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Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending May 16, 1891.

Very respectfully,  
THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain.

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1891.	To Additional Water Fund .....	\$6,027 79	1891.	By Balance .....		\$1,486,119 67	
May 16	American Museum of Natural History—Enlarging Building .....	1,740 00	May 9	Arrears of Taxes .....	Macdaniel .....	\$30,438 35	
	Annexed Territory of Westchester County .....	56 00	" 16	Interest on Taxes .....	" .....	5,380 38	
	Croton Water Fund .....	1,450 00		Fund for Street and Park Openings .....	" .....	3,074 64	
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account .....	186 90		Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886 .....	" .....	21,182 49	
	Commissioners of Excise Fund .....	618 20		Interest on Assessments .....	" .....	3,451 31	
	Construction of Bridge over Harlem River .....	34 25		Charges on Arrears of Taxes .....	" .....	34 50	
	Charges on Arrears of Assessments .....	1,013 85		Charges on Arrears of Assessments .....	" .....	38 50	
	Criminal Court-house Fund .....	216 00		Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	" .....	261 11	
	Dock Fund .....	24,287 97		Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	" .....	296 25	
	Dog License Fund .....	50 00		Water Meter Fund No. 2 .....	" .....	72 37	
	Excise Licenses .....	443 14		Taxes .....	McLean .....	72,553 04	
	Fund for Street and Park Openings .....	1,289 60		Interest on Taxes .....	" .....	3,022 75	
	Fund for Viaduct—St. Nicholas Place to McComb's Dam Bridge .....	196 18		Water Meter Fund No. 2 .....	Engelhard .....	58 07	
	Metropolitan Museum of Art, Completion of .....	1,053 90		Licenses .....	" .....	1,448 00	
	Public Buildings—Twelfth Ward, Construction of .....	24 00		Dog License Fund .....	" .....	471 00	
	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works .....	1,166 00		Dog License Fund .....	Finn .....	87 00	
	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Parks .....	19 00		Tapping Pipes .....	Riley .....	252 50	
	Restoring and Repaving—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	32 87		Water Meter Fund No. 2 .....	" .....	198 99	
	Repaving .....	291 00		Restoring and Repaving .....	Department of Public Works, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	1,127 00	
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error .....	255 98		Additional Water Fund .....	Commissioners .....	50 00	
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886 .....	28,250 86		Unclaimed Salaries and Wages .....	Smith .....	35 00	
	School-house Fund .....	13,149 06		General Fund .....	Comptroller .....	19 25	
	Theatre and Concert Licenses .....	100 00			Common Schools for State .....	698,030 02	
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages .....	177 18			Britton .....	125 20	
	Water Meter Fund No. 2 .....	1,220 03			Burns .....	1,213 43	
	New Park Fund .....	1,032 50			Beattie .....	1,453 00	
					Clark .....	302 15	
	Advertising .....	1891. \$205 20			Ryan .....	1 55	
	Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages .....	" 424 00			Gilroy .....	822 48	
	Armories and Drill Rooms—Rents .....	" 9,437 50			Daly .....	1 00	
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening .....	1890. 42 57			Heintz .....	270 00	
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening .....	1891. 2,754 80			Comptroller .....	75 00	
	Allowance to Aguilar Free Library Society .....	" 416 66			Mayor .....	650 00	
	Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines .....	" 175 00			Comm'r's of Sinking Fund .....	290 25	
	Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs .....	" 474 06			McClave .....	6,250 00	
	Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of .....	" 2,082 16			Timmerman .....	283 09	
	Boring Examinations, etc. .....	" 69 00					19 89
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Carting .....	1890. 2 28					220 00
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Carting .....	1891. 12,216 15					472 00
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Final Disposition of Material .....	" 4,248 75					500,000 00
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock .....	" 550 00					1,500 00
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Removal of Snow and Ice .....	" 577 53					
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Rents and Contingencies .....	" 188 43					
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Sweeping .....	1890. 1 14					
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Sweeping .....	1891. 8,671 77					
	To Amount forward .....	\$42,536 98					
	Care and Maintenance of New Parks North of Harlem River .....	1891. 507 73					
	College of the City of New York .....	" 176 45					
	Claim of E. A. Post .....	" 5,000 00					
	Cleaning Markets .....	" 780 55					
	CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies .....	" 10 00					
	Cromwell's Creek Bridges, etc. .....	" 1 50					
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office .....	1890. 250 00					
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office .....	1891. 185 68					
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office .....	" 180 14					
	Contingencies—Law Department .....	1890. 10 00					
	Contingencies—Law Department .....	1891. 604 99					
	Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses .....	" 335 50					
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus .....	1890. 100 41					
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus .....	1891. 5,801 23					
	Fire Department Fund—Placing Wires Underground .....	" 309 14					
	Fire Department Fund—For Salaries .....	" 1,463 63					
	Furniture, Keep of Horses, Repairs to Vans, etc.—Sheriff's Office .....	" 58 00					
	Free Floating Baths .....	" 21 00					
	Foundling Asylum .....	" 21,419 92					
	Hospital Fund .....	1890. 2,242 10					
	Hospital Fund .....	1891. 784 73					
	Health Fund—Contingent Expenses .....	1890. 125 00					
	Health Fund—Contingent Expenses .....	1891. 11 52					
	Health Fund—Disinfection .....	" 66 65					
	Health Fund—Law Expenses .....	" 166 66					
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance .....	" 58 48					
	Hudson River State Hospital .....	" 1,729 75					
	Incidental Expenses of Sheriff's Office, etc. .....	" 37 24					
	Judgments .....	" 400,877 78					
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting .....	" 5,822 67					
	Laying Croton Pipes .....	1890. 5,687 10					
	Laying Croton Pipes .....	1891. 48 04					
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—General Maintenance .....	" 4,883 95					
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Museums .....	" 866 59					
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police .....	1890. 9 50					
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police .....	1891. 249 55					
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Zoological Department .....	" 180 89					
	Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	" 2,443 34					
	Morningside Park, Improvement and Maintenance of .....	" 129 04					
	Normal College .....	1889. 1 05					
	Normal College .....	1890. 8 68					
	Normal College .....	1891. 342 67					
	New York Infirmary for Women and Children .....	" 275 00					
	New York Juvenile Asylum .....	" 18,582 76					

To Amount forward.....	\$525,473 62	\$84,407 26	By Amount forward.....	\$2,841,624 94
New York Catholic Protectory.....	1891. 18,974 86			
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	1889. 9,321 29			
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	1891. 1,482 49			
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	" 410 75			
Prosecuting Delinquents for Arrears of Personal Taxes.....	" 85 00			
Public Drinking-hydrants.....	" 123 22			
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	" 5,726 22			
Public Charities and Correction—Alterations, etc.....	1890. 9 00			
Public Charities and Correction—Alterations, etc.....	1891. 1,061 46			
Public Charities and Correction—New Buildings.....	1889. 35 71			
Public Charities and Correction—New Buildings.....	1891. 2,167 73			
Public Charities and Correction—New Buildings.....	1890. 49 25			
Public Charities and Correction—Distribution of Coal.....	" 45 00			
Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1890. 320 43			
Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1891. 24,599 82			
Public Charities and Correction—Transportation of Paupers, etc.....	1890. 110 45			
Public Charities and Correction—Transportation of Paupers, etc.....	1891. 244 91			
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses of Ward Schools.....	1889. 1 25			
Public Instruction—Buildings Contingent Fund.....	1890. 200 00			
Public Instruction—Furniture.....	" 1,676 00			
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses of Ward Schools.....	" 24 56			
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses of Board of Education.....	" 61 70			
Public Instruction—Free Lectures.....	" 366 50			
Public Instruction—Pianos.....	" 75 00			
Public Instruction—Supplies.....	" 21 00			
Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers, Grammar and Primary Schools.....	" 1,375 15			
Public Instruction—Salaries of Janitors, Grammar and Primary Schools.....	" 550 00			
Public Instruction—Corporate Schools.....	1891. 40,758 86			
Public Instruction—Fuel.....	" 80 00			
Public Instruction—Heating.....	" 86 07			
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses of Ward Schools.....	" 391 42			
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Board of Education.....	" 421 15			
Public Instruction—Free Lectures.....	" 649 89			
Public Instruction—Rents.....	" 6,075 00			
Public Instruction—Repairs to Buildings.....	" 1,086 67			
Public Instruction—Supplies.....	" 1,274 14			
Public Instruction—Nautical School.....	" 126 23			
Public Instruction—Salaries of Janitors, Grammar and Primary Schools.....	" 11,572 10			
Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers, Grammar and Primary Schools.....	" 251,587 24			
Public Instruction—Sanitary Work, etc.....	" 86 67			
Public Instruction—Technical Education.....	" 1,609 46			
Public Instruction—Workshop, etc.....	" 215 00			
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	" 4,018 49			
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	" 7,012 50			
To Amount forward.....	\$921,649 86		By amount forward.....	\$2,841,624 94
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	1891. 287 00			
Rents.....	" 5,750 00			
Riverside Park and Avenue.....	" 382 43			
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	1890. 500 00			
Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....	1891. 346 50			
Removal of Night-soil, etc.....	" 3,000 00			
Retaining Walls—East Fifty-first Street and East Forty-second Street.....	1890. 24 00			
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1889. 8 00			
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1890. 2,044 42			
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1891. 1,725 11			
Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 2,966 17			
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	" 99 35			
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	" 45 00			
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 343 52			
State Taxes and Common Schools for State.....	" 1,243,866 19			
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	" 22 35			
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	" 1,767 75			
Salaries—Finance Department.....	" 36 00			
Salaries—Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	" 125 00			
Salaries—Judiciary.....	" 92 21			
Salaries—Office of Commissioner, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 75 00			
Telephonic Service.....	" 9 23			
Balance.....	2,185,165 09	572,052 59		
	\$2,841,624 94			\$2,841,624 94

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NEW YORK, May 16, 1891.

1891.  
May 16. By Balance..... \$572,052 59  
THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK in account with THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending May 16, 1891.

			SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
			Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
1891. May 9 " 16	By Balance, as per last account current.....	Macdaniel.....		\$710,229 92		\$405,988 49
	Assessment Fund.....	".....	\$22 00			
	Street Improvement Fund.....	Daly.....	1,090 49			
	Market Cellar Rent.....	".....	52 50			
	Market Rent and Fees.....	".....	5,983 03			
	Railroad Franchise.....	".....	2,363 09			
	Commutation Water Grant.....	".....	19 34			
	Licenses.....	Engelhard.....	18,113 50			
	Dock and Slip Rent.....	Matthews.....	47,893 52			
	Street Vaults.....	Gilroy.....	1,551 18			
	Interest on Deposits.....	Importers and Traders' National Bank.....	2,014 99			
	Croton Water Rent and Penalties.....	Riley.....	\$74,939 40	79,103 64		
	Croton Water Arrears and Interest.....	Macdaniel.....	946 59			
	Croton Water Arrears.....	McLean.....	662 20			
	Court Fees.....	Liscomb.....	260 50			
	Interest on Bond and Mortgage.....	Daly.....	450 00			
	Ferry Rent.....	".....	46,600 05			
	House Rent.....	".....	337 17			
	Water Lot Rent.....	".....	629 80			
	Ground Rent.....	".....	4 17			
	To Sinking Fund—Redemption.....			\$258,000 00		124,829 88
	To Sinking Fund—Interest.....				\$250,290 25	
	Balance.....			531,333 56	280,528 12	
			\$789,333 56	\$789,333 56	\$530,818 37	\$530,818 37

May 16, 1891. By Balances.....  
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NEW YORK, May 16, 1891.

531,333 56..... \$280,528 12  
THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, MAY 4 TO 9, 1891.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending May 2, 1891: Males, 22; females, 5. On file.  
List of 18 prisoners to be discharged from May 10 to May 16, 1891. Transmitted to Prison Association.  
From City Prison—Reporting payment to the Clerk of Court of Special Sessions, \$137 for fines imposed on prisoners by said Court during April, 1891. On file.  
From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending May 2, 1891, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.  
From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to May 2, 1891. To Bookkeeper.  
From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending May 2, 1891, \$244. On file.  
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 11 patients admitted, 6 discharged and 2 that have died during week ending May 2, 1891. On file.  
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 10 patients admitted, 6 discharged and 2 that have died during week ending May 2, 1891. On file.

From District Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending May 2, 1891, \$399. On file.  
From Storekeeper—Rejecting lumber, butter, cheese, furnished for use of the Department, they being inferior to samples. Approved.

Contracts Awarded.

Rowland A. Robbins—8,000 yards cottonades, at 13 85-100 cents per yard.  
William H. Trainor—8,000 yards cottonades, at 13 85-100 cents per yard.  
James F. Curran—17,000 yards satinets at 29 86-100 cents per yard; 21,000 yards satinets at 18 96-100 cents per yard.

APPOINTMENTS, RESIGNATIONS, DISMISSALS, ETC., FROM MAY 11 TO MAY 16, 1891.

Appointed.

May 11. Henry Lucas, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.  
" 11. Henry Irving, Timothy J. O'Leary, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.  
" 11. Lizzie Thompson, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.  
" 11. Michael Boylan, Fireman, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$300 per annum.  
" 12. M. H. Hurley, John Fennelly, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.  
" 12. Margaret Scanlon, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.



May 12. Hannah Lally, Mary O'Farrell, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum each.

" 12. Henrietta Rienza, Domestic, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.

" 12. Henry F. Hatch, Messenger, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$60 per annum.

" 13. Joseph F. Hayward, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

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

" 13. J. C. Barron, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.

" 13. Hannah Doogul, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 13. Kate Tye, Cook, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 14. James R. Whittaker, Nurse, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.

" 14. Julia Flynn, Cook, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 14. Delia Quinn, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.

" 14. Charles E. Meir, John Kelly, Patrick Carolan, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.

" 15. Kate McCloskey, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.

" 15. Lizzie Donleavy, Domestic, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$168 per annum.

" 15. Herman Carter, Messenger, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 16. Jane McEllicott, Domestic, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$168 per annum.

#### Appointed Temporary.

May 12. Delia Riggs, Supervising Nurse, Almshouse Hospital. Salary, \$500 per annum.

" 12. John P. Regan, Apothecary, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$500 per annum.

#### Reappointed.

May 11. John Whalen, Keeper, Branch Workhouse. Salary, \$750 per annum.

" 11. William E. Hudson, Messenger, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$60 per annum.

" 13. Alice Baylis, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

#### Resigned.

From May 1. W. F. Lippitt, Assistant Physican, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

" 7. John C. McDonald, J. M. Goldberg, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

" 7. Kate Reedy, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

" 7. James A. Martin, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

" 7. Adelaide C. McMillan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.

" 8. Arthur Williams, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital.

" 10. Kate Burke, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

" 10. William McNulty, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

" 12. Philip Fogarty, Assistant Clerk, Randall's Island Hospital.

" 12. J. W. O'Neill, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

" 14. Annie Rutherford, Domestic, Charity Hospital.

" 14. Herman Garner, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

#### Dismissed.

From May 7. Nelson Steen, Fireman, Steamboats.

" 7. Stephen Collons, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

" 10. Theresa Murray, Domestic, Charity Hospital.

" 11. Catharine Curran, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.

" 12. William McDonald, Orderly, Homoeopathic Hospital.

#### Salaries Increased.

May 11. Kate McElgun, Attendant, Workhouse, \$240 to \$300 per annum.

" 11. Stephen Morrissey, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, \$360 to \$420 per annum.

" 13. Lilla Morse, Eliza Reynolds, Annie Savage, Nurses, Almshouse, \$180 to \$240 per annum each.

" 15. John J. Conway, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island, \$300 to \$360 per annum.

#### Salary Reduced.

May 11. Mary Mangan, Hallkeeper, Workhouse, \$300 to \$240 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 9, 1891.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending May 2, 1891:

#### Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$24,397 08
For penalties, water rents.....	177 60
For tapping Croton pipes.....	321 50
For sewer permits.....	883 93
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	1,306 00
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	35 50
For vault permits.....	4,459 50
Total.....	\$31,581 11

#### Permits Issued.

74 permits to tap Croton pipes.

55 permits to open streets.

26 permits to make sewer connections.

31 permits to repair sewer connections.

240 permits to place building material on streets.

23 permits—special.

4 permits to construct street vaults.

#### Obstructions Removed.

118 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

#### Pavement Repairs.

7,174 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

#### Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

4 receiving-basins relieved.

85 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.

1,979 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.

21,700 lineal feet of sewer examined.

26 lineal feet of brick sewer rebuilt.

4 lineal feet of new curb set.

32 manhole-heads reset.

2 basin-heads reset.

2 basins repaired.

4 manholes repaired.

2 new manhole heads and covers put on.

1 new basin-head and cover put on.

2 new basin covers put on.

1 new manhole cover put on.

3 steam-pipes plugged.

129 cubic feet of brickwork built.

46 square yards of pavement relaid.

625 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled.

274 cart-loads of dirt removed.

#### Public Lamps.

3 new lamps lighted.

18 old lamps relighted.

8 lamps discontinued.

4 lamp-posts removed.

6 lamp-posts reset.

2 lamp-posts straightened.

1 column refitted.

1 column releaded.

1 service-pipe refitted.

2 stand-pipes refitted.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending May 2, 1891, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Apr. 27	4:30 P.M.	72.	29.93	{ Consolidated, } Branch 1..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.83	5.00	119.0	22.18	22.00
" 28	3 P.M.	75.	29.84	"	"	.83	5.00	120.0	22.54	22.54
" 29	3 P.M.	71.	29.87	"	"	.83	5.00	116.3	23.20	22.48
" 30	4 P.M.	73.	29.72	"	"	.83	5.00	122.0	20.70	21.04
May 1	3:30 P.M.	76.	29.81	"	"	.83	5.00	117.6	23.08	22.62
" 2	4:30 P.M.	76.	30.03	"	"	.83	5.00	118.2	21.16	20.84
Average.									21.92	
Apr. 27	5 P.M.	72.	29.93	{ Consolidated, } Branch 2..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.72	5.00	120.0	21.52	21.52
" 28	3:30 P.M.	75.	29.84	"	"	.72	5.00	120.6	22.04	22.15
" 29	3:30 P.M.	71.	29.87	"	"	.73	5.00	118.6	23.42	23.14
" 30	4:30 P.M.	73.	29.72	"	"	.73	5.00	114.9	22.78	21.82
May 1	3 P.M.	76.	29.81	"	"	.78	5.00	120.0	22.08	22.08
" 2	5 P.M.	76.	30.03	"	"	.70	5.00	121.2	21.94	22.16
Average.									22.14	
Apr. 27	4 P.M.	72.	29.93	{ Consolidated, } Branch 3..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.89	5.00	116.7	30.50	29.66
" 28	4 P.M.	75.	29.84	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	28.94	28.94
" 29	4 P.M.	71.	29.87	"	"	.90	5.00	122.4	28.16	28.74
" 30	3:30 P.M.	73.	29.72	"	"	.89	5.00	116.3	29.06	28.16
May 1	4 P.M.	76.	29.81	"	"	.89	5.00	122.4	27.92	28.38
" 2	4 P.M.	76.	30.03	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	28.06	28.06
Average.									28.65	
Apr. 27	6 P.M.	76.	29.92	{ Consolidated, } Branch 4..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.60	5.00	121.0	23.14	23.33
" 28	7:30 P.M.	74.	29.82	"	"	.60	5.00	117.0	24.04	23.34
" 29	6:30 P.M.	67.	29.84	"	"	.60	5.00	120.0	23.30	23.30
" 30	6 P.M.	70.	29.70	"	"	.61	5.00	120.5	23.08	23.17
May 1	6:30 P.M.	72.	29.87	"	"	.60	5.00	116.3	24.80	24.04
" 2	6 P.M.	71.	30.03	"	"	.60	5.00	122.4	23.30	23.76
Average.									23.49	
Apr. 27	6:30 P.M.	76.	29.92	{ Consolidated, } Branch 6..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.70	5.00	117.6	27.54	27.00
" 28	7 P.M.	74.	29.82	"	"	.70	5.00	121.2	26.96	27.23
" 29	6 P.M.	67.	29.89	"	"	.69	5.00	125.5	25.32	26.48
" 30	6:30 P.M.	70.	29.70	"	"	.66	5.00	120.5	24.94	25.04
May 1	6 P.M.	72.	29.87	"	"	.65	5.00	123.5	24.90	25.62
" 2	6:30 P.M.	71.	30.03	"	"	.67	5.00	126.0	23.60	24.78
Average.									26.02	
Apr. 27	3 P.M.	72.	29.93	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.93	5.00	120.5	30.30	30.42
" 28	4:30 P.M.	75.	29.84	"	"	.93	5.00	120.0	30.86	30.86
" 29	5 P.M.	71.	29.87	"	"	.93	5.00	114.1	33.14	31.50
" 30	2:30 P.M.	73.	29.72	"	"	.93	5.00	118.6	29.12	28.78
May 1	5 P.M.	76.	29.81	"	"	.93	5.00	120.0	30.64	30.64
" 2	3 P.M.	76.	30.03	"	"	.93	5.00	121.2	30.62	30.92
Average.									30.52	
Apr. 27	3:30 P.M.	72.	29.93	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90	5.00	120.0	29.22	29.22
" 28	5 P.M.	75.	29.84	"	"	.90	5.00	121.2	30.36	30.66
" 29	4:30 P.M.	71.	29.87	"	"	.92	5.00	120.5	31.52	31.64
" 30	3 P.M.	73.	29.72	"	"	.90	5.00	114.1	32.70	31.08
May 1	4:30 P.M.	76.	29.81	"	"	.90	5.00	118.2	31.36	30.89
" 2	3:30 P.M.	76.	30.03	"	"	.92	5.00	120.6	31.16	31.31
Average.									30.80	

E. G. LOVE, Ph. D., Gas Examiner.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending May 2, 1891.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening .....	27	95	3	10
Laying Croton Pipes.....	..	..	..	..
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	65	177	3	17
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	1	22	3	..
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	..	..	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	18	55	..	25
Repairs and Renewals of Pavements .....	157	175	3	47
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	16	39	5	3
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	13	2	..
Totals.....	292	576	19	102
Increase over previous week .....	23	31	..	7
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..



