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### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

#### STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, December 31, 1889,  
1 o'clock P. M.

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

#### PRESENT:

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President;

#### ALDERMEN

James M. Fitzsimons,  
Vice-President,  
David Barry,  
John Carlin,  
William Clancy,  
Patrick Divver,  
Alexander J. Dowd,

Cornelius Flynn,  
George Gregory,  
Charles M. Hammond,  
Thomas M. Lynch,  
George B. Morris,  
Andrew A. Noonan,

Patrick N. Oakley,  
Edward J. Rapp,  
Walton Storm,  
Richard J. Sullivan,  
William Tait,  
William H. Walker.

The minutes of the meeting of December 24, 1889, were read and approved.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Storm moved that when this Board adjourns, it do adjourn to meet again on Monday, January 6, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

#### REPORTS.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance to amend section 11, of Article I. of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, relating to contracts for supplies and work for the Corporation, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That it is proposed by the ordinance to limit the extent to which contractors or others engaged in the performance of any description of public works in the streets of this city, shall occupy the sidewalks by any description of materials. At present there is no limit to the occupation of the sidewalks on such occasions, other than the wishes or convenience of contractors, and as a result frequently the public are incommoded, and the free uses of the streets prevented to an extent out of all proportion to the necessities of the case. The provisions of the ordinance fixes the portion of any sidewalk to be so occupied at one-half the width and one thousand feet in length. This will afford ample space for the storage of pavingblocks and other materials, and leave sufficient for the uses of the public. Your Committee respectfully recommend its adoption.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 11 of article I. of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, relating to "contracts for supplies and work for the Corporation."

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

Section 1. Section 11 of article I. of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880 is hereby amended by adding thereto, at the end thereof, the following: "and that no contractor or other person engaged in the work of paving, repaving or repairing any street or constructing or repairing any sewer therein, or performing any other work from the nature of which it is indispensable to occupy any portion of a sidewalk in any street, avenue or public place, by materials of any description, shall so occupy the sidewalks or any portion thereof for a greater distance than one thousand (1,000) feet at any one time, and that only such portion of any such sidewalk may be occupied as will leave unobstructed one-half thereof for the uses of the public," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

"Sec. 11. In all contracts for work for the corporation upon any public building or in any public street or place in the performance of which accidents or injuries may happen to the person or property of another a provision shall be inserted that the contractor shall place proper guards for the prevention of accidents, and shall put up and keep at nights suitable and sufficient lights during the performance of the work; and that he will indemnify the corporation for damages or costs to which they may be put by reason of injury to person or property of another resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, and that no contractor or other person engaged in the work of paving, repaving or repairing any street, or constructing or repairing any sewer therein, or performing any other work from the nature of which it is indispensable to occupy any portion of a sidewalk, in any street, avenue or public place, by materials of any description, shall so occupy the sidewalk or any portion thereof, for a greater distance than one thousand (1,000) feet at any one time, and that only such portion of any such sidewalk may be occupied as will leave unobstructed one-half thereof for the uses of the public."

Sec. 2. All ordinances and resolutions or part of ordinances or resolutions as are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WALTON STORM,  
ANDREW A. NOONAN,  
JAMES M. FITZSIMONS,  
WILLIAM H. WALKER,  
GEORGE B. MORRIS,

Committee  
on  
Law Department.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of appointing John W. McKay a City Surveyor, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That John W. McKay be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

PATRICK DIVVER,  
EDWARD J. RAPP,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY,  
THOMAS M. LYNCH,

Committee  
on  
Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen D. Barry, Carlin, Clancy, Divver, Dowd, Flynn, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Storm, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—16.

#### RESIGNATIONS.

Resignation of George F. Scannell as a Commissioner of Deeds, as follows:

NEW YORK, December 31, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby respectfully tender my resignation as a Commissioner of Deeds, to which office I was appointed under resolution passed adopted by your Honorable Board March 27, 1888, and adopted by the Mayor April 4, 1888.

Very respectfully,

GEORGE F. SCANNELL.

Which was accepted and the vacancy referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

#### REPORTS RESUMED.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices respectfully

#### REPORT

for adoption the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York:

James J. Brennan.	Townsend Wandell.
George E. Goller.	William Crosby.
S. Granville Harris.	John W. Noble.
Edward J. Halligan.	Stephen Philbin.
John Turner.	Henry A. Van Feit.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and whose terms of office have expired, viz.:

George Nuhn, in place of	Jacob Samuels.
James G. Mathews, in place of	Clark B. Augustine.
Elias a de Lima,	Lewis S. Burchard.
George Ludwig,	Leo Herzberg.
Michael Feinberg,	Bryan P. Henry.
William A. Kottman,	Isaac M. Kapper.
Austin E. Pressinger,	Louis Rosenberg.
Edward J. Shea,	William C. Townen.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, who where recently appointed, but failed to qualify, viz.:

Mitchell L. Erlanger, in place of	Charles F. Griffin.
Terence Farley,	Oscar E. Langer.
William Butler Ogden,	Joseph J. Myers.
Charles H. Griffin,	William A. Mass.
John Reisenweber,	John Reisenweber.
Nathaniel Levy,	George W. Sill.
Jacob A. Wertheimer,	Joseph Siegel.
Samuel Souneberg,	Richard S. Valkenburgh.
Guy Van Amringe,	Guy Van Amringe.
William Schlott,	James Walsh.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed to the office of Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 121, Laws of 1889:

Charles Nagel.	Jacob E. Bloom.
Peter C. Woetzel.	William J. Loutrel.
Jacob Bauer.	Charles V. L. Gabriel.
Julius Simon.	George F. Scannell.
John C. Lyst.	James J. Marun.
Archibald Smith.	Andrew Charles Otto.
John P. McCabe.	Joel M. Marx.
James E. Gritman.	Reno R. Billington.
Jacob Felbel.	Edward J. Cassidy.
William Ettinger.	Joseph Putzel.
Thomas H. Ronayne.	George F. Budenbender.
James Delaney.	George S. Butcher.
William A. Mass.	Henry M. Jennings.
Thomas H. Smith.	James E. Swenarton.
Thomas H. Baskerville.	Charles P. Foster.
Andrew Prose.	Isaac Barnett.
Henry Hausman.	Robert E. Rogers.
George H. Moeser.	George W. Harris.
George A. Lavelle.	James J. Mackinley.
Daniel Danneen.	Enoch Vreeland.
Joseph Sigel.	Charles Putzel.
Henry R. Willis.	Walter J. Merriman.
Joseph E. Berry.	Archibald T. Moore.
Charles A. Wendell.	Robert A. Johnson.
Warren Scarborough.	George G. Nason.
Robert C. Young.	Jacob Samuel.
L. Hersel.	Lafayette R. Beckley.
Edward V. Wood.	James F. Bigger.
Albertine S. Walters.	Michael J. Cline.
Michael B. Stanton.	Thomas A. Stoddart.
Robert A. Serrell.	Philip F. Schmitt.
John Davis.	John T. Boylan.
George B. Morris.	Thomas Costigan.
Manfred H. Orr.	Felix Hart.
John Gray Boyd.	Edward J. Rapp.
Victor J. Dowling.	

Resolved, That Frank McNicol be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place and stead of Joel Lindler, who has resigned.

EDWARD J. RAPP,  
PATRICK DIVVER,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY,  
THOMAS M. LYNCH,

Committee  
on  
Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, Carlin, Clancy, Divver, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Oakley, Rapp, Storm, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—18.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 30, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 24, 1889, which provides for the repaving of Wall street, from Nassau street to Hanover street, with asphalt pavement, on the ground that, as a resolution authorizing this repavement was adopted by your Board, and subsequently approved, upon which a contract for the work has been made, the present resolution is unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.



Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 321 of the New York Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to repave, with asphalt pavement on hydraulic cement concrete foundation, the roadway of Wall street, from Nassau street to Hanover street, the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest responsible bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 27, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 17, 1889, which authorizes the laying of a crosswalk on Tenth avenue, on the north side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, on the report of the Commissioner of Public Works thereon, that "this crosswalk in an existing contract for paving Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets, which work will be done early next spring." The resolution, therefore, is unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 28, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 19, 1889, which provides that certain vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Madison avenue to Park avenue, be fenced in, where not already done. These lots are included in a resolution of your Board which I have this day signed, and the present resolution is, therefore, unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Madison to Park avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 27, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 17, 1889, which gives to John J. Gibbons permission to lay an iron pipe across Claremont avenue. The Commissioner of Public Works reports that the proposed pipe is intended for the purpose of draining Mr. Gibbons' premises with a cess-pool on private property on the other side of the street. It is at least doubtful whether the Common Council has authority to grant permission for such use of a public street, and for the drainage of the premises into a cess-pool on private property on the other side of the street. In any event such permission should not be granted without the concurrence or consent of the Board of Health.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John J. Gibbons to sink an iron pipe under the roadway and across Claremont avenue, connecting his premises on the west side of Claremont avenue, commencing seventy-five feet south of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, with the premises on the east side of Claremont avenue, commencing one hundred feet south of One Hundred and Twenty-second street; the work to be done and the roadway to be restored at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 27, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 17, 1889, which provides for the laying of a crosswalk on East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from No. 136 to No. 137, on the ground that a certificate herein, as required by the Consolidation Act, has not been made the Commissioner of Public Works. Furthermore, the Commissioner of Public Works reports that the pavement of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street at this location is in an excellent condition.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of North river bridge-stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, be laid from No. 136 to 137 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 27, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 19, 1889, which changes the name of "Howard street" to "Harry Howard street." I base my action herein on the ground that I can see no good reason for the proposed change, especially in view of the fact that I have received many communications on this subject, including several petitions, numerous signed, from business men located in Howard street, in all of which it is set forth by the several subscribers that the change would be an injury to them and a detriment to their respective businesses, and protesting against the approval of the ordinance.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 30, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 24, 1889, which provides that Ninetieth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, be paved with granite blocks, upon the subjoined report of the Commissioner of Public Works thereon, viz.: "Under an ordinance approved July 20, 1889, a granite-block pavement in Ninetieth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, has just been completed."

From this report I deem the present resolution to be unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That Ninetieth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Gregory—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John B. Martin to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp on Ninth street, near the southwest corner of Broadway, provided the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), that the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the proprietors of the Metropolitan Opera House to partially enclose the two ends of the Broadway porte cochere of the Metropolitan Opera House with boards, having an opening for free passage of five feet, and to enclose

the front of the porte cochere down from the top, making the front opening seven feet high; also to build a portable covered passage of boards, eight feet high, and taking up about four feet of the sidewalk, extending from the staircase to the kitchen to the door to gallery entrance of the Metropolitan Opera House, on Thirty-ninth street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only from 9 o'clock P.M. of January 2, 1890, until 3 o'clock A.M. of January 3, 1890.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Clerk of the Common Council :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN,  
No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, December 31, 1889.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of New York :

GENTLEMEN—I herewith transmit the applications filed in the Clerk's office during the month of December, 1889, for permits to occupy a portion of the streets during the night time, by trucks owned or habitually driven by residents of this city, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 37 of the Laws of 1888, and a resolution of your Honorable Body, approved July 16, 1888.

Very respectfully,

F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Clerk of the Common Council :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, December 31, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York :

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to one of the provisions contained in section 1 of "An ordinance to regulate the use of the sidewalks of the streets of the City of New York, within the stoop-lines, for stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda-water," approved October 3, 1888, herewith transmit all the applications received in this office for permits to sell the articles named as provided in said ordinance, during the month of December, 1889.

Very respectfully,

F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
December 28, 1889.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

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

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$6,500 00	\$492 22	\$6,007 78
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council. ....	200 00	104 85	95 15
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	74,448 57	651 43

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Morris moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Monday, January 6, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement met at the Mayor's office on Friday, December 20, 1889, at 2 o'clock P.M., pursuant to the following notice :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,  
ROOM NO. 10, STEWART BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, December 17, 1889.

SIR—You are respectfully requested to attend a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, to be held in the Mayor's office, in the City Hall, on Friday, December 20, 1889, at 2 o'clock P.M., at which it is proposed to consider unfinished business, with such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Very respectfully,

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

The roll was called and the following members were present, and answered to their names, The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, and the President of the Department of Public Parks.

Absent—The President of the Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting of December 6, 1889, were read and approved.

In the matter of the area of High Bridge Park, the Comptroller submitted the following amended report :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
December 20, 1889.

To the Board of Street Opening and Improvement :

Your Committee herewith submits an amended diagram showing the proposed limits of High Bridge Park.

This amended diagram shows the property to be acquired to be 385 47-100 city lots, instead of 388.06; or 22 12-100 acres instead of 22 82-100 acres; and the land within the proposed limits now belonging to the City to be 30 5-10 acres instead of 29 8-10 acres.

The southerly line of the proposed park is amended in order to give a better frontage on Edgcombe road, and the description thereof is as follows :

The southerly limit of the park to be the present southerly line of the Old High Bridge Park from the easterly line of the park to a point on the said southerly line where it is intersected by a line drawn perpendicular to the easterly side of Edgcombe road from a point distant 336 9-10 feet southerly from the first curve at Tenth avenue; thence along the said perpendicular line 108 42-100 feet to its intersection with the said easterly line of Edgcombe road, thence northerly along the said easterly line of Edgcombe road to its intersection with Tenth avenue.

The northerly, easterly and westerly lines to be the same as given in the report of the Committee, dated November 22, 1889.

Respectfully submitted,

THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller,  
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works,  
W. HUTCHINS, President Department of Public Parks, } Committee.

On motion, the report was accepted and ordered on file.

Whereupon the Comptroller offered the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, This Board adopted a resolution on the 28th day of December, 1888, as follows, to wit :

"Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of a certain public park or parks, square or squares, place or places, known as the High Bridge Park, Twelfth Ward of said city, and hereby determines that fifty per cent. of the cost and expense



proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and the remainder of such cost and expense shall be borne and paid by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Resolved, That said resolution is hereby rescinded and annulled, and the Secretary is hereby directed to transmit to the Counsel to the Corporation a copy of this resolution and the foregoing preamble.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

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

On a further and fuller discussion of the matter by the Board, the Comptroller finally offered the following resolutions :

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by closing and discontinuing so much of a certain park, square or public place, known as High Bridge Park, in the Twelfth Ward of the said City of New York, whereof a map was filed on or about the 26th day of December, 1888, so that the same shall remain, and be of the contents, dimensions and boundaries, as laid out by the Commissioners of the Central Park, under and pursuant to chapter 565 of the Laws of 1865, upon a map filed by the Commissioners of Central Park on August 6, 1868.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby respectfully requested to furnish this Board with the necessary maps for filing, with technical descriptions, for closing and discontinuing from the map of the City of New York, so much of a certain park, square or public place, known as High Bridge Park, in the Twelfth Ward of the said City of New York, whereof a map was filed on or about the 26th day of December, 1888, so that the same shall remain, and be of the contents, dimensions and boundaries, as laid out by the Commissioners of the Central Park, under and pursuant to chapter 585 of the Laws of 1865, upon a map filed by the Commissioners of the Central Park on August 6, 1868.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

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

Mr. Francis A. Thayer presented the following protest, which was ordered on file :

In the Matter of  
High Bridge Park.  
City and County of New York, ss. :

Francis A. Thayer, being duly sworn, says :

I am authorized to appear before the Board of Street Opening and Improvement on behalf of David Dudley Field, owner of premises fronting upon said park between One Hundred and Eighty-fifth and One Hundred and Eighty-eighth streets, and object to any action which will result in the change of the boundaries thereof so far as it affects said frontage and deprives the said Field of a frontage thereon.

