ other places disinfected.....	.....
“ pieces of infected goods destroyed.....	4
“ pieces of infected goods disinfected and returned.....	33
“ persons removed to hospital.....	1
“ primary vaccinations.....	88
“ revaccinations.....	2,32
“ certificates of vaccination issued.....	1,07
“ points of vaccine virus collected.....	6,72
“ capillary tubes of vaccine virus filled.....	.....
“ cattle examined by Veterinarian.....	44
“ glandered horses destroyed.....	.....

Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection.

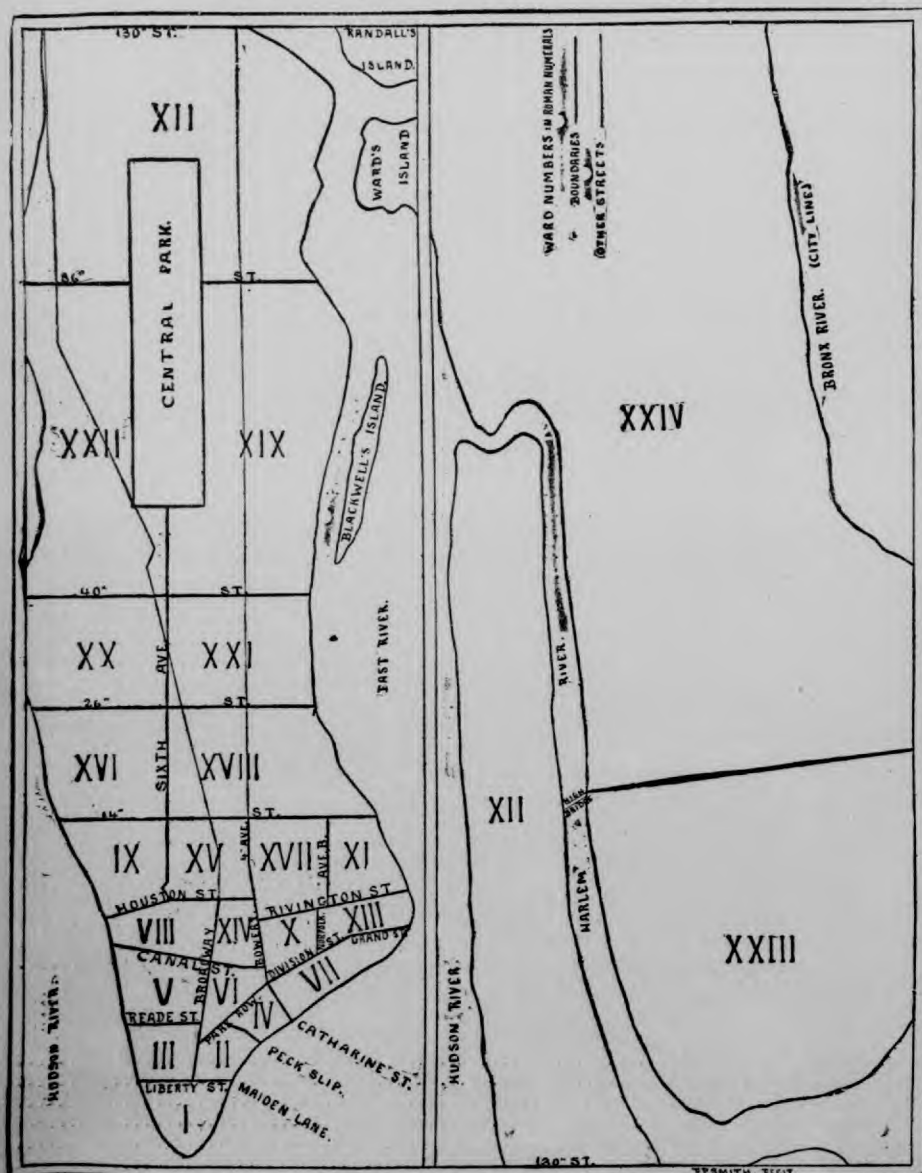
Total number of premises visited by Inspectors.....	10
“ autopsies.....	42
“ bacteriological examinations, general.....	103
“ bacteriological examinations of suspected diphtheria (true 44, pseudo 25; indecisive 34, viz.: Culture made too late in disease 4, suspicious bacilli only found 3, culture medium contaminated 13, culture medium dried up 1, insufficient growth on culture medium 13)....	78
“ bacteriological examinations of convalescent cases of diphtheria, preced- ing disinfection.....	19
“ bacteriological examinations of healthy throats in infected families.....	17
“ bacteriological examinations of suspected tuberculosis (tubercle bacilli found 11, not found 6).....	Not determined.
Croton water—Number of bacteria per c. c.....	

Total number of dead animals removed from streets	617
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Executive Action.

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances	368
" Attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders	380
" civil actions begun	36
" arrests made	10
" judgments obtained in civil courts	4
" " criminal courts	10
" permits issued	71
" persons removed from overcrowded apartments .....	.....

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



The 656 deaths represent a death-rate of 17.31 against 18.22 for the previous week and 19.04 for the corresponding week of 1893.

Contagious and infectious diseases continue to increase, the number of cases reported of diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and small-pox being respectively 112, 18, 53, 35 and 1, against 107, 18, 23, 25 and 10 for the previous week, a total of 219 against 183. The increase of diphtheria was mainly in the Twelfth and Nineteenth Wards, and the decrease in the Seventh and Twenty-second Wards. The increase of measles was most marked in the Seventh Ward, and the decrease in the Tenth and Nineteenth Wards. The increase of scarlet fever was chiefly in the Twelfth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, there being no marked decrease in any ward. Twenty of the 35 cases of typhoid fever were above Fortieth street, and 9 of the remaining 15 were below Fourteenth street, pretty well scattered.

By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL

Minutes of a meeting of the Board of Electrical Control, held at the office of the Mayor, in the City of New York, on Thursday, October 4, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—Mayor Thomas F. Gilroy, President; Commissioners Jacob Hess, Theodore Moss and Walton Storm.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Commissioner Moss reported that the overhead wires of the Thompson-Houston Electric Company, in Fourteenth street, had been removed and its wires placed in the subway.

The Engineer reported as follows :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL,
No. 1264 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, October 4, 1894.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Board of Electrical Control:

GENTLEMEN—I have to report that the construction of subways during the season of 1894 includes—

For Low Tension Telephone and Telegraph Service.

Front street, from Fletcher street to Gouverneur lane.
Nassau street, from Spruce to Ann street.
Madison avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Seventy-first street.
Ninetieth street, from West End to Columbus avenue.
Thirty-second street, from Third to First avenue.
Sixty-fifth street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.
Sixty-seventh street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.
Sixty-ninth street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.
Battery place, from Greenwich to West street.
Front street, from Burling Slip to Fulton street.
Sixty-ninth street, from Columbus to West End avenue.
Seventy-fifth street, from Columbus to West End avenue.
Seventy-seventh street, from Columbus to West End avenue.
Seventy-second street, from Eighth to West End avenue.
Eighty-sixth street, from Columbus to West End avenue.
Columbus avenue, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundredth street.
Manhattan street, from Twelfth to Amsterdam avenue.
Manhattan street, from Amsterdam avenue to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

For High Tension Electric Light and Power Service.

Fourteenth street, from First avenue to Avenue B.
 Dey street, from Broadway to Church street.
 Grand street, from Goerck to East street.
 Broome street, from South Fifth avenue to Wooster street.
 Pearl street, from Whitehall to William street.
 Nassau street, from Spruce street to Maiden lane.
 Nassau street, from Maiden lane to Liberty street.
 Water street, from Fulton to Dover street.
 Maiden lane, from William to Pearl street.
 Liberty street, from William street to Maiden lane.
 Dover street, from Pearl to Water street.
 Frankfort street, from Pearl to Gold street.
 Nassau street, from Liberty to Wall street.
 Astor place, from Broadway to Third avenue.
 Theatre Alley, from Ann to Beekman street.
 Gold street, from Frankfort to Spruce street.
 Gold street, from Pearl to Water street.
 John street, from Pearl to Water street.
 Broome street, from Wooster to Greene street.
 Water street, from Fulton street to Old Slip.
 Christopher street, from West to Washington street.
 Christopher street, from Washington to Greenwich street.

I suggest that the usual ninety days' notice for removal of poles be sent to all owning and operating overhead-wires on poles through those streets.

The remainder of the work authorized by the Board for construction during the season of 1894 includes :

For High Tension Service.

