

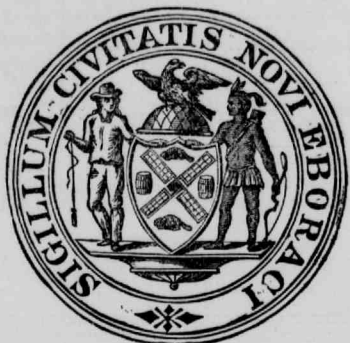
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AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, January 29, 1890, at 3 o'clock P. M.

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

The minutes of the stated meeting of January 22, 1890, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 5548 to 5568, inclusive, amounting to \$4,840.28; also of Vouchers Nos. 5569 and 5570, being final estimates for work done on Section 15½ of the New Aqueduct, and in taking down and enlarging the top of Shaft No. 11C, on Section 5 of the New Aqueduct, amounting to \$1,880.16.

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

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

Resolved, That 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 building an earth and masonry dam for Reservoir "M," on Titicus river, near Purdy's Station, New York, 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 Howe, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the resignation of Axeman W. H. Armstrong, and recommended that the same be accepted, to take effect on January 31 next.

On motion of Commissioner Howe, the same was accepted.

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

Resolved, That the bill of Galian L. Dashwood, for the sum of \$250, being for the rental of premises referred to in an agreement made by the Aqueduct Commissioners in January, 1885, be and the same is hereby allowed, and that a proper voucher to cover said amount be and the same is hereby certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Howe, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following:

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

NEW YORK, January 29, 1890.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—I already informed your Committee informally that a hoisting engine of a permanent character would be wanted at Shaft 25 by the side of the large hoister for the service of the north shaft. I have procured prices from Messrs. Otis Brothers & Co. and The Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company, who propose to furnish such engine as would be wanted, all placed, for the sum of \$1,250 and \$1,150, respectively. I also forward the proposal of Mr. Charles Peterson, contractor, to place in good working order, at Shaft 25, the hoisting engine which he has used for the construction of that shaft. This engine originally cost \$2,150, owing the fact that it was built on a special pattern, and it has successfully hoisted very heavy weights (heavier than those for which the other engines are intended) without mishap; and, considering the price he asks for the same, that is, \$1,000, I consider that his offer is the most advantageous to the Aqueduct Commissioners. I would recommend that his engine be purchased at his price of \$1,000, provided that he places it complete, at his own expense, on the foundations furnished by the City, and puts it in good working order to the satisfaction of your Engineer.

I am, respectfully,
A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

And report in favor of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the foregoing recommendation of the Chief Engineer, it is hereby determined to purchase the engine above referred to from said Charles Peterson for the sum of \$1,000, provided he places the same complete, at his own expense, on the foundations furnished by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and puts it in complete working order to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

On motion of the Comptroller, the report was laid on the table.

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

Whereas, An application has been made by John Fox, contractor, for an extension of time until May 1, 1890, in which to complete the work called for in the contracts for furnishing nine three by four feet sluice gates for the gate-houses at Pocantico, Ardsley and South Yonkers, on Sections 4, 7 and 9, respectively, of the New Aqueduct, and twenty-two two by five feet sluice gates for the gate-houses at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Central Park, being Sections 15 and 17, respectively, of the New Aqueduct; and the Chief Engineer having recommended that an extension of time be granted to April 15, 1890, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to John Fox, contractor, an extension of time to April 15, 1890, to complete the work above referred to, provided his bondsmen shall, within ten days from the date hereof, enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said contracts under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed to him as further time for the performance of said contracts.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, February 5, 1890, at 3 o'clock P. M.

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

In pursuance to the following notice, published for more than fifteen consecutive days, commencing with January 16, 1890, in the CITY RECORD, New York "Times," "Evening Post," and New York "Tribune," bids were received for building an earth and masonry dam for Reservoir "M," on the Titicus river, near Purdy's Station, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, with gate-houses and other appurtenances:

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, January 16, 1890.

To Contractors.

Bids or proposals for building an earth and masonry dam for Reservoir "M," on the Titicus river, near Purdy's Station, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, with gate-house and other appurtenances, 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 February 5, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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.	Raynor & Soule	\$1,205,025 00
No. 2.	Charles Peterson	1,129,400 00
No. 3.	O'Brien & Clark	1,055,065 00
No. 4.	F. Thilemann, Jr.	1,061,030 00
No. 5.	J. C. Rodgers	991,440 00
No. 6.	Washburne, Shaler & Washburne	933,065 00
No. 7.	Smith & Brown	1,064,810 00
No. 8.	M. S. Coleman	998,845 00
No. 9.	Clinton Stephens	1,168,060 00
No. 10.	Breuchaud, Pennell & Co.	1,031,240 00
No. 11.	David R. Paige & Co.	1,124,450 00

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

Whereas, Bids for building an earth and masonry dam for Reservoir "M," on the Titicus river, near Purdy's Station, in the town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, with gate-houses and other appurtenances, having been received and publicly opened and read; therefore,

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer is hereby directed to have the said bids calculated and tabulated, and submit the same, together with his estimates of the work, 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 12th day of February, 1890; and the bids and checks of the bidders so received are hereby referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit for examination and report to the Commissioners as to their formality and the sufficiency of the sureties proposed by the bidders.

The minutes of stated meeting of January 29, 1890, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in vouchers Nos. 5574 to 5590, inclusive, amounting to \$804.90.

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

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

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in suspending Superintending Inspector John R. Soper without pay, owing to the lack of work, such suspension to take effect as of the 8th instant, be and the same is hereby approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

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

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, an appropriation of \$150 be and the same is hereby made to cover the cost of photo-lithographing the contract drawings of the blow-off at Shaft No. 24, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct.

The same was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Committee also presented the resignations of Computers Sidney B. Cady and O. W. Vander Bosch, and recommended that the same be accepted, to take effect as of February 1, 1890.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were accepted.

On motion of the Comptroller, the following communication and resolution presented by the Construction or Executive Committee on January 29, 1890, were taken from the table:

NEW YORK, January 29, 1890.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—I already informed your Committee that a hoisting engine of a permanent character would be wanted at Shaft 25, by the side of the large hoister, for the service of the north shaft. I have procured prices from Messrs. Otis Brothers & Co. and the Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company, who propose to furnish such engine as would be wanted, all placed, for the sum of \$1,250 and \$1,150, respectively. I also forward the proposal of Mr. Charles Peterson, contractor, to place in good working order, at Shaft 25, the hoisting engine which he has used for the construction of that shaft. This engine originally cost \$2,150, owing to the fact that it was built on a special pattern, and it has successfully hoisted very heavy weights (heavier than those for which the other engines are intended) without mishap; and, considering the price he asks for the same, that is, \$1,000, I consider that his offer is the most advantageous to the Aqueduct Commissioners. I would recommend that his engine be purchased at his price of \$1,000, provided that he places it complete, at his own expense, on the foundations furnished by the City, and puts it in good working order to the satisfaction of your Engineer.