That the Board has not power or authority to make such change.

Deponent further says that hereto annexed is a true copy of a resolution of the Department of Parks laying out said High Bridge Park, and that the maps provided for by said resolution were duly filed as therein provided.

F. A. THAYER.

Sworn to before me, this 20th day of December, 1889.

W. J. MORGAN, Notary Public,  
Kings County, N. Y., Cert. filed in N. Y. Co.

At a meeting of Commissioners of Public Parks, April 2, 1884.

Present—Commissioners Viele, President, Wales, Crimmins.

Resolved, That under and by virtue of the powers conferred on the Commissioners of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York by chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, they hereby lay out, establish, classify and discontinue the streets, roads and avenues and public squares or places within that portion of the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York lying north of the westerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, shown on a map or plan entitled "Plan of Streets, Roads and Avenues and Public Parks or Places in the north end of the Twelfth Ward, New York, March 31, 1884," and signed E. B. Van Winkle, Topographical Engineer, D. P. P., the width, extent and direction that said streets, roads and avenues and public squares and places, and designated on said map, the same being such as the said Commissioners or a majority of them deem most conducive to the public good; and that the President be and he is hereby authorized and directed to certify and file three similar maps or plans in accordance with the requirements of the act cited; and that the Counsel to the Corporation is authorized and directed to commence and prosecute proceedings on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the purpose of acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the square or place bounded by One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, the Edgecombe road, Tenth avenue, Fort George avenue, Eleventh avenue, Dykman street, River street and Eighth avenue, immediately upon the filing of said maps or plans, and that the Commissioners of this Department be and they are hereby authorized to sign a petition to the Supreme Court for that purpose.

The President put in question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative or majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows :

Ayes—Commissioners Wales and Crimmins—2.

The following petition from property owners for the opening of Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, was presented, and, on motion, referred to the Commissioner of Public Works for report :

The Honorable the Board of Street Opening and Improvement :

The petition of the undersigned owners of property fronting on Audubon avenue in the City of New York, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, as laid out on the map of the City of New York, pursuant to chapter 607 of the Laws of 1867, respectfully pray that said avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, be opened according to law.

Dated NEW YORK, September 15, 1888.

Frank J. Mahoney, 50 feet corner 174th street.  
R. P. O'Neill, authorized, 50 feet, 174th street.  
Ann Cox, 50 feet, 168th street.  
Patrick Barry, 50 feet, 169th street.  
Caroline Ahrens, 25 feet, 170th street.  
Christian Trinks, 50 feet south of 168th street.  
Patrick J. Mullen, 100 feet, 165th street.  
W. C. Dredge, 19 feet, 166th street.  
Jeremiah McCarthy, 92 feet, 166th street.  
John Brandreth, 25 feet, 168th street.  
Ann McGinn, 92 feet, 166th street.  
John McDonough, 92 feet, 166th street.  
Wm. Reinhardt, 75 feet south of 168th street.  
Michael Smith, 25 feet, Audubon avenue and 168th street.  
Patk. Callahan, 25 feet, 169th street.  
Margaret Hocter, 25 feet, 170th street.  
Ellen Newman, 20 feet, corner 171st street and Audubon avenue.  
Henry Battermann, 37 feet 6 inches on Audubon avenue and 173d street.  
Francis Emmerich, 57½ feet, 172d street.

H. Battermann & F. Emmerich, 19½ feet, 172d street, 95 feet, 171st street.  
Thomas Kearney, 100 feet, 166th street.  
William Callahan, 25 feet, Audubon avenue and 168th street.  
John Renehan, 100 feet, northwest corner 173d and avenue.  
Patrick Donahue, 25 feet, northeast corner 170th street and Audubon avenue.  
Samuel Brown, 50 feet, 170th street.  
John Meehan, 25 feet, 168th street.  
Patrick B. Leddy, 44 feet, 174th street.  
Y. R. Schieffelin, 75 feet, 168th street and 95 feet corner 174th street.  
Theo. Mahland, 75 feet, 173d street.  
Thaddeus Moriarty, 80 feet, 167th street.  
Frank Hughes, 75 feet, 172d street.  
Chas. J. Williams, 25 feet, 170th street.  
Thaddeus Moriarty, 75 feet, 171st street.  
Horace K. Ascough, 70 feet, 171st street.  
Cethrine & McCaffery, 75 feet.

The following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation was received and read :

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

Mr. V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary Board of Street Opening and Improvement :

SIR—I inclose herewith resolutions which I have prepared for adoption by your Board, determining the proportion of the cost and expense attending the opening of the streets hereinafter mentioned, to be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited by each respective opening.

These resolutions are prepared in accordance with and carry out the suggestions contained in communications heretofore addressed by this Department to your Board and refer to proceedings now pending for the opening of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, and East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Railroad avenue east to Third avenue.

The resolutions provide that the whole amount of the cost and expense attending the opening of each street shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, unless (in the case of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street), the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed in that proceeding are of opinion that the said street is over one mile in length, in which case not more than one-half of such amount shall be so assessed. As a matter of fact the Commissioners, in East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, are of opinion that the street is less than one mile in length and have assessed the entire cost of the proceeding upon the property deemed to be benefited by the opening.

The reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the proceedings mentioned will shortly be completed and presented to the Court for confirmation, and it is therefore desirable, on account of the enactment of chapter 406 of the Laws of 1888, that these resolutions be adopted.

Respectfully, yours,

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines that the whole amount of the cost and expense attending the opening of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

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

The President of the Department of Public Parks offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines that the whole amount of the cost and expense attending the opening of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Railroad avenue east to Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, unless the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, heretofore appointed for the opening of the said street are of opinion that the same is over one mile in length, in which case not more than one-half of such amount shall be so assessed.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

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

The members of the Board then signed the petitions to the Supreme Court, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of the following street opening proceedings :

1. College place and Greenwich street, from Chambers street to Dey street.
2. Undercliff avenue, from the Twenty-third Ward line to Sedgwick avenue.
3. West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenues.

In the matter of the petition of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, to construct bridges over West street, the question of compensation to the City for such privilege was brought up and, on motion, was referred to the Comptroller for report.

Mr. James A. Deering appeared before the Board and presented the following request :

That the Board will "inquire as to the causes of the delay in the proceedings heretofore taken to open or acquire title to public avenues and streets, whether existing laws are sufficient to secure the completion of proceedings for such purpose, in any case within a year from the inception thereof, and if not, in what respect and to what extent legislation is necessary, and if not necessary, what change in the present system or course of procedure would be advisable and appropriate."

On motion, the request was referred to the Department of Public Parks for report thereon.

On motion, the Board then adjourned.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, December 11, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M.

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

In pursuance to the following notice, published daily for fifteen consecutive days, commencing with November 20, 1889, in the CITY RECORD, New York "Star" and New York "Tribune," bids were received for furnishing horizontal tubular boilers and appurtenances required for stationary hoisting engines at Shaft No. 25, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct :

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, November 19, 1889.

To Contractors.

Bids or proposals for two pairs of horizontal tubular boilers and appurtenances required for stationary hoisting engines at Shaft No. 25, on Section 12 of the New 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 December 11, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened and read by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. DUANE, President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

The following bids received for doing said work, upon which the required deposits had been made, were then opened and read aloud by the Secretary :

No. 1. West Point Manufacturing Co. ....	\$11,900 00
No. 2. Charles Peterson. ....	14,972 00

Whereupon, on motion of Commissioner Scott, the following preamble and resolution was adopted :

Whereas, Bids for furnishing two pairs of horizontal tubular boilers and appurtenances for stationary hoisting engines, at Shaft No. 25, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct, having been received and publicly opened and read; and therefore

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer is hereby directed to have the bids for furnishing the same calculated and tabulated, together with his estimate of the work, and present the same at a meeting of the Construction or Executive Committee of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for consideration and canvassing by them at 11 o'clock A. M., on the 18th day of December, 1889; and the bids and checks of the bidders so received are hereby referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit for examination and report as to their formality and the sufficiency of the sureties proposed by the bidders.

The minutes of the stated meeting of December 4, 1889, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 5383 to 5397, inclusive, amounting to \$574.73.

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

The Construction or Executive Committee presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee report :

That at a meeting of said Committee, held this day, the following resolution was adopted, and your approval of said action is hereby requested :

Resolved, That the bid-box be closed, and the keys given to the President; and that the Secretary, John C. Sheehan, be authorized by this Commission to receive the bids for furnishing two pairs of horizontal tubular boilers and appurtenances for stationary hoisting engines at Shaft No. 25, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners; also to receive the checks of the bidders, and to make the necessary preparations for opening the bids received for doing said work, under the law.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the following resolution, adopted on December 4, 1889, was reconsidered :

Resolved, That the contract for building a frame head-house over boilers at Shafts Nos. 25 and 26 be and the same is hereby awarded to James Bird, at his bid of three thousand two hundred and eighty-two dollars, it being the lowest bid received for doing said work and less than the estimate of the Chief Engineer; and the Secretary is hereby directed to prepare an agreement to cover the work in question, and submit the same together with a certificate required by section 33 of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee report :

That at a meeting of the Commissioners, held on Wednesday last, the contract for building frame head-house over boilers at Shafts Nos. 25 and 26 was awarded to the lowest bidder, James Bird, at his bid of \$3,282, and that said James Bird has since communicated with the Commissioners, and informed them that he would not enter upon the performance of said contract, and refused to do said work.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the contract for building frame head-house over boilers at Shafts Nos. 25 and 26 be and the same is hereby awarded to Charles Peterson at his bid of \$3,635, it being the lowest bid received for doing said work, except the bid of James Bird above referred to, and being also less than the estimate of the Chief Engineer; and the Secretary is hereby directed to prepare an agreement to cover the work in question, and submit the same together with the certificate required by section 33 of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.



JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

† Deaths reported as due to *diarrhoeal* forms of these diseases are included in the title Diarrhoeal Diseases.



Deaths from Zymotic and Certain Other Preventable Diseases, by Wards,\* for Week ending Saturday, December 21, 1889.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES AND POPULATION BY CENSUS OF 1880.	CHARACTER OF DWELLINGS AND POPULATION. GENERAL SANITARY CONDITION.	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diphtheria.	Enteric Fever.	Erysipelas.	Malarial Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Small-pox.	Typhus Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Rheumatism.	Phthisis.	Bronchitis.	Croup.	Pneumonia.	Puerperal Diseases.	Alcoholism.	Bright's Disease and Nephritis.	All Causes.	In Institutions.	Under One Month.	Total under 5 Years.	65 and Over.
First.....	Area, 154 Pop., 17,939	Banks, office buildings, wholesale stores, shipping region, some tenements for laborers, immigrant hotels, Castle Garden.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Second.....	Area, 81 Pop., 1,608	Stores and warehouses, office buildings, a few tenements.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Third.....	Area, 95 Pop., 3,582	Wholesale stores, banks, a few tenements and hotels.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fourth.....	Area, 83 Pop., 20,996	Tenements of a poor class, sailors' boarding-houses, many Italian laborers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fifth.....	Area, 168 Pop., 15,845	Wholesale stores, factories, tenements and small dwellings; two-thirds of it once marshy land.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixth.....	Area, 86 Pop., 20,196	Tenements, very poor people, crowded, many Polish Jews and Italian rag-pickers, dirty; one-half once marshy ground.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seventh.....	Area, 198 Pop., 50,666	Tenements and middle-class dwellings, many poor Jews; crowded in many parts.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Eighth.....	Area, 183 Pop., 35,879	Business property, tenements and small dwellings; includes French quarter and many colored people; not crowded.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ninth.....	Area, 322 Pop., 54,596	Tenements, middle-class dwellings; not crowded; St. Vincent's Hospital.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tenth.....	Area, 110 Pop., 47,554	Large crowded tenements; Polish Jews; very poor people, of filthy habits; much over-crowding.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Eleventh.....	Area, 196 Pop., 68,778	Tenements; Germans and Bohemians; crowded; two-thirds made or marsh land; St. Francis' Hospital.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twelfth.....	Area, 5,504.13 Pop., 81,800	Tenements and private houses, much unimproved land, many large institutions; partly suburban.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Thirteenth.....	Area, 107 Pop., 37,797	Tenements and factories; Germans; crowded; some made-land near the river.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fourteenth.....	Area, 99 Pop., 30,171	Tenements; many Italian rag-pickers; crowded.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fifteenth.....	Area, 198 Pop., 31,882	Stores, tenements, private houses, many boarding-houses; not crowded.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixteenth.....	Area, 348.77 Pop., 52,188	Stores, tenements and private houses; not crowded; gas works.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seventeenth.....	Area, 331 Pop., 104,837	Mostly tenements, some private houses and boarding-houses; Germans and Bohemians; crowded.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Eighteenth.....	Area, 449.89 Pop., 66,611	About half tenements and half private houses; one-half of tenement part is made-land; two gas works; includes Union and Madison Squares; New York Hospital.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nineteenth.....	Area, 1,480.60 Pop., 158,191	About half tenements, fine private houses, borders on Central Park; gas works and slaughter-houses on river, many public institutions, Blackwell's Island.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twentieth.....	Area, 444 Pop., 80,015	One-fifth private houses; remainder, tenements; many colored people; offal dock, fat-rendering and slaughter-houses.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-first.....	Area, 411 Pop., 66,536	About one-third tenements; private houses, including many of the best class; Bellevue Hospital.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-second.....	Area, 1,529.42 Pop., 111,606	Many tenements, apartment-houses, private houses; much unimproved land; slaughter-houses and gas works near the river; Roosevelt Hospital.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-third.....	Area, 4,267.023 Pop., 28,338	Tenements and private houses; much unimproved land; badly drained and sewerage; population increasing rapidly for 5 years.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-fourth.....	Area, 8,050.523 Pop., 13,288	Sparsely populated; mostly isolated dwellings; badly drained and sewerage; suburban.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Buried in City Cemetery (pauper burial-ground), 60; others outside of the city, 563; inside of the city, 42, including 5 on Ward's Island (immigrants recently arrived).