First avenue, from Houston to Twenty-ninth street.
Fourth street, from Second avenue to Avenue B.
Second avenue, from Houston to Fourteenth street.
Avenue A, from Houston to Seventh street.
Avenue A, from Seventh to Twenty-fourth street.
Thirty-fourth street, from First to Third avenue.
—which will be constructed in the near future.
The following streets :
Pearl street, from Dover to Frankfort street.
Beekman street, from Park Row to Nassau street.
Maiden Lane, from Broadway to William street.
Ann street, from Broadway to Nassau street.
—were applied for by the New York Light, Heat and Power Company, under the supposition that the subways in that neighborhood were filled, but as space was provided for by the company there is no longer any necessity for construction there.

The application of the United Electric Light and Power Company for a subway in Houston street, from First avenue to Avenue B, was authorized from First avenue to Ludlow street, on account of the new paving from Ludlow street to Avenue B, and unless the company can have its application for the entire length provided for, it does not desire the construction as authorized. There seems to be a necessity for this construction from Ludlow street to Avenue B, and I recommend that the Board make an exception to its rule and allow the new paving to be disturbed in this particular street.

The work authorized, at the request of the Edison Company, in Prince street, from Broadway to Marion street, and from Marion to Mulberry street, and in Seventy-third street, from Fifth to Madison avenue, and from Madison to Park avenue, will not be constructed this season, as the business does not warrant the same.

The balance of the work authorized for the accommodation of the Edison Company has been completed, namely :

Broom street, from Pearl to Gold street.
Broom street, from Green to Mercer street.
Nassau street, from Maiden Lane to Beekman street.
Pine street, from Pearl to Front street.
Wall street, from Pearl to Water street.
West Broadway, from Chambers to Duane street.
Wooster street, from Bleecker to West Third street.
Nineteenth street, from Broadway to No. 33 East Nineteenth street.
Twenty-fifth street, from Lexington to Third avenue.
Warren street, from Broadway to Church street.
West Houston street, from Sullivan street to South Fifth avenue.
Lexington avenue, from Twenty-sixth street to 325 feet south.
Mercer street, from Third to Eighth street.

Very respectfully,
HENRY S. KEARNY, Engineer.

The foregoing report was directed to be filed and spread at length on the minutes, and, in connection therewith, on motion of his Honor the Mayor, the following resolutions were adopted :

Resolved, That the ninety days' notice provided by the Statute be sent to all companies and persons operating overhead-wires on the streets mentioned in the first part of the Engineer's report.

Resolved, That the report of the Engineer, with regard to the application of the United Electric Light and Power Company, for a subway in Houston street, from Ludlow street to Avenue B. be laid over.

The Engineer also submitted the following report :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL,
No. 1264 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 24, 1894.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Board of Electrical Control:

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith original applications for subway construction, and recommend that the Board authorize the same, as they are all through streets where old paving or asphalt paving exists at the present time.

For the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York, the construction of subway in Twelfth street, from Sixth to Fifth avenue, and from Fifth avenue to University place, and from University place to No. 42 East Twelfth street; and subsidiaries, in Forty-sixth street, from Fifth

avenue, west, to No. 32, and in Thirty-fourth street, from Third avenue, east, to No. 214 East Thirty-fourth street.

For the Mount Morris Electric Light Company, a crossing of West Broadway on the south side of Duane street.

For the United Electric Light and Power Company, a subway in Stanton street, north side, from the northwest corner of Forsyth street to the station of the United States Illuminating Company; and in Forsyth street, west side, from the Houston street subway to northwest corner of Stanton street.

For the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, a subway in Second avenue, east side, from Houston to Fourteenth street, and a subway on the line of Third avenue (as near as possible), from One Hundred and Thirtieth street, north, to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, including the crossing under the Harlem river.

The above being the only applications for construction of subways received since the last meeting of the Board.

An application from the Edison Electric Company, dated October 1, for a subway in New Chambers street, from New Bowery two hundred and twenty-five feet east to Oak street, is in a street paved since 1890, but I recommend that this special case be excepted from the general rule and that it be authorized under such restrictions as to repaving as this Board may impose.

Very respectfully,

HENRY S. KEARNY, Engineer.

Which was also directed to be filed and spread on the minutes, and,

On motion of his Honor the Mayor, it was

Resolved, That the application of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York, dated September 7, 1894, for a subsidiary in Forty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue, west, to No. 32 West Forty-sixth street, be denied.

Resolved, That the application of the United Electric Light and Power Company, dated August 23, 1894, for a subway in Stanton street, north side, from the northwest corner of Forsyth street to the station of the United States Illuminating Company, and in Forsyth street, west side, from the Houston street subway to northwest corner of Stanton street, be laid over.

Resolved, That the applications of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York, dated July 10 and September 10, 1894, for the construction of subways for the accommodation of its electrical conductors, be and are hereby granted.

Resolved, That the Empire City Subway Company (Limited), be and it is hereby authorized and directed to construct subways for accommodation of low tension electrical conductors in the following localities:

Twelfth street, south side, from Sixth to Fifth avenue, and from Fifth avenue to University place, and from University place to No. 42 East Twelfth street.

Thirty-fourth street, south side, from Third avenue, East, to No. 214 East Thirty-fourth street.

Provided, however, that this resolution shall not take effect until the corporations and individuals making application for the construction of said subways shall have first furnished to said Empire City Subway Company (Limited), security for the occupation of said subways and the payment of rentals therefor in advance, as provided by chapter 263 of the Laws of 1892.

Resolved, That the application of the Mount Morris Electric Light Company, for a crossing of West Broadway at Duane street, dated June 29, 1894, be and is hereby granted.

Resolved, That the Consolidated Telegraph and Electrical Subway Company be and it is hereby authorized and directed to construct, for the accommodation of the Mount Morris Electric Light Company, a crossing of West Broadway on the south side of Duane street.

Resolved, That the two applications of the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, dated respectively October 1, 1894, for the construction of subways for the accommodation of its electrical conductors, be and are hereby granted.

Resolved, that the Empire City Subway Company (Limited) be and it is hereby authorized and directed to construct subways for the accommodation of low tension electrical conductors in the following localities:

Second avenue, east side, from Houston to Fourteenth street.

From One Hundred and Thirtieth street, under the Harlem river, as nearly as practicable on the line of Third avenue; thence on Third avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

Provided, however, that this resolution shall not take effect until the corporations and individuals making application for the construction of said subways shall have first furnished to said Empire City Subway Company (Limited) security for the occupation of said subways, and the payment of rentals therefor in advance, as provided by chapter 263 of the Laws of 1892.

Resolved, That the application of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York, dated September 25, 1894, for a subway in New Chambers street, north side, from New Bowery to Oak street, be granted, on condition that an arrangement be made by said company with the Department of Public Works, by which the Department of Public Works will relay the pavement and the company will pay the expense thereof.

Resolved, That the Empire City Subway Company (Limited) be and it is hereby authorized and directed to construct a subway for the accommodation of low tension electrical conductors in New Chambers street, north side, from New Bowery to Oak street.

Provided, however, that this resolution shall not take effect until the corporations and individuals making application for the construction of said subway shall have first furnished to said Empire City Subway Company (Limited) security for the occupation of said subway, and the payment of rentals therefor in advance, as provided by chapter 263 of the Laws of 1892; and provided the condition imposed on the Edison Electric Illuminating Company shall first be complied with.

Commissioner Moss submitted the following report in relation to the placing by the Consolidated Gas Company of wires in its gas-mains for the purpose of transmitting electricity, and the following communication from said company replying to the Board's letter on that subject:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL,
No. 1264 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, October 4, 1894.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to report that information has reached me to the effect that the Consolidated Gas Company of this city, has placed in its gas-mains, at various places, wires for the purpose of transmitting electricity.

I notified that company on the 14th instant to have these wires removed immediately, but up to the present they still remain.

I beg therefore to submit the matter to the Board for such action as may be deemed proper.

Very respectfully,

THEODORE MOSS.

CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY OF NEW YORK,
No. 4 IRVING PLACE,
NEW YORK, September 19, 1894.

MR. THEODORE MOSS, Secretary, Board of Electrical Control, No. 1264 Broadway, N. Y. City:

SIR—I am in receipt of your favor of the 14th inst., in which you state it has come to the knowledge of the Board of Electrical Control that this company has without authority of law placed wires in its mains.