## Contracts Entered Into.

NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	ESTIMATED COST.
Fencing vacant lots in Eighty-eighth street, from Central Park, West, to Riverside Drive .....	F. Thilemann, Jr. ....	\$716 75
Paving Broadway (or Boulevard), from Seventy-ninth to Ninety-second street .....	Barber Asphalt Paving Co. ....	110,820 00
Paving Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street .....	" .....	27,174 00
Paving Mt. Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street .....	" .....	25,205 80
Paving Sixteenth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; Twentieth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, fronting Gramercy Park, and Gramercy place, East and West, and Twenty-first street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue .....	" .....	50,348 30
Paving Twenty-sixth street, from Madison avenue to East river, and Thirtieth street, from Madison avenue to Broadway .....	" .....	54,337 80
Paving Park Row, from Frankfort street to Broadway, and Beekman street, from Park Row to Pearl street .....	Matthew Baird .....	35,492 30
Paving Grand street, from Broadway to Goerck street .....	" .....	52,875 65
Paving Sixth avenue, from Carmine to Twenty-third street .....	" .....	92,117 50
Regulating and grading One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Morningside to Amsterdam avenue .....	John J. Farley .....	10,302 54
Regulating and grading One Hundred and Tenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue .....	Dennis McGrath .....	269 60
Sewer in One Hundred and First street, between Park and Madison avenues .....	McLaughlin & McGrath .....	1,652 50
Sewer in One Hundred and Second street, between Park and Madison avenues .....	" .....	1,816 25
Alteration and improvement to sewers in Sullivan street, between Canal and Broome streets; Broome street, between Sullivan and Thompson streets, and Thompson street, between Broome and Spring streets .....	Patrick Casey .....	16,740 00
Flagging, etc., Seventy-seventh street, from Avenue A to East river ..	John Slattery .....	1,074 88
Flagging, etc., east side, Avenue A, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street, and Seventy-third street, from Avenue A to East river ..	Thomas J. Dunn .....	4,039 33
Flagging, etc., Thirty-second street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue ..	" .....	1,309 89
Flagging, etc., Seventy-ninth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Boulevard .....	" .....	997 76
Flagging, etc., Sixty-sixth street, south side, from Amsterdam to Columbus avenue .....	" .....	236 24
Flagging, etc., southeast corner Eighty-eighth street and Columbus avenue .....	" .....	500 90
Flagging, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Lexington to Park avenue, and east side Park avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street .....	" .....	865 91
Flagging, etc., in front of Nos. 12, 12 and 14 West Fifty-sixth street ..	" .....	133 25
Flagging, etc., south side One Hundred and First street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue .....	A. E. Moran .....	840 16

## Assessment Lists Made.

NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	AMOUNT.
Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, between Harlem river and First avenue .....	\$7,205 23
Paving Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twentieth street .....	12,609 64

## Appointment.

George Remay, Inspector of Incumbrances.

## Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$67,707.20.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., MAY 30, 1891.

Estimated Population, 1,176,498.

Death-rate, 24.87.

## Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

	WEEK ENDING—													
	Feb. 23.	Mar. 7.	Mar. 14.	Mar. 21.	Mar. 28.	Apr. 4.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.	May 16.	May 23.	May 30.
Diphtheria .....	119	105	94	92	82	101	82	108	82	67	95	90	71	93
Measles .....	384	421	425	405	354	386	342	327	396	390	325	392	346	329
Scarlet Fever .....	147	158	155	159	177	225	228	200	181	184	199	241	229	220
Small-pox .....	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	2	...	...	1	...
Typhoid Fever .....	6	12	9	14	11	8	9	7	14	5	10	18	10	15
Typhus Fever .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Total .....	656	696	684	671	624	721	663	644	675	648	630	741	657	659
Marriages reported .....	210													
Births .....	624													
Deaths .....	799													
Still-births .....	68													
Burial permits issued .....	799													
Transit permits issued .....	17													
Searches made .....	201													
Transcripts issued .....	181													

## 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 .....	799	656	770.3	434	365	43	112	74	95	324	46	64	158	121	86
Diphtheria .....	29	32	42.4	13	16	...	2	6	14	22	5	1	1	...	...
Croup .....	14	7	18.0	11	3	...	2	5	6	13	1	...	...	...	...
Malarial Fevers .....	4	5	9.0	1	3	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	...	...
Measles .....	15	24	20.0	12	3	...	6	3	6	15	...	...	...	...	...
Scarlet Fever .....	53	6	26.3	27	26	...	2	14	29	45	7	1	...	...	...
Small-pox .....	...	...	3.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid Fever .....	6	2	4.2	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	1	1
Typhus Fever .....	...	...	1.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough .....	5	5	7.7	4	1	...	3	1	1	5	...	...	...	...	...

\* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.  
† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.  
‡ Police census, October, 1890, 1,710,715.

	Total.	† Total last year.	* Average 10 years.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Diarrhoeal Diseases .....	18	17	24.4	10	8	1	10	5	...	16	...	...	...	1	1
Phthisis .....	103	86	113.1	69	34	...	2	...	1	3	...	20	53	19	8
Other Tuberculous Diseases ..	14	20	...	6	8	...	4	2	4	10	1	...	1	...	2
Diseases of Nervous System ..	54	60	73.2	28	26	7	8	3	3	21	6	2	7	10	8
Heart Diseases .....	43	41	37.4	20	23	...	...	...	1	1	7	6	7	14	8
Bronchitis .....	40	34	35.1	24	16	...	23	8	...	31	2	1	1	1	4
Pneumonia .....	106	75	77.3	56	50	2	17	20	11	50	6	7	16	20	7
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs .....	20	16	...	14	6	...	...	...	4	4	...	3	2	4	7
Diseases of Digestive System ..	39	34	...	21	18	2	10	2	1	15	1	1	13	5	4
Diseases of Urinary System ..	66	38	...	32	34	...	...	...	3	3	2	3	20	22	16
Congenital Debility .....	42	48	...	19	23	25	14	2	1	42	...	...	...	...	...
Old Age .....	6	16	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5
Suicide .....	7	4	5.7	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	2
Other violent deaths .....	24	28	32.7	18	6	1	2	2	2	7	3	2	7	5	...
All other causes .....	91	58	...	36	55	5	7	1	6	19	4	13	26	16	13

\* 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 preternatural births.

## Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Table.

<b>Zymotic.</b> Erysipelas, 4; Syphilis, 3; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 7; Influenza, 13; Puerperal Fever, 10.	<b>Circulatory.</b> Aneurism, 2; Embolism, 2; Atheroma of Arteries, 1.	<b>Genito-urinary.</b> Bright's Disease, 44; Nephritis, 13; Diseases of Bladder and Prostate Gland, 4; Uræmia, 1; Calculus, 3; Abscess of Kidneys, 1; Diseases of Uterus and Vagina, 7; Ovarian Disease, 1.
<b>Dietetic.</b> Alcoholism, 8.	<b>Respiratory.</b> Laryngitis, 1; Congestion of Lungs, 3; Emphysema, 1; Hydrothorax, 2; Pleurisy, 3; Hemorrhage of Lungs, 2; Chronic Bronchitis, 6; Abscess of Lungs, 1.	<b>Locomotor.</b> Hip Disease, 1.
<b>Constitutional.</b> Cancer, 14; Tubercular Meningitis, 11; Tuberculosis and Scrofula, 3; Rheumatism, 5.	<b>Digestive.</b> Gastro-Enteritis, 6; Gastritis, 4; Cirrhosis, 7; Hepatitis, 2; Jaundice, 1; other Diseases of Liver, 1; Peritonitis, 2; Obstruction of Intestines, 2; Hernia, 1; Stomatitis, 1; Tonsillitis, 1; Dentition, 5; Tumor of Spleen, 1; Retro-peritoneal Tumor, 1; Inanition, 1; Intestinal Hemorrhage, 1; Hemorrhage of Stomach, 1; Abdominal Papilloma, 1.	<b>Integumentary.</b> Abscesses, 1; Ulcers, 2; Phlegmon of Hand, 1; Cellulitis of Foot, 1.
<b>Nervous.</b> Convulsions, 8; Meningitis, etc., 16; Apoplexy, 15; Paralysis, 1; Insanity, 4; Softening of Brain, 1; Tetanus, etc., 2; Laryngismus Stridulus, 1; Epilepsy, 3; Myelitis, etc., 1; Congestion of Brain, 1; Cerebral Tumor, 1.		<b>Accident.</b> Fractures and contusions, 11; drowning, 3; suffocation, 2; wounds, 2; surgical operations, 3.
		<b>Other Causes.</b> Lymphadenitis, Abscess of Glands of Neck, 1; Miscarriage, 1; Puerperal Convulsions, 2; Placenta Prævia, 1; Umbilical Hemorrhage, 1; Foramen Ovale Open, 1.
		Homicide, 3.