\* Deaths in institutions redistributed according to residence, where residence was known.

Places where Deaths Occurred during Week ending Saturday, December 21, 1889.

PLACE OF DEATH.	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diphtheria.	Enteric Fever.	Erysipelas.	Malarial Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Small-pox.	Typhus Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Rheumatism.	Phthisis.	Bronchitis.	Croup.	Pneumonia.	Puerperal Diseases.	Bright's Disease and Nephritis.	Alcoholism.	Total—all causes.	Under One Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	Total under 5 Years.	65 and Over.
Institutions.....	..	4	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	2	2	..	32	1	..	17	..	15	..	145	3	11	25	20
Tenement-houses (three families or more).....	..	15	3	1	7	5	4	..	..	2	7	..	57	35	5	430	37	31	1	420	37	73	174	46
Dwellings with less than three families.....	..	4	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	1	2	..	7	3	1	8	1	6	1	83	1	7	19	21
Hotels and boarding-houses.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	1	..	1	1
Elsewhere.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	..	..
Deaths in institutions not redistributed.....	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	11	..	8	..	82	3	10	13	14

Particulars Regarding Births, Deaths, Marriages and Still-births for Week ending Saturday, December 21, 1889.

	TOTAL.	WHITE.		COLORED.		NATIVE PARENTS.		FOREIGN PARENTS.		MIXED PARENTAGE.		PARENTAGE UNKNOWN.		SINGLE.		MARRIED.		WIDOWED.		NOT STATED.		NON-RESIDENTS.	The Returns of Births, Marriages and Still-births are incomplete.												
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		MONTH OF UTERO-GESTATION.												
																							1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Not Stated.		
Marriages.....	215	206	207	9	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	189	195	..	..	26	18	..	1	..	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Not Stated.		
Births.....	716	357	356	2	1	84	90	196	197	70	62	9	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Deaths.....	665	360	296	5	4	72	58	230	194	35	34	28	14	211	140	111	96	31	62	12	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Still-births.....	*68	47	18	1	1	16	5	25	11	4	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	5	6	9	6	37	..	..	

\* Sex not given, one.

Statistics of American and Foreign Cities.

CITIES.	ESTIMATED PRESENT POPULATION.					WEEK ENDING	Annual Death Rate per 1,000.	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Enteric Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Small-pox.	Typhus Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Cholera (Asiatic).	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Bronchitis.	Phthisis.	Pneumonia.	Under 5 Years.	Mean Tempera- ture, Fahr.	Mean Humidity.	
		Births.	Marriages.	Still-Births.	Deaths.																				
New York.....	1,593,651	716	215	68	663	Dec. 21.....	21.70	..	29	5	8	5	10	..	..	8	..	11	40	97	37	220	39.6	82.	
Baltimore.....	500,343	..	..	..	162	" 21.....	16.85	1	9	..	8	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	5	21	24	49	44.9	..	
Boston.....	415,000	..	..	..	153	" 7.....	19.23	..	15	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	24	..	56	32.3	62.6	
Brooklyn.....	814,505	228	129	27	328	" 14.....	20.29	..	40	6	2	..	2	..	..	2	..	3	25	47	35	103	45.71	78.86	
Chicago.....	1,100,000	..	..	99	1,548	Month of Nov....	16.89	10	187	68	22	..	11	..	..	4	..	42	61	125	107	654	38.5	83.2	
District of Columbia (Washington).....	250,000	..	..	..	99	Nov. 16.....	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
New Orleans.....	254,000	..	..	11	109	Dec. 14.....	22.39	1	2	1	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	15	8	27	66.3	84.4	
Philadelphia.....	1,040,245	..	..	14	375	" 14.....	18.74	1	25	11	2	5	8	..	..	1	..	2	6	43	25	127	46.8	..	
San Francisco.....	330,000	..	..	36	479	Month of Nov....	12.34	1	18	23	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	11	18	75	26	118	58.4	72.6	
St. Louis.....	450,000	1,041	..	74	593	" ..	15.81	3	33	13	22	..	15	..	..	2	..	10	27	46	54	183	41.4	..	
FOREIGN.																									
London.....	4,538,164	2,270	..	..	1,683	Dec. 7.....	20.2	..	61	8	..	41	24	..	..	47	..	12	286	161	104	618	32.1	85.	
Liverpool.....	606,562	349	..	..	267	" 7.....	23.0	..	..	..	..	6	7	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	35.1	..	
Birmingham.....	454,835	209	..	..	165	" 7.....	18.9	..	..	..	..	9	5	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Manchester.....	378,800	240	..	..	198	" 7.....	27.3	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Glasgow.....	528,144	363	134	..	265	" 7.....	25.2	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	9	..	4	..	..	..	..	38.3	..	
Dublin.....	353,682	236	..	..	188	" 7.....	27.8	..	3	11	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Copenhagen.....	307,000	210	67	7	113	Nov. 30.....	19.1	..	13	1	..	..	1	..	..	4	..	4	..	18	6	44	..	..	
Christiania.....	138,300	55	..	2	66	" 3.....	24.82	..	8	..	..	3	2	..	..	1	..	..	11	10	9	33	..	..	
Stockholm.....	221,549	120	..	1	82	" 23.....	18.7	..	5	2	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	3	6	14	13	40	..	..	
St. Petersburg.....	902,023	685	242	21	733	" 30.....	42.3	..	14	11	..	16	15	1	2	3	..	..	..	151	89	245	..	..	
Amsterdam.....	350,016	264	..	..	157	" 23.....	20.4	..	..	5	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Rotterdam.....	197,723	123	..	..	81	" 23.....	21.1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Antwerp.....	220,123	165	..	..	67	" 30.....	15.5	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	25	..	..	
Brussels.....	181,270	100	..	..	68	" 30.....	19.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	12	15	..	..	..	
Paris.....	2,260,945	1,127	461	79	1,091	Dec. 7.....	25.09	..	27	45	..	11	2	1	..	8	..	45	106	266	101	289	..	..	
Marseilles.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Naples.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Rome.....	393,496	233	37	26	163	Sept. 28.....	22.4	..	4	..	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	14	11	..	66.38	72.	
Venice.....	153,575	93	20	3	111	Nov. 30.....	35.7	..	1	..	..	..	..	26	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	45	..	..	
Berlin.....	1,524,831	879	285	34	516	" 23.....	17.6	..	28	12	..	2	3	..	..	4	..	17	16	70	49	248	..	..	
Munich.....	281,000	201	..	6	119	" 16.....	22.1	..	7	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	21	53	..	..	..	
Prague.....	300,828	..	..	12	144	" 30.....	24.60	..	4	2	..	2	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	24	..	51	..	..	
Vienna.....	811,434	477	368	29	362	" 30.....	23.2	..	7	1	..	10	2	..	..	2	..	14	..	..	..	121	..	..	
Buda-Pesth.....	442,781	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Bombay.....	773,196	..	..	28	415	Nov. 19.....	24.02	..	..	1	123	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	46	54	..	..	..	..	
Calcutta.....	433,219	..	..	..	273	Oct. 12.....	25.6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Madras.....	398,777	306	..	..	294	Nov. 1.....	38.2	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	60	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Cairo.....	374,838	449	..	18	397	" 21.....	55.1	..	7	11	8	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	30	11	242	59.54	67.	



HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
NEW YORK, December 23, 1889. }

*The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports :*

Weekly report of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected :

Orders received for prosecution .....	162
Attorney's notices issued .....	194
Nuisances abated before suit .....	124
Civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (Sanitary Code).....	38
Civil suits commenced for other causes.....	1
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit.....	27
Suits discontinued—By Board .....	27
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits .....	12
Executions issued .....	5
Judgments for the People—Criminal suits .....	3
Civil suits now pending .....	294
Criminal suits now pending .....	179
Money paid into the Court—Criminal suits .....	\$75

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued without costs, to wit :

NAMES.	No.	NAMES.	No.
Mary I. Roff.....	2368	Cecilia Keppler.....	1226
Charles Tietjen.....	615	George P. Hach.....	1298
William Brooks.....	662	Mary Cheretta.....	1374
Elias Kemper.....	921	Henry Korn.....	1338
Thomas J. Mullane.....	931	John Donnelly.....	1362
John F. Attridge.....	1037	Geroloma Cella.....	1405
Pincus Nathan.....	1061	Michael Dimond.....	1406
Erwin Karl.....	1096	Roger Donnegan.....	1407
John Stumpf.....	1117	Charles Fordmer.....	1410
Andrew F. DeRame.....	1132	John Grass.....	1411
Daniel V. Galvan.....	1333	Mary Campman.....	1431
Albert F. Schwannecke.....	1190	John Lent.....	1446
Robert Boyd.....	1210	Mary Prowler.....	1461
Claiborne Ferris.....	1222		

*The Sanitary Committee Presented the following Reports :*

Resolved: That the following changes in the

Resolved, That the following changes in the Hospital service be and are hereby approved :

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY.	APPOINTED, RESIGNED.	DATE.
Ellen McLaughlin.....	Ward Helper.....	\$168 00	Appointed.....	Dec. 19, 1889.

Report of Resident Physician Percival in respect to the condition of dock at foot of East Sixteenth street.

*The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent :*

Report of Chemist Martin with recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent in respect to dangers arising from attaching electric-wires to roofs of houses used for drying clothes.

*The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases :*

Report on premises under the platform between piers, old 25 and 27, North river.

*The following Communications were Received from the Register of Records :*

Reports on applications to file supplemental papers.

### Permits Granted.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
1263	To keep one hundred and twenty lodgers.....	No. 194 Park Row.
1264	" " " seventy-one lodgers.	No. 143 Bowery.
1265	" " " forty lodgers.....	No. 238 East Ninety-seventh street.
6638	To use smoke-house.....	No. 1140 First avenue.
6639	" " .....	No. 1162 First avenue.
6640	" " .....	No. 667 Third avenue.
6641	" " .....	No. 2986 Third avenue.
6642	To board and care for one infant.....	No. 1440 Second avenue.
6643	To construct a cesspool.....	Claremont avenue, one hundred feet south of One Hundred and Twenty-second street.
6644	To retain and use manure box in yard .....	No. 128 West Fifty-fifth street.

## Permits Denied.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
384	To keep ten chickens at... ..	No. 419 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street.

### Permits Revoked.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING REVOKED.	ON PREMISES AT
127	To keep lodgers.....	No. 22 West Houston street.

*Orders Suspended, Extended, Modified, Rescinded or Referred.*

No. of ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
8580	No. 705 Sixth street.....	April 1, 1890	
12420	No. 437 West Forty-eighth street.....	May 1, "	For balance of the order.
14837	No. 2416 First avenue.....	.....	Extended during the pleasure of the Board, for portion of order which relates to white- washing walls of air-shaft and cellar.
18064	{ No. 25 West One Hundred and Twenty- fifth street..... }	.....	{ Suspended during the pleasure of the Board for portion of order relating to the house- drain.
20105		.....	
20267	Nes. 245 and 247 Front street .....	.....	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board for portion of order relating to No. 247, provided the cellar of No. 245 be made water-tight at once.
19342	Southeast corner Fifty-sixth street and Broad- way.....	.....	Extended during the pleasure of the Board.
19694	No. 142 Rivington street .....	.....	Modified as requested as regards the house- drain.
19832	West side Marion avenue near Brookline street.....	Mch. 31, 1890	
20589	No. 132 West Fourth street.....	Jan. 10, "	
20734	No. 113 Avenue B.....	.....	Extended during the pleasure of the Board for balance of order.
20922	No. 160 Orchard street.....	.....	Modified to allow the extension of the three main waste-pipes two feet above the roof, for the first portion of order.
21134	No. 307 East Sixty-fifth street .....	Jan. 16, 1890	
21160	No. 231 Fifth street, rear.....	May 1, "	
25185	No. 436 East One Hundred and Twenty- first street.....	.....	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.

*Revoked.*

2073I, 21110, 21111.

### Applications for Relief from Orders Denied.

No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT
10226 13063 13611 17022 18414 14757 17440	Nos. 211 and 213 East Seventy-third street.	20500 20677 20763 20808 20918 20964 21031	No. 304 West Fifty-fourth street. No. 220 Henry street. Fulton Ferry, N. Y. No. 156 East Twenty-eighth street. No. 222 East Thirty-first street. No. 21 East Houston street. No. 153 Broome street.
20336	No. 142 Liberty street. Nos. 540 and 542 West Twenty-second street. No. 78 East One Hundred and Ninth street.		

*Communications from Other Departments.*

Finance Department—Communication in respect to the making out of car-fare bills.

*Resolutions.*

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following birth certificates :

NAMES.		RETURN.	DATE.
1.	Female child of William and Emeline Roemer.....	Born.....	Mar. 13, 1889
2.	Jennie Bear.....	".....	June 17, "
3.	Julia Brockheimer.....	".....	July 12, "
4.	Agnes McGinty.....	".....	" 12, "
5.	Peter Joseph Rice.....	".....	" 15, "
6.	William Frederick Papenhausen.....	".....	" 18, "
7.	Mary Dionysia O'Donnell.....	".....	" 19, "
8.	Alex. Opoczyski.....	".....	" 29, "
9.	Franklin D. Stevens.....	".....	Aug. 19, "
10.	Walburga Anna Roringh.....	".....	Sept. 9, "
11.	Henry Dietz.....	".....	" 12, "
12.	Catharine M. Larkin.....	".....	" 20, "
13.	Stanislaus Patrick Quinn.....	".....	" 20, "
14.	Samuel Cooper.....	".....	" 22, "
15.	Henry Bruno Funk.....	".....	" 24, "
16.	Barbara Eleonora Gohringer.....	".....	" 26, "
17.	Dennis Edward Sullivan.....	".....	" 29, "
18.	Alfretta Diana Lohrman.....	".....	Oct. 2, "
19.	Joseph Koratinky.....	".....	" 10, "
20.	Aaron Fisher.....	".....	" 15, "
21.	Marguerite Schley.....	".....	" 16, "
22.	Queenie Gertrude Bebro.....	".....	July 6, "

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to file supplemental papers relating to

NAME.	RETURN.	DATE.
Margaret Murtha (correct name Whalen).....	Died .....	Nov. 23, 1889



The Mount Morris Electric Light Company—Order entered reversing and setting aside injunction order of Andrews, J., with \$18 costs and disbursement after argument at General Term.