I am, respectfully,
A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

Resolved, That, upon the foregoing communication of the Chief Engineer, it is hereby determined to purchase the engine above referred to from said Charles Peterson for the sum of \$1,000, provided he places the same complete, at his own expense, on the foundations furnished by the Aqueduct Commissioners and puts it in complete working order to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

On motion of the Comptroller, the resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

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

A communication was received from the Chief Engineer, submitting detailed estimate of the cost of building the proposed earth and masonry dam for Reservoir "M," on Titicus river; said estimate amounting to \$1,151,195.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was referred to the Construction or Executive Committee.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 8, 1890.

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 February 1, 1890:

Public Monies Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents	\$15,450 07
For penalties on water rents	73 35
For tapping Croton pipes	94 50
For sewer permits	376 64
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund	426 00
For redemption of obstructions seized	17 50
For vault permits	2,614 08
Total	\$19,058 14

Public Lamps.

2 new lamps lighted.
53 old lamps relighted.
3 lamps discontinued.
3 lamp-posts removed.
9 lamp-posts reset.
11 lamp-posts straightened.
4 columns refitted.
29 columns releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending February 1, 1890, 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.
Jan. 27	3 P.M.	66.	29.89	{ Consolidated, Branch 2.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.86	5.00	120.0	19.24	19.24
" 28	5 P.M.	74.	30.67	"	"	.84	5.00	123.0	19.78	20.27
" 29	3 P.M.	76.	30.30	"	"	.78	5.00	120.0	20.48	20.48
" 30	5 P.M.	76.	30.27	"	"	.75	5.00	124.0	19.94	20.60
" 31	2.30 P.M.	73.	30.24	"	"	.73	5.00	121.5	20.81	21.06
Feb. 1	4 P.M.	73.	30.46	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	20.20	20.20
									Average.	20.31
Jan. 27	3.30 P.M.	66.	29.89	{ Consolidated, Branch 1.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.83	5.00	114.1	23.52	22.36
" 28	4.30 P.M.	74.	30.67	"	"	.83	5.00	120.0	23.04	23.04
" 29	3.30 P.M.	76.	30.30	"	"	.82	5.00	114.0	23.53	22.40
" 30	4.30 P.M.	76.	30.27	"	"	.82	5.00	120.0	22.30	22.30
" 31	3 P.M.	73.	30.24	"	"	.81	5.00	121.0	22.50	22.68
Feb. 1	3.30 P.M.	73.	30.46	"	"	.82	5.00	120.0	21.88	21.88
									Average.	22.44
Jan. 27	9 P.M.	76.	30.30	{ Consolidated, Branch 4.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.67	5.00	120.0	22.50	22.50
" 28	8.30 P.M.	74.	30.60	"	"	.69	5.00	122.4	22.82	23.27
" 29	6 P.M.	74.	30.29	"	"	.69	5.00	114.5	24.58	23.45
" 30	8 P.M.	73.	30.28	"	"	.69	5.00	118.2	24.68	24.31
" 31	6.30 P.M.	73.	30.26	"	"	.69	5.00	120.0	24.08	24.08
Feb. 1	5 P.M.	76.	30.54	"	"	.67	5.00	120.0	23.54	23.54
									Average.	23.52
Jan. 27	8.30 P.M.	76.	30.30	{ Consolidated, Branch 6.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.77	5.00	115.8	29.94	28.90
" 28	8 P.M.	74.	30.60	"	"	.77	5.00	124.2	26.90	27.84
" 29	6.30 P.M.	74.	30.29	"	"	.77	5.00	120.0	27.24	27.24
" 30	8.30 P.M.	73.	30.28	"	"	.77	5.00	114.0	28.60	27.17
" 31	6 P.M.	73.	30.26	"	"	.77	5.00	119.0	26.90	26.68
Feb. 1	5.30 P.M.	76.	30.54	"	"	.76	5.00	118.6	27.46	27.14
									Average.	27.49
Jan. 27	4 P.M.	66.	29.89	{ Consolidated, Branch 3.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.92	5.00	120.0	28.38	28.38
" 28	4 P.M.	74.	30.67	"	"	.90	5.00	123.0	28.04	28.74
" 29	4 P.M.	76.	30.30	"	"	.89	5.00	118.8	28.72	29.43
" 30	4 P.M.	76.	30.27	"	"	.86	5.00	121.5	28.62	28.95
" 31	3.30 P.M.	73.	30.24	"	"	.87	5.00	117.2	29.16	28.48
Feb. 1	3 P.M.	73.	30.46	"	"	.87	5.00	116.3	28.80	27.90
									Average.	28.48
Jan. 27	4.30 P.M.	66.	29.89	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.99	5.00	121.5	29.16	29.52
" 28	3.30 P.M.	74.	30.67	"	"	.97	5.00	118.8	30.30	30.00
" 29	4.30 P.M.	76.	30.30	"	"	.93	5.00	120.0	29.62	29.62
" 30	3.30 P.M.	76.	30.27	"	"	.91	5.00	125.0	28.52	29.70
" 31	4 P.M.	73.	30.24	"	"	.92	5.00	120.0	29.88	29.88
Feb. 1	2.30 P.M.	73.	30.46	"	"	.93	5.00	120.5	29.32	29.44
									Average.	29.69
Jan. 27	5 P.M.	66.	29.89	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.94	5.00	115.8	29.34	28.32
" 28	3 P.M.	74.	30.67	"	"	.94	5.00	120.0	29.14	29.14
" 29	5 P.M.	76.	30.30	"	"	.92	5.00	117.6	30.24	29.63
" 30	3 P.M.	76.	30.27	"	"	.89	5.00	116.3	30.62	29.66
" 31	4.30 P.M.	73.	30.21	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	29.70	29.70
Feb. 1	2 P.M.	73.	30.46	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	27.86	27.86
									Average.	29.05

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

Permits Issued.

- 19 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 22 permits to open streets.
- 11 permits to make sewer connections.
- 27 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 131 permits to place building material on streets.
- 17 permits—special.
- 5 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

- 66 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Repairs to Pavements.

- 246 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 32 receiving-basins and culverts relieved.
- 72 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 4,669 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 10 lineal feet of brick sewer rebuilt.
- 4 lineal feet of new curb set.
- 3 receiving-basins repaired.
- 5 manhole heads reset.
- 1 new basin-head and cover put on.
- 2 new manhole heads and covers put on.
- 2 new manhole covers put on.
- 31 square yards of pavement relaid.
- 20 square feet flagging relaid.
- 20 cubic feet of brickwork built.
- 109 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
- 210 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending February 1, 1890.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS. LABORERS. TEAMS. CARTS.			
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	30	90	4	6
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6
Laying Croton Pipes.....	3	8	2	..
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	56	144	..	18
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	2	38	10	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	6	48	..	20
Repairs and Renewals of Pavement.....	48	61	1	15
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	14	15	11	..
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	4	25	8	..
Totals.....	169	429	35	59
Increase over previous week.....	5	1
Decrease from previous week.....	..	10

Contracts Entered Into.