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

WEEK ENDING.	Mar. 7.	Mar. 14.	Mar. 21.	Mar. 28.	Apr. 4.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.	May 16.	May 23.	May 30.
Total deaths .....	735	813	840	895	1,100	1,216	1,347	1,208	961	910	673	777	799
Annual death-rate .....	23.03	25.46	26.29	28.00	34.39	38.00	42.07	37.70	29.98	28.37	27.20	24.20	24.87
Diphtheria .....	33	31	29	16	31	30	38	28	12	24	21	8	29
Croup .....	15	23	14	13	13	14	12	8	11	11	4	10	14
Malarial Fevers .....	2	5	3	3	3	3	2	...	4	2	1	4	4
Measles .....	15	15	16	12	22	18	23	20	14	21	21	19	15
Scarlet Fever .....	24	25	21	28	25	35	37	49	37	23	34	29	53
Small-pox .....	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid Fever .....	1	6	1	3	8	2	2	4	3	4	5	4	6
Typhus Fever .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough .....	10	5	13	11	13	20	11	8	3	9	11	10	5
Diarrhoeal Diseases .....	10	11	21	7	19	28	20	7	17	16	20	20	18
Diarrhoeal Diseases } under 5 years .....	7	9	17	5	10	20	16	5	14	14	19	17	16
Phthisis .....	104	119	102	124	137	128	127	106	114	99	112	108	103
Bronchitis .....	25	44	45	47	60	83	94	85	52	33	43	47	40
Pneumonia .....	110	99	136	179	225	289	296	272	176	168	139	112	106
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs ..	15	23	20	23	36	37	37	30	24	25	26	17	20
Violent Deaths .....	28	29	30	22	31	19	41	45	47	59	27	34	31
Under one year .....	149	166	185	162	219	227	281	263	202	178	203	148	155
Under five years .....	291	324	327	300	375	400	484	455	353	314	334	290	324
Five to sixty-five .....	372	388	442	495	571	623	626	559	474	484	422	393	389
Sixty-five years and over ..	72	101	71	100	154	193	237	194	134	112	117	94	86
In Public Institutions .....	162	191	187	195	257	240	272	273	212	215	216	176	181
Inquest Cases .....	83	92	90	79	106	92	120	117	100	128	87	92	89
Mean barometer .....	30.070	29.933	30.002	29.915	29.772	30.061	29.992	29.789	29.787	29.891	29.870	30.058	29.956
Mean humidity .....	57	59	61	61	66	65	77	71	60	74	81	64	71
Inches of rain .....	.52	1.89	.70	.43	.93	.69	.34	.49	...	.56	.77	.16	.96
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit) .....	26.4	38.3	34.6	42.0	40.7	38.9	55.5	57.3	57.1	50.2	58.5	60.8	61.8
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit) .....	39°	51°	48°	58°	57°	50°	76°	80°	78°	82°	81°	82°	75°
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit) .....	9°	23°	19°	27°	31°	29°	44°	39°	36°	31°	44°	42°	48°



## Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.				
	Scarlet Fever. (Children.)	Diphtheria.	Total.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever. (Adults Only.)	Measles.	Others.	Total.
Remaining May 23...	37	8	45	1	52	25	7	85
Admitted.....	4	9	13	..	22	14	..	36
Discharged.....	8	2	10	..	10	14	..	24
Died.....	3	2	5	..	6	..	..	6
Remaining May 30...	30	13	43	1	58	25	7	91
Total treated..	41	17	58	1	74	39	7	121

## 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	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Second.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fourth.....	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Fifth.....	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixth.....	2	6	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Seventh.....	4	13	12	..	1	..	2	..	4	..	..	..
Eighth.....	2	7	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Ninth.....	2	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Tenth.....	3	19	12	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
Eleventh.....	5	8	20	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	..
Twelfth.....	14	54	28	..	2	..	5	2	3	..	1	..
Thirteenth.....	6	4	29	..	1	..	1	1	5	..	..	..
Fourteenth.....	3	15	4	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..
Fifteenth.....	1	10	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixteenth.....	3	13	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Seventeenth.....	6	14	18	..	1	..	2	1	6	..	..	..
Eighteenth.....	1	17	9	..	..	..	1	3	5	..	..	..
Nineteenth.....	15	60	35	..	1	..	10	2	13	..	1	..
Twentieth.....	4	19	11	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..
Twenty-first.....	2	12	8	..	1	..	1	1	3	..	..	..
Twenty-second.....	2	22	11	..	3	..	1	1	2	..	1	..
Twenty-third.....	7	8	6	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Twenty-fourth.....	1	12	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Total.....	95	329	220	..	15	..	29	15	53	..	6	..

## Inspections of Premises.

Total number of inspections made.....	8,025
Classified as follows:	
Inspections of tenement-houses.....	4,352
“ private dwellings.....	644
“ lodging-houses.....	18
“ stables.....	244
“ slaughter-houses.....	425
“ other premises.....	1,084
“ overcrowded tenements (at night).....	1,258

Total number of citizens' complaints attended to.....	336
“ verified.....	249
“ found baseless, or nuisance already abated.....	88
“ original complaints by Inspectors.....	421

## New Buildings.

Total number of plans and specifications filed.....	37
“ buildings included therein.....	83
“ plans approved.....	69
“ tabled for amendment.....	21
“ buildings reported begun.....	41
“ finished.....	31

## Inspection of Foods, Chemical Analyses, etc.

Total number of inspections of milk.....	1,227
“ specimens examined.....	2,600
“ quarts of milk destroyed.....	40
“ inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods.....	995
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	31,000
“ inspections of meat and fish.....	1,122
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	28,935
“ analyses of milk and other foods.....	10
“ experimental analyses.....	1

## Analysis of Croton Water, May 29, 1891.

Result Expressed in Parts per 100,000.

Appearance.....	Slightly turbid.
Color.....	Light yellowish brown.
Odor (at 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.197
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.335
Phosphates.....	None.
Nitrites.....	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites (method of Gladstone and Tribe).....	0.0082
Free Ammonia.....	Trace.
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0100
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling.....	5.47
“ { After boiling.....	5.47
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	2.00
Mineral matter (non-volatile)—Lost Carbonic Acid not restored.....	7.80
Total solids (by evaporation at 230° Fahr.).....	9.80

## Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

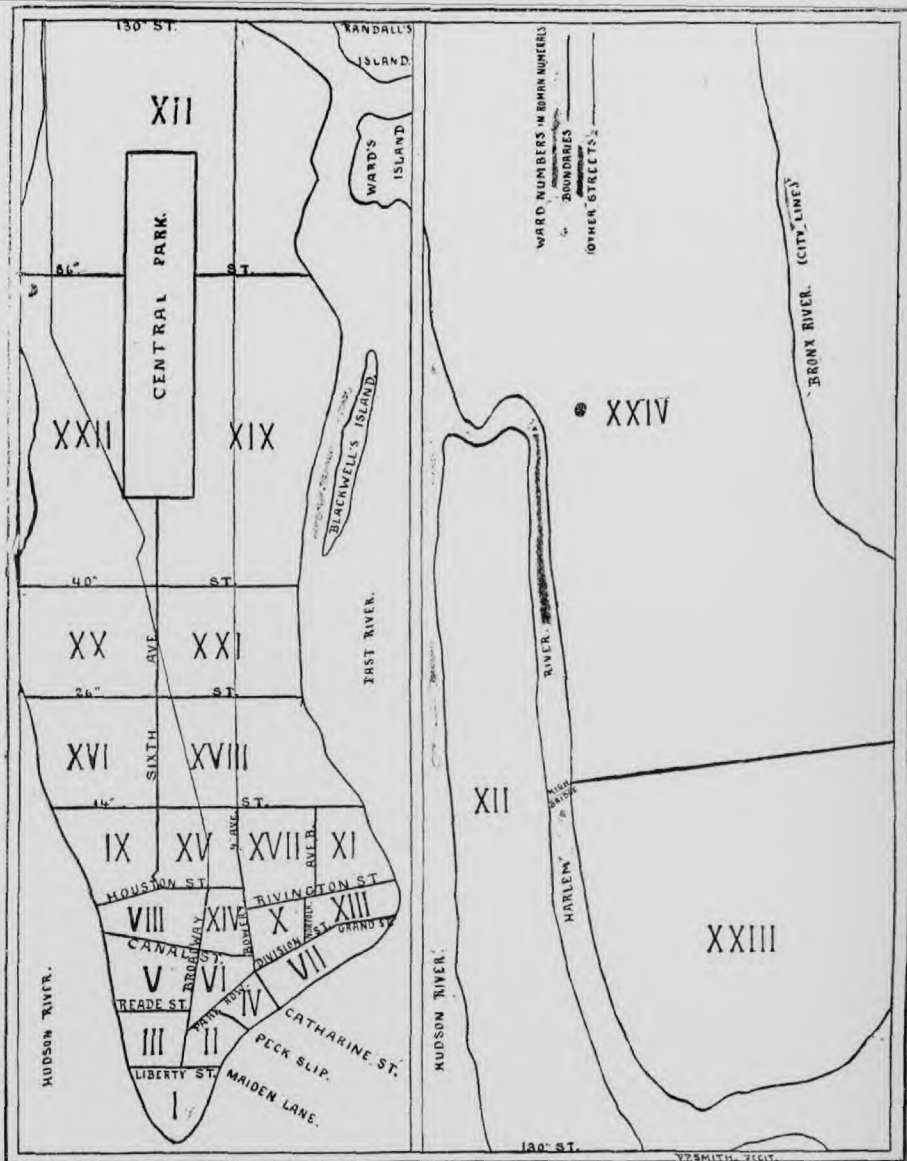
Total number of cases visited.....	528
“ premises visited by disinfectors.....	634
“ rooms disinfected.....	1,842
“ other places disinfected.....	..
“ persons removed to hospital.....	24
“ primary vaccinations.....	1,159
“ re-vaccinations.....	1,487
“ certificates of vaccination issued.....	150
“ points of vaccine virus collected.....	6,900
“ capillary tubes of vaccine virus filled.....	..
“ cattle examined by veterinarian.....	684
“ glandered horses destroyed.....	..

Total number of dead animals removed from streets.....	458
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## Executive Action.

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances.....	512
“ attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders.....	263
“ civil actions begun.....	46
“ arrests made.....	1
“ judgments obtained in civil courts.....	5
“ criminal courts.....	6
“ permits issued.....	110
“ persons removed from overcrowded apartments.....	251

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



The 799 deaths represent a death-rate of 24.87, against 24.20 for the previous week and 21.20 for the corresponding week of 1890.