Elvira J. Babcock—Judgment entered dismissing complaint without costs.  
 Joseph W. Fiske, Thomas Rich and another—Order entered consolidating actions into one, i. e., Joseph W. Fiske, after motion.  
 In re Julia A. S. Kilpatrick, assessment and sale for Seventy-second street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 People ex rel. Commonwealth Insurance Co. vs. Michael Coleman et al., Tax Commissioners—Order entered vacating assessment on relator's capital stock for year 1888, by consent.  
 Edward Lennon—Order entered dismissing complaint without costs, by consent.  
 In re Nathaniel Jarvis, Jr., St. Nicholas avenue sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re Ebenezer Morgan, regulating, etc., Eighty-ninth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re Joseph Fallon et al., Eighty-third street regulating—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re Martha C. Ingles, Eighty-third street regulating—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re Christian Krause, Eighty-third street regulating—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re James Slattery, Eighty-third street regulating—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re C. F. Eberlin, Eighty-third street regulating—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 John Hogan—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$753.49, without trial; letter to Comptroller.  
 In re Mayer Kahn, One Hundred and Tenth street tree planting—Order entered vacating order entered November 21, 1889.  
 In re Union Theological Seminary, sewer in St. Nicholas avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re Edward C. Marshall, One Hundred and Tenth street regulating—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re Vernon P. Noyes, Bloomingdale road cleaning—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 In re Jacob Shipsey, Bloomingdale road cleaning—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.  
 Mary A. Sharp—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$778.37, without trial; letter to Comptroller.  
 Effingham H. Nichols—Order entered discontinuing action without costs, by consent.  
 Matter John O'Byrne—Order entered denying motion to vacate former order.  
 Charles Rohe and another—Order entered discontinuing action without costs, by consent.  
 George F. Garland—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing complaint and for \$82.69 costs, for lack of prosecution.  
 Joshua F. Page—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$15,407.30 after trial before Beach, J., and jury.

## SCHEDULE "C."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

The Mayor, etc., vs. Commissioners of Emigration—Demurrer argued before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; brief to be submitted; E. H. Hawke for City.  
 Lexington avenue opening—Hearing before the Referee; proceeded and adjourned to December 16, at 12 P. M.; Carroll Berry for City.  
 In re Absalom Anderson, Seventy-second and Seventy-seventh streets sewers; In re David Christie, Forty-eighth street sewer—Reference proceeded and adjourned to 23, at 3 P. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 Matter John O'Byrne—Attended and argued motion, and later in the day submitted memorandum in writing in opposition to the motion; J. P. Wickes for City.  
 In re Union Theological Seminary—Sewer in St. Nicholas avenue.  
 In re Vernon P. Noyes—Bloomingdale road closing.  
 In re Jacob Shipsey—Bloomingdale road closing.  
 In re Edward C. Marshall—One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc.  
 In re Ebenezer Morgan—Regulating, etc., Eighty-ninth street.  
 In re Joseph Fallon et al.—Eighty-third street regulating, etc.  
 In re Martin C. Ingles—Eighty-third street regulating, etc.  
 In re Christian Krause—Eighty-third street regulating, etc.  
 In re James Slattery—Eighty-third street regulating, etc.  
 In re C. F. Eberlin—Eighty-third street regulating, etc.  
 In re Nathaniel Jarvis, Jr., St. Nicholas avenue sewer—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 Matter Charges against Dock Commissioners—Hearing proceeded before the Mayor and adjourned to December 26, 1889; J. H. Strahan for Commissioners of Accounts.  
 Matter Corleens Hook Park—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to January 6, 1890; Sidney J. Cowen for City.  
 Matter School Site at Forty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues—Motion to confirm report or discontinue proceeding argued before Lawrence, J.; briefs to be submitted; C. N. Harris for City.  
 Emily Hustace—Tried before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; testimony and briefs to be handed up; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 Emanuel Walter—Tried before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; testimony and briefs to be handed up; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 Thomas Bailey—Tried before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; testimony and briefs to be handed up; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 Mary E. Zimmerman—Tried before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; testimony and briefs to be handed up; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 Matter East River Park—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to December 20, at 11 A. M.; C. Dolendorf for City.  
 In re Julia A. S. Kilpatrick, assessment and sale Seventy-second street sewer—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 In re James A. Striker, Seventh avenue sewer—Proceeded and adjourned to December 24, at 11 A. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 In re James A. Striker, Fifty-second street sewer—Proceeded and adjourned to December 24, at 11 A. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 In re James A. Striker, Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets sewers—Proceeded and adjourned to December 24, at 11 A. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 Elsworth L. Striker and another, Eleventh avenue sewer—Proceeded and adjourned to December 24, at 11 A. M.; G. L. Sterling for City.  
 John Phelan—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for City.  
 Church of St. Monica—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for City.  
 Jacob Scholle—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for City.  
 Mayor, etc., vs. Eighth Avenue Railroad Company—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for City.  
 Abbie C. Fitch—Argued at the Court of Appeals; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for City.  
 Mayor, etc., vs. Staten Island Rapid Transit Company—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for City.  
 Mayor, etc., vs. Metropolitan Transit Company—Motion for appointment of a receiver, made before Lawrence, J.; granted; J. P. Wickes for City.  
 Matter Mary F. Schiefelin Award—Reference to ascertain title; procured and closed; J. J. Martin for City.  
 Matter Harold P. Brown vs. Board of Health—Motion for mandamus; argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for City.  
 Simon L. Dinkelspiel—Motion made to enforce fine; motion granted with costs, by Truax, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Henry I. Kingsland—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Truax, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Isaac Beerman—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Emile J. Enfer—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Henry C. Frink—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Louis Engel—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Louis Ullman—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Julius Schwerin—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Charles H. Arnold—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Michael J. Adrain—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.

Herman J. Millhauser—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Henry J. Rogers—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Elias Kempner—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Joseph Soher—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Louis Ranger—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Michael Sampter—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Abraham King—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Nathaniel Whitman—Motion made to enforce fine; motion granted by default by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Joseph Kreiger—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Daniel W. Foley—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied by Bookstaver, J.; fine remitted; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Patrick D. Shiels—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Leonard Lewisohn—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Charles Gerlach—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Peter H. Leroy—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Baruch Kaufman—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Charles Plunkett—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Theron J. Paine—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 David Kennedy—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Perrin H. Sumner—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Horace B. Winton—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 James Saunders—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Horace Green—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 William Jex—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Henry Wobse—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by Bookstaver, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 A. Bryan Ally—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Benjamin Garno—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Isaac Tompkins—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Edwin Tatham—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Watkin M. Griffith—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Elmer E. Austin—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Jay C. Wilson—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Charles H. Williams—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Michael Haas—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Lewis Steights—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Michael Tully—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Max Ullman—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 George G. Thompson—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Max Hurrick—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Felix Husette—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Frank Shepard—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Julius Samuels—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Jacob J. Samuels—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Patrick Malone—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Sherman B. Hall—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Charles E. Pratt—Motion made to enforce fine; motion granted and fine reduced to \$25, with \$10 costs, by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Paul Sunksen—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.  
 Hugh B. McCulloch—Motion made to enforce fine; motion denied and fine remitted by McGown, J.; M. P. Ryan for City.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
 NEW YORK, December 27, 1889.

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 December 21, 1889:

## Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$43,221 04
For penalties on water rents.....	159 90
For tapping Croton pipes.....	291 50
For sewer permits.....	554 36
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	468 50
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	34 50
For vault permits.....	1,256 95
Total.....	\$45,986 75

## Public Lamps.

1,536 old lamps relighted.  
 1 lamp discontinued.  
 2 lamp-posts removed.  
 8 lamp-posts reset.  
 49 lamp-posts straightened.  
 1 column refitted.  
 36 columns releaded.



Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending December 21, 1889, 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.
Dec. 16	7 P.M.	75.	30.30	{ Consolidated, Branch 2.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.79	5.00	120.0	21.16	21.16
" 17	3 P.M.	78.	30.26	"	"	.78	5.00	121.8	20.60	20.91
" 18	5 P.M.	72.	30.20	"	"	.77	5.00	120.0	21.08	21.08
" 19	4:30 P.M.	73.	30.01	"	"	.77	5.00	114.0	22.80	21.66
" 20	2:30 P.M.	76.	29.87	"	"	.78	5.00	120.0	20.86	20.86
" 21	5 P.M.	74.	30.29	"	"	.78	5.00	121.2	20.96	21.17
									Average.	21.14
Dec. 16	6:30 P.M.	75.	30.30	{ Consolidated, Branch 1.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.88	5.00	118.2	22.14	21.81
" 17	3:30 P.M.	78.	30.26	"	"	.86	5.00	120.0	22.65	22.66
" 18	4:30 P.M.	72.	30.20	"	"	.85	5.00	114.0	23.54	22.36
" 19	4 P.M.	73.	30.01	"	"	.85	5.00	121.2	22.42	22.64
" 20	3 P.M.	76.	29.87	"	"	.84	5.00	120.0	23.06	23.06
" 21	4:30 P.M.	74.	30.29	"	"	.84	5.00	117.6	24.08	23.60
									Average.	22.69
Dec. 16	8 P.M.	66.	30.32	{ Consolidated, Branch 4.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.74	5.00	120.0	26.80	26.80
" 17	6:30 P.M.	64.	30.28	"	"	.75	5.00	118.2	27.90	27.48
" 18	6:30 P.M.	70.	30.23	"	"	.74	5.00	120.0	27.14	27.14
" 19	6 P.M.	76.	30.07	"	"	.71	5.00	117.6	27.92	27.36
" 20	6:30 P.M.	74.	29.90	"	"	.71	5.00	120.0	27.62	27.62
" 21	6:30 P.M.	72.	30.34	"	"	.71	5.00	117.0	28.80	28.08
									Average.	27.41
Dec. 16	8:30 P.M.	66.	30.32	{ Consolidated, Branch 6.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.76	5.00	123.0	27.04	27.71
" 17	6 P.M.	64.	30.28	"	"	.76	5.00	120.0	27.16	27.16
" 18	7 P.M.	70.	30.23	"	"	.76	5.00	115.2	28.94	27.78
" 19	6:30 P.M.	76.	30.07	"	"	.75	5.00	126.0	26.88	28.22
" 20	6 P.M.	74.	29.90	"	"	.76	5.00	114.0	29.80	28.31
" 21	6 P.M.	72.	30.34	"	"	.76	5.00	120.6	27.76	27.90
									Average.	27.84
Dec. 16	5:30 P.M.	75.	30.30	{ Consolidated, Branch 3.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.93	5.00	118.8	28.18	27.90
" 17	4 P.M.	78.	30.26	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	28.40	28.40
" 18	4 P.M.	72.	30.20	"	"	.89	5.00	126.0	27.36	28.73
" 19	3 P.M.	73.	30.01	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	28.60	28.60
" 20	3:30 P.M.	76.	29.87	"	"	.89	5.00	118.8	28.78	28.49
" 21	4 P.M.	74.	30.29	"	"	.89	5.00	118.2	29.16	28.72
									Average.	28.47
Dec. 16	6 P.M.	75.	30.30	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.98	5.00	114.0	31.78	30.19
" 17	4:30 P.M.	78.	30.26	"	"	.96	5.00	117.0	30.58	29.81
" 18	3:30 P.M.	72.	30.20	"	"	.96	5.00	120.0	30.04	30.04
" 19	3 P.M.	73.	30.01	"	"	.96	5.00	120.0	29.68	29.68
" 20	4 P.M.	76.	29.87	"	"	.95	5.00	114.0	29.20	27.74
" 21	3:30 P.M.	74.	30.29	"	"	.94	5.00	121.2	29.04	29.33
									Average.	29.46
Dec. 16	5 P.M.	75.	30.30	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.98	5.00	120.0	30.00	30.00
" 17	5 P.M.	78.	30.26	"	"	.96	5.00	118.8	30.82	30.51
" 18	3 P.M.	72.	30.20	"	"	.96	5.00	117.6	30.82	30.20
" 19	2:30 P.M.	73.	30.01	"	"	.95	5.00	121.2	29.76	30.06
" 20	4:30 P.M.	76.	29.87	"	"	.94	5.00	115.8	31.64	30.53
" 21	3 P.M.	74.	30.29	"	"	.95	5.00	120.0	30.04	30.04
									Average.	30.22

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

Permits Issued.

62 permits to tap Croton pipes.  
31 permits to open streets.  
21 permits to make sewer connections.  
10 permits to repair sewer connections.  
96 permits to place building material on streets.  
20 permits—special.  
3 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

349 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Pavement Repairs.

4,571 square yards of pavement repaired.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

76 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.  
10 receiving-basins and culverts relieved.  
3,689 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.  
10 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt (brick).  
5 lineal feet of new curb set.  
17 manhole heads reset.  
1 new basin built.  
1 basin repaired.  
2 new basin heads and covers put on.  
3 new manhole heads and covers put on.  
3 new manhole covers put on.  
15 square feet of flagging relaid.  
29 square yards of pavement relaid.  
29 square feet of brickwork built.  
686 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled.  
213 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending December 21, 1889.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.				LABORERS.				TEAMS.				CARTS.			
	Observed.	Corrected.	Observed.	Corrected.	Observed.	Corrected.	Observed.	Corrected.	Observed.	Corrected.	Observed.	Corrected.	Observed.	Corrected.	Observed.	Corrected.
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	26	102	5	6												
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	..	..	..												
Laying Croton Pipes.....	3	12	2	..												
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc., etc.....	65	196	..	19												
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs .....	2	38	10	..												
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	6	47	..	20												
Repairs and Renewals of Pavement .....	253	332	4	96												
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	14	15	1	..												
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	4	23	8	..												
Totals.....	379	765	30	141												
Increase over previous week .....	..	..	..	..												
Decrease from previous week.....	2	67	25	5												

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$88,847.99.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the week ending December 21, 1889.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
DECEMBER.								
Sunday, 15	30.154	30.114	30.132	30.133	30.204	10 A.M.	30.018	0 A.M.
Monday, 16	30.162	30.144	30.126	30.144	30.204	10 A.M.	30.120	0 A.M.
Tuesday, 17	30.120	30.100	30.146	30.122	30.154	12 P.M.	30.084	5 A.M.
Wednesday, 18	30.146	30.076	29.992	30.071	30.156	9 A.M.	29.912	12 P.M.
Thursday, 19	29.860	29.838	29.904	29.867	29.918	12 P.M.	29.848	5 A.M.
Friday, 20	29.900	29.730	29.680	29.770	29.918	0 A.M.	29.670	6 P.M.
Saturday, 21	30.040	32.128	30.204	30.124	30.220	10 P.M.	29.730	0 A.M.

Mean for the week..... 30.033 inches.  
Maximum " at 10 P.M., December 21st..... 30.220 "  
Minimum " at 6 P.M., December 20th..... 29.670 "  
Range " .....