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	SURETIES.	ESTIMATED COST.
1890.				
Jan. 29	Fencing vacant lots at No. 1078 Madison avenue.....	A. Arcander, Willis avenue and 143d street.....	Louis A. Risse, Mott avenue and 150th street.....	\$18 61
" 30	Sewer in Second avenue, between Ninth and Tenth streets.....	Wm. F. Cunningham, 320 East 83d street..	C. Keegan, 531 West 53d street. William Lyman, 51 East 122d street..	1,134 90
" 30	Laying a crosswalk across Seventh avenue, north and south sides One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.....	George F. Masterson, 1905 Madison avenue)	Terence A. Smith, 162 East 36th street.	354 61
" 31	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Seventh street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.....	F. C. Hopkins, 218 West 57th street	James Rozell, 114 West 39th street. James Slattery, 218 West 57th street.	3,549 07

Assessment Lists Made.

DATE.	NATURE OF WORK.	LOCATION OF WORK.	AMOUNT.
1890.			
Jan. 28	Laying crosswalks.....	Across Seventh avenue, at north and south sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth, One Hundred and Seventeenth, One Hundred and Fifteenth, One Hundred and Thirteenth, One Hundred and Twelfth, One Hundred and Eighteenth, and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, and at north side One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets.....	\$3,520 33
" 30	Regulating and grading.....	One Hundred and Ninth street, from Eighth to Manhattan avenue.....	4,097 04
" 30	Sewer.....	In Seventy-third street, between East river and Avenue A.....	11,529 91
" 30	Alteration and improvement to sewer	In Tenth avenue, between Fifth and Fifty-first streets, etc.....	3,022 76
" 31	Flagging, etc.....	Ninety-eighth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue.....	1,055 09

Promoted.

John R. M. Shiel, Clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,800 per annum.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$131,873.82.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, FEBRUARY 3 TO FEBRUARY 8, 1890.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending February 1, 1890: Males, 54; females, 5. On file.

List of 32 prisoners to be discharged from February 9 to 15, 1890. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Workhouse—Reporting 7 inmates awaiting examination as to their sanity. Referred to Examiners in Lunacy.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 9 patients admitted, 8 discharged and 4 that have died during week ending February 1, 1890. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 15 patients admitted, 5 discharged and 2 that have died during week ending February 1, 1890. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending February 1, 1890, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending February 1, 1890, \$131. On file.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending February 1, 1890. On file.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners confined in dark cells during January, 1890. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending February 1, 1890, \$244. On file.

From the Comptroller—Advising that he has ordered a deduction of the amount charged for condensed milk supplied by H. T. Canfield, December 24 and 31, 1889. General Bookkeeper to ascertain the amount deducted.

From Storekeeper—Rejecting potatoes, spoons, butter, hardware and cement furnished under contracts, they being inferior to samples. Approved.

From Court of General Sessions, John Sparks, Clerk—Transmitting by direction of the Court, Hon. Frederick Smyth, presiding, copy of the presentment of the Grand Jury at the January term of said Court. Secretary to acknowledge, with thanks for the courtesy.

Appointed.

Feb. 1. Kate Harro, Domestic, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 1. Mary Thompson, Assistant Laundress, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 3. Kate Sharpe, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 3. Lizzie Walker, Waitress, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.

" 3. Arthur J. Pollock, Teacher, Branch Workhouse. Salary, \$600 per annum.

" 5. Thomas Richardson, John Roth, Laborers, Almshouse. Salary, \$60 per annum, each.

" 6. Luella Thompson, Nurse, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 6. Richard O'Keefe, Fireman, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$360 per annum.

" 8. Bartholomew H. Doyle, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Reappointed.

Feb. 3. Martha Malone, Elizabeth Hogg, Nellie McDermott, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum, each.

Resigned.

- Jan. 27. Minnie Durcan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 27. James Corridan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 Feb. 1. Mary A. Naughton, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 1. George Denzen, Cook, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 1. Alice M. Farnham, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.
 " 1. Thomas Philbin, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 " 1. W. P. Broderick, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 " 3. R. R. Kefford, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital.
 " 3. E. A. Olsen, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 5. G. W. Mundell, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 " 6. Mary A. Rhodes, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 6. Thomas J. Avery, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 6. W. D. Brown, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 " 7. G. W. Thatcher, Charles H. Chapman, Nurses, Bellevue Hospital.
 " 7. Patrick Foster, Keeper, City Prisons.

Place Declared Vacant.

- Feb. 2. Julia A. Browne, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

Dismissed.

- Feb. 8. Margaret Stevens, Hall Keeper, Workhouse.
 " 8. James Mahon, Fireman, Randall's Island Hospital.

Promoted.

- Feb. 1. Kate Netter, Attendant, to Assistant Matron, Almshouse. Salary increased from \$180 to \$300 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 31, 1890.

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

The minutes of the meeting of January 18 were read and approved.

The Supervisor of the City Record said he had received from the Secretary of the Board of Police Justices a communication asking that 250 copies of the annual report of that body be bound in cloth and 250 in paper, instead of 100 in cloth and 500 in paper, as the Mayor, Counsel to the Corporation and the Commissioner of Public Works had determined. In view of the fact that a fixed sum was set apart for printing and binding the report, Commissioner Gilroy moved that action on the communication be deferred until the cost of the composition and press-work could be ascertained.

An application from the Board of Education for an authorization to advertise in the "Evening Sun," "Evening World" and the "Daily News," three times a week, and in the Sunday "Sun" and "World" and "School," each, once a week, between January 28 and March 31, the programme of free lectures for workingmen and workingwomen, was presented by the Supervisor. The Mayor said the advertisement should be published in a German newspaper also, and the list of newspapers was amended by the insertion of the name of the "New Yorker Herald." The authorization to advertise was then passed by the concurrent vote of the Mayor, Counsel to the Corporation and the Commissioner of Public Works.

By a concurrent vote of the same officers, the action of the Supervisor in fixing the price of the CITY RECORD, containing the names, positions, residences and salaries of city officers, et als., at ten cents per copy was approved.

The salary vouchers of the persons employed in the City Record office, or as Bookbinders in departments and paid out of the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books," were approved by concurrent votes of the Mayor, Counsel to the Corporation and the Commissioner of Public Works. They were for \$1,344.33 in the aggregate. The bill of the Daily Register Printing and Publishing Company for \$500 for publishing the court calendars for the month that ended May 23, 1888, was also approved in accordance with the papers signed by Messrs. John M. Bowers and Anson G. McCook and referred to in the minutes of the meeting of January 18.

The meeting was then adjourned.

W. J. K. KENNY, Secretary.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, February 13, 1890.

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

The Supervisor of the City Record presented a communication from the Department of Public Parks, requesting authority for that department to advertise in two daily newspapers, twice a week for three consecutive weeks, at its own expense, a notice of hearings respecting a contemplated revision of the street systems in the Hunt's Point, West Farms, Spuyten Duyvil and Central Districts. The request was granted, the Mayor, Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works voting in the affirmative.