This company has for nearly ten years had its stations and works connected by such wires, which are used solely by our own employees for the purpose of signaling from one station to another. It is essential to the proper conduct of our business that we should do so; but we have no occasion to use any of the conduits laid in the streets by others, as the wires placed in our mains, which were laid, it is true, for another purpose, is still useful to accomplish this result. This has been so from a date previous to the organization of the Board of Electrical Control.

We are advised that we are not violating any law of the State, and we are certainly protected, and our rights established, by the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the case of the Empire City Subway Company (Limited) against the Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Company.

Yours truly,

A. E. GAWTRY, President.

On motion of his Honor the Mayor, it was

Resolved, That the communication of the Consolidated Gas Company in reference to placing and maintaining electrical wires in its gas mains be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, with request that he give an opinion to this Board as to whether or not this company is violating the law.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate with the Commissioner of Public Works and inform him of the action of this Board, and request him to prohibit and stop in every possible and conceivable way the laying of any more wires in those pipes until this question is decided by the Corporation Counsel.

The following reports of the Secretary were read and considered:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL,
No. 1264 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, October 3, 1894.

The following number of wires have been removed that were replaced across the following streets by parties unknown since June, 1894:

Crossing New street.....	33 Wires.
" Broad street.....	6 "
" William street.....	20 "

Crossing Exchange place.....	13 Wires.
" Stone street.....	10 "
" Wall street.....	20 "
" Beaver street.....	8 "
" Hanover Square.....	5 "
" Pearl street.....	4 "
" Pine street.....	16 "

Total..... 139 Wires.

Very respectfully,

THEODORE MOSS, Secretary.

In the following streets and avenues there are electric-light pole lines where subways have been completed and the ninety days' notice has expired:

Third avenue, from Fourteenth street to Bowery, United States.

Sixth street, from Bowery to Second avenue, Brush.

Fourth street, from Bowery to Second avenue, Brush.

Essex street, from Houston to Grand street, Brush.

Very respectfully,

THEODORE MOSS, Secretary.

Commissioner Moss, in connection with last report, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a written notice be sent by the Secretary to the United States Illuminating Company and the Brush Electric Illuminating Company, informing them that unless the poles and wires in the streets mentioned are removed by them in ten days summary action will be taken in the premises.

His Honor the Mayor moved to amend the resolution by substituting the words "this Board will immediately proceed to remove the same" in place of the words "summary action will be taken in the premises." Commissioner Moss accepted the amendment, and the resolution thus amended was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary reported that during the month of August there was removed by the Inspectors of the Board of Electrical Control about twenty-one and a half miles of overhead-wire, and during the month of September about eleven miles of overhead-wire, without any expense to the City.

The Electrical Expert submitted the following reports:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL,
No. 1264 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 18, 1894.

Hon. THEODORE MOSS, Secretary of the Board of Electrical Control:

DEAR SIR—I have to report that the overhead electric light circuit on West Fourteenth street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, has been entirely removed and placed in the subway.

Very respectfully,

SCHUYLER A. WHEELER, Electrical Expert.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL,
No. 1264 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 28, 1894.

Hon. THEODORE MOSS, Secretary of the Board of Electrical Control:

DEAR SIR—I have to report that overhead-wires have recently been strung across Broadway, from housetop to housetop, in the district some time ago entirely cleared of all overhead-wires by this Board.

In each case the wire used was many times thinner than ordinarily used for overhead work, showing clearly the intention of making the line invisible from the street, and thus escaping detection.

The first wire discovered crossed Broadway from No. 67 to No. 70. This wire (Exhibit No. 1) was removed August 17, and was replaced by another wire (Exhibit No. 2). This was removed September 12, 1894, by the inspectors, who in following the ends to locate the people using the wire found the ends cut off on a roof, so that it was impossible to follow the wire any further.

Exhibit No. 3 was strung some time between 4 P. M. of September 13 and 9 A. M. of September 14, to the best of our knowledge, as it was discovered and removed September 14. This wire ran from the office of Brode & Co., bankers and brokers, No. 57 Broadway, Room 30, across Exchange Alley to No. 55 Broadway, where it crossed Broadway to the Tower Building, thence across Exchange place to the Consolidated Exchange. Here the inspectors were refused admission to the roof, so the wire could not be traced to any office in this building, although when the inspectors cut the wire across Exchange place somebody was on the roof of the Exchange and drew the wire up to the roof. Who did this the inspectors were unable to find out.

Exhibit No. 4 ran from the offices of J. H. Doyle, Room 20; Henry Harris, Room 5, and the Mutual Stock and Produce Company, all in the building No. 51 New street, whence it ran along the Tower Building and across Broadway to Aldrich Court, across Trinity place, thence south to Field Building, No. 1 Broadway. Here the wire was traced to the cellar, where it entered a flue and could be followed no farther, although every effort was made.

Exhibit No. 5, two wires were strung across Broadway from No. 53 to No. 52 Broadway, to No. 61 New street, to the same offices with which wires connected. This wire was not up Saturday afternoon, but was found Monday morning, September 17, and removed.

Exhibit No. 6, one wire strung to same office that wire No. 3 entered the same time No. 5 was strung, and was removed September 17, 1894.

Exhibit No. 7 was strung to same office as No. 3 and No. 6 but crossed Broadway at another point, No. 30 to No. 31, and went to No. 65 New street, and was removed September 27.

Very respectfully,

SCHUYLER A. WHEELER, Electrical Expert.

On motion of his Honor the Mayor, it was

Resolved, That Commissioner Storm be appointed a committee of one to wait on the District Attorney and secure such action to be taken by him as may be requisite to punish the persons who are engaged in violating the provisions of the law under which this Board is acting, and to prevent further stringing of these wires without authority.

The following communication of the United Electric Light and Power Company was read:

THE UNITED ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY,
No. 108 FULTON STREET,
NEW YORK, September 26, 1894.

Hon. THEODORE MOSS, Secretary, Board of Electrical Control, No. 1264 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—We wish to cancel our application of April 2 for subway facility on the east side of Second avenue, from Houston street to Fourteenth street, and our application of June 19 for a similar subway on the west side of said avenue, and in place of the foregoing we hand you herewith our application for a subway to be constructed on the east side of Second avenue, from Houston street to the south side of Seventh street, and for a subway to be constructed on the west side of Second avenue, from Houston street to the north side of Fifth street.

As the Consolidated Telegraph and Electrical Subway Company have not yet begun the construction of the subways, as originally proposed, we trust you will grant our request for countermanding of the original and substitution of the revised application.

Very truly yours,

THE UNITED ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY,

per C. H. JACKSON, Vice-President and Manager.

The Board referred the matter to the Engineer to take such steps as may be necessary or practicable.

The following communications from the Metropolitan Telephone Company and the Fire Department relative to the removal of certain poles and wires were read:

GENERAL OFFICES OF
THE METROPOLITAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
No. 18 CORTLANDT STREET,
NEW YORK, September 28, 1894.

Hon. THEODORE MOSS, Secretary, Board of Electrical Control, No. 1264 Broadway, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I beg to refer again to your esteemed favor of August 10, 1894, in which you state that the Fire Department expresses a hope that its wires will be removed before the end of the month (August) from the following streets:

Christie street, from Bayard to Houston street.

East Broadway, from Catharine street to Market street.

Hester street, from Ludlow to Mott street.

Madison street, from Catharine to Rutgers street.

Orchard street, from Canal to Grand street.

Thirteenth street, from Third avenue to Avenue A.

Nineteenth street, from First avenue to Avenue B.

Twenty-second street, from Second avenue to Avenue A.

Forty-fourth street, from First avenue to Third avenue.

First avenue, from Houston to Fifty-ninth street.

Avenue A, from Thirteenth street to Twenty-third street.

Fifty-sixth street, from First avenue to East river.

Thirteenth street, from Eighth avenue to Eleventh avenue.

Will you be kind enough to advise us whether or not we may proceed with the removal of the poles from the streets named.

Yours, very truly,

U. N. BETHELL, General Manager.

FIRE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF FIRE-ALARM, TELEGRAPH AND ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, October 2, 1894.

Hon. THEODORE MOSS, Commissioner, and Secretary Board of Electrical Control, No. 1264 Broadway, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of yesterday, inclosing communication from the Metropolitan Telephone Company, covering a list of streets from which they desire to remove their poles, provided the wires of this Department have been removed therefrom, and in reply to which I beg to inform you that this Department's wires have been removed from all the streets specified in the communication, with the exception of that portion of First avenue north of Twenty-third street, and in Fifty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.