The cases of contagious disease reported vary slightly in number from those of the previous week, there having been of diphtheria, scarlet fever and measles respectively 95, 220 and 329, against 71, 229 and 346, showing an increase of diphtheria and a slight decrease of the others. The increase of diphtheria was most marked above Fortieth street and in the lower part of the annexed district. Scarlet fever shows a considerable increase between Division and Fourteenth streets, east of Norfolk street and Avenue B, while measles increased between Canal and Houston streets, from Norfolk street to the North river; between Twenty-sixth and Eighty-sixth streets, West; above Eighty-sixth street, East and West, and in the lower part of the annexed district, decreasing as a rule elsewhere.

By order of the Board.  
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
FRIDAY, June 5, 1891—11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1891.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 189th section of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Friday, June 5, 1891, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

## INDORSED:

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 1st day of June, 1891.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor;

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller;

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

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

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

The minutes of the meeting held May 21, 1891, were read and approved.



The Comptroller presented the following :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
June 5, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

I present herewith a communication from the Secretary of the Aqueduct Commission, being an extract from the minutes of a stated meeting of the Commissioners, held May 20, 1891, submitting forms of agreement between one Francis Larkin, of the Town of Ossining, and Thomas J. Bushell, of the Town of Yorktown, and the City of New York, to purchase certain lands at Croton Dam which are required for highway purposes. The communication is accompanied with extracts from the minutes of the several meetings of the Commissioners at which this question was discussed; also, the appraised valuation by experts of the property to be taken, together with the reports of the Chief Engineer and communications of counsel. The area of the Bushell piece is fixed at 2.116 acres, and the price \$350 for the parcel; the area of the Larkin plot is 11.272 acres, and the price therefor, \$1,400. The property is deemed necessary to be taken by the Aqueduct Commission for the purpose of constructing highways, and the prices are regarded as fair and reasonable, in view of the fact that much time and considerable expense are saved by purchase by agreement rather than by the formal method of condemnation by Commissioners duly appointed by the Court. I offer the following resolution for such action as this Board may deem advisable.

Respectfully,  
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

And offered the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, The Aqueduct Commissioners have presented forms of agreement to purchase certain lands and premises in the County of Westchester for highway purposes in connection with the work of the New Aqueduct; and

Whereas, The prices stated for such property are deemed fair and reasonable by the experts for the City; therefore

Resolved, That the action of the Aqueduct Commission be and is hereby approved in the matter of taking a certain 2 116-1000 acres of land in the Town of Yorktown, County of Westchester, for highway purposes in connection with the New Aqueduct, belonging to Thomas J. Bushell, for the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350); and also 11 272-1000 acres of land in the Town of Ossining, County of Westchester, from Francis Larkin, for the sum of fourteen hundred dollars (\$1,400); and

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay the said amounts to the said Thomas J. Bushell and Francis Larkin upon the proper vouchers of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The communication containing an extract from the minutes of the meeting of the Aqueduct Commission, held May 20, 1891, together with the agreement referred to above, were returned to the said Commission as requested therein.

Francis M. Scott, Aqueduct Commissioner, appeared before the Board and made a statement in explanation of the above.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
June 5, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At a meeting of this Board on May 21, 1891, the Comptroller presented a communication from the Secretary of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, making a call upon the City of New York for two hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the purposes specified in chapter 128, Laws of 1891. The matter was referred to the Comptroller, who now respectfully

REPORTS:

Chapter 128 of the Laws of 1891 is "An act in relation to the New York and Brooklyn Bridge," in which the Trustees are authorized and empowered to improve the terminal facilities of the bridge in each city. The amount of the expenditure for this purpose is limited by the act to one and one-half millions of dollars, \$1,000,000 from the City of Brooklyn and \$500,000 from the City of New York, and the present call for money is for one-half of the entire quota to be paid by the City of New York. It is necessary to purchase certain real estate in the City of Brooklyn, which city, besides the one million as above indicated, shall "pay to the trustees the entire cost of opening the avenue of approach to the bridge in Brooklyn, including the cost of necessary real estate and the entire cost of acquiring any lands," as provided in the act. The Trustees are authorized to call by written requisition upon the Comptroller of each city for its proportion of the moneys necessary to carry out the purposes of the act, and, upon such call being made, it is the duty of the Comptroller to borrow upon the faith and credit of each city the moneys called for by the Trustees, and to pay the same to them.

I therefore offer the following resolution for adoption.

Respectfully,  
Comptroller.

And offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, Chapter 128 of the Laws of 1891, entitled "An act in relation to the New York and Brooklyn Bridge," provides by section 1 that the Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge are authorized and empowered to improve the terminal facilities of the bridge in each city;

Whereas, As provided by section 4 of said act, the City of Brooklyn shall not be called upon to pay more than one million of dollars, and the City of New York not more than five hundred thousand dollars; and

Whereas, As provided by said act, when the Trustees of said bridge have requested and called upon the Mayor and Comptroller of the City of New York, by proper requisition for said sum or any part of the same; therefore

Resolved, That, upon the call and request of the Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge upon the Mayor and Comptroller of the City of New York, for the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the Comptroller is authorized to borrow, from time to time, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and to issue bonds for said amount, to wit: two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), as authorized by section 4 of chapter 128 of the Laws of 1891. The said bonds shall bear such rate of interest as the Comptroller may determine, not exceeding three per centum per annum, shall be designated Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the Consolidation Act of 1882; shall be issued in separate series of one hundred thousand dollars respectively, and so that no series shall fall due and become payable within less than thirty years from the date of issue, as provided by section 4, chapter 128, Laws of 1891.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
June 5, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At the meeting of the Board on April 2, 1891, a copy of a communication from the Superintendent of Telegraph of the Fire Department to the Electrical Expert of the Board of Electrical Control, was presented by the Comptroller, on the subject of the consolidation of the different lines of the Fire Department wires where more than one exist in the same street; and was referred to the Comptroller with the request that he report to this Board any unexpended balances of appropriations from which the cost of such consolidation may be properly paid.

The transfer of these wires is not only advisable and necessary but rendered compulsory by the resolutions of the Board of Electrical Control, and the report of the Engineer of the Finance Department is herewith submitted.

The matter of the expense of such work, estimated at \$7,200, can be provided for by a transfer of \$7,049 from surplus appropriations made to the Fire Department for 1889:

"New Floating Engine".....	\$2,500 00
And from the following appropriations made to the same Department for 1890:	
"To Complete New Floating Engine".....	124 61
"Salaries".....	4,424 41
Total.....	\$7,049 02

—to the appropriation for 1891, made to the Fire Department, entitled "Fire Department Fund—Apparatus, Supplies, etc.;" and I offer the following resolution for such action as this Board may deem advisable.

Respectfully,  
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 27, 1891.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—The subway work, and work connected therewith, required to be done by the Fire Department, is made necessary—

1st. By the following resolution of the Board of Electrical Control, dated February 27, 1891: "Resolved, That the Mayor is authorized after the 1st day of June, 1891, being more than ninety days from this date, to direct the Commissioner of Public Works to remove all poles carrying wires for electric service of any kind, within the district bounded by Third avenue, Eighth avenue, Eighth street and Fifty-ninth street, including the boundary streets and avenues."

Total estimated cost of work under this resolution..... \$54,000 00

2d. By the following resolution of the Board of Electrical Control, dated March 30, 1891. "Resolved, That the Mayor is authorized and requested after the 1st day of August, 1891, being more than ninety days from this date, to direct the Commissioner of Public Works to remove all poles carrying wires for electric service of any kind within the district bounded by Canal street on the north, Battery place and State street on the south, Bowery, New Bowery, Pearl street and Whitehall street on the east, and Greenwich street on the west, including the boundary streets."

Total estimate cost of work under this resolution..... \$27,000 00

3d. By the communication of the Commissioner of Public Works, naming certain streets about to be repaved, etc.

Estimated cost of work made necessary..... \$42,000 00

4th. Transferring wires on streets where there are duplicate lines of poles, involving the taking down of about 800 poles, and the transfer of about 80 miles of wire.

Estimated cost of this work is..... \$7,200 00

The amount appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 31, 1890, under the title "For placing Fire Alarm Electrical Apparatus Underground," is \$58,000.

Of this amount \$30,000 is available for the work above enumerated, the remaining \$28,000 being necessary for payment of existing engagements and current expenses, including pay-rolls, etc.

Summary.

Estimated cost of removing overhead wires of the Fire Department and placing them in subways necessitated by resolution of Board of Electrical Control, February 27, 1891:

For subways and ducts..... \$36,000 00  
For cables, etc..... 18,000 00

Estimated cost of similar work under resolution of same Board of March 30, 1891:

For subways and ducts..... 18,000 00  
For cables, etc..... 9,000 00

Estimated cost of similar work, on streets named by the Commissioner of Public Works, as about to be repaved:

For subways and ducts..... 30,000 00  
For cables, etc..... 12,000 00

Total for this class of work..... \$123,000 00

Deduct amount available from the appropriation of December 31, 1891..... \$30,000 00  
Deduct also from the estimated cost, this sum on account of space being given to Fire Department, without cost, in general subways..... 33,470 00

Total to be deducted from estimated cost..... 63,470 00

Appropriation required for this class of work..... \$59,530 00

Estimated cost of transferring wires in streets where there are duplicate poles, as per list herewith, involving the taking down of about 800 poles, and the transfer of about 80 miles of wire..... \$7,200 00

The transfer of these wires is advisable in every respect.

Respectfully,  
EUG. E. MCLEAN, Engineer.

Fire Department Lines to be Transferred.

Greene street, Prince to Spring street, to Metropolitan poles.  
West Eleventh street, Greenwich avenue to West street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Mercer street, West Fourth to Houston street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Spring street, Greene street to South Fifth avenue, to Metropolitan poles.  
Front street, Fulton to Roosevelt street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Roosevelt street, Cherry to South street, to Metropolitan poles.  
James slip, East river to Cherry street, to Metropolitan poles.  
James street, New Chambers to Oak street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Hester street, Bowery to Orchard street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Hester street, Ludlow to Clinton street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Clinton street, Monroe to Hester street, to Gold and Stock poles.  
Scammon street, Monroe to Grand street, to Western Union poles.  
Henry street, Gouverneur to Ridge street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Fitt street, Grand to Houston street, to American Rapid poles.  
Division street, Ridge to Clinton street, to Western Union poles.  
Delancey street, East to Forsyth street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Houston street, Cannon street to East river, to Metropolitan poles.  
Houston street, Allen to Orchard street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Elizabeth street, Canal to Prince street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Hester street, Bowery to Mott street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Elm street, Canal to Broome street, to Western Union poles.  
Tenth avenue, Thirteenth to Fifteenth street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Tenth avenue, Thirteenth to Little West Twelfth street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Broome street, Broadway to Bowery, to Metropolitan poles.  
Elizabeth street, Prince to Houston street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Crosby street, Houston to Bleecker street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Bleecker street, Crosby street to Bowery, to Metropolitan poles.  
East Broadway, Chatham Square to Canal street, to Metropolitan poles.  
Henry street, Catharine to Pike street, to Western Union poles.  
Bayard street, Division street to Bowery, to Metropolitan poles.  
Pike street, Division street to East Broadway, to Metropolitan poles.  
Orchard street, north of Division street, to Gold and Stock poles.  
Madison street, Chatham Square to Rutgers street, to Western Union poles.  
Hester street, Orchard to Ludlow street, to Metropolitan poles.  
One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Eighth avenue to Manhattan street, to Western Union poles.