The following resolution, presented by Deputy Comptroller Storrs, with the explanation that the cost of the advertising provided for by it would be defrayed out of the proceeds of the sale referred to, was adopted, the Mayor, Counsel to the Corporation, and Commissioner of Public Works voting in the affirmative:

Resolved, That authority is hereby given for the publication by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, under the direction of the Comptroller, of the corporation notice for the redemption of lands and tenements sold at public auction, held November 12, 1888, for unpaid taxes for the years 1869 to 1882, and Croton water rents for the years 1868 to 1881, pursuant to the provisions of section 941 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The bill of the "New York Law Journal" for publishing court calendars, etc., during the month of January, at an agreed price of \$333.33 per month, and that of Martin B. Brown for \$7,192.35 for printing and distributing the CITY RECORD during the same period, were audited and ordered to be sent to the Comptroller for payment.

The meeting was then adjourned.

W. J. K. KENNY, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, EDWARD P. BARKER.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES H. FARRELL, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
D. LOWBER SMITH, 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.
THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 5 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.
CHARLES F. MACLEAN, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBROUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

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.

Office of Health Officer.

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; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
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.

HORACE LOOMIS, Commissioner; EDWARD F. HAGAN, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Secretary; HENRY W. BEARDSLEY, 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 K. 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, 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. MARTIN, 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. 10, 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
 OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
 No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
 NEW YORK, 1890.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE
 Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, 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.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
 FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
 January 27, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE
 "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, January 18, 1890, and entered on the 24th day of January, 1890, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before March 24, 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.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
 FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
 January 27, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE
 "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to College avenue, from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, January 18, 1890, and entered on the 24th day of January, 1890, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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and all payments made thereon, on or before March 24, 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.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
 FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
 January 2, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE
 "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Bowery, laying a crosswalk, from No. 192 to No. 199.
 Fifty-seventh street flagging and reflagging, on the north side, east of Sixth avenue.
 One Hundred and Ninth street paving, from First avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river, with trap-block pavement.

East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, from north Third avenue to Railroad avenue, East.
 Edgecombe avenue regulating, grading, curbing and flagging from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments December 13, 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 997 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 997 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 hereon, on or before March 3, 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.

THEO. W. MYERS,
 Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL
 Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1753 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00
 The same in 25 volumes, half bound 50 00
 Complete sets, folded, ready for binding 15 00
 Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound 10 00
 Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,
 Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
 Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
 NEW YORK, February 17, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
 Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, March 13, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the contemplated revision of the street system, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, in the following "Districts," in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, viz.:

1. In that part of the "Hunt's Point," "West Farms" "Districts," bounded west by Southern Boulevard, east by the Bronx river, north by Kingsbridge road, and south by Home and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Westchester avenue.

2. In that part of the "Hunt's Point District" bounded north by Spofford street, east by Hunt's Point road and Faile street, south by Wenman avenue, and west by Leggett avenue, Winslow and Tiffany streets.

3. In that part of the "Spuyn Duyl District" bounded north by Spuyten Duyl Parkway, east by Waldo street, west by Riverside avenue, and south by W. C. Wetmore estate; and

4. In that part of the same "District" bounded north by the first street north of W. C. Wetmore's estate, east by Spuyten Duyl Parkway, south by Morrison street, and west by Putnam avenue.

5. In that part of the Central District lying between Jerome and Morris avenues, Cameron place and North street.

6. In reference to proposed discontinuance and closing of Anderson avenue, between Sedgwick and Bremer avenues.

7. In reference to the proposed change of Casanova street from third to first class, between Edgewater road and Wenman avenue; and of Lane avenue, from second to first class, between Barretto and Tiffany streets.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
 Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
 NEW YORK, February 7, 1890.

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, February 19, 1890:

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SCREENED GRAVEL OF THE QUALITY KNOWN AS ROA HOOK GRAVEL, WHERE REQUIRED ON THE CENTRAL PARK AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE AND AVENUE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The estimate of the quantity of gravel to be furnished is 9,000 cubic yards of double screened gravel for roads and drives.

All the gravel to be furnished and delivered shall be of the kind generally known as Roa Hook gravel, and equal in all respects to that taken from the gravel bank situate on the east side of the Hudson river, north of Peekskill, and known as the Roa Hook gravel bank. It shall be of the best quality double screened gravel, and clean and free from loam and dirt, and in grade such as will pass through a screen with a two-inch mesh diagonal measure, but not to contain more than ten per cent. and not less than five per cent. of material that will pass through a screen with a mesh having a diagonal measure of one thirty-second of an inch.

The prices are to cover the furnishing and delivering, also the expense of dockage, hauling and all necessary labor, and the performance of all the work as set forth in the specifications and form of agreement.

The contractor will be required to deliver the above material in such quantities and on the line of such roads in the Central Park, and on Riverside Park and avenue, as may from time to time be designated.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the roads and avenues where the material is to be delivered; also as to the distances from any pier or dock, or depth of water where such material can be landed, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the places, or the 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 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 liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; 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 considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$7,000.

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

Blank forms for proposal and form of contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary and 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, February 7, 1890.

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, February 19, 1890:

FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN THIRD AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHT STREETS, WITH BRANCHES AT FRANKLIN AVENUE, FULTON AVENUE OR SPRING PLACE, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND THIRD AVENUES.

The Engineer's estimate of work and materials by which the bids will be tested is as follows, to wit:

1,710 linear feet of brick sewer, egg-shaped, 36 inches by 26 inches, including rubble masonry cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
 70 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

40 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
 525 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
 500 linear feet of 6-inch pipe sewer for connecting old house drains with sewer.
 23 manholes complete.
 270 spurs for house connections.
 5 receiving-basins complete.
 7,000 feet, board measure, of timber for foundation, furnished and laid.
 700 cubic yards of rock excavation.
 25 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of cradle for pipe sewers.

In addition to the above-estimated quantities of timber, it is estimated that 100,000 feet, B. M., of timber, for sheeting and bracing, will be required, which, or any part thereof, if ordered by the Engineer to be left in the trench, will be measured and paid for at ONE-HALF of the price bid for timber for foundation, but not to be paid for if withdrawn.

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

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 statement, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the depth of the excavation to be made, or the nature or amount of the work to be done.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before enumerated, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

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 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-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.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is eleven thousand dollars.

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

Blank forms for proposal and forms of the 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, February 6, 1890.

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, February 19, 1890:

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHERE REQUIRED BROKEN TRAP-ROCK STONE, TRAP-ROCK SCREENINGS AND SCREENED GRAVEL OF QUALITY KNOWN AS ROA HOOK GRAVEL, ALONG CERTAIN ROADS, AVENUES AND STREETS, IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The estimate of the work to be done and the quantity of material to be furnished and delivered is as follows: 16,500 cubic yards of 2½-inch broken trap-rock stone, 7,000 cubic yards of trap-rock screenings, 2,500 cubic yards screened gravel.