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
DECEMBER.									
Sunday, 15	22	21	28	26	27	26.0	24.6	31	3 P.M. 29
Monday, 16	32	30	39	36	39	36.6	34.0	41	4 P.M. 38
Tuesday, 17	35	34	40	38	40	38.3	37.0	41	7 P.M. 40
Wednesday, 18	40	39	43	42	43	42.3	41.3	44	12 P.M. 43
Thursday, 19	44	44	52	47	47	45.6	45.3	53	3 P.M. 48
Friday, 20	39	38	49	46	46	44.6	43.6	49	12 P.M. 47
Saturday, 21	41	37	46	40	39	36	42.0	37.6	1 A.M. 47

Mean for the week..... 39.6 degrees  
Maximum for the week, at 3 P.M., 19th..... 53. " at 3 P.M., 19th..... 48. "  
Minimum " at 8 A.M., 15th..... 21. " at 8 A.M., 15th..... 21. "  
Range " .....

Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.	VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Max. Time.
DECEMBER.									
Sunday, 15....	NNW	ESE	WSW	89	29	32	150	0	0.50 A.M.
Monday, 16....	WNW	NNW	S	33	13	27	73	0	4 P.M.
Tuesday, 17....	VNW	ENE	NE	40	8	34	82	0	9.40 P.M.
Wednesday, 18....	ENE	NE	NE	81	70	59	210	0	3.50 P.M.
Thursday, 19....	WSW	WNW	NW	35	58	10	103	0	0.40 P.M.
Friday, 20....	SW	SSE	SW	37	37	9	83	0	10.20 P.M.
Saturday, 21....	WNW	WNW	NNE	104	59	32	195	1	2 A.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 896 miles.  
Maximum force..... 34 pounds.







**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.

**Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.**  
No money received after 2 P. M.  
**Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.**

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

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

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

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

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

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

**Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.**  
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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 STECKLER, Corporation Attorney.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

**DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**  
**Central Office.**  
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.  
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.  
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

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

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

**Bureau of Chief of Department.**  
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

**Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.**  
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

**Bureau of Fire Marshal.**  
JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

**Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.**  
THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

**Attorney to Department.**  
WM. L. FINDLEY.

**Fire Alarm Telegraph.**  
J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.  
Central Office open at all hours.

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

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

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

**Office of Topographical Engineer.**  
Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.**  
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS**  
Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

**CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.**  
Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES THOMSON, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; GUNTHER K. ACKERMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT**  
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.  
The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

#### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

#### BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

#### SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

#### REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

#### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

#### COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

#### DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; THOMAS COSTIGAN, Chief Clerk.

#### THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. McGRATH, Examiner.

#### CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

#### SUPREME COURT

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10:30 A. M.  
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.

General Term, Part I, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.  
Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.  
Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.

Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. McCALL, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.

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

#### SUPERIOR COURT.

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

Equity Term, Room No. 30.  
Chambers, Room No. 33.  
Part I, Room No. 34.

Part II, Room No. 35.  
Part III, Room No. 36.  
Judges' Private Chambers.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

#### COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Chambers, Room No. 22, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part I, Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part II, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

#### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

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

#### CITY COURT.

City Hall.  
General Term, Room No. 20.

Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20.  
Part II, Room No. 21.

Part III, Room No. 15.  
Part IV, Room No. 11.

Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

#### 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, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

#### COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.  
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk. Office, Tombs.

#### DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

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

PETER MITCHELL, Justice.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.

CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

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

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

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

JOHN B. McKEAN, Justice.  
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.  
Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

JOHN IEROLMAN, Justice.  
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.  
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.  
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. 191 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

#### POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY, DANIEL F. McMAHON, EDW. HOGAN, JOHN COCHRANE, CHARLES N. TANTOR.

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

First District—Tombs, Centre street.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

##### NOTICE.

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

J. S. COLEMAN,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

#### NEW AQUEDUCT.

##### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

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

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the eighteenth day of January, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners, and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the County of Westchester, and is laid out and indicated on two similar or duplicate maps filed, one in the office of the Register of Westchester County, at White Plains, in said county, and the other in the office of the Register of New York County, both filed in said offices on the 14th day of November, 1889, and each bearing the following certificate, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court made by Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, Justice, dated November 21, 1889, filed in Westchester County Clerk's Office, November 22, 1889.

"We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, of the State of New York, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in such section, this 23d day of October, 1889. Signed, Theo. W. Myers, Comptroller; Thos. F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works; James C. Duane, John J. Tucker, Francis M. Scott, Walter Howe, Commissioners."

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected is required for the construction and maintenance of the dam and reservoir known as "Reservoir M," or "Titicus Reservoir," and the following is a statement of the boundaries of said dam and reservoir, and of the portion of the real estate to be acquired therefor under this proceeding:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land and real estate in the town of North Salem, County of Westchester and State of New York, which taken together constitute a tract of land particularly described and shown on said map and bounded by the following lines: Beginning at a stone monument marked "A. C." in the road from Golden's Bridge to Croton Falls and running thence north 31 degrees 49 minutes, east 410 and 10-100 feet; thence south 77 degrees 25 minutes east, 365 and 49-100 feet, thence south 87 degrees 53 minutes east, 163 and 70-100 feet, thence north 88 degrees 08 minutes east, 507 and 33-100 feet, thence south 82 degrees 27 minutes east, 612 and 89-100 feet, thence north 5 degrees 15 minutes east, 590 and 96-100 feet, thence north 88 degrees 15 minutes east, 900 and 36-100 feet; thence south 89 degrees 37 minutes east, 145 and 17-100 feet; thence north 56 degrees 53 minutes east, 369 and 9-100 feet; thence north 4 degrees 6 minutes east, 475 and 70-100 feet; thence south 68 degrees 12 minutes 30 seconds east, 779 and 37-100 feet; thence north 61 degrees 20 minutes east, 429 and 70-100 feet; thence north 82 degrees 25 minutes east, 866 and 90-100 feet; thence north 47 degrees 58 minutes east, 966 and 80-100 feet; thence north 82 degrees 54 minutes

30 seconds east, 1,282 and 90-100 feet; thence south 4 degrees 46 minutes 30 seconds west, 100 and 3-100 feet; thence south 4 degrees 32 minutes west, 226 and 24-100 feet; thence south 6 degrees 5 minutes west, 318 and 26-100 feet; thence south 3 degrees 44 minutes west, 633 and 89-100 feet; thence south 4 degrees 13 minutes west, 330 and 75-100 feet, thence south 86 degrees 20 minutes 30 seconds east, 466 and 13-100 feet; thence south 4 degrees 11 minutes west, 1,597 and 40-100 feet; thence south 35 degrees .09 minutes west, 819 and 60-100 feet; thence south 40 degrees .03 minutes east, 1,296 and 50-100 feet; thence south 48 degrees 24 minutes west, 1,031 feet; thence north 46 degrees 25 minutes west, 873 feet; thence south 81 degrees 29 minutes west, 878 and 40-100 feet; thence north 64 degrees 29 minutes west, 392 feet; thence north 50 degrees 34 minutes west, 255 feet; thence north 19 degrees 40 minutes west, 1,159 and 85-100 feet; thence north 53 degrees 31 minutes west, 730 and 33-100 feet; thence south 67 degrees 35 minutes west, 337 and 60-100 feet; thence south 73 degrees 54 minutes west, 768 and 43-100 feet; thence south 79 degrees 59 minutes west, 1,023 and 90-100 feet; thence north 47 degrees 31 minutes west, 905 and 9-100 feet; thence north 64 degrees 43 minutes west, 475 and 10-100 feet; thence north 53 degrees 50 minutes west, 1,682 feet, to the aforesaid stone monument set in the ground marked "A. C." being the place of beginning.

All the lands within the above boundaries are to be acquired in fee, and include all the parcels shown on said maps as Numbers 1 to 16, both inclusive. Reference is hereby made to the said similar maps filed as aforesaid in said offices of the Register of Westchester County and the Register of the City and County of New York for a more detailed description of the said real estate to be taken or affected, of which the boundaries are above stated.

Dated New York, December 3, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

#### SUPREME COURT—NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the acts amendatory thereto. Such application will be made at a Special Term of said court to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, in Westchester County, on the 4th day of January, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, all of whom shall reside in the County of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the acts amendatory thereto.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the City and County of New York, and is laid out and indicated on a map filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 22d day of October, 1889, and bearing the following certificate, to wit:

"Map No. 1, Department of Public Works. Property map of lands required for the construction of a blow-off at Shaft No. 24 on Section A of the New Croton Aqueduct, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, New York City. Note—Parcels A, B, C, D and E (colored pink) are to be taken in fee. In Parcels C and D said fee is taken subject to a perpetual right of way for railroad purposes. Scale, 50 feet = 1 inch. February, 1889. Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner, Department Public Works, G. W. Birdsall, Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works. The Aqueduct Commission. We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, and the acts amendatory thereto, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner described in said section this 21st day of August, 1889. Commissioners: Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner Public Works; J. C. Duane, John J. Tucker, Francis M. Scott, Walter Howe."

"State of New York, City and County of New York, ss.: On this 21st day of August, 1889, before me personally came Thomas F. Gilroy, James C. Duane, John J. Tucker, Francis M. Scott and Walter Howe, to me severally known, and known to me to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate and severally acknowledged that they executed the same. I, C. Lully, Notary Public, New York County (notarial seal), and of which the following is a statement of the external boundaries by courses and distances within which are included all the real estate required for the purpose of said New Aqueduct and shown upon said map, viz.:

All that certain parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, which point is distant 33 feet southerly at a right angle from the centre line of the New Croton Aqueduct, as shown on a certain map filed July 9, 1884, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York



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 Three Hundred Dollars.

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

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	2,736
" " " 10" x 12".....	660
" " " 8" x 10".....	1,440
" " " 3" x 10".....	896
Total.....	6,042

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

2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10".....	107,983
" " " 4" x 6".....	560
" " " 2" x 10".....	990
Total.....	109,533

NOTE—The above quantities of timber, in items 1 and 2, are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

- White Oak Fender Piles..... 17  
(It is expected that these piles will have to be about 55 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
- Resetting of White Oak Fender Piles..... 4  
3/8" x 27", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 16",  
3/8" x 6", 3/8" x 10", 3/8" x 8", 3/8" x 7",  
1 1/2" x 6", 1 1/2" x 5", 1 1/2" x 4" and 1 1/2" x 3",  
square Spike-pointed Dock Spikes,  
about..... 8,927 pounds.
- 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and  
Nuts, about..... 18 "
- Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring.
- Labor of removing certain portions of the existing  
Pier at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, East  
river, and of removing all the old material from  
the premises.
- Labor of every description required by the specifica-  
tion of this Contract.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated as much accuracy as possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 10th day of April, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said pier, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, 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 the work.

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

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated New York, December 14, 1889.

### CORPORATION NOTICE

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

List 3129, No. 1. Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Seventy-second street and West End avenue.

List 3137, No. 2. Sewer in Sixty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

List 3138, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 3139, No. 4. Sewer in Ninth avenue, west side, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets.

List 3140, No. 5. Sewer in Seventy-eighth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

List 3141, No. 6. Sewers in Eighty-fifth street, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

List 3142, No. 7. Sewer in Ninety-second street, between West End avenue and Boulevard.

List 3143, No. 8. Alterations and improvements to sewer in Fifty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

List 3144, No. 9. Sewer in One Hundred and Second street, between the Harlem river and First avenue.

List 3145, No. 10. Sewer in One Hundred and Seventh street, between Manhattan and Eighth avenues.

List 3146, No. 11. Extension of sewer in Grand street, between Goerck and Lewis streets.

List 3147, No. 12. Sewer in Ninety-seventh street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

List 3148, No. 13. Sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

List 3149, No. 14. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Twenty-second street, between Ninth and Eleventh avenues.

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

No. 1. South side of Seventy-second street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Sixty-third street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 4. West side of Ninth avenue, from Eighty-third to Eighty-fifth street; both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and south side of Eighty-fifth street, extending about 350 feet westerly from Ninth avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Seventy-eighth street, from Riverside to West End avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Ninety-second street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, from Ninth to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Fifty-third to Fifty-fifth street; and west side of Ninth avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from the Harlem river to First avenue.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, from Manhattan to Eighth avenue, and east side of Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Sixth street to a point about 101 feet north of One Hundred and Seventh street.

No. 11. North side of Grand street, from Goerck to Lewis street.

No. 12. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road.

No. 14. Both sides of Twenty-second street, from Eighth avenue to a point distant about 375 feet westerly, from Tenth avenue and west side of Tenth avenue, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street.

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 1st day of February, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 31, 1889.

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

List 3098, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Tenth avenue to Public Drive.

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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 27th day of January, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 26, 1889.

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

List 3120, No. 1. Sewer in Hamilton place, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets.

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

No. 1. East side of Hamilton place, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to a point distant about 101 feet north of One Hundred and Fortieth street; west side of Hamilton place, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Fortieth street; both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth, One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, from Tenth avenue to Hamilton place, and west side of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Fortieth street.

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 22d day of January, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 21, 1889.

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

List 3090, No. 1. Sewer in Fourth avenue, west side, between Ninety-ninth and One Hundred and Third streets.

List 3114, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring the sidewalks on the west side of Madison avenue, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, and on the south side of One Hundred and First street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

List 3118, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring south side of Eighty-fifth street, between Madison and Park avenues.

List 3121, No. 4. Extension of sewer in Front street, between Old Slip and Wall street.

List 3124, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

List 3125, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring the sidewalks on both sides of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Eleventh to One Hundred and Forty-third street.

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

No. 1. West side of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Third streets, and both sides of Ninety-eighth, Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

No. 2. West side of Madison avenue, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, and on the south side of One Hundred and First street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

No. 3. South side of Eighty-fifth street, from Park to Madison avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Front street, from Gouverneur lane to Wall street, and east side of Gouverneur lane, from Front to Water street.

No. 5. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

No. 6. Both sides of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Eleventh to One Hundred and Nineteenth street; east side, from One Hundred and Nineteenth street, extending 76 feet northerly; west side, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street; west side, from One Hundred and Twenty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; east side, from One Hundred and Thirtieth street, extending 100 feet northerly; west side, extending 100 feet southerly from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; west side, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; both sides, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, and One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-third street.

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 18th day of January, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 17, 1889.

**BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE** will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, held in the Mayor's Office, on Friday, January 3, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business, and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated December 31, 1889.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,  
Secretary.

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
December 12, 1889.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE** "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Madison avenue paving, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fifth street, with trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks.

Madison avenue paving, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, with granite-block pavement.

Eighth avenue sewers, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, with connection to existing sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street, east of Eighth avenue.

Eighth avenue paving, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks.

Eighty-sixth street paving, from Eighth avenue to Riverside avenue, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks.

Ninety-fifth street sewer, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

Filling sunken lots between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets and Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Lincoln avenue sewer and appurtenances, between the Harlem river and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and in the Southern Boulevard, between Lincoln and Willis avenues, and in Alexander and Willis avenues, between the Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, December 6, 1889, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before January 27, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

Eighth avenue sewers, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, with connection to existing sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street, east of Eighth avenue.