Very respectfully,

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

The Board adopted, on motion of his Honor the Mayor, the following resolution in connection with these communications:

Resolved, That the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company be notified that it can remove the poles and wires from all the streets specified in its communication, except the two mentioned by Mr. Smith.

The following communications of the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company and the American District Telegraph Company were directed to be filed and spread on the minutes:

GENERAL OFFICES OF
THE METROPOLITAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
[No. 18 CORTLANDT STREET,
NEW YORK, August 4, 1894.

Hon. THEODORE MOSS, Secretary, Board of Electrical Control, No. 1264 Broadway, New York:

DEAR SIR—I beg to advise that this Company has removed during the month of July, poles and wires as follows:

Avenue D, Tenth street to Thirteenth street.....	3 Poles.
Elizabeth street, Houston street to Broome street.....	7 "
Pike street, South street to Henry street.....	3 "
Water street, Pike street to Jefferson street.....	15 "
Eleventh street, Bleeker street to West street.....	11 "
Twenty-seventh street, Tenth avenue to North river.....	5 "
One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Third avenue to Lenox ave.....	7 "
—and from various parts of the City single poles left standing when the lines were removed in order to accommodate the Fire and Police Departments, which wires have now been removed and the poles taken down.....	13 "
Total	64 Poles.

The quantity of wire removed from various lines, chiefly One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, East Forty-fourth street and Tenth avenue, amounts to 197 miles.

Yours, very truly,

E. W. CARRIT, General Superintendent.

GENERAL OFFICES OF
THE METROPOLITAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
No. 18 CORTLANDT STREET,
NEW YORK, September 10, 1894.

Hon. THEODORE MOSS, Secretary, Board of Electrical Control, No. 1264 Broadway, New York:

DEAR SIR—I beg to advise you that during the month of August this Company has removed but one pole from Fifty-fourth street and First avenue, and about 750 feet of wire.

Yours, very truly,

E. W. CARRIT, General Superintendent.

GENERAL OFFICES OF
THE METROPOLITAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
No. 18 CORTLANDT STREET,
NEW YORK, October 3, 1894.

Hon. THEO. MOSS, Secretary, Board of Electrical Control, No. 1264 Broadway, New York, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—I beg to advise you that this company has removed during the month of September poles and wires as follows:

On South street, from Old Slip to James Slip.....	35 Poles.
On James street, from South to Cherry street.....	1 "
On Catharine street, from Cherry to South street.....	3 "
Water street, corner Pike Slip.....	1 "
On Corlears street, from Grand to Front street.....	3 "
On Front street, from Corlears to Jackson street.....	3 "
On Essex street, from Canal to Hester street.....	2 "
On Chrystie street, from Bayard to Hudson street.....	12 "
On Hester street, corner Bowery.....	1 "
On Rutgers street, from Madison to Water street.....	6 "
On Orchard street, from Canal to Grand street.....	2 "
On Pike street, from Division to Water street.....	9 "
On Madison street, from Market to Rutgers street.....	9 "
On Avenue A, between Sixtieth and Sixty-third streets.....	4 "
On Thirteenth street, from Third avenue to Avenue A.....	17 "
On Fifty-first street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.....	1 "
On Beekman street, from South to Pearl street.....	5 "
On Montgomery street, near South street.....	1 "
Total	115 Poles.

The quantity of wire removed from the various lines amounts to 10,800 feet.

Yours, very truly,

E. W. CARRIT, General Superintendent.

AMERICAN DISTRICT TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, No. 8 DEY STREET,
NEW YORK, September 10, 1894.

THEO. MOSS, Esq., Secretary, Board of Electrical Control, Nos. 1262 and 1264 Broadway:

DEAR SIR—During the month of August no cable was placed in New York subways.

Four (4) overhead wires were taken down which ran from office corner Chambers street and Broadway to No. 4 Warren street, a total of twenty-four hundred (2,400) feet.

Respectfully,

GEO. V. B. FROST, Superintendent.

The following applications were read:

An application of the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, dated October 2, 1894, to erect a line of poles on Lincoln avenue, from the Harlem river to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, to replace the line now on Third avenue, between the points named, which must be removed on account of the Third Avenue Bridge improvement.

And on motion of his Honor the Mayor, it was

Resolved, That the application be approved, and ordered granted, subject to such conditions as the Secretary may impose.

An application of the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, dated October 1, 1894, to erect a line of poles on Jerome avenue, from the Harlem river to the northern limits of the City.

An application of the North River Electric-light and Power Company, dated August 29, 1894, to run one commercial arc circuit on existing poles on Third avenue, from One Hundred and Fortieth street to Courtlandt avenue.

And on motion of his Honor the Mayor, it was

Resolved, That the application be approved, and ordered granted, subject to such conditions as the Secretary may impose.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, October 20, 1894.

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 October 20, 1894:

Applicants Examined.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	
John F. McLaughlin	98 Lawrence street	Clerk.....	Passed.
Emanuel M. Levey	616 East Ninth street.....	Cigar-maker.....	"
Augustus Atz.....	418 West Eighteenth street.....	Machinist	"
Henry G. Pieper.....	231 East Seventieth street	Grocer.....	Rejected.
Nicholas Kennedy	300 East Twenty-ninth street.....	Clerk.....	Passed.
Philip Blum	444 Tenth avenue.....	"	Rejected.
Charles Atkinson	447 Second avenue.....	Cigar-maker.....	Passed.
Nicholas L. Hane.....	234 East Seventh street.....	Expressman	Rejected.
John J. Delaney	310 Madison street.....	Watchman	Passed.
William Palm.....	154 Third avenue	Salesman	"
George H. Wolf.....	366 East Eighth street	Driver	"
Nathan MacKewan.....	{ One Hundred and Eighty-second street and } Washington avenue.....	Tinsmith	Rejected.
Joseph R. Spellman.....	229 West Sixteenth street	Clerk.....	"
Frank Lorber.....	420 East Fifth street.....	Printer	"
Herman Gerow.....	408 West Forty-sixth street.....	Car-builder.....	Passed.
George Klute.....	244 East Seventh street.....	Plumber.....	"
James J. Dunne.....	307 East Thirty-seventh street.....	Clerk.....	"
Robert J. McGuire.....	747 Greenwich street.....	Steam-fitter.....	"
John McNulty.....	671 Water street.....	Truckman.....	"
Thomas J. Hartnett.....	255 East One Hundred and Tenth street.....	Salesman	"
Joseph Luchesi.....	44 East Third street.....	Bookkeeper	"
John Jansen.....	37 Broome street.....	Clerk.....	"
Edward J. White.....	1319 Second avenue.....	Carpenter	Rejected.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
THURSDAY, October 18, 1894, 11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—Thomas F. Gilroy, the Mayor; Ashbel P. Fitch, the Comptroller; George B. McClellan, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments; William H. Clark, the Counsel to the Corporation.

The minutes of the meeting held October 17, 1894, were read and approved.

On motion, the Board proceeded to the consideration of the Provisional Estimate for the year 1895.

The estimate of the Police Department was taken up for consideration.

James J. Martin, President, and Charles H. Murray, Commissioners of Police, appeared and made statements in explanation thereof.

The estimate of the Fire Department was taken up.

J. J. Scannell, President of the Fire Department, appeared and made a statement in explanation thereof.

The estimate of the Department of Buildings was taken up and considered.

Thos. J. Brady, Superintendent of Buildings, appeared and made a statement in explanation.

The estimates of the Law Department, and Department of Taxes and Assessments, were considered.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Friday, October 19, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
FRIDAY, October 19, 1894—11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—Thomas F. Gilroy, the Mayor; Ashbel P. Fitch, the Comptroller; George B. McClellan, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and William H. Clark, the Counsel to the Corporation.

The minutes of the meeting held October 18, 1894, were read and approved.

The following communication was received:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 19, 1894.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit the following proceedings of the Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at a meeting held this day:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to transfer the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) from the appropriation entitled "Supplies for Insane Asylums," to the appropriation entitled "Supplies for all but Insane Asylums," which sum represents their proportion of the telephone contract for the current year.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Referred to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board proceeded to the consideration of the Provisional Estimate for the year 1895.

The estimate of the Department of Public Charities and Correction was taken up for consideration.

A communication was received from the New York County Visiting Committee of the State Charities Aid Association requesting appropriations for various improvements in the institutions under the charge of the Department of Charities and Correction.

C. E. Simmons, M. D., and E. C. Sheehy, Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, and A. E. Macdonald, General Superintendent of the Insane, appeared and made statements in explanation.