The contractor will be required to deliver the above material in such quantities and on the line of such roads, avenues and streets, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and on such places as may from time to time be designated by the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Of the above quantities, about 5,000 cubic yards of trap-rock stone and 2,300 cubic yards of trap-rock screenings and 1,000 cubic yards of screened gravel can be discharged at West Farms dock, but are to be hauled, when required, to any designated place or places within a radius of two miles of the same.

2,600 cubic yards trap-rock stone and 1,100 cubic yards of trap-rock screenings can be discharged at a dock at Mott Haven, but are to be hauled, when required, to any designated place or places within a radius of two miles of the same.

8,400 cubic yards trap-rock stone and 3,600 cubic yards of trap-rock screenings and 200 cubic yards of screened gravel can be discharged at Morris dock and Haskins' dock, but are to be hauled, when required, to any designated place or places within a radius of two miles of the same.

1,000 cubic yards of screened gravel can be discharged at Kingsbridge, but are to be hauled, when required, to any designated place or places within a radius of two miles of the same.

The prices are to cover the furnishing and delivering, also the expense of dockage, hauling and all necessary labor, and the performance of all the work as set forth in the specification and form of agreement.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the roads, avenues and streets in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, where the material is to be delivered; also as to the distances from any pier or dock, or depth of water where such material can be landed, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the places, or the nature or amount of work to be done.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before enumerated, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The person making any bid or estimate must furnish the same, inclosed in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department, at his office, on or before the day and hour above mentioned.

The envelope must be indorsed with the name or names of the person presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

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

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

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

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$25,000.

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

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

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Schedule D shall include all persons for whose duty special expert knowledge is required not included in Schedules E, F and G.

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

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

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

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

G. K. ACKERMAN,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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. It 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

PROPOSALS FOR 1,000 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS ABOVE, will be received by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, February 27, 1890, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, for 1,000 tons Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds; to be well screened and delivered in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time, south of Eighty-fourth street, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the

Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the City, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

Dated NEW YORK, February 15, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President.

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,

EDWARD C. SHEEHY,

Commissioners Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

7,500 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Monday, February 24, 1890.

1,000 pounds Cheese.

4,800 pounds Barley, price to include packages.

6,000 pounds Rio Coffee.

2,000 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include packages.

6,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.

4,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.

400 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted.

2,400 pounds Prunes.

6,000 pounds Rice.

16,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

2,500 pounds Coffee Sugar.

800 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes.

5,000 pounds Oolong Tea.

150 bushels Beans.

67 bushels Dried Peas.

200 bushels Rye.

100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 330 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within 15 days.

2,300 gallons Syrup, in barrels.

3,900 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

50 prime quality City Cured Hams, about 14 pounds each.

39 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, about 6 pounds each.

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

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

100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.

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

1,600 heads prime good-sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels.

100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each.

25 barrels first quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.

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

100 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.

30 gross Match.

HARDWARE, PAINTS, ETC.

50 gross Shoe Binding.

12 dozen Sash Tools, 6 each Nos. 6 and 8.

300 pounds Sash Cord.

6 dozen Ropes, 2 feet.

12 dozen Iron Padlocks, 2½ inch, No. 1058.

12 dozen Razors.

2 dozen Buckle Steels.

5,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from adulteration or any added impurities, and subject to analysis if necessary, 25 tons, 2500, 500, 250.

280 pounds first quality Ultramarine Blue, in 28-pound boxes.

50 barrels first quality Rosendale Cement.

25 barrels first quality Plaster Paris.

LUMBER.

100 first quality Spruce Plank, 1½"

100 first quality Spruce Plank, 2"

500 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1½", dressed both sides.

500 feet first quality clear White Pine, ¾", dressed both sides.

150 first quality White Pine Partition Boards, 1½" x 4½", dressed, tongued and grooved; ¾" head two sides.

50 pieces first quality Ceiling Boards, 4½", dressed, tongued, grooved and beaded.

250 first quality Spruce Boards, 1 x 9 x 13 feet.

300 first quality Pine Fence Boards, 1 x 9 x 13 feet, dressed both sides, tongued, grooved and beaded.

10,000 square feet first quality thoroughly seasoned clear Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, edged or vertical grained, dressed, tongued and grooved, 1½" x 3½".

1,000 square feet first quality clear, seasoned Ash Flooring, dressed, tongued and grooved, ½" x 2".

500 square feet first quality clear White Pine, dressed, 3½".

50 first quality sound Chestnut Sleepers, 10 feet.

300 first quality White Pine Ceiling Boards, dressed, tongued, grooved and beaded, ¾" x 3½" x 13 feet.

50 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 x 4 x 13 feet.

50 pieces first quality Spruce, 1½" x 10 x 13 feet.

200 pieces first quality Pine Sheathing Boards, dressed, tongued and grooved, 1½" x 10" x 13 feet.

200 first quality White Pine Battens, 13 feet.

75 first quality Hemlock Boards, 1 x 10 x 13 feet.

8 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 x 5 x 25 feet.

4 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 x 5 x 15 feet.

20 pieces first quality Spruce, 2 x 7 x 16 feet.

1,500 square feet first quality clear White Pine, dressed two sides, 1½" x 12 to 16 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 Monday, February 24, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Hardware, Lumber, 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 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 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 authorized 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, February 11, 1890.

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 Monday, February 24, 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

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, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 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, February 11, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,
Commissioners Public Charities and Correction

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

TO CONTRACTORS.
PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

DRY GOODS.

162,000 yards Brown Muslin.
13,000 yards Bleached Muslin.
100,000 yards Bandage Muslin.
12,000 yards Furniture Check.
48,100 yards Ticking.
8,000 yards Cottonades.
2,500 yards Cottonades.
20,500 yards Gingham.
20,500 yards Cotton Check.
25,000 yards Calico, light.
16,700 yards Jeans.
13,000 yards Awning Stripes.
5,000 yards Hickory Stripes.
2,500 yards Brown Denims.
8,000 yards Blue Denims.
3,640 white Toilet Quilts.
175 dozen O. N. T. Cotton (white) No. 30.
100 dozen Basting Cotton.
4,000 yards Satinet.
13,000 yards U. G. Cassimere.
3,900 yards Prison Cloth.
2,700 yards White Flannel.
2,900 yards Red Flannel.
400 yards Blue Flannel.
28,000 yards Canton Flannel.
8,250 yards Seersucker.
3,950 pairs Gray Blankets.
1,510 pairs White Blankets.
800 yards Linsey Woolsey.
1,600 Women's Shawls.
300 Girls' Shawls.
100 pieces Mosquito Netting.
500 Women's Knit Jackets.
84 dozen pairs Women's Woolen Mittens.
1,300 Women's Woolen Hoods.