Eighth avenue paving, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks.

Eighty-sixth street paving, from Eighth avenue to Riverside avenue, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks.

Ninety-fifth street sewer, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

Filling sunken lots between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets and Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Lincoln avenue sewer and appurtenances, between the Harlem river and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and in the Southern Boulevard, between Lincoln and Willis avenues, and in Alexander and Willis avenues, between the Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

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THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),  
NEW YORK, December 2, 1889.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

**THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY** of New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1889, to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1890, as provided by section 846 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1889, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1890, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the seventh day of October, 1889, on which day the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1889 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 843 of said act.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 26, 1889.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 907 OF THE** "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to Rose street, from Third avenue to Bergen avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, November 15, 1889, and entered on the 21st day of November, 1889, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 908 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 908 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."

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THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 27, 1889.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE** "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Paving east side of St. Nicholas avenue, from the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to a line about 50 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, with granite blocks.

Sewer in West street, between Rector and Carlisle streets.</



Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets.

Extension of sewer in Ninetieth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, from end of present sewer.

Laying crosswalks across Pleasant avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

Laying a crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, at the east side of Seventh avenue.

Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Seventy-seventh street, between Park and Madison avenues.

Laying crosswalks across Sixth avenue and Seventh avenue, within the lines of the northerly and southerly sidewalks of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

Laying crosswalk across Fifty-ninth street, at the easterly side of Avenue A.

Laying crosswalk across Avenue St. Nicholas, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

Laying a crosswalk across Avenue St. Nicholas, at the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Laying crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, at the easterly side of Second avenue.

Laying a crosswalk across One Hundred and Fiftieth street, at the easterly side of Tenth avenue.

Laying a crosswalk across First avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

Laying a crosswalk across First avenue, at the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

Second avenue, flagging and reflagging west side of, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

One Hundred and Sixteenth street, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recubing both sides of, between Pleasant avenue and Harlem river.

Park avenue, flagging, reflagging and curbing on west side of, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

Fifth avenue, flagging and reflagging east side of, from Eightieth to Eighty-first street.

Madison avenue, flagging and reflagging east side of, from Eighty-eighth to Eighty-ninth street, and north side of Eighty-eighth street and south side of Eighty-ninth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street, flagging and reflagging north side of, from Lenox to Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, paving with granite blocks, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Eighteenth street, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

One Hundred and Fiftieth street, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, from Tenth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Twentieth street, paving with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, from Seventh to Lenox avenue.

West End avenue, paving with Trinidad asphalt pavement, from Sixty-ninth to Seventy-second street.

Ninetieth street, regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive (except between the Boulevard and Riverside Drive).

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Seventh avenue.

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Second street and Tenth avenue.

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Madison avenue.

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of Fifty-fourth street and Second avenue.

Sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Edgecombe road.

Sewer in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets, connecting with the present sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, east of Tenth avenue.

Sewer in Seventy-fifth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Sewer in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

Flagging, reflagging, curbing and recubing Seventy-ninth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

Paving Manhattan avenue, from Morningside avenue, near One Hundred and Thirtieth street to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Forty-third street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Sewer in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

Sewer in One Hundred and First street, between Boulevard and West End avenue.

Sewer in One Hundred and Third street, between Eighth and Manhattan avenues.

Alteration and improvements to sewer in Twenty-second street, between First and Third avenues.

Alterations and improvements to sewer in Fifty-third street at Tenth avenue.

Receiving-basin on northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-third street and Eighth avenue.

Eighty-seventh street paving with granite blocks, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street paving with granite blocks, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street paving with granite blocks, from First to Second avenue, and laying crosswalks.

Sixtieth street paving with granite blocks, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirtieth street paving with trap-blocks, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

Eighty-seventh street paving with granite blocks, from Avenue A to Avenue B, and laying crosswalks.

West End avenue paving with granite blocks, from Eighty-ninth to Ninety-sixth street, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Seventeenth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

Third avenue, west side, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recubing, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

Seventy-seventh street, south side, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recubing, between Park and Madison avenues.

Sewer in Eldridge street, between Grand and Broome streets.

Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between St. Ann's and Trinity avenues.

Sewer on the north side of the Southern Boulevard, between Willis avenue and the summit east of Willis avenue.

Sewer in Ninetieth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Sewer in Eighty-ninth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between West End avenue and the Boulevard.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and Eighth avenue.

Sewer in West street, between Murray and Jay streets, connecting with sewer constructed by Department of Docks through Pier 21, with alterations and improvements, to existing sewers in Murray, Warren, Chambers, Duane and Jay streets.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Nineteenth streets.

Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from North Third avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from North Third avenue to Morris avenue.

Sewer in Clifton street, between Third and Cauldwell avenues, with a branch on east side of St. Ann's avenue northerly from Clifton street.

which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, November 14, 1889, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 23, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

#### 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 1853 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

#### CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,  
COOPER UNION,  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1889.

#### NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

G. K. ACKERMAN,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required in Building Two Fire Pumps for a New Floating Engine for this Department, 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. Monday, January 6, 1890, 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 "Schedule C, Part I," and the "General Clauses" and "Steam Trials" clauses of the specifications and to the drawings, all of which form part of these proposals.

The forms of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work and the drawings, may be seen, and forms of proposals may be obtained 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 one hundred and twenty-five (125) days after the execution of 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 thirty (30) 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 four thousand five hundred (4,500) 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 two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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Commissioners.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

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The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and twenty-five (125) days after the execution of 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 thirty (30) dollars per day.

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 eight thousand (8,000) 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 received or considered after the hour named.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to "Schedule C, Part II," and the "General Clauses" and "Steam Trials" clauses of the specifications and to the drawings, all of which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and twenty-five (125) days after the execution of 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 thirty (30) 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



ciency 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 four hundred (\$400) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

## JURORS.

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

ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
No. 280 BROADWAY, THIRD FLOOR,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1889.

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

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

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, if unpaid, will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 10 o'clock A.M. on Friday, January 3, 1890, for Erecting a New School Building for Primary School No. 46 on Johnson avenue or Kappock street, Spuyten Duyvil.

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.

Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

ELMER A. ALLEN,  
LOUIS EICKHOFF,  
JOSEPH J. MARRIN,  
JOHN E. EUSTIS,  
T. E. THOMSON,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P.M. on Thursday, January 2, 1890, for New Furniture and Repairs to Furniture at Primary School No. 23, on One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, near Eighth avenue.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,  
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until the same hour and at the same place as above mentioned, for supplying a Steam-heating Apparatus for the new building in course of erection for Primary School No. 43, on corner of Ogden avenue and Orchard streets.

WILLIAM HOGG, Chairman,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

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.

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Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

### FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR STEAM-HEATING A PAVILION ON HART'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A.M. Friday, January 10, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating a Pavilion on Hart's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) 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 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 section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including the 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, December 24, 1889.  
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.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

### PROPOSALS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the following Hospital Supplies, viz:

I.—ARTICLES TO BE DELIVERED IN INSTALLMENTS, AS MAY BE REQUIRED, DURING THE YEAR 1890.  
4,000 gallons, more or less, of two-stamp copper distilled Rye Whisky, to be delivered in lots as required during the year 1890. To be not less than three years old from date of warehouse entry stamp, with privilege of receiving deliveries direct from bonded warehouse on the order of the contractor. Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on distilled spirits during the year 1890, shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfilled at the time when the act making such alteration shall go into effect.

2,800 gallons, more or less, of pure medicinal Alcohol, of not less than 94 per cent, by volume of absolute alcohol, to be delivered in lots as required during 1890. The bidder to name a separate price for tax-paid, and for tax-free alcohol. Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on distilled spirits during the year 1890 shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfilled at the time when the act making such alteration shall go into effect.

160,000 yards, more or less, of Bleached Hospital Gauze, equal to sample, in 100-yard pieces, to be delivered in instalments as may be required.

7,000 pounds, more or less, of Absorbent Cotton, free from impurities, in one-pound rolls, equal to sample, to be delivered in fifty-pound boxes, and in such quantities at a time as may be required.

5,000 pounds, more or less, of Absorbent Lint, in one pound rolls, equal to sample, to be delivered in fifty pound boxes, and in such quantities at a time as may be required.

## II.—ARTICLES TO BE DELIVERED IN FULL AS SOON AFTER THE AWARD OF THE CONTRACT AS POSSIBLE.

1,000 pounds pure, colorless medicinal Glycerin, of the standard of the United States Pharmacopoeia, to be delivered in fifty-pound boxed cans.

4,500 pounds pure white medicinal Carbolic Acid, of the standard of the United States Pharmacopoeia, to be delivered in one-pound flint-glass, unlettered bottles, properly labeled (with red-lettered label and "poison" label) and in boxes containing fifty pounds.

36 barrels, prime, Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, in original imported packages.

1,200 pounds pure Castor Oil, American "crystal," in five-gallon boxed cans.

2,250 gross first quality, selected, long taper, Druggists' Corks, No. XX, free from lower grades, viz.: 350 gross No. 2; 450 gross No. 3; 400 gross No. 4; 350 gross No. 5; 350 gross No. 6; 200 gross No. 7; 150 gross No. 8.

All to be delivered in five-gross bags, properly marked.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A.M. of Friday, January 3, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Hospital Supplies," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 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 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 the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, 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, December 20, 1889.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,

CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,

EDWARD C. SHEEHY,

Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

### PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, LEATHER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

22,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, January 2, 1890.

3,000 pounds Cheese.

6,000 pounds Dried Apples.

10,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.

300 bushels Beans.

100 barrels Crackers.

1,200 pounds Cocoa.

1,000 pounds Candles, 40-pound boxes, 16 ounces to the pound.

20,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.

2,000 pounds Maracibo Coffee, roasted.

2,400 pounds Chicory.

3,600 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include packages.

12,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.

1,200 pounds Macaroni.

16,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.

125 bushels Dried Peas.

800 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted.

5,000 pounds Prunes.

24,000 pounds Rice.

400 bushels Rye.

364,000 pounds Brown Soap, all to be delivered within 60 days.

64,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

10,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.

6,400 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.

11,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.

100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within 15 days.

1,600 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes.

700 pounds Corn Starch, one pound packages.

10,000 pounds Oolong Tea.

15 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 per barrel.

5,000 gallons Syrup, in barrels.

50 barrels first quality Salt Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.

1,200 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be perfectly cured, and to average not less than five pounds, to be delivered as required in boxes of four quintals each.

50 dozen Canned String Beans.

50 dozen Canned Lima Beans.

50 dozen Canned Corn.

50 dozen Canned Peas.

50 dozen Canned Pears.

20 dozen Canned Salmon.

80 dozen Canned Tomatoes.

50 dozen Chow Chow.

12 dozen Gelatine.

20 dozen Ghirkins.

36 dozen Worcestershire Sauce.

60 dozen Sea Foam.

24 dozen Saploio.

100 pieces prime quality city cured Bacon, about 6 pounds each.

100 prime quality city cured Smoked Hams, about 14 pounds each.

100 prime quality city cured Smoked Tongues, about 6 pounds each.

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

8,700 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

1,300 barrels good sound White Potatoes, 172 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.

200 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.

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

3,200 heads prime good-sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels.

300 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.

100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

100 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.

1,200 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net each.

150 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

500 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare and weight same as on Hay.

40 dozen Bath Brick.

72 dozen Shoe Blacking.

100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each.

## CROCKERY.

5 gross Handled Mugs.

5 gross Chambers.

2 gross Bed Pans.

3 gross Spit Cups.

1 gross Milk Pitchers.

3 gross Tumblers.

2 gross Male Urinals.

10 gross Dinner Plates.

5 gross Soup Plates.

10 gross Bowls.



20 G. gross Brace Buttons.  
150 gross Coat Buttons.  
25 M. Sewing Needles, 4 No. 3, 8 No. 4, 8 No. 5 and 5 No. 6.  
15 gross Knitting Needles.  
200 packs Pins.  
200 gross Safety Pins, 80 No. 2, 120 No. 3.  
200 gross Cotton Shoe Laces.  
200 bunches Leather Laces.  
20 gross Fine Combs.  
20 gross Plantation Combs.  
100 pounds Coarse Twine.  
100 pounds Medium Twine.  
300 pounds Broom Twine.  
300 pounds Sash Cord.  
50 pounds Cotton Cord.  
300 pounds Curled Hair.  
100 dozen Cotton Mops.

## IRON AND TIN.

10 bundles Common Sheet Iron, No. 22.  
5 bundles RG. Iron, 24 x 84.  
5 bundles RG. Iron, 26 x 84.  
10 bundles BB. Galvanized Iron, No. 24.  
3 bundles Hoop Iron, 3/4 inch.  
20 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin, IX., 14 x 20.  
20 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin, IX., 14 x 20.  
20 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin, IX., 12 x 12.  
3 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin, IX., 12 x 12.  
10 pigs first quality Block Tin.

## HARDWARE, ETC.

12 dozen Scoop Shovels.  
12 dozen Flat Shovels.  
12 dozen Spades.  
5 kegs Horse Shoes, No. 4.  
30 coils bright Iron Wire, 5 each, Nos. 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14.  
25 stones bright Broom Wire, No. 18.  
10 gross Tinned Kettle Ears, 2 No. 3, 4 No. 6, 4 No. 8.  
12 dozen Taper Saw Files, 6 each 4 and 5.  
1 dozen Molasses Gates.  
2 dozen Water-cooler Faucets.  
6 dozen Glass Cutters.  
72 dozen each Knives and Forks.  
6 dozen Butcher's Knives.  
2 dozen Putty Knives.  
6 dozen Razors.  
25 gross Table Spoons.  
10 gross Tea Spoons.  
6 dozen Barber's Shears.  
12 dozen Scissors, "Seymour's," 8 inches.  
30 dozen Paper Carpet Tacks, 6 each, 2, 6, 8, 10 and 12 ounces.  
25 gross Women's Thimbles.  
100 dozen Spectacles.  
12 dozen Carpenter's Pencils.  
6 dozen Rules, 2 feet.  
12 gross Patent Peg Awns.  
2 dozen Peel Shavers.  
6 dozen Shoe Ink.  
6 dozen Sand Stones.  
50 quires Sand Paper, 10 each, No. 1, 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2, 3.  
24 quires Emery Cloth, assorted.  
100 Sledge Hammer Handles.  
100 Striking Hammer Handles.  
100 Pickaxe Handles.