The estimate of the Board of Education was taken up and considered.

A communication was received from a Committee of the Truancy Agents of the Board of Education, requesting an additional appropriation for salaries.

Commissioners Knox, President; Hunt, Harris, Elias, O'Brien, Coleman, Livingston, Goulden, Moriarty, Rogers, Benneville, Maclay, Van Arsdale and Wehrum, and C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of Buildings of the Board of Education, appeared and made statements in explanation.

The estimates of the College of the City of New York and Normal College were considered.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Monday, October 22, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
No. 2622 THIRD AVENUE, CORNER 141ST STREET,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, October 20, 1894.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In compliance with section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the office of Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending October 18, 1894:

Permits Issued.

For sewer connections	20
For sewer repairs	4
For Croton connections	17
For Croton repairs	4
For placing building material	13
For crossing sidewalk with team	6
For gutter-bridge	3
For miscellaneous purposes	11
Total	78

Public Moneys Received.

For sewer connections	\$210 00
For restoring pavements	50 00
For gutter-bridges	3 00
For use of steam-roller	6 00
Total	\$269 00

Plans and Specifications Approved.

Regulating and grading One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Teller avenue to Morris avenue.

Regulating and grading Teller avenue, from Railroad avenue, West, to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

Constructing sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Franklin avenue to summit east.

Laboring Force Employed during the Week.

Foremen	11	Wheelwright	1
Assistant Foremen	13	Carpenters	8
Engineers of Steam Rollers	2	Painters	5
Skilled Laborers	14	Pavers	4
Sewer Laborers	17	Pruners	3
Laborers	417	Blacksmiths	2
Rockman	1	Cleaners	3
Carts	8		
Teams	55	Total	565
Machinist	1		
Total amount of requisitions drawn upon the Comptroller during the week			\$74,981 43

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFEN, Commissioner.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, October 17, 1894, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon.

The Construction or Executive Committee recommended that the following resolutions, adopted on September 19, 1894, be rescinded:

“Resolved, That, for the more efficient carrying out of the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, and the acts amendatory thereof, we, the Aqueduct Commissioners, do hereby approve and adopt the aforesaid final plan sheet showing certain parcels of land required for the construction of the Jerome Park Reservoir, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, and direct that the same be duly certified and filed in this office and designated ‘Final Plan Sheet No. 5 of 1894,’ and that a copy thereof be certified and transmitted to the Commissioner of Public Works, for filing in his office, as required by section 25 of the aforesaid act.

“Resolved, That the six similar property maps, received from the Commissioner of Public Works on September 10, 1894, showing certain parcels of land required for the construction of the Jerome Park Reservoir, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, be and the same are hereby approved and adopted, and directed to be certified to the Counsel to the Corporation for filing and delivery to the Commissioners of Appraisal, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York; and the Counsel to the Corporation is hereby requested to take the steps necessary to acquire for the City, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, the fee in the lands described on said maps; and the Secretary is hereby directed to furnish to the Counsel to the Corporation all maps, plans, etc., which he may require in the premises.”

And also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the copy of the final plan sheet and the property maps referred to in the above resolutions be and the same are hereby ordered withdrawn from the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works and the Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the recommendations were approved.

The Committee also presented the following communications, and recommended that they be spread in full upon the minutes and filed:

NEW YORK, October 17, 1894.

To the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—In handing you the accompanying letter of the Commissioner of Public Works, dated October 15, 1894, in which he transmits final plan sheets and six similar maps of land to be taken for the Jerome Park Reservoir, it may be proper to state as follows:

The Counsel to the Corporation, to whom you forwarded, on September 21, 1894, the maps accepted by yourselves for the land to be acquired for the construction of a receiving and distributing reservoir in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, to be known as the “Jerome Park Reservoir,” having represented that the descriptions of the proposed highways in connection with the reservoir were not fully given as required by the amendment of 1887 (chapter 196), the Commissioner of Public Works was requested to prepare a new set of maps, including the amendments called for by the Counsel to the Corporation. The amended maps, which conform in all respects with the maps formerly transmitted on September 10, 1894, with the exception of the aforesaid amended descriptions and title, were duly transmitted by the Commissioner of Public Works, together with his aforesaid letter of October 15.

Very respectfully,

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 15, 1894.

Gen. JAMES C. DUANE, President, Aqueduct Commission:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith final plan sheets and six similar maps of land to be taken for the Jerome Park Reservoir. These final plan sheets and maps are in place of others heretofore transmitted to you, and contain additional information, etc., called for by the Counsel to the Corporation.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the recommendation was approved.

The Committee also presented final plan sheet, described as “Exhibit No. 5 of 1894,” submitted by the Commissioner of Public Works on October 15, 1894, showing certain parcels of land required for the construction of a receiving and distributing reservoir in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, to be known as the “Jerome Park Reservoir,” and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, for the more efficient carrying out of the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, and the acts amendatory thereof, we, the Aqueduct Commissioners, do hereby approve and adopt the aforesaid final plan sheet showing certain parcels of land required for the construction of a receiving and distributing reservoir in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, to be known as the “Jerome Park Reservoir,” and direct that the same be duly certified and filed in this office and designated “Final Plan Sheet No. 5 of 1894”; and that a copy thereof be certified and transmitted to the Commissioner of Public Works for filing in his office, as required by section 25 of the aforesaid act.

The same was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Committee also presented six similar property maps, submitted by the Commissioner of Public Works on October 15, 1894, showing certain parcels of land required for the construction of a receiving and distributing reservoir in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, to be known as the “Jerome Park Reservoir,” and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the six similar property maps received from the Commissioner of Public Works on October 15, 1894, showing certain parcels of land required for the construction of a receiving and distributing reservoir in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, to be known as the “Jerome Park Reservoir,” be and the same are hereby approved and adopted, and directed to be certified to the Counsel to the Corporation for filing and delivery to the Commissioners of Appraisal, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York; and the Counsel to the Corporation is hereby requested to take the steps necessary to acquire for the City, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, the fee in the lands described on said maps; and the Secretary is hereby directed to furnish to the Counsel to the Corporation all maps, plans, etc., which he may require in the premises.

The same was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the town of North Salem, Westchester County, N. Y., for the year 1894 (School District No. 2), on property taken in fee by the City of New York for the construction of the New Croton Aqueduct in said town, amounting to seventy-seven dollars and twenty cents (\$77.20), is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the town of Greenburgh, Westchester County, N. Y., for the year 1894 (School District No. 5), on property taken in fee by the City of New York for the construction of the New Croton Aqueduct in said town, amounting to ten dollars and fifty cents (\$10.50), is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the towns of Ossining and Mount Pleasant, Westchester County, N. Y., for the year 1894 (School District No. 6), on property taken in fee by the City of New York for the construction of the New Croton Aqueduct in said towns, amounting to one dollar and thirty-six cents (\$1.36), is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Julian Thornley, Chairman, be and hereby is recommended to the Civil Service Commissioners for examination for promotion to the grade of Rodman in the Engineer Corps.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 9863 to 9877, inclusive, amounting to \$248.45.

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

The Commissioners then adjourned.

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, October 20, 1894.

Abstract of Amount of Expenditures and Liabilities of the Aqueduct Commissioners during the Month of September, 1894, as required by Section 39, Chapter 490, Laws of 1883.

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries—Commissioners and employees	13,078 43
Taxes	745 92
Office stationery and petty expenses	139 87
Horse feed, repairs to wagons, etc.	154 24
Instruments, drawing materials and supplies	31 30
Transportation and incidental expenses	91 89
Building office (New Croton Dam), wrenches, labor, etc.	138 00
Horses	400 00
Expenditures	\$14,779 65

Monthly estimates of amounts due contractors for work done under contracts for New Croton Dam; earth and masonry dams, Reservoirs D and M; auxiliary earth and masonry dam, Reservoir D, and highways or roads, etc., Reservoirs D and M

64,169 65

Total expenditures

\$78,949 30

LIABILITIES.