100 Children's Woolen Hoods.
67 dozen Children's Woolen Mittens.
500 yards Linen Drill.

5,700 yards Huckabuck.
24,000 yards Crash.
2,000 yards Linen Diaper.

773 B. F. Blouses.
543 B. F. Blouses, faced.
203 Ward Coats.

320 U. S. A. Overcoats.
800 Boys' Caps.
200 Pea Jackets.

575 Overcoats.
40 great gross White Buttons, A/22.
90 great gross Suspender Buttons.

20 great gross Brass Buttons.
350 gross Coat Buttons, in gross packages.
500 gross Dress Buttons.

1,975 Rubber Sheets.
175 Excelsior Sheets, "Oil".
60 Oilskin "Cape Ann" Suits.

300 dozen Knit Undershirts.
125 dozen pairs Knit Drawers.
2,500 pounds Curled Hair.

600 dozen Men's Hats.
67 dozen Boys' Hats.
210 dozen Women's Straw Hats.

50 dozen Girls' Straw Hats.

—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 Monday, February 24, 1890.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods," 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 1883.

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, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

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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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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.

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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 specification, 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, February 11, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 12, 1890.

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 Twenty-third street, East river—Unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair and mustache. Had on black coat, vest and pants, white shirt, white cotton undershirt and drawers, laced shoes.

Unknown woman, from foot of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, East river, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on gray shawl, brown and gray skirt, striped petticoat, red flannel petticoat, white waist marked M. K., white stockings, cloth slippers, trimmed with fur, black hat.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Thomas Erving, aged 37 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Had on when admitted two dark coats, dark vest and pants, white shirt, colored shirt, black derby hat, shoes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—William McDonald, aged 67 years. Committed December 16, 1889. At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Margaret Donovan, aged 60 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had on when admitted drab shawl, brown sacque, black skirt, cotton dress, black worsted hood, laced shoes.

Patrick Clare, aged 63 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair, gray eyes. Had on when admitted black overcoat, black diagonal coat, vest and pants, gaiters. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE

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

List 3164, No. 1. Paving One Hundred Fifty-ninth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3166, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Lenox to Mount Morris avenue with Trinidad asphalt pavement.

List 3169, No. 3. Regulating and grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in St. Ann's avenue, between the northerly curb-line of the Southern Boulevard and the southerly curb-line of Clifton street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Lenox to Mount Morris avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of St. Ann's avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Clifton street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their 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 March, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 17, 1890.

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.

List 3129, No. 2. Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Seventy-second street and West End avenue.

List 3160, No. 3. Curbing and reflagging, curbing and reflagging north sides of One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, Fifth and Madison avenues.

List 3102, No. 4. Receiving-basins on the northwest, northeast and southeast corners of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and Eleventh avenue.

List 3163, No. 5. Paving Ninety-eighth street, from Second to Third avenue, with granite blocks.

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

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

No. 2. South side of Seventy-second street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 3. North sides of One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 4. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth streets, Tenth and Eleventh avenues, and triangle bounded by Boulevard, Eleventh avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 13th day of March, 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, February 12, 1890.

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 3131, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Tenth avenue and Broadway, with trap-block pavement and laying crosswalks.

List 3134, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

List 3135, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

List 3136, No. 4. Retaining-wall with coping and iron railing on a line five feet south of the north house-line of Forty-ninth street, between the east house-line of First avenue and the east house-line of Beekman place.

List 3155, No. 5. Laying crosswalks across Lenox

avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

List 3161, No. 6. Curbing and flagging both sides of Ninety-first street, between First and Second avenues.

List 3168, No. 7. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, and in Third avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth to One Hundred and Seventieth street, with branches in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, and in One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth 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. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Tenth avenue to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

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

No. 4. North side of Forty-ninth street, from First avenue to Beekman place, and both sides of Beekman place, extending north from Forty-ninth street about 106 feet.

No. 5. To the extent of half the block from the northerly and southerly intersections of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Lenox avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Ninety-first street, from First to Second avenue.

No. 7. Commencing at the northeasterly corner of Webster avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, thence running easterly along One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to Boston avenue; thence northerly along Boston and Clinton avenues to Jefferson street; thence westerly along Jefferson street to Franklin avenue; thence northerly along Franklin avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-first street; thence westerly along One Hundred and Seventy-first street to Washington avenue; thence southerly along Washington avenue to One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence westerly along One Hundred and Seventieth street to Brook avenue; thence southerly to Anna place; thence westerly along Anna place to Webster avenue; thence southerly along Webster avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, the place of beginning.

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 3d day of March, 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, January 31, 1890.

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 3095, No. 1. Paving Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3097, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to the Riverside Drive.

List 3150, No. 3. Sewer in Ninety-fourth street, between First and Second avenues.

List 3151, No. 4. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets.

List 3152, No. 5. Sewer in Front street, between Fletcher street and Burling slip.

List 3157, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and reflagging southwest corner of Third avenue and Twenty-first street.

List 3158, No. 7. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and reflagging west side of Park avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, and on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue.

List 3159, No. 8. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and reflagging south side of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Madison to Park avenue.

List 3165, No. 9. Paving Thirty-seventh street, from a point 109 feet east of First avenue to the bulkhead line of East river.

List 3167, No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue, west.

List 3166, No. 11. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and reflagging, north side of Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

List 3127, No. 12. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and reflagging west side of Park avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-fifth street.

List 3128, No. 13. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and reflagging east side of the Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

List 3132, No. 14. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Ninety-fourth street, from First to Second avenue.

List 3133, No. 15. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging First avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to the Harlem river.

List 3153, No. 16. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, First and Second avenues.

List 3154, No. 17. Laying a crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-third street, at its easterly intersection with Lenox avenue.

List 3156, No. 18. Laying a crosswalk across Lenox avenue, at the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-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. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from First to Second avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-seventh to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

No. 5. Both sides of Front street, from Fletcher street to Burling slip.

No. 6. Southwest corner of Third avenue and Twenty-first street.

No. 7. West side of Park avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, and north side of Fifty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue.

No. 8. South side of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Park to Madison avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Thirty-seventh street, commencing at a point about 109 feet easterly from First avenue, and extending easterly about 81 feet.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue, west.

No. 11. North side of Fifty-seventh street, extending easterly from the east side of Seventh avenue about 105 feet.

No. 12. West side of Park avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-fifth streets.

No. 16. Block bounded by Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, First and Second avenues.

No. 17. To the extent of half the block from the easterly intersection of Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

No. 18. To the extent of half the block from the southerly intersection of Lenox avenue and One Hundred and 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 26th 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, January 25, 1890.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, February 14, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING two complete Portable Hoisting Plants for the use 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 March 5, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, February 14, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING THE Gate-house Superstructure, etc., for the New Gate Chambers at Croton Dam, on Section 1 of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on March 5, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of contract and specification 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.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 322.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ABOUT 2,100 PILES.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ABOUT 2,100 Piles will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1890.

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

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

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

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

Class I.—About 170 piles, from 75 feet to 85 feet long, not less than 17 inches in diameter at the butt, and not less than 7 inches in diameter at the point, measured exclusive of the bark.