## WOODENWARE, ETC.

10 coils best quality 9-thread Manila Rope.  
5 coils best quality 15-thread Manila Rope.  
1 coil best quality Manila Bolt Rope, 2 1/2".  
1 coil best quality Manila Bolt Rope, 3 1/2".  
12 dozen Washboards.  
100 gross Clothes Pins.  
20 dozen Mop Handles.  
30 gross Matches.  
10 gross Safety Matches.  
12 dozen Stove Brushes.  
2 dozen Dust Brushes.  
12 dozen Window Brushes.  
6 dozen 6" Paint Brushes.  
12 dozen Shoe Brushes.  
12 dozen Whitewash Brushes.  
24 dozen Hair Brushes.

## WHITE LEAD, LEATHER AND LIME.

10,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from adulteration or any added impurities, and subject to analysis if necessary 50 roos, 50 508, 100 258.  
500 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each.  
300 sides first quality Waxed Kid Leather, to average about 11 feet.  
300 sides first quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.  
2,000 pounds Offal Leather.  
50 barrels best quality Rosendale Cement.  
50 barrels best quality Portland Cement.  
50 barrels best quality Common Lime.  
50 barrels best quality Whitewash Lime.  
50 barrels best quality Chloride of Lime, to contain not less than 32 per cent. of Chlorine.  
25 barrels Plaster Paris.

## LUMBER.

50,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Board, 1" by 12 to 15" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
15,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Board, 3/4" by 12 to 15" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1" by 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/4" by 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/2" by 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 2" by 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
10,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine Shelves, 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed two sides.  
500 first quality clear White Pine Boards, thoroughly seasoned, free from loose and black knots, 1" x 10" x 13 feet, tongued and grooved, dressed one side.  
100 Spruce Planks, 1 1/4", rough.  
100 Spruce Planks, 2", rough.  
500 Hemlock Joist, 3" x 4" by 13 feet.  
All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, January 3, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods Leather, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 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 section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department; and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,

CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,

EDWARD C. SHEEHY,

Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house dock, Blackwell's Island (east side), 4,000 barrels extra Wheat Flour, in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels one-half of each quality, as follows, to be delivered in barrels only:

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, January 3, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange, that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 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 section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,

EDWARD C. SHEEHY,

Commissioners Public Charities and Correction.

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

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Eleventh street North river—Unknown man, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy hair, beard and moustache mixed with gray. Had on brown overcoat, brown mixed vest, dark pants, white shirt, white socks, laced shoes, black derby hat.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Bridget McCaffrey, aged 52 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on brown muslin shawl, colored skirt, brown petticoat, white waist, muslin chemise.

Annie McDermott, aged 50 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted maroon dress, black petticoat, white skirt, black stockings, cloth slippers.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## QUARANTINE COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS,

CREATED BY CHAPTER 270, LAWS OF 1888,

No. 71 BROADWAY, ROOM 101,

NEW YORK, December 30, 1889.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE DISINFECTING Apparatus to be furnished and erected on Hoffman Island will be received at this office until 11 o'clock A. M. Friday, January 3, 1890, at which time and place they will be opened.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and all desired information obtained at this office or at the office of Stephen D. Hatch, Architect, No. 115 Broadway.

Successful bidders will be required to furnish bondsmen in such amount as the Commissioners may determine.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids if in the judgment of the Board it is deemed advisable.

CHAS. F. ALLEN, President.

## SUPREME COURT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the eleventh day of February, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eleventh day of February, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at one 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 twelfth day of February, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue; easterly by the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from St. Ann's avenue to College avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from College avenue to Railroad avenue, East; and westerly by the easterly line of Railroad avenue, East; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1887, 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 twenty-eighth day of February, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, December 31, 1889.

ROBERT E. DEVO, Chairman,

MOSES HERRMAN,

HENRY G. CASSIDY,

Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner 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 acquiring certain pieces or parcels of land and the title thereto, wherever the same have not heretofore been acquired, for the use of the public for the purposes of sewerage and drainage, pursuant to chapter 423 of the Laws of 1888, being a strip of land twenty feet in width and extending in an easterly direction from the easterly termination of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 28th day of January, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition 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 certain pieces or parcels of land and the title thereto, wherever the same have not heretofore been acquired for the use of the public, for the purposes of sewerage and drainage, pursuant to chapter 423 of the Laws of 1888, being a strip of land twenty feet in width, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, and extending in an easterly direction from the easterly termination of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the centre line of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the westerly line of Edgecombe road; thence easterly in a line radial to the curve of said road, and deflecting to the left from the centre line of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street produced, 30 degrees and 9 minutes, distance 100 feet, to the easterly line of Edgecombe road; thence northeasterly and deflecting from the radial line of said curve to the left 51 degrees 41 minutes and 30 seconds, distance 92 3/100 feet; thence deflecting to the right 38 degrees 43 minutes and 20 seconds, distance 275 71/100 feet, passing through the land of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, now occupied by the Croton Aqueduct; thence deflecting to the right 31 degrees and 8 minutes, distance 134 8/100 feet; thence deflecting to the left 21 degrees and 5 minutes (said direction being at right angle to Tenth avenue), distance 206 86/100 feet to the United States channel or bulkhead line, Harlem river, passing through the exterior street as established by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, and shown upon a map dated August 31, 1887; thence northerly along said United States channel or bulkhead-line, distance 20 7/100 feet; thence westerly and parallel with the last but one mentioned direction, and at right angle to Tenth avenue, distance 201 64/100 feet; thence deflecting to the right 21 degrees and 5 minutes, distance 135 92/100 feet; thence deflecting to the left 31 degrees and 8 minutes, distance 287 91/100 feet, passing through the land of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, now occupied by the Croton Aqueduct; thence deflecting to the left 38 degrees 43 minutes and 20 seconds, distance 88 97/100 feet; thence deflecting to the right 51 degrees 41 minutes and 30 seconds—said direc-



tion being parallel and distant 20 feet northerly from the first course given on the radial line of the Edgcombe road, distance 90 to 100 feet to the westerly line of Edgcombe road; thence southerly along said line 20 to 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The said land to be taken for drainage purposes to be a strip of land 20 feet in width between the westerly line of Edgcombe road at One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and the United States channel or bulk-head-line, Harlem river.

Dated New York, December 31, 1889.

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

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to the westerly side of the Boulevard in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 23d day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Thirty-second street, extending from the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to the westerly side of the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward in the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Twelfth avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-first street; thence easterly and parallel with said line, distant 775 feet to the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line distant 60 feet; thence westerly, distant 775 feet, to the easterly line of the Twelfth avenue; thence southerly along said line, distant 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Twelfth avenue and the Boulevard.

Dated New York, December 23, 1889.

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

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to St. Ann's 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District, in the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers of said court, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 23d day of January, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of William H. Clark, who has resigned.

Dated New York, December 23, 1889.

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

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the sixth day of February, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said sixth day of February, 1890, 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 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 seventh day of February, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to St. Ann's avenue; easterly by the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from St. Ann's avenue to the westerly limit of the area of assessment as hereinbefore described, and westerly by a line drawn at right angles with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and extending from the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East

One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twenty-first day of February, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 27, 1889.

JNO. P. REED, Chairman,  
CHARLES H. LOVETT,  
C. C. CLARKE,  
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 RAILROAD AVENUE, WEST (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 23d day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Railroad avenue, West, extending from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, in 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, where the western line of the right of way of the New York and Harlem Railroad intersects the same.

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, for 56.19 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 62° 51' 20" to the left for 1,013.03 feet.

3d. Thence westerly, deflecting 62° 51' 20" to the right for 20.74 feet.

4th. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° to the left for 150.05 feet.

5th. Thence northeasterly for 1,181.65 feet to the point of beginning.

#### PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the north line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, where the western line of the right of way of the New York and Harlem Railroad intersects the same.

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, for 56.19 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 117° 08' 40" to the right for 1,545.00 feet.

3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 63° 13' 53" to the right for 56.00 feet.

4th. Thence southeasterly for 1,244.61 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 21, 1889.

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

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to UNDERCLIFF AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the Twenty-third Ward line to Sedgwick 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 23d day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Undercliff avenue, extending from the Twenty-third Ward line to Sedgwick avenue in the Twenty-fourth Ward in 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### PARCEL A.

Beginning at the intersection of the Twenty-third Ward line with the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue for 488.32 feet.

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 94° 39' 34" to the right for 8.17 feet.

3d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 73° 39' 39" to the left for 537.74 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 12° 04' 59" to the left for 485.44 feet to the lands acquired for the eastern approach to the bridge across the Harlem river at One Hundred and Eighty-first street.

5th. Thence southeasterly, along the southern line of said approach for 60 feet.

6th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90° 13' 20" to the right for 499.02 feet.

7th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 12° 04' 59" to the right for 646.33 feet.

8th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 9° 18' 49" to the left for 217.34 feet.

9th. Thence southerly, deflecting 26° 51' 07" to the left for 143.08 feet to the Twenty-third Ward line.

10th. Thence westerly along the Twenty-third Ward line for 58.44 feet to the point of beginning.

#### PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of the eastern approach to the bridge over the Harlem river at One Hundred and Eighty-first street, distant 293.16 feet easterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue with said northern line:

1st. Thence easterly along said northern line for 60.86 feet.

2d. Thence northerly, deflecting 99° 39' 22" to the left for 815.20 feet.

3d. Thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 1,600 feet for 299.45 feet.

4th. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,862.77 feet.

5th. Thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 200 feet, for 116.43 feet to the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue.

6th. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue for 194.37 feet.

7th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 90° to the left for 16.67 feet.

8th. Thence southerly, deflecting 56° 38' 47" to the right for 1,801.21 feet.

9th. Thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 1,660 feet for 3.168 feet.

10th. Thence southerly for 804.99 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register for the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 21, 1889.

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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-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from Jerome avenue to Tremont avenue, and 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 23d day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, extending from Jerome avenue to Tremont avenue, and from Carter avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Jerome avenue, distant 1,251.82 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Jerome avenue and the southern line of Tremont avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Jerome avenue for 61.79 feet.

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 103° 49' 16" to the left for 1,427.39 feet.

3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 1° 57' 10" to the left for 88.76 feet.

4th. Thence easterly, deflecting 4° 43' 26" to the left for 669.05 feet.

5th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 36° 07' 55" to the left for 70.74 feet.

6th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 8° 00' 50" to the right for 378.91 feet.

7th. Thence northerly, deflecting 90° to the left along the land described in the opening of Tremont avenue for 47.47 feet.

8th. Thence northeasterly, along the land described in the opening of Tremont avenue on the arc of a circle, whose radius is 115.0 feet for 23.04 feet.

9th. Thence southwesterly, on a line forming an angle of 77° 55' 40" with the radius of the preceding course, drawn through its eastern extremity for 373.13 feet.

10th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 2° 53' 53" to the left for 75.82 feet.

11th. Thence westerly, deflecting 31° 00' 58" to the right for 655.44 feet.

12th. Thence westerly, deflecting 4° 13' 02" to the right for 80.07 feet.

13th. Thence westerly for 1,421.34 feet to the point of beginning.

#### PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point on the western line of Webster avenue, distant 233.38 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Tremont avenue with the western line of Webster avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Webster avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° 04' 22" to the right for 110.17 feet.

3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 89° 57' 09" to the right for 60 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 110.15 feet to the point of beginning.

#### PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point on the eastern line of Webster avenue, distant 257.0 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Tremont avenue with the eastern line of Webster avenue.

1st. Thence southerly, along the eastern line of Webster avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 55' 38" to the left for 338.22 feet.

3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 90° 00' 27" to the left for 60 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 338.29 feet to the point of beginning.

#### PARCEL D.

Beginning at a point on the western line of Third avenue, distant 433.33 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Tremont avenue with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Third avenue for 60.04 feet.

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 92° 12' 19" to the right for 886.70 feet.

3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 89° 59' 33" to the right for 60 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 884.40 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 21, 1889.

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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 WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET (although not named by proper authority), extending from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 23d day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, extending from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, said point being distant 176.66 feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventieth street, thence westerly and parallel to said street, distance 800 feet to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, thence southerly along said line 13.73 feet to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road, thence southerly along said line, distance 49.16 feet, thence easterly, distance 785.33 feet, to Tenth avenue, thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 21, 1889.

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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 WILLIS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the Harlem river to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 23d day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Willis avenue, extending from Harlem river to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of the Southern Boulevard, distant 1,070.06 feet west of the intersection of the southern line of the Southern Boulevard with the western line of Brook avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of Southern Boulevard for 100 feet.

2d. Thence southerly, deflecting 89° 53' 00" to the left for 1,251.62 feet.

3d. Thence southeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle, whose radius drawn through the southern extremity of the preceding course deflects 153° 45' 59" to the left from the southern prolongation of the same, and is 401.30 feet for 105.86 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 1,388.50 feet to the point of beginning.

#### PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point on the northern line of Southern Boulevard, distant 1,070.06 feet west of the intersection of the southern line of Southern Boulevard with the western line of Brook avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of Southern Boulevard for 100.00 feet.

2d. Thence northerly, deflecting 90° 02' 00" to the right for 1,240.1 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

3d. Thence easterly, along the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 100 feet.

4th. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° to the right for 720 feet.

5th. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right for 50 feet.

6th. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° to the left for 60 feet.

7th. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left for 50 feet.

8th. Thence southerly for 460.05 feet to the point of beginning.

#### PARCEL C.

Beginning at the intersection of the western and southern lines of that portion of Willis avenue (confirmed November 12, 1889).

1st. Thence easterly along the said southern line of Willis avenue for 100 feet.



1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Lind Avenue, extending from Devos street to Sedgwick Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at the western extremity of the southerly line of Lind Avenue acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, on the 22d day of May, 1888.

1st. Thence easterly along said southerly line for 61.04 feet.

2d. Thence southerly, deflecting 125° to the right for 1,070.32 feet to the easterly line of Sedgwick Avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Sedgwick Avenue for 251.99 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 788.37 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
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In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WALNUT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Walnut Avenue, extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first 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, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant 1,222.78 feet from the intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; running thence

1st. Easterly along the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,613.85 feet.

3d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly for 1,613.85 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant 1,170.60 feet easterly from the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; running thence

1st. Easterly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 803 feet.

3d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 60 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly 803 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
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In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HAMPDEN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Sedgwick Avenue to Jerome 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Hampden Street, extending from Sedgwick Avenue to Jerome 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, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Jerome Avenue, distant 1,846.47 feet from the intersection of the northerly line of Burnside Avenue with the westerly line of Jerome Avenue, measured along the westerly line of Jerome Avenue.

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Jerome Avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left for 834.06 feet.

3d. Thence westerly, deflecting 26° 4' 34" to the left for 141.14 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 35° 39' 14" to the right for 563.08 feet.

5th. Thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 182.50 feet, for 226.02 feet to a point of compound curve.

6th. Thence southwesterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 495 feet, for 27.69 feet to a point of reverse curve.

7th. Thence westerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 98.78 feet, for 86.57 feet to a point of compound curve.