Eighth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, to Western Union poles.

Boulevard, One Hundred and Forty-fourth to One Hundred and Fifty-first street, to Metropolitan poles.

Tenth avenue, Sixty-sixth to One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, to Metropolitan poles.

St. Ann's avenue to Boulevard, to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, to Fire poles.

West Fourth street, Eighth avenue to Grove street, to Metropolitan poles.

Carmine street, West Third to Bleecker street, to Metropolitan poles.

Thirtieth street, Ninth to Tenth avenue, to Western Union poles.

Great Jones street, Broadway to Lafayette place, to Western Union poles.

Lewis street, Houston to Fifth street, to Metropolitan poles.

Avenue C, Houston to Eighteenth street, to Metropolitan or American Rapid poles.

Eighth street, Lewis street to Avenue D, to Metropolitan poles.

Avenue D, Eighth to Tenth street, to Metropolitan poles.

First avenue, Sixth to Seventh street, to Metropolitan poles.

Thirteenth street, Third avenue to Avenue A, to Metropolitan poles.

Eighteenth street, East river to Avenue B, to Metropolitan poles.

Thirty-third street, Third avenue to East river, to Metropolitan poles.

Second avenue, Fortieth to Eighty-sixth street, to Metropolitan poles.

Fifty-sixth street, Avenue A to First avenue, to Metropolitan poles.

Eighty-seventh street, First avenue to Avenue A, to Western Union poles.



Seventy-first street, Fourth to Madison avenue, to Western Union poles.  
Lewis street, Fifth to Eighth street, to Metropolitan poles.

And offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the sum of seven thousand and forty-nine dollars and two cents (\$7,049.02) be and is hereby transferred from the following appropriations made to the Fire Department entitled :

"New Floating Engine," for 1889 .....	\$2,500 00
"To Complete New Floating Engine," for 1890 .....	124 61
"Salaries," for 1890 .....	4,424 41
Total .....	\$7,049 02

—which appropriations are in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the following appropriation for 1891, entitled "Fire Department Fund—For Apparatus, Supplies, etc.," for the purpose of meeting the expense of transferring the electric wires of the Fire Department in streets where there are duplicate poles and taking down poles, which appropriation is insufficient for the purposes thereof.

The Comptroller stated that the representatives of the Fire Department had called upon him and represented that they had the matter under consideration, and requested that action by this Board be deferred, whereupon the Chairman moved that the matter be laid over as requested by the Fire Commissioners.

Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller presented the following :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,  
NEW YORK, May 21, 1891.

(In Board of Education, May 20, 1891.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of six thousand six hundred and fifty-eight dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated from the premiums received from the sale of School-house Bonds under the act chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, such sum to be applied in payment of the contract to be made with Messrs. A. Lowenstein's Sons for supplying new furniture included in Part I. to Primary School Building No. 46, to the amount of four thousand and sixty-three dollars (\$4,063) and to the payment of the contract to be made with the Andrews Manufacturing Company for supplying the new furniture included in Part II. to Primary School Building No. 46, to the amount of two thousand five hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$2,595), and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to approve of the same and the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and that said Board designate and appropriate this amount for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same to be paid by said Comptroller, requisition for which sum of six thousand six hundred and fifty-eight dollars is hereby made upon the Comptroller; but no part of said money to be paid until the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward shall have duly filed the contracts to be entered into by them with Messrs. A. Lowenstein's Sons and the Andrews Manufacturing Company, to whom the awards are made, together with such security for the faithful performance of the same as shall be satisfactory to the Finance Committee; the rules of this Board as to the form of the contracts and the payments to be made on account thereof to be complied with.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
June 2, 1891.

Hon. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller :

SIR—In the matter of the application of the Board of Education to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the approval of the appropriation of the sum of \$6,658, to be applied to the payment of the contract to be made with A. Lowenstein's Sons for supplying new furniture in Part I, Primary School Building No. 46, \$4,063, and a similar contract to be entered into with the Andrews Manufacturing Company, for supplying new furniture in Part 2 of the same building, \$2,595. I have the honor to report :

That proposals were duly invited in the CITY RECORD for the above work, on plans and specifications properly prepared, and that the firms above named, at the figures above given, were the lowest bidders. Primary School No. 46 is the new school at Spuyten Duyvil, Twenty-fourth Ward.

I can see no reason why the application of the Board of Education should not be granted.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following preamble and resolutions :

Whereas, The Board of Education, at its meeting of May 20, 1891, adopted a resolution, subject to the approval of this Board, appropriating the sum of six thousand six hundred and fifty-eight dollars (\$6,658) from the premiums received from the sale of School-house Bonds, under chapter 136, Laws of 1888, for the purpose of providing the necessary funds for carrying out contracts to be made with Messrs. A. Lowenstein's Sons for supplying new furniture in Part I. to Primary School No. 46, to the amount of four thousand and sixty-three dollars (\$4,063), and with the Andrews Manufacturing Company for supplying new furniture included in Part II. to Primary School No. 26, to the amount of two thousand five hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$2,595); therefore

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

Resolved, That this Board hereby designates and appropriates the sum of six thousand six hundred and fifty-eight dollars (\$6,658) for such purpose, from premiums received on sale of School-house Bonds, under chapter 136, Laws 1888; provided, however, that no part of said money is to be paid until the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward shall have duly filed the contracts to be entered into by them with Messrs. A. Lowenstein's Sons and the Andrews Manufacturing Company, to whom the awards are made, together with such security for the faithful performance of the same as shall be satisfactory to the Finance Committee; the rules of the Board of Education as to the form of the contracts and the payments to be made on account thereof to be complied with.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

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

The Comptroller presented the following :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
June 5, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

At the meeting of this Board of May 21, 1891, the President of the Park Department stated that he would furnish a request from the Park Commissioners for a transfer of \$8,500, for the cost of resurfacing the circle at Eighth avenue and Fifty-ninth street. From the annexed communication from the Secretary of the Park Department, just received, an application is made for a transfer of eighty-five hundred dollars for the purpose of repairing and resurfacing the Plaza and the circles at the intersections of Fifty-ninth street with Fifth and Eighth avenues.

An examination of the pavement at the locations named shows it to be much out of repair, and that the entire surface must be renewed to make the repairs of any lasting benefit. The work should be done without delay; the request for the transfer is herewith favorably reported, and I offer the following resolution for adoption by this Board.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
June 3, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Parks, held on the 27th ultimo, the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be respectfully requested to transfer the sum of eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500) from unexpended balances of appropriations made for the year 1890, as follows :

"Salaries" .....	\$117 08
"Police—Salaries" .....	3,144 70
"Zoological Department" .....	1,000 00
"Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards" .....	4,238 22
Total .....	\$8,500 00

—to the appropriation for "Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, Construction and Repairs," etc., for the current year, to be used for the purpose of repairing and resurfacing the "Plaza" and the "Circle" at Fifty-ninth street, Fifth and Eighth avenues.

Very respectfully yours,

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

And offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the sum of eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500) be and is hereby transferred from the unexpended balances of the following appropriations made to the Department of Public Parks for 1890, namely :

"Salaries" .....	\$117 08
"Police—Salaries" .....	3,144 70
"Zoological Department" .....	1,000 00
"Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards" .....	4,238 22
Total .....	\$8,500 00

—which appropriations are in excess of the amounts required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1891, entitled "Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, Construction and Repairs, etc.," which is insufficient for the purposes thereof, said sum to be expended in the work of resurfacing the "Plaza" and the circles at Fifty-ninth street and Fifth and Eighth avenues.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

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

The Comptroller presented the following :

To the Board of Education :

The Committee on Sites and New Schools, to whom was referred the following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation :

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, May 22, 1891.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Esq., Clerk, Board of Education :

SIR—I have transmitted to the Comptroller a certified copy of the report of the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of acquiring the title to certain lands on the southerly side of Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, as a site for school purposes, together with a certified copy of the order confirming said report.

The amount of the award is \$19,750, and the costs, charges and expenses of the proceeding were taxed at \$3,017.20.

Respectfully yours,

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

Respectfully report, that it appears, from the report and order made in said proceeding, that the amounts of the award and of the costs, charges and expenses therein, as confirmed by the Court, are as follows :

Premises No. 146 West Twentieth street, adjoining Grammar School No. 55, in the Sixteenth Ward :

Award .....	\$19,750 00
Costs, etc. ....	3,017 20
Total .....	\$22,767 20

The Committee therefore recommend for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he hereby is requested to issue further additional bonds for the purpose of providing the funds to meet the expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the school site on the southerly side of Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward, for the payment of the award, costs, charges and expenses confirmed by the Court in the proceedings therefor, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of twenty-two thousand seven hundred and sixty-seven dollars and twenty cents; and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to approve of the same and of the purposes for which such expenditures are to be made, and that said Board designate and appropriate the amounts necessary to be expended for such purposes, and that when so designated and appropriated the same be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made.

Respectfully submitted,

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER,  
W. H. GRAY,  
JOHN L. N. HUNT,  
CHAS. STRAUSS,  
JOSEPH F. MOSHER,

Committee  
on  
Sites and New Schools.