Office rents	\$1,700 00
Salaries—Commissioners and employees	10,294 76
Office stationery and petty expenses	43 00
Transportation and incidental expenses	568 51
Instruments, drawing materials and supplies	19 02
Horse feed, repairs to wagons, etc.	90 60
Liabilities	\$12,715 89

Monthly estimates of amounts due to contractors for work done under contracts for Highway Bridge superstructures, New Croton Dam; earth and masonry dams, Reservoirs D and M; auxiliary earth and masonry dam, Reservoir D, and highways or roads, etc., Reservoirs D and M

58,510 98

Total liabilities

\$71,226 87

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct and true abstract of account of expenditures and liabilities of the Aqueduct Commissioners for the month of September, 1894, the said account being on file in the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

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, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor. WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES G. F. WAHLE and EDWARD OWEN.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN J. TUCKER; FRANCIS M. SCOTT, H. W. CANNON, and THE MAYOR, COMPTROLLER and COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, ex officio, Commissioners; EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary; A. FIELEY, Chief Engineer.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
Address EDWARD P. BARKER, Stewart Building.
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.
GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, President; Board of Aldermen.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 220 Fourth avenue, corner of Eighteenth street
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).
 ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room C).
 GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9); JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4); WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent of Street Improvements (Room 5); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (Room 6); WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); MAURICE FEATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 1); STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11); JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets and Roadways (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16); NICHOLAS R. O'CONNOR, Superintendent of Street Openings (Room 14).

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
 No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
 LOUIS F. HAPFEN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
 No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller; EDGAR J. LEVEY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes; JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.
 Staats Zeitung Building, third and fourth floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
 WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.
 ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.
 No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

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

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.
 MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row.
 JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to the Counsel to the Corporation, in charge.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES H. MURRAY, JOHN C. SHEEHAN and MICHAEL KERWIN, Commissioners; 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; CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., and EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners; 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.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

No. 146 Grand street, corner Elm street.
 CHARLES H. KNOX, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

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.
 JOHN J. SCANNELL, President; ANTHONY EICKHOFF and S. HOWLAND ROBBINS, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.
 HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph. Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and CYRUS EDSON, M. D., the President of the Police Board, *ex officio*, and the Health Officer of the Port, *ex officio*, Commissioners; 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.
 GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President; ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN, NATHAN STRAUS and EDWARD BELL, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
 J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; JAMES J. PHILAN and ANDREW J. WHITE, Commissioners; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
 Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
 EDWARD P. BARKER, President; JOHN WHALEN and JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Commissioners; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, from Franklin to White street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM S. ANDREWS, Commissioner; JOHN J. RYAN, Deputy Commissioner; J. JOSEPH SCULLY, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 DANIEL P. HAYS, Chairman; LEMUEL SKIDMORE and LEE PHILLIPS, *ex officio*, Members of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer; JOHN FOORD, Examiner.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

The Mayor, Chairman; E. P. BARKER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, and the COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, Members; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.
 Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman; EDWARD CAHILL, PATRICK M. HAVERTY and HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Assessors; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM DALTON, President; MICHAEL C. MURPHY and EUGENE L. BUSHE, Commissioners; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN B. SEXTON, Sheriff; WM. H. McDONOUGH, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 FERDINAND LEVY, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ROBERT B. NOONEY, 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.
 HENRY D. PURROV, County Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; EDWARD T. FLYNN, 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; EDWARD H. HAYES, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. MCGRATH, Examiner.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
 LOUIS W. SCHULTZ, JOHN B. SHEA, EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK and WILLIAM H. DOBBS, Coroners.
 EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

New County Court-house. Court opens at 10.30 A. M. adjourns 4 P. M.
 FRANK T. FITZGERALD and JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
 FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH E. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.
 JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
 JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk; 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, daily at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
 JAMES P. KEATING, 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 Judge; JAMES BEACH, HENRY BOOKSTAVEN, HENRY BISHOP, JR., ROGER A. PRYOR and LEONARD A. GIBBERICH, Judges; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Chief Clerk.

CITY COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, opens 11 A. M. adjourns 4 P. M.
 General Term, Room No. 35.
 Special Term, Room No. 33.
 Equity Term, Room No. 36.
 Chambers, Room No. 33.
 Part I., Room No. 34.
 Part II., Room No. 35.
 Part III., Room No. 36.
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; JOHN J. FREEDMAN, CHARLES H. TRUAX, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID MCADAM and HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, Judges; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

WAUCHOPE LYNN, Justice. LOUIS C. BRUNS, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street.

Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.

HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street.

Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue.

Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JULIUS HARBURGER, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.

HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JOHN DUANE, Jr., Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue.

Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues open to close of business.

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAHAM BERNARD, Clerk.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.

Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to the close of business.

JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. SYLVESTER E. NOLAN, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.

Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river.

Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

Court opens at 9.30 A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

WILLIAM G. MCCREA, Justice. WM. H. GERMAINE, Clerk.

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river.

Court-room, No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF BROKEN STONE NEAR SHAFT 19, NEW CROTON AQUEDUCT, AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE COMPTROLLER WILL OFFER FOR SALE at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, Stewart Building, on Monday, the 29th day of October, 1894, at 12 o'clock M., five hundred cubic yards or more of broken stone, lying on city property near Shaft 19, New Croton Aqueduct, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City.

TERMS OF SALE.

The successful bidder to pay the Auctioneer's fee, and the full value of the stone according to his bid at the time of sale. The stone to be taken from such place in the dump as shall be directed by the Engineer of the Finance Department.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 17, 1894.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING), NEW YORK, October 1, 1894.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Rolls of Real Estate, Personal Property and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1894, and the warrants for the collection of taxes, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that all the taxes on said assessment rolls are now due and payable at this office.

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

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1894, ON THE Registered Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from September 30 to November 1, 1894.

The interest due November 1, 1894, on the Coupon Bonds and Stocks of the City of New York will be paid on that day by the State Trust Company, No. 36 Wall street.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 14, 1894.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9), No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, 1893.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

PUBLIC POUND.

THERE WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION, on Tuesday, October 23, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Public Pound, No. 2354 Arthur avenue, Fordham, one Red and White Cow and One Yellow Alderney Cow.

MICHAEL DONOHUE, Pound Master.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 17, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Monday, October 29, 1894:

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT THE SIDEWALKS ALONG THE EAST-ERLY AND WESTERLY SIDES OF MORNINGSIDE PARK, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET.

No. 2. FOR STEEL BARS, CUTTING AND SETTING GLASS, ETC., FOR THIRTY-SIX TANKS IN AQUARIUM.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF TRANSVERSE ROAD NO. 4, CROSSING THE CENTRAL PARK AT NINETEEN SEVENTH STREET, FROM FIFTH AVENUE TO CENTRAL PARK, WEST, EIGHTH AVENUE.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately.

The estimates of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, are as follows:

No. 1. ABOVE MENTIONED.

87,000 square feet pavement of rock asphalt, with concrete base.

24,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt, with concrete base, including rubble-stone foundation.

540 lineal feet new curb-stone.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be ONE HUNDRED CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS, and the penalty to be charged against the contractor for overtime will be FOUR DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 2. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals, ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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 FIFTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS.

No. 3. ABOVE MENTIONED.

8,600 square yards of new granite-block pavement.

158 square feet of new bridge-stone.

1,437 cubic yards of concrete in curb.

5,362 lineal feet of new five-inch curb-stone.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be FIFTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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 TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is EIGHTEEN THOUSAND

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 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 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 in each case will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposal and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had, 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.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
A. B. TAPPEN,
NATHAN STRAUS,
EDWARD BELL,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

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 4628, No. 1. Outlet sewer for Sewerage District No. 25, through One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and acquired lands to Harlem river.

List 4664, No. 2. Laying crosswalks across Avenue St. Nicholas and St. Nicholas place, at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

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

No. 1. Property bounded by One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets, Kingsbridge road and Harlem river, including south side of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Edgecombe road and Kingsbridge road; also, both sides of Jumel Terrace, from Sylvan place to One Hundred and Sixty-second street; also, west side of Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Sixty-second to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the east line of St. Nicholas place to a point distant half way between Avenue St. Nicholas and 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 30th day of November, 1894.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 19, 1894.

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 4669, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street from Tenth to Edgecombe avenue.

List 4677, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, with asphalt.

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 Sixty-sixth street, from Tenth to Edgecombe avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth 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 17th day of November, 1894.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1894.

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 4432, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbs, flagging the sidewalk, laying crosswalks and building culverts in One Hundred and Seventy-third street, between the New York and Harlem Railroad and Weeks street; also, list of awards for damages caused by change of grade on said street.

List 4580, No. 2. Regulating, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Elton to Morris avenue.

List 4644, No. 3. Regulating and paving One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, with trap blocks.

List 4650, No. 4. Receiving-basin and appurtenances at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and Washington avenue.

List 4674, No. 5. Regulating and paving One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, with trap blocks.