8th. Thence northwesterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 100 feet, for 84.45 feet to a point of reverse curve.

9th. Thence northwesterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 235 feet, for 132.20 feet to a point of reverse curve.

10th. Thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 20 feet, for 39.58 feet to the easterly line of Sedgwick Avenue.

11th. Thence southerly along the easterly line of Sedgwick Avenue for 129.61 feet.

12th. Thence easterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 50 feet, for 39.34 feet to a point of compound curve.

13th. Thence southeasterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 175 feet, for 142.90 feet to a point of reverse curve.

14th. Thence southeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 160 feet, for 135.12 feet to a point of compound curve.

15th. Thence easterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 158.78 feet, for 130.14 feet to a point of reverse curve.

16th. Thence northeasterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 435 feet, for 41.66 feet to a point of compound curve.

17th. Thence easterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 122.50 feet, for 151.71 feet.

18th. Thence southeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 582.38 feet.

19th. Thence easterly, deflecting 35° 39' 14" to the left for 138.70 feet.

20th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 54° 45' 06" to the left for 3.50 feet.

21st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 80° 49' 40" to the right for 826.66 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
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No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CAMMANN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the Fordham road to Harlem River Terrace, 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Cammann Street, extending from Fordham road to Harlem River Terrace, 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, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Sedgwick Avenue, acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1888, said point of beginning being distant 55.09 feet, southerly from the northwesterly corner of said Sedgwick Avenue, measured along the westerly line of Sedgwick Avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Sedgwick Avenue for 54.21 feet to a point of compound curve.

2d. Thence northwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 14.87 feet for 38.78 feet to a point of compound curve.

3d. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 2,000 feet, for 345.53 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course for 122.73 feet.

5th. Thence westerly deflecting 51° 48' 35" to the right for 611.54 feet.

6th. Thence northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 8,545 feet, and of which a radial line, passing through its southern extremity, makes an angle of 33° 50' 40" with the westerly prolongation of the preceding course for 71.95 feet.

7th. Thence easterly, deflecting 33° 8' 21" to the left from the southeasterly prolongation of a radial line passing through the northern extremity of the preceding course for 542.70 feet.

8th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 51° 48' 35" to the left for 245.70 feet.

9th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 24° 54' 35" to the right for 163.92 feet.

10th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 9° 40' to the left for 97.91 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
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In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to GEORGE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the Boston road to Prospect 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court

on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as George Street, extending from the Boston road to Prospect 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, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Forest Avenue, distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the westerly line of Forest Avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Forest Avenue for 50 feet.

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° 12' 47" to the left, for 603.03 feet, to the easterly line of the Boston road.

3d. Thence southerly along the easterly line of the Boston road for 54.63 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 624.91 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Forest Avenue distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Forest Avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Forest Avenue for 50 feet.

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 13" to the right, for 269.93 feet, to the westerly line of Tinton Avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Tinton Avenue for 50 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 269.97 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Tinton Avenue, distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Tinton Avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

1st. Thence northerly on the easterly line of Tinton Avenue for 50 feet.

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 27" to the right for 644.66 feet.

3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° 13' 23" to the right for 50 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 644.64 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
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In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CEDAR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Sedgwick Avenue, opposite the junction of Burnside Avenue and Sedgwick Avenue, to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of court on

that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as George Street, extending from the Boston road to Prospect Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Forest Avenue, distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the westerly line of Forest Avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Forest Avenue for 50 feet.

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° 12' 47" to the left, for 603.03 feet, to the easterly line of the Boston road.

3d. Thence southerly along the easterly line of the Boston road for 54.63 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 624.91 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Forest Avenue distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Forest Avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Forest Avenue for 50 feet.

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 13" to the right, for 269.93 feet, to the westerly line of Tinton Avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Tinton Avenue for 50 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 269.97 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Tinton Avenue, distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Tinton Avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

1st. Thence northerly on the easterly line of Tinton Avenue for 50 feet.

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 27" to the right for 644.66 feet.

3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° 13' 23" to the right for 50 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 644.64 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
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In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HARLEM RIVER TERRACE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Cedar Avenue to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Harlem River Terrace, extending from Cedar Avenue to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point situated 12,613.10 feet north of the eastern prolongation of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured at right angles with the same from a point 1,537.15 feet east of the intersection of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street with the eastern line of Tenth Avenue.

1st. Thence northerly, on a line deflecting 4° 59' 22" to the left from a line parallel to Tenth Avenue for 166.85 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 21° 20' 20" to the right for 837.82 feet.

3d. Thence northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 5,795 feet for 267.57 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course for 288.98 feet.

5th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 80° 48' 16" to the right for 50.65 feet.

6th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 99° 11' 44" to the right for 297.07 feet.

7th. Thence southwesterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 5,845 feet, for 269.87 feet.

8th. Thence southwesterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course for 828.40 feet.

9th. Thence southerly, deflecting 21° 20' 20" to the left, for 116.46 feet.

10th. Thence westerly, for 64.64 feet, to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

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In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CEDAR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Sedgwick Avenue, opposite the junction of Burnside Avenue and Sedgwick Avenue, to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of court on

that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Cedar Avenue, extending from the westerly line of Sedgwick Avenue, opposite the junction of Burnside Avenue and Sedgwick Avenue, to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Clifton street, distant 524.01 feet easterly from the intersection of the southerly line of Clifton street with the easterly line of St. Ann's Avenue.

1st. Thence easterly along the southerly line of Clifton street for 65 feet.

2d. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° to the right for 1,162 feet.

3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 0° 0' 20" to the right for 1,047.15 feet to the northerly line of Westchester Avenue.

4th. Thence westerly along the northerly line of Westchester Avenue for 68.24 feet.

5th. Thence northerly, deflecting 107° 43' 14" to the right for 1,067.92 feet.

6th. Thence northerly for 1,162 feet to the point of beginning.



## PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point in the southeasterly line of Boston road, distant 424.34 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the southeasterly line of the Boston road with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street:

1st. Thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of the Boston road for 121.12 feet;

2d. Thence southerly, deflecting  $147^{\circ} 32' 37''$  to the right for 460.28 to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

3d. Thence westerly along the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 65 feet;

4th. Thence northerly for 358.08 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
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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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Willow avenue, 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant 280.07 feet easterly from the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly side of Southern Boulevard; running thence

1st. Easterly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 60.0 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,541.47 feet.

3d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees 04 minutes 00 seconds to the left for 1,163.04 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 91 degrees 23 minutes 42 seconds to the right for 60.02 feet.

5th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 88 degrees 36 minutes 18 seconds to the right for 1,161.61 feet.

6th. Thence northeasterly for 1,541.51 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
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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 LOCUST AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first 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.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Locust avenue, extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward in 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, situated 1,632.78 feet easterly from the intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; running thence

1st. Easterly along the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,613.85 feet.

3d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly 1,613.85 feet to the point of beginning.

## PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant 1,589.60 feet easterly from the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; running thence

1st. Easterly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 805 feet.

3d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 60 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly 805 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the thirtieth day of January, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said thirtieth day of January, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at one 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 thirty-first day of January, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Courtland avenue to Third avenue; easterly by the westerly side of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Third avenue to Courtland avenue, and westerly by the easterly side of Courtland 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 fourteenth day of February, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 16, 1889.  
ROBT. E. DEVO, Chairman,  
MOSES HERMAN,  
HENRY G. CASSIDY,  
Commissioners.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 3d day of January, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 18, 1889.  
CHARLES H. LOVETT,  
JOHN REILLY,  
PETER L. MULLALY,  
Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 3d day of January, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 18, 1889.  
CHARLES H. LOVETT,  
JOHN REILLY,  
PETER L. MULLALY,  
Commissioners.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and

assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-fourth day of January, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-fourth day of January 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-fifth day of January, 1890.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the eighth day of February, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 13, 1889.  
EDWARD L. FARRIS, Chairman,  
BERNARD REILLY, JR.,  
ANDREW BLESSING,  
Commissioners.

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE BOARD OF STREET** Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Jerome avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-seventh day of January, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-seventh day of January, 1890, 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 twenty-eighth day of January, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and High-bridge road; easterly by the westerly line of Vanderbilt avenue, West; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Burnside avenue, and westerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue, excepting from the 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 fourteenth day of February, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 14, 1889.  
DENIS SPELLESSY, Chairman,  
FRANCIS RIEDEL,  
JOHN J. BRADY,  
Commissioners.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 23d day of January, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 23d day of January, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and as-

essment, 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 24th day of January, 1890.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 12, 1889.  
E. B. HART, Chairman,  
EDWARD L. FARRIS,  
ADOLPH L. SANGER,  
Commissioners.

**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 the lands required for the opening, widening and extension of COLLEGE PLACE and GREENWICH STREET, extending from Chambers street to Dey street, in the Third Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 10th day of January, 1890, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition 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 opening, widening and extension of certain streets or avenues known as College place and Greenwich street, extending from Chambers street to Dey street, in the Third Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Chambers street, said point being 90 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Chambers street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 176 feet 3 inches, to the northerly line of Warren street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Warren street, distance 25 feet  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 176 feet 3 inches, to the southerly line of Chambers street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Warren street, said point being 90 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Warren street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 175 feet 11  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, to the northerly line of Murray street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 7 inches, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 175 feet 11  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, to the southerly line of Warren street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet  $\frac{7}{8}$  inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Murray street, said point being 80 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Murray street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 165 feet 4  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, to the northerly line of Park place; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 165 feet 4  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, to the southerly line of Murray street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet  $\frac{7}{8}$  inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Park place, said point being 80 feet from the southeasterly corner of Park place and College place; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly line of College place, distance 158 feet 9 inches, to the northerly line of Barclay street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 1  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 158 feet 9 inches, to the southerly line of Park place; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$  inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Barclay street, said point being distant 193 feet 1 inch easterly from the southeasterly corner of Greenwich street and Barclay street; thence southwesterly, distance 208 feet 9 inches, to the northerly line of Vesey street; thence westerly along the northerly line of said street, distance 78 feet 3 inches, to the easterly line of Greenwich street; thence northerly along said line, distance 26 feet 13  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches; thence easterly, distance 10 feet 5  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches; thence northeasterly and parallel to the first course given above and distant 80 feet westerly therefrom, distance 183 feet 6  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, to the southerly line of Barclay street; thence easterly along said line, 81 feet 8 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Vesey street, said point being distant 454 feet 8  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches westerly from the southwesterly corner of Church street and Vesey street; thence southerly, distance 166 feet 7 inches, to the northerly line of Fulton street; thence westerly along said line, distance 10 feet 7  $\frac{1}{2}$  inches, to the easterly line of Greenwich street; thence northerly along said line, distance 175 feet 2  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, to the southerly line of Vesey street; thence easterly along said line, 46 feet 1 inch, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Fulton street, said point being distant 170 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Washington street; thence southerly, distance 133 feet 2  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, to the northerly line of Dey street; thence easterly along the northerly line of said street, distance 58 feet 1 inch, to the westerly line of Greenwich street; thence northerly along said line, distance 140 feet 4 inches, to the southerly line of Fulton street; thence westerly along said line, 10 feet 7 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement in the office of the Department of Public Works and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Dated New York, December 12, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.



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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 17, 1889.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, January 8, 1890:

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO COMPLETELY ERECT AND COMPLETELY FINISH, READY FOR OCCUPANCY, THE PROPOSED ENLARGEMENT OF THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY IN THE MANHATTAN SQUARE, INCLUDING ALL THE NECESSARY ADDITIONAL BLASTING AND EXCAVATING, BLIND AND OTHER DRAINS, FOUNDATIONS, CONCRETING, BRICK WORK, RUBBLE STONE WORK, FILLING AND RAMMING OF TRENCHES, GRADING, SIDEWALKS, SODDING, DRIVES, MASON WORK, GRANITE AND OTHER STONE WORK, PLASTERING AND STUCCO WORK, FIRE-PROOFING, TILING, SLATE WORK, CAST-IRON, WROUGHT-IRON AND GALVANIZED-IRON AND WIRE WORK, COPPER AND OTHER METAL WORK, SKYLIGHTS, GLAZING, ROOFINGS, FLASHINGS, CRESTINGS, FINIALS, SNOW-GUARDS, GUTTERING AND CORNICING, LEADERS, SOIL GAS, FIRE, VENTILATION, WATER AND OTHER PLUMBING PIPES, PLUMBING FIXTURES, TANKS AND ATTACHMENTS, HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS, PIPES, RADIATORS, STACKS, VALVES, BOILERS, ELECTRIC WIRES, DYNAMOS, ENGINES, PLUGS, CUT-OUTS AND SWITCHES, AND OTHER APPARATUS, CARPENTER WORK, HARDWARE, DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, DOORS, SASHES, SHADES, ELECTRO-PLATING, PAINTING, DECORATING AND POLISHING, STAIRS, STAIR PLATFORM AND BALUSTRADES, PATCHING, REPAIRING AND CLEANING, AND OTHER WORK, ALSO POINTING, REPAIRING, PATCHING, PAINTING, REFURNISHING, ALTERING, AND OTHER WORKS IN THE PRESENT BUILDING.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals ONE PRICE OR LUMP SUM for which they will execute the entire work, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation; all implements, tools, apparatus, utensils, machinery, power, scaffolding, moulds, models and appliances of every description necessary to complete, in every particular, the whole of the work as set forth in the plans and in the specifications, schedule and form of agreement, and including all foundations below the levels shown on plans necessary to carry same to solid rock.

The time allowed to complete all the work required on or in the present building will be NINETY DAYS. The time allowed to complete the whole work will be TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DAYS, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, will be fixed and liquidated at FIFTY DOLLARS per day.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the site of the proposed work, and its present condition and nature, by careful examination of the existing building, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the sufficiency of the Architect's schedule and plans, and shall not at any time after the submission of their bids, dispute or complain of such schedule and plans, or the specifications and directions explaining or interpreting them, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the location, extent, nature or amount of work to be done.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled 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 work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

N. B.—The price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

#### PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

UNDER CHAPTER 470, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 and 353, and as amended by chapter 559, Laws 1887, as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

#### METERS.

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

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

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

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

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

#### Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
60	05	9 00
70	05	10 50
80	05	12 00
90	05	13 50
100	05	15 00
150	05	22 50
200	05	30 00
250	04½	37 75
300	04	45 00
350	03½	52 50
400	03½	60 00
450	03½	67 50
500	03½	75 00
600	03½	90 00
700	03½	105 00
800	03½	120 00
900	03½	135 00
1,000	03½	150 00
1,500	03	180 00
2,000	02½	225 00
2,500	02½	280 00
3,000	02½	333 50
4,000	02	400 00
5,000	02	500 00
6,000	02	600 00
7,000	02	700 00
8,000	02	800 00
9,000	02	900 00
10,000	02	1,000 00

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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