The above is a true copy of a report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education, June 3, 1891.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

And offered the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, the Board of Education of the City of New York adopted a resolution on June 3, 1891, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to approve of and authorize the issue of additional School-house Bonds to the amount of twenty-two thousand seven hundred and sixty-seven dollars and twenty cents (\$22,767.20) for the payment of the awards, costs, charges and expenses in the proceedings for the acquisition of the school site on the southerly side of Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward of the City of New York, confirmed by the Supreme Court; therefore

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of additional School-house Bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of twenty-two thousand seven hundred and sixty-seven dollars and twenty cents (\$22,767.20); and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to issue the same for such period as he may direct, not exceeding twenty years from the date of issue, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, the proceeds of which shall be applied to the payment of the awards, costs, charges and expenses of proceedings as certified by the Counsel to the Corporation, for the acquisition of title to the school site situated on the southerly side of Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward, as follows :

Amount of award .....	\$19,750 00
Commissioners' fees, advertising, etc., as taxed by Court .....	3,017 20
Total .....	\$22,767 20

Which were adopted by the following vote :

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

The Chairman moved that the Secretary be directed to communicate with the Counsel to the Corporation, requesting him to advise this Board, whether there is not, in his opinion, some way in which the taking of property for the purposes of the Board of Education, can be simplified, and the expenses, as shown in this and similar cases, be reduced.

Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller presented the following :

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

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

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



purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and to designate and appropriate the amount necessary to be expended for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same be paid by the Comptroller of the City of New York out of said premiums, requisition therefor being hereby made, for the said piece or parcel of land and premises above mentioned, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds for the same, together with the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation that the title thereto is satisfactory and free from all incumbrances, and is vested in The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

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

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

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) be and is hereby appropriated from the premiums received from the sale of School-house Bonds heretofore issued under the act chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, for the purchase, as a site for school purposes, of all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situated, lying and being on the northwesterly corner of Suburban (formerly Gambrell) street and Briggs avenue, at Bedford Park District, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Suburban street with the westerly side of Briggs avenue, and running thence northerly along the westerly side of Briggs avenue, about one hundred and fifteen feet three inches, to the centre line of the block between Suburban and Summit streets; thence westerly, along said centre line, about one hundred and ninety-one feet three and one-half inches; thence southerly, at right angles to said centre line, about one hundred feet, to the northerly side of Suburban street, and thence easterly, along the northerly side of Suburban street, about one hundred and thirty-three feet ten and one-half inches, to the point or place of beginning; that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to approve of the same and of the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and to designate and appropriate the amount necessary to be expended for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same be paid by the Comptroller out of said premiums, requisition therefor being hereby made, for the said piece or parcel of land and premises above mentioned, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds for the same, together with the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation that the title thereto is satisfactory and free from all incumbrances (except certain covenants as to buildings and against nuisances), and is vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

Which was received and referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
June 3, 1891.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board held on the 27th ultimo the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be respectfully requested to transfer the sum of twenty thousand dollars from any unexpended balance or fund which may be available to the appropriation for the New Parks for the current year, to be applied to the immediate improvement, for public use and convenience, of certain portions of Bronx, Crotona and St. Mary's Parks.

Yours, respectfully,

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

Which was received and referred to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented the following:

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,  
June 1, 1891.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully request that the sum of four thousand dollars be transferred from the appropriation entitled "Contingencies—District Attorney's Office," 1890, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation entitled "Salaries—Judiciary—The District Attorney's Office," 1891, the amount of said last-mentioned appropriation being insufficient.

When I appeared before your Honorable Board in December last, I called attention to the fact that the amount allowed would be insufficient to pay the salaries of the Deputy Assistants, Clerks, and Subpoena-servers necessary for the transaction of the business of this office, and I requested that a transfer of an unexpended balance to the credit of the Contingency Account for 1890 be made to the Salary Account. I was encouraged in the belief that at some later meeting the Board would favorably consider that request.

Accordingly, I beg again to represent that the amount now applicable to the payment of the salaries of my office force necessary for the proper discharge of my official duties is insufficient for that purpose, and that I shall be obliged to dispense with the services of some of my staff unless your Honorable Board shall supply the deficiency in the Salary Account by the transfer above requested.

I remain, gentlemen,

Respectfully yours,

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

Which was received and referred to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented the following:

CITY COURT OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, May 27, 1891.

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to the Laws of 1891, amending section 328, Code of Civil Procedure, providing for an additional assistant clerk in this court, Richard J. Sheerin was regularly appointed on May 2, 1891, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum, and I therefore make application for a transfer to the appropriation for salaries of clerks of this court of the sum of \$996, being the amount needed for said clerk's salary from May 2, 1891, to December 31, 1891.

Yours, respectfully,

JAMES P. KEATING, Clerk of City Court.

Which was received and referred to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. WM. McM. SPEER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

#### Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MICHAEL T. DALY, CHARLES G. F. WAHLE.

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

## BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

### COMMON COUNCIL.

#### Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

#### City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MICHAEL C. PADDEN, City Librarian.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

### Commissioner's Office.

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

#### Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

#### Bureau of Water Register.

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

#### Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

#### Office of Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

#### Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

#### Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

#### Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

#### Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

#### Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

#### Keeper of City Hall

MARTIN J. KRESE, City Hall.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

### TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

No. 2656 Third avenue.  
LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER, Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN EYCK, Secretary.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### Comptroller's Office.

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

#### Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.  
Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

OSBORNE MACDANIEL, Collector of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes.  
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

#### Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

#### Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, City Chamberlain.

#### Office of the City Paymaster.

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

### Office of the Counsel to the Corporation

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

#### Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.  
SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

#### Office of the Corporation Attorney

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

### Central Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

### Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.  
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

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

## HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Washington Building, No. 1 Broadway.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

### Headquarters.

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

#### Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

#### Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

#### Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

#### Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

#### Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

#### Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

#### Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

#### Hospital Stables.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

### Battery, Pier A, North river.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

### Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HANS S. BEATTIE, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; GILBERT O. F. NICOLL, Chief Clerk.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

### Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES THOMSON, Chairman of the Supervisory Board  
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

### Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

The MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

### Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

### No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ALEXANDER MEAKIN, President; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

### East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FRANK I. FITZGERALD, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

BERNARD F. MARTIN, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, County Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. MCKENNA, Chief Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.

W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. MCGRATH, Examiner.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 124 Second avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.

MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZE, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

## SURROGATE'S COURT.

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

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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



## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Court open at 11 o'clock A.M. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.

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

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A.M. JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, to A.M. till 4 P.M.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A.M. General Term, Room No. 35. Special Term, Room No. 33. Equity Term, Room No. 30. Chambers, Room No. 33. Part I., Room No. 34. Part II., Room No. 35. Part III., Room No. 36. Judges' Private Chambers. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31. Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 22, 10, 30 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. JOSEPH F. DALY, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

## CITY COURT.

## City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20. Part II., Room No. 21. Part III., Room No. 15. Part IV., Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 19, to A.M. to 4 P.M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. SIMON M. EHRLICH, Chief Justice; JAMES P. KEATING, Clerk.

## SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens 10, 30 A.M. CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, Clerk. General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk. Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk. Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk. Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. MCCALL, Clerk. Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk. Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk. Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 21, SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Librarian.

## DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. PETER MITCHELL, Justice. 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. CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice. JAMES DUNPHY, 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. WILLIAM H. CORSA, 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. ALFRED STECKLER, 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. SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice. PHILIP AHERN, 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. JOHN JEROLMAN, Justice. CARSON G. ARCHIBALD, Clerk.

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

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9½ A.M. Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours, from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Court opens at 9 A.M. ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice. MATTHEW P. BREEN, Clerk.

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth

street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 99 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

## POLICE COURTS.

Judges—J. HENRY FORD, JAMES T. KILBRETH, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY, DANIEL F. MCMAHON, EDW. HOGAN, CLARENCE W. MEADE, CHARLES N. TANTOR, PATRICK DIVVER, JOHN J. RYAN, JOHN E. KELLY. GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary. Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb's, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named. For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: 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.

## 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 3411, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Ninth street, from Ninth avenue to Riverside Drive. List 3444, No. 2. Re-regulating, regrading, curbing and flagging Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street. List 3445, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

List 3475, No. 4. Regulating and paving Rider avenue, from the north curb-line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the south house-line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, with trap blocks.

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

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

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

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

List 3540, No. 9. Paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

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

List 3542, No. 11. Paving Eighty-fourth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3549, No. 12. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to a point distant about 425 feet west of the Boulevard.

List 3568, No. 13. Alteration and improvement to sewers in Fourth (Park) avenue, west side, between Seventy-first and Seventy-third streets, and in Seventy-second street, between Park and Madison avenues.

List 3569, No. 14. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Harlem river.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from Ninth avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD GILON, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERLY, CHAS. E. WENDT, EDWARD CAHILL, Board of Assessors.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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

No. 1. FOR REMOVING, REBUILDING AND RENEWING THE STATION ARRANGEMENTS, PLATFORMS AND STAIRWAYS OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET STATION OF THE MANHATTAN RAILWAY COMPANY AT EIGHTH AVENUE.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN EDGEcombe AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, connecting with present sewer in One Hundred and Fortieth street.

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.

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

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, June 1, 1891.

## NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 1891, AT 11.30 A.M., THE Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at the Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street, the following, viz.:

9,500 NAVARRO WATER-METERS.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the removal by the purchasers, within ten days, of the meters purchased, otherwise purchasers will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, May 25, 1891.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Monday, June 8, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REMOVING, REBUILDING AND RENEWING THE STATION ARRANGEMENTS, PLATFORMS AND STAIRWAYS OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET STATION OF THE MANHATTAN RAILWAY COMPANY AT EIGHTH AVENUE.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety,



or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTRY,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,  
NEW YORK, May 1, 1891.

#### CROTON WATER RATES.

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

#### TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works

#### CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

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

June 9. STEWARD, Department of Charities and Correction.

June 10. SANITARY INSPECTOR or ENGINEER.

June 16. MEDICAL SANITARY INSPECTOR, Summer Corps.

Application blanks and other information may be obtained at the office of the Secretary in the Cooper Union.

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

#### NOTICE.

- Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
- Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
- Examinations will be held from time to time as the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.
- All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
- The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:  
Schedule A shall include all deputies of officers and commissioners duly authorized to act for their principals, and all persons necessarily occupying a strictly confidential position.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer

#### AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 286 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, May 28, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING THE Headhouse and Engine Room Superstructure, etc., at Shaft No. 25, on Section 12 of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, June 17, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

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

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
Secretary.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Tenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Friday, June 19, 1891, for Heating Apparatus, Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 20.

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

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, June 18, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 2, 12, 31, and Primary School No. 36.

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

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

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

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

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

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 18, 1891, for Heating Apparatus Repairs at Grammar Schools Nos. 33 and 48.

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

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

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

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, June 17, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 67.

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

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-first Ward, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, June 16, 1891, for Improving the Property Nos. 222 and 230 East Thirty-eighth street, adjoining Grammar School No. 49, and Alterations, etc., at said school.

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

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

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

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 15, 1891, for supplying the Heating Apparatus for the new school building in course of erection on northwest corner Amsterdam avenue and Ninety-third street.

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

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 15, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Department, Grammar School No. 60 and Grammar School No. 61.