List 4676, No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Lenox to St. Nicholas avenue, with asphalt.

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 Seventy-third street, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Weeks street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Elton to Morris avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. North side of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Washington to Elton avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Lenox to St. Nicholas 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 16th day of November, 1894.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 15, 1894.

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 4648, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from the existing sewer in Webster avenue to the New York and Harlem Railroad.

List 4670, No. 2. Regulating and grading, setting curbs and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Amsterdam to Convent avenue.

List 4675, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Morris to Mott avenue, with granite blocks.

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 Sixty-eighth street, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Amsterdam to Convent avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Morris to Mott 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 14th day of November, 1894.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 13, 1894.

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

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, October 13, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 262a Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock p. m., on Thursday, October 25, 1894, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, from Brook avenue to summit west of Brown place.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from existing sewer in Southern Boulevard to Trinity avenue.

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Brook avenue to summit west of Brown place.

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Willow avenue to Locust avenue.

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

That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at this office.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,
Commissioner of Street Improvements,
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
NEW YORK, October 19, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations, for the positions below mentioned, will be held at this office on the dates specified:

October 25. KEEPER, Charities and Correction Department.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1894.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1894, AT 11 o'clock a. m. the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction on the ground, by Peter F. Meyer, Esq., Auctioneer, under the direction of the Superintendent of Street Improvements:

All the buildings and parts of buildings and structures now standing within the lines of Convent avenue, between One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Avenue St. Nicholas.

TERMS OF SALE:

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and removal of the buildings and structures from the avenue within twenty days after the sale; purchasers will forfeit ownership to any building, structure, or part thereof, not removed from the avenue before that time, together with the moneys paid therefor, and the Department will resell the same.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 13, 1894.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1894, AT 10.30 A. m., the Department of Public Works will sell at Public Auction, under the direction of the Water Purveyor, by Peter F. Meyer, Esq., Auctioneer, on the premises, viz.:

On One Hundred and Ninth street, at or near the East or Harlem river, about 125,000 old Belgian Paving-blocks.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the removal of the paving-blocks within five days by the purchaser, otherwise the purchaser will forfeit ownership of the same, together with all moneys paid therefor, and the Department will resell the paving-blocks.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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 thereupon 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.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, April 26, 1894.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO HOUSE owners and consumers of water from the City's water supply, that the books for the annual water rates for the year beginning May 1, 1894, are now open, and that said rates are payable in advance, beginning on the 1st of May, and that a penalty of five per cent. will be added to all rates remaining unpaid on the 1st of August, 1894, and a further penalty of ten per cent. on all rates remaining unpaid on the 1st of November, 1894.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1894.

SALE TO CONTINUE DAILY UNTIL PROPERTY IS ALL SOLD.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York, under the directions of H. H. Fowler, Auctioneer, will sell at Public Auction, on the premises, the following described buildings, etc., now standing within the flow-line of Reservoir "M," situated on Titicus river, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, viz.:

The School-house Property.

Lot No. 1. 1-story school-house, 22' x 30'; 1 privy, 10' x 6'; 1 privy, 4' x 6'.

At the Niles E. Smith Place.

Lot No. 2. 2-story residence, 73' x 44'.
Lot No. 3. Stable and loft, 31' x 55'.
Lot No. 4. Corn-crib, 12' x 20'.
Lot No. 5. Chicken house, 10' x 17' and inclosure; pig sty, 5' x 12' and inclosure.
Lot No. 6. Shed, 20' x 14'.
Lot No. 7. Horse stable and loft, 16' x 20'.
Lot No. 8. Outbuilding, 16' x 19'.
Lot No. 9. Cow stable and barn, 25' x 75'.
Lot No. 10. Ice-house, 14' x 17'.
Lot No. 11. Spring-house, 6' x 7'; privy, 5' x 6'.

At the Charles N. Bloomer Place.

Lot No. 12. Two-story residence, 34' x 34'; one and one-half-story extension, 20' x 18'.
Lot No. 13. Privy, 5' x 6'; chicken-house, 11' x 11'.
Lot No. 14. Outbuilding, 21' x 23'.
Lot No. 15. Cow stable and barn, 37' x 25'.
Lot No. 16. Horse stable and wagon-house, 41' x 16'.

At the F. D. Brown Place.

Lot No. 17. Two story residence, 66' x 27'; one story extension, 30' x 15'.
Lot No. 18. Privy, 5' x 6', and privy, 3' x 4'.
Lot No. 19. Carriage house and stable, 41' x 26'.
Lot No. 20. Barn and cow stable, 62' x 27'.
Lot No. 21. Outbuilding, 18' x 27'; ice-house, 14' x 15'.

At the Horace Reynolds' Place.

Lot No. 22. Two-story residence, 36' x 40'; one-story extension, 8' x 26'.
Lot No. 23. Two-story residence, 28' x 44'; one-story extension, 9' x 25'.
Lot No. 24. Out-building, 15' x 19'; privy, 4' x 5'.
Lot No. 25. Wood-house, 14' x 24'.
Lot No. 26. Outbuilding, 18' x 21'.
Lot No. 27. Smoke-house, 7' x 6'; corn crib, 9' x 20'; chicken-house, 9' x 13'; outbuilding, 7' x 7', and several heaps of manure.

TERMS OF SALE.

The consideration that the Aqueduct Commissioners shall receive for the foregoing buildings, etc., will be: First—The removal of every part of the building, excepting the stone foundation, on or before the twentieth day of November, 1894; and

Second—The sum paid in money on the day of sale. If any part of any building is left on the reservoir ground on or after the 30th day of November, 1894, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the building or part of building so left, and also the money part of the consideration paid at the time of the sale; and the Aqueduct Commissioners may, at any time on or after the thirtieth day of November, 1894, cause said building, or part of building, to be removed and disposed of at the expense of the party to whom the above-conditioned sale, as described, may be made. The total amount of bid must be paid at the time of the sale.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of the City of New York.

JAMES C. DUANE, President
EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
NEW YORK, October 20, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Friday, November 2, 1894, at the same place.

JAMES C. DUANE, President.

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, October 11, 1894.

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1894,

at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all wharfage and cramage which may accrue or become due for the use and occupation, in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, at the following-named wharf property:

ON THE NORTH RIVER.

For a term of ten years from November 1, 1894, with the privilege of erecting a shed, on the usual terms and conditions, and also with the privilege of a renewal for ten years, the annual rental for the renewal term to be fixed by arbitration, two persons to be appointed by the City and two by the lessee, and in case they are unable to agree a fifth person to be appointed by them, the rental, however, for the renewal term to be not less than \$15,000.

Pier at West Fifty-fourth street.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

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

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

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by

the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharfage or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding or dredging.

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

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

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

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

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

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, October 11, 1894.
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

RELATIVE TO THE GRANTING OF PERMITS FOR THE TEMPORARY OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC STREETS BY LICENSED VEHICLES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHAPTER 697, Laws of 1894, authorizes the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to grant permits for the temporary occupancy of portions of the streets and public places in the City of New York, from 4 P. M. until 8 A. M., and on Sundays and legal holidays only, by unlicensed licensed trucks or other unlicensed licensed vehicles owned by residents of the City of New York who have the consent of the owner or lessee of the abutting property upon the condition that the owners of trucks or vehicles for which such permits are issued shall keep the street clean under and around said trucks or vehicles, and subject to such other rules and conditions as the said Commissioner may from time to time prescribe, which permits the said Commissioner may at any time revoke.

Such permits will not be granted for either side of a street contiguous to a public building of the City and County of New York, or a church, school-house, hospital, asylum or other incorporated benevolent institution, or a licensed place of amusement, or for the following named streets and public places:

Bowery, Broadway, Carmine street, Catharine street, Chambers street, Christopher street, College place, Cortlandt street, Desbrosses street, Essex street, Exchange place, Fulton street, Hester street, Hudson street, Liberty street, Nassau street, New street, Park Row, Varick street, Wall street, West Broadway.

Second avenue (East Houston street to Twenty-third street), Third avenue (Bowery to Harlem river, Harlem river to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street), Fourth avenue (Sixth street to Forty-second street), Fifth avenue (Washington place to Fifty-fifth street), Sixth avenue (all), Seventh avenue (Forty-second street to Fifty-ninth street), Eighth avenue (Hudson street to Fifty-ninth street), Lexington avenue (all), Madison avenue (all), Fourteenth street (First avenue to Eighth avenue), Twenty-third street (all), Thirty-fourth street (East river to Tenth avenue), Forty-second street (Second avenue to Ninth avenue), Fifty-ninth street (First avenue to Tenth avenue), One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street (Third avenue to Ninth avenue).