Class II.—About 130 piles, from 70 feet to 75 feet long, not less than 14 inches in diameter at the butt, and not less than 6 inches in diameter at the point, measured exclusive of the bark.

Class III.—About 350 piles, from 65 feet to 70 feet long, not less than 14 inches in diameter at the butt, and not less than 6 inches in diameter at the point, measured exclusive of the bark.

Class IV.—About 1,150 piles, from 60 feet to 65 feet long, not less than 14 inches in diameter at the butt, and not less than 6 inches in diameter at the point, measured exclusive of the bark.

Class V.—About 300 piles, from 55 feet to 60 feet long, not less than 14 inches in diameter at the butt, and not less than 6 inches in diameter at the point, measured exclusive of the bark.

Total, about 2,100 piles.

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

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

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

fied by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

About 150 of the piles are to be delivered within ten days from the date of the contract, and all the piles to be delivered under this contract are to be delivered on or before the first day of June, 1890, at which time this contract ceases and terminates; and the amounts in each delivery are to be divided between the several classes as directed by the Engineer-in-Chief. 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 have expired are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at \$5.00 per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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 to be in 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, February 14, 1890.

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-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.

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 fourth day of March, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated NEW YORK, February 17, 1890.
JOHN F. REED,
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 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.

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 twenty-sixth day of February, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated NEW YORK, February 12, 1890.

ROBERT E. DEYO,
MOSES HERRMAN,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-ninth day of March, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-ninth day of March, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the thirty-first day of March, 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 prolongation westerly of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Clay avenue to Morris avenue, and the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; easterly by the westerly line of the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and the westerly side of Brook avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; southerly by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Brook avenue to Morris avenue; and westerly by the easterly side of Morris avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the point where the northerly boundary line, heretofore described, intersects the easterly side of Morris 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 eleventh day of April, 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, February 12, 1890.

GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, Chairman,
MITCHELL LEVY,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to that part of BRISTOW STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Stebbins avenue to Boston road, 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 nineteenth day of March, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said nineteenth day of March, 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 all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twentieth day of March, 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 line of Boston road; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Bristow street and Stebbins avenue, from Boston road to Stebbins avenue; southerly by the northerly line of Stebbins avenue, the northerly line of Freeman street and the northerly line of Jennings street; and westerly by the centre line of the block between Bristow street and Chisholm street, from Freeman street to Jennings street and the centre line of the block between Bristow street and Prospect avenue, from Jennings street to Boston road; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares, and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the fourth day of April, 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, February 4, 1890.

AUGUSTUS C. BROWN, Chairman,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the eighteenth day of March, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eighteenth day of March, 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 nineteenth day of March, 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 line of Jennings street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Chisholm street and Bristow street, from Jennings street to Stebbins avenue; southerly by the northerly line of Stebbins avenue, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Chisholm street and Lyman place and Prospect avenue, from Stebbins avenue to Jennings 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 fourth day of April, 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, February 4, 1890.

AUGUSTUS C. BROWN, Chairman,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
JOHN N. EMRA,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to that part of JENNINGS STREET, (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Union avenue to Stebbins 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 eighteenth day of March, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eighteenth day of March, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the nineteenth day of March, 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 Jennings street and Boston road, from Union avenue to a point 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Stebbins avenue; easterly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Stebbins avenue, and extending from the last mentioned point to the centre line of the block between Freeman street and Lyon street; southerly by the centre line of the blocks

between Freeman street and Lyon street, from the easterly limit of the assessment district to the easterly line of Lyman place and by the centre line of the block between Jennings street and Ritter place, from Prospect avenue to Union avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Lyman place, the easterly line of Prospect avenue, and the easterly line of Union 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 fourth day of April, 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, February 4, 1890.
AUGUSTUS C. BROWN, Chairman,
THOMAS E. GRACE,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of the Department of Docks 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 right and title to and possession of the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, privileges and lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of that part of the water-front of the said city, on the North river, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Board and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 715 OF CHAPTER 410 of the Laws of 1882, and the statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 27th day of February, 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, in the name and for the benefit of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, and for the execution of a certain plan for the water-front of the City of New York heretofore, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, determined upon by the Department of Docks, on the thirteenth day of April, 1871, adopted and certified to by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and filed in the office of the Department of Docks, on the twenty-seventh day of April, 1871, of all the rights, terms, easements and privileges pertaining to the marginal public street, wharf or place hereinafter described and not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, namely: All the wharf property, bulkhead property, rights, terms, easements, privileges and lands under water in the City of New York, described as follows: Bounded on the east by the westerly side or line of Thirtieth avenue; on the north by the southerly side or line of West Twenty-seventh street; on the west by the North or Hudson river; and on the south by the northerly side or line of West Twenty-sixth street; together with all lands under water, wharfage rights, terms, easements, privileges or other appurtenances of any kind whatsoever owned or claimed to be owned by the estates of John M. Dodd and Alexander M. Ross, and of which J. B. & J. M. Cornell are the lessees or the owners of the existing lease thereof.

Dated New York, January 30, 1890.
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 WENDOVER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Webster to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the fourteenth day of February, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said fourteenth day of February, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three (3) o'clock, P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our said 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 fifteenth 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 Wendover avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Anthony to Vanderbilt avenue, East, the centre line of the blocks between Wendover avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Vanderbilt avenue east to Third avenue, and the prolongation easterly of the centre line of said blocks between Wendover avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street to its intersection with a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly from, the easterly side of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Wendover avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from a point 100 feet east of Third avenue to Webster avenue and the prolongation westerly of the centre line of said blocks to its intersection with a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly from, the westerly side of Webster avenue; and westerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly from, the westerly side of Webster avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a

Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the third day of March, 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, January 3, 1890.
LEONARD J. LANGBEIN, Chairman,
WILLIAM J. LACEY,
HIRAM D. INGERSOLL,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-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 said 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 and East One Hundred and Forty-eighth 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; 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 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-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. DEYO, Chairman,
MOSES HERRMAN,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-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 said 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 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; 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 hereinafter 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.

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 Nineteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, March 4, 1890, for Grading and Excavating the School Site on the northeast corner of Fifty-first street and First avenue.

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, February 17, 1890.
RICHARD KELLY,
L. M. HORNTHAL,
JEREMIAH FITZPATRICK,
W. HARRIS ROOME,
JOSEPH FETTERICH,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Monday, February 24, 1890, for erecting an Iron Stairway for Grammar School No. 2, on Henry street, near Pike street.

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, February 11, 1890.
THOMAS GARRY,
JAMES B. MULRY,
JAMES W. MCBARRON,
GABRIEL MARKS,
School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Friday, February 21, at 4 P. M., for supplying for the use of the schools under the jurisdiction of said Board, a new school record, entitled "Weekly Estimate of Pupils' School Work and Daily Record of Attendance and Deportment," required during the year 1890.