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

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, June 11, 1891, for making Repairs, etc., to Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 22.

P. J. McCUE, Chairman,  
GEORGE MUNDORFF, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 28, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, June 11, 1891, for repairing Heating Apparatus of Grammar Schools Nos. 37, 43, 72 and 83; also for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 37, 54, 72 and 78.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,  
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 28, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 11, 1891, for Sanitary Work, etc., at Grammar School No. 21.

JOHN A. O'BRIEN, Chairman,  
M. B. FEENEY, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 28, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 11, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 50 and Primary Schools Nos. 4, 28 and 29.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman,  
WILLIAM J. FANNING, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 28, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 11, 1891, for Sanitary Work, etc., at Grammar School No. 84 and Primary School No. 47.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,  
RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 28, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Sixth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 8, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 23 and Primary School No. 8.

JOHN F. WHELAN, Chairman,  
PETER KRAEGER, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Sixth Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 23, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 8, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 14 and Primary School No. 16.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman,  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 23, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 8, 1891, for making Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 21.

JOHN A. O'BRIEN, Chairman,  
M. B. FEENEY, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 23, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 8, 1891, for Heating Apparatus Work at Grammar School No. 64.

ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman,  
THEO. E. THOMSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 23, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 8, 1891, for Heating Apparatus, Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 3.

J. J. McNAMARA, Chairman,  
JOHN P. FAURE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 23, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 8, 1891, for Altering, etc., the Building and Premises No. 162 Stanton street, Annex to Grammar School No. 22.

P. J. McCUE, Chairman,  
GEORGE MUNDORFF, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.  
Dated NEW YORK, May 23, 1891.

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

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

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

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

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 381.)

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

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

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at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to Wales avenue, from Kelly street to St. Joseph's street, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 19, 1891, and entered on the 27th day of May, 1891, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

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

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price..... \$100 00  
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Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

## 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, May 27, 1891.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 262 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, June 10, 1891.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, from Third Avenue to St. Ann's Avenue, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, from Third Avenue to Courtland Avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from Courtland Avenue to Railroad Avenue, East.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, LAYING FLAGGING AND CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING CULVERTS IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Rider Avenue and Railroad Avenue, East.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING THE ROADWAY WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET, between Courtland Avenue and Railroad Avenue, East, and readjusting curb and flagging.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately; that is, more than one work must not be included in the same estimate or envelope.

## NUMBER 1, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

10,600 cubic yards of filling.  
1,275 linear feet of new curb-stones furnished and set.  
60 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset.  
4,600 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.  
1,175 square feet new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.

400 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry for retaining-walls and culverts.  
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be ONE HUNDRED CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

## NUMBER 2, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

275 cubic yards of earth excavation.  
80 cubic yards of rock excavation.  
1,100 linear feet of new curb-stones furnished and set.  
200 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset.  
8,250 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.  
1,575 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.  
600 square feet of new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.

1,800 square yards of granite-block pavement furnished and laid.  
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SEVENTY-FIVE CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

## NUMBER 3, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

1 100 cubic yards of excavation.  
2,225 cubic yards of filling.  
1,260 linear feet of new curb-stones furnished and set.  
550 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset.

5,850 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid  
1,500 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.  
140 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining-walls and culverts.

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

## NUMBER 4, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

570 cubic yards of earth excavation.  
1,500 cubic yards of filling.  
360 linear feet of new curb-stones furnished and set.  
350 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset.  
2,370 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.  
850 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.  
160 square feet of bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.

425 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining-walls and culverts.

3,600 feet (B. M.) of timber furnished and laid.  
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

## NUMBER 5, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

1,250 linear feet of new curb-stones furnished and set.  
675 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset.  
5,150 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.  
2,050 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.  
100 square feet of new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.

3,900 square yards of new trap-block pavement.  
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be NINETY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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 other information desired, can be obtained at this office.

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

## JURORS.

## NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS IN REGARD TO CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTION FROM JURY DUTY.

ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
No. 280 BROADWAY, THIRD FLOOR,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1891.

CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTION FROM JURY duty will be heard by me daily at my office, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.

Those entitled to exemption are: Clergymen, lawyers, physicians, surgeons, surgeon-dentists, professors or teachers in a college, academy or public school, editors, editorial writers or reporters of daily newspapers, licensed pharmacists or pharmacists, actually engaged in their respective professions and not following any other calling; militiamen, policemen, and firemen; election officers, jury non-residents, and city employees, and United States employees; officers of vessels making regular trips; licensed pilots, actually following that calling; superintendents, conductors and engineers of a railroad company other than a street railroad company; telegraph operators actually doing duty as such; Grand, Sheriff's, and Civil Court jurors; stationary engineers; and persons physically incapable of performing jury duty by reason of severe sickness, deafness, or other physical disorder.

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors, are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement and every case will be fully prosecuted.

BERNARD F. MARTIN,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN ERECTING A PAVILION FOR THE INCURABLES, ALMSHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, N. Y.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, June 11, 1891, at 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for a Pavilion for Incurables, B. I." and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 26, 1891.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, June 2, 1891.

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

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Frederika Muller, aged 67 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted red dress, buttoned gaiters, brown felt hat.

Thomas Maloney, aged 53 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black diagonal coat, gray vest, striped pants, laced shoes, black felt hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,  
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION,  
WASHINGTON BUILDING, No. 1 BROADWAY,  
May 29, 1891.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR WOODEN FENCING around the small parks adjacent to Washington Bridge, New York City, will be received by the Harlem River Bridge Commissioners, at their office, Room 185, No. 1 Broadway, New York, until 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, June 10, 1891, at which time the said proposals will be publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Commission. No proposal will be received unless accompanied by certified check for \$500, payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the names of two sureties, freeholders in the City of New York, who will enter into a bond in the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, if awarded. If the party tendering shall not attend with his sureties and execute the contract and bond within five days after being notified that the contract has been awarded such bidder and that the sureties have been approved by the Comptroller, said sum of \$500 shall be thereby forfeited as liquidated damages for failure to execute such contract. The checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within five days after the opening of the bids.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.  
By order of the Board,

MALCOLM W. NIVEN,  
Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION,  
WASHINGTON BUILDING, No. 1 BROADWAY,  
May 29, 1891.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR LOAM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Harlem River Bridge Commissioners, at their office, Room 185, No. 1 Broadway, New York, until 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, June 10, 1891, for furnishing six thousand cubic yards, more or less, of Loam or Top Soil, free from grit, stones and cinders, for finishing the small parks adjacent to the Washington Bridge, between the Harlem river and Undercliff Avenue, in the City of New York, to be delivered and spread on the grounds where and as directed by the Engineer in charge of the work, at which time the said proposals will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for the sum of one thousand dollars, payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the names of two sureties, freeholders in the City of New York, who will enter into a bond in the sum of two thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract if awarded. If the party bidding shall not attend with his sureties and execute the contract and bond within five days after being notified that the contract has been awarded such bidder, and that the sureties have been approved by the Comptroller, said sum of \$1,000 shall be thereby forfeited as liquidated damages for the failure to execute such contract. The checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within five days after the opening of the bids.

Bidders at or before the receipt of their tenders must deliver at the office of the Commission a sample of the material proposed to be furnished; such sample shall not contain less than one cubic foot of the material, and all deliveries shall be in all respects equal to the sample. Such material must be furnished and spread within forty days from date of notification to begin delivery.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board,  
MALCOLM W. NIVEN,  
Secretary, Harlem River Bridge Commission.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION,  
WASHINGTON BUILDING, No. 1 BROADWAY,  
May 29, 1891.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR PAVING WITH rock asphalt certain walks in small parks adjacent to the Washington Bridge, east of the Harlem river, and Undercliff place and Undercliff Avenue, in the City of New York, will be received by the Harlem River Bridge Commissioners, at their office, Room 185, No. 1 Broadway, New York, until 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, June 10, 1891, at which time said proposals will be publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications and form of contract can be seen at the office of the Commission, and blank form of proposal can be obtained.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board,  
MALCOLM W. NIVEN,  
Secretary, Harlem River Bridge Commission.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

## NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## 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 WILLOW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Bronx Kills to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit



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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; easterly by the centre line of the block between Walnut avenue and Willow avenue, prolonged southerly to the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills; southerly by the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills; westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Cypress avenue and Willow avenue, from the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills to the centre line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence northerly by the last-mentioned centre line to the centre line of the blocks between Willow avenue and the Southern Boulevard, prolonged southerly at right angles to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Willow avenue and the Southern Boulevard, prolonged northerly to the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of the streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 6, 1891.

JAMES J. PHELAN, Chairman,  
JAMES OLIVER,  
SIDNEY HARRIS,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 29, 1891.

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

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 26th day of June, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the

City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the purposes of Cathedral Parkway, by widening and enlarging One Hundred and Tenth street, between Seventh avenue and Riverside Park, in the City of New York, so as to provide sufficient and convenient means of communication between Central Park, Morningside Park and Riverside Park, and sufficient and appropriate entrances for said parks in connection therewith, as provided in chapter 275 of the Laws of 1891, passed April 28, 1891; being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### PARCEL "A."

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

#### PARCEL "B."

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

#### PARCEL "C."

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

#### PARCEL "D."

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

#### PARCEL "E."

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

#### PARCEL "F."

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

#### PARCEL "G."

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

#### PARCEL "H."

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 20, 1891.

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

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the second day of July, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said second day of July, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 1 o'clock P. M.

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 22, 1891.

HENRY G. CASSIDY, Chairman,  
ROGER A. PRYOR, JR.,  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the nineteenth day of June, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said nineteenth day of June, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; easterly by the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; and westerly by the easterly line of Vanderbilt avenue, east; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares, and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 9, 1891.

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

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a line parallel to and distant 100 feet from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; easterly by the westerly line of Tenth or Amsterdam avenue; southerly by a line parallel to and distant 100 feet from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; westerly by the easterly line of Eleventh avenue.

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 22, 1891.

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

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

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. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 1st day of June, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week day next after the said 1st day of June, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 25 feet northerly of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Willis avenue, and the centre line of the block between Bergen avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Third avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Brook avenue, the centre line of the blocks between Bergen avenue and Brook avenue, extending from the intersection of the easterly line of Bergen avenue with the westerly line of Brook avenue to East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly line of Willis avenue and extending from East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; southerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and westerly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Willis avenue from East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, the easterly line of Third avenue, the easterly line of Willis avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Bergen avenue and Third avenue; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874 and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, April 20, 1891.

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

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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