Or for any streets under the control of the Department of Parks, Docks and Public Works, except upon the consent of the heads of those Departments.

All existing permits for the occupancy by unlicensed vehicles of any of the streets or portions of streets or places enumerated above are hereby revoked.

All unlicensed wagons, trucks or other vehicles standing in the streets or public places, other than those for which permits have been issued and which are in compliance with the conditions of the same will be seized and removed to the Corporation Yards of the Department of Street Cleaning, in pursuance of the provisions of the law.

Applications for permits as above must be made at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, in the basement of the New Criminal Court-house, corner of Centre and Franklin streets. Entrance on Centre street.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioner 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 Criminal Court Building.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, November 2, 1894, for supplying the Heating Apparatus for the Annex to Primary School No. 35, at No. 351 East Fifty-first street.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,
JOSEPH FETTERICH, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, October 20, 1894.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, October 30, 1894, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, for supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the Additions to Grammar School Building No. 43, northwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Amsterdam avenue.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, October 17, 1894.

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 each case.

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

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

It is required as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of, one of the State or National banks, or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of this Board, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal, when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the proper Board of Trustees, the President of the Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made, to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

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CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 697 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to amend chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled 'An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings, suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise,'" notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 58 Schermerhorn Building, No. 95 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated NEW YORK, September 10, 1894.
DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
DANIEL P. HAYS,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 20, 1894.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE of the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Margaret Loscher, aged 65 years; 5 feet 3½ inches high; dark hair, brown eyes; transferred from Bellevue Hospital January 25, 1881.

John Lund, aged 38 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair. Had on when admitted dark clothes.

John Dixon, aged 25 years; 5 feet 4 inches high. Had on when admitted dark clothes.

Emil Speckel, aged 53 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted dark clothes.

Ferdinand Fuch, aged 69 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown eyes, dark hair; transferred from Almshouse November 26, 1890.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

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 public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out, opening and extending One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, 100 feet in width, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, 60 feet in width, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 109 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 775 feet, to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly along said avenue, distance 100 feet; thence westerly, distance 775 feet, to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence southerly along said line, distance 100 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 499 feet 8 inches northerly from the north-

erly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth 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 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to be 100 feet wide and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to be 60 feet wide between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

And that such proposed action of the said Board of Street Opening and Improvements has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.
Dated NEW YORK, October 23, 1894.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by closing and discontinuing One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, 60 feet in width, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 210 feet 10 inches northerly from northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth 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, for a width of 60 feet, to be discontinued and closed between the lines of the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

And that such proposed closing as aforesaid will be considered by said Board, at a meeting of said Board, to be held at the Mayor's office on Friday, November 16, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M.

And that such proposed action of the said Board of Street Opening and Improvements has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.
Dated NEW YORK, October 23, 1894.

SUPREME COURT.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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. 2 Tryon Row, Room 4 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 20th day of November, 1894, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 20th day of November, 1894, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 30th day of November, 1894.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eightieth street and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from the easterly line of Kingsbridge road to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; and westerly by the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1894, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, October 20, 1894.
EDWARD B. LA PETRA, Chairman,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
H. W. GRAY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, by and through the Department of Public Parks, relative to acquiring title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for public use and public purposes, as and for a PUBLIC PLACE AND PUBLIC PARK AND PARKWAY, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 746 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act laying out an additional public park in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, and authorizing the taking of land for the same," and of all other statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, by and through the Department of Public Parks, to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a General Term of said court to be held in and for the First Judicial Department, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 5th day of November, 1894, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for a public place and public park and parkway in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

Beginning at the point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street at the bulkhead-line of the East river; running thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street to the easterly side of the First avenue; thence northerly

along the easterly side of First avenue to the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street to the bulkhead-line of the East river; and thence southerly the several courses along said bulkhead-line of the East river to the point or place of beginning, or so much thereof as the Commissioners to be appointed under the provisions of said act, chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894, shall deem advisable to be acquired.

Dated NEW YORK, October 11, 1894.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 27th day of October, 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the County in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners of and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the water supply of the City of New York.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected is situated in the Village of Croton Falls, Towns of Somers and North Salem, County of Westchester and State of New York, and is laid out, indicated and shown on a certain map, signed and certified as required by said act, entitled, "Map No. 1, Department of Public Works, City of New York, property maps of additional lands required for the construction of the New Croton Reservoir in the Village of Croton Falls, Towns of Somers and North Salem, Westchester County, New York, Exhibit No. 4, of 1894," which said map was filed in Westchester County Register's Office, at White Plains, in said County, on the 8th day of September, 1894, as map No. 1126.

The following is a statement of the boundaries of the real estate to be taken, all of which is to be acquired in fee:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Mahopac avenue distant 76.52 feet westerly from the west side of the road to Brewsters; thence running north 17 degrees 13 minutes east 83.74 feet; thence north 71 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds west 28.63 feet; thence north 8 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 33.97 feet; thence south 71 degrees 6 minutes east 107.42 feet; thence north 18 degrees 51 minutes east 96.53 feet; thence north 20 degrees 5 minutes east 345.6 feet; thence north 17 degrees 53 minutes east 67.61 feet; thence north 12 degrees 42 minutes 30 seconds east 63.61 feet; thence north 57 degrees 51 minutes 30 seconds west 101.13 feet; thence northwesterly 11 feet to the southeasterly side of the East Branch of Croton river; thence still northwesterly, crossing said river, to the northwesterly side thereof; thence north 60 degrees 4 minutes 30 seconds west 10.67 feet to the Old Croton Turnpike road; thence along the Old Croton Turnpike road the following courses and distances: South 44 degrees 43 minutes west 486.42 feet; thence south 45 degrees 56 minutes west 101.74 feet; thence south 46 degrees 48 minutes west 110.92 feet to Mahopac avenue; thence crossing said avenue to the southwesterly side thereof; thence still along the Old Croton Turnpike road the following courses and distances: south 47 degrees 38 minutes 30 seconds west 123.38 feet; thence south 47 degrees 38 minutes 30 seconds west 183.42 feet; thence south 46 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds west 243.74 feet; thence south 35 degrees 25 minutes west 66.67 feet; thence south 39 degrees 54 minutes west 181.51 feet; thence south 47 degrees 4 minutes west 121.25 feet to the northeasterly side of the West Branch, Croton river; thence following said West Branch, Croton river, in a southeasterly direction to the East Branch, Croton river; thence crossing the said East Branch, Croton river, to the southwesterly corner of Parcel No. 6; thence along said Parcel No. 6 north 86 degrees east 213.98 feet to Croton street; thence along the westerly side of said Croton street the following courses and distances: North 4 degrees west 36 feet; thence north 4 degrees west 136 feet; thence north 4 degrees west 125.83 feet; thence north 4 degrees west 71.17 feet to the southerly side of Cross street; thence crossing said Cross street north 4 degrees west 50 feet to the southerly side of Parcel No. 2; thence along the southerly side of Parcel No. 2 north 86 degrees east 140 feet to the westerly side of Mahopac avenue; thence along the westerly side of said Mahopac avenue north 4 degrees west 150.43 feet; thence leaving said Mahopac avenue and running south 85 degrees 57 minutes 30 seconds west 208.25 feet to Parcel No. 7; thence along the easterly side of Parcel No. 7 north 4 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds west 250.34 feet; thence north 83 degrees 40 minutes east 11.63 feet; thence still along the easterly side of said Parcel No. 7 north 4 degrees west 195.48 feet; thence north 21 degrees 17 minutes east 124.84 feet to the southwesterly side of Mahopac avenue; thence crossing said Mahopac avenue in a northeasterly direction to the southwesterly side of Parcel No. 1; thence south 72 degrees 25 minutes 30 seconds east 102.09 feet to the point and place of beginning, containing all the lands within said bounds, excepting, however, the street or avenue herein referred to as Mahopac avenue.

Reference is made to said map, filed as aforesaid, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be acquired.

Dated NEW YORK CITY, September 11, 1894.
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 BROOKLINE STREET (although not yet named by property authority), extending from Webster avenue to Bainbridge 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.

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, in the City of New York, on the 2d day of November, 1894, 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, October 20, 1894.
JAMES P. CAMPBELL,
JOHN F. MCINTYRE,
PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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