A sample of the same and all necessary information relating thereto may be obtained on application to the Clerk of the Board.

Proposals must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, who reserve the right to reject any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Dated New York, February 7, 1890.
FERDINAND TRAUD,
EDWARD H. PEASLEE,
THADDEUS MORIARTY,
SAMUEL M. PURDY,
MRS. SARAH H. POWELL,
Committee on Supplies.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,
NEW YORK.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York for the year 1890, will be open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1890, until the first day of May, 1890.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed, to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., at this office, during the same period.

Dated New York, February 7, 1890.
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 10, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following articles, the property of the Department of Street Cleaning, will be sold at public auction at the stables of said Department, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, on the 19th day of February, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon:

14 Horses, known as Nos. 14, 24, 42, 43, 49, 64, 82, 84, 89, 118, 125, 141, 161, and 166.
5,000 pounds Old Horse Shoes, more or less.
8,000 pounds Old Iron, more or less.
12,000 pounds Old Rope, more or less.
1 Old Propeller Wheel.
3 Blacksmith's Bellows.

TERMS OF SALE.
The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale, or the articles will be resold.

Purchasers will be required to remove their articles from the stables within twenty-four hours after the sale.

Information in relation to the articles to be sold may be obtained from the Superintendent of Stables, Seventeenth street and Avenue C.

HORACE LOOMIS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NOTICE.

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

HORACE LOOMIS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, February 13, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE CALLING FOR BIDS OR Proposals for the Privileges or Licenses to Sprinkle the Public Streets in the City of New York with water drawn from the public fire-hydrants, the bids to be received and opened at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, on Wednesday, February 26, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon.

A separate bid must be made for each of the sprinkling routes hereinafter described.

The bidder must state the amount which he proposes and agrees to pay for the license, over and above the amount which will be charged for the water consumed in sprinkling. The amount of each bid must be paid in advance at the time when the license is issued and the charges for water, as established by the Commissioner of Public Works, must be paid monthly in advance.

The season for sprinkling the streets shall begin not earlier than March 15, 1890, and terminate not later than November 15, 1890, and the Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to diminish the length of the season and to suspend sprinkling during the season whenever he deems it in the interest of the city so to do.

The Commissioner of Public Works also reserves the right to reject any or all of the bids or proposals.

In the sprinkling of the streets the following rules and regulations must be observed:

1st. The tin sprinkler attached to each cart shall conform in every respect to a pattern approved by the Department of Public Works, the holes to be in parallel rows, at least one-half inch apart, and of a size not to exceed No. 14 Wire.

2d. The name and residence of each person licensed to sprinkle the streets shall be painted on both sides of the cask in black letters of not less than two inches in length on a white ground.

3d. Permits for sprinkling carts, if driven by boys, will be immediately revoked.

4th. No license will be granted to any person not a resident of the City and County of New York.

5th. Each sprinkling cart shall be provided with a sound and proper piece of hose to conduct the water from the fire-hydrant to the cart, and such hose shall always be kept in order and free from leaks.

6th. Each person obtaining a permit for sprinkling shall keep the hydrants allotted to his use closed, except when obtaining water for use, and shall be responsible for any damage that may result from the use or abuse of them while in their charge; provided such damage shall not have been occasioned by others than those in the employ of said person.

7th. Any person who shall thus obtain a permit shall pay to the Department of Public Works such sum or price as may be fixed by the Department for the water used during the season for sprinkling; the payments to be made monthly in advance and within the first week of each month.

8th. Each person obtaining a permit will be required to sprinkle the streets with sufficient water only to lay the dust; drenching the streets with an excessive quantity of water will be sufficient cause to revoke any permit or license.

9th. Every person who shall obtain a sprinkling permit will be required to confine himself strictly to his route; encroaching on other routes will not be permitted.

10th. No double-nozzle hydrants shall be used.

11th. Any licensee violating any of the above rules and regulations will, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works, have his license revoked, and will forfeit all moneys paid by him on account of the same.

No bid 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 Commissioner of Public Works, or money, to the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100), as security for compliance with the conditions of the license. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the bid, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-book, and no bid 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 license is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after the license 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 license within the time aforesaid, the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

The following is a description of the routes for which proposals will be received:

Copies of specifications, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained from Joseph Riley, Water Register, Room 2, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROUTE NUMBER 1.

Broadway, Dey to Worth street.
Worth street, Broadway to Hudson street.
Thomas street, Broadway to Hudson street.
Duane street, Centre to Hudson street.
Chambers street, Centre to Church street.
Park Row, Broadway to Spruce street.

ROUTE NUMBER 2.

First avenue, Ninth to Thirtieth street.
Second avenue, Ninth to Thirtieth street.
Cross streets, Tenth to Twentieth street, between First and Third avenues.
Third, Fifth and Sixth streets, between First and Third avenues.
Fourth street, First to Second avenue.
Third avenue, Sixth to Fourteenth street.
Broadway, Third to Tenth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 3.

Seventh avenue, Twenty-first to Twenty-third street.
Twenty-first street, Fifth to Eighth avenue.
Washington street, Park place to Franklin street.
West street, Murray to Beach street.
Chambers street, Greenwich to West street.
Duane street, Hudson to West street.
Jay street, Staple to West street.
Harrison street, Hudson to West street.
Lexington avenue, Twenty-fourth to Thirty-fourth street.
Cross streets, Twenty-fourth to Thirty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
Park avenue, Thirty-fourth to Forty-second street.
Sixth avenue, Fifteenth to Thirty-fourth street.
Twenty-third street, Sixth to Seventh avenue.
Twentieth and Twenty-second streets, Fifth to Seventh avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 4.

Broadway, Prince to Worth street.
Franklin street, Broadway to West Broadway.
Leonard street, Centre street to West Broadway.
White street, Broadway to West Broadway.
Church street, Worth to Canal street.
Reade street, Greenwich to West street.
Warren street, Greenwich to West street.
Broadway, Dey to Wall street.
John street, Broadway to Pearl street.
Murray street, College place to West street.
Park Row, Spruce street to Tryon Row.
Greenwich street, Dey to Franklin street.
Walker street, Lispenard street, Broadway to West Broadway.
Pearl street, Broadway to Park Row.
North William street, Frankfort street to Park Row.
Elm street, Duane to Pearl street.
Centre street, Chambers to Pearl street.
Frankfort street, William street to Park Row.
William street, Frankfort street to Park Row.

ROUTE NUMBER 5.

Eighth avenue, Forty-sixth to Fifty-ninth street.
Sixth avenue, Thirty-fourth to Fifty-ninth street.
Seventh avenue, Thirty-first to Fifty-ninth street.
Broadway, Thirty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street.
Cross streets, Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets, Seventh avenue to Broadway.
Forty-sixth to Fifty-ninth street, Sixth to Ninth avenue.
Eighth avenue, from Seventy-fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street.
Cross streets, from Seventy-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street, from Eighth avenue to Boulevard.
Ninth avenue, Seventy-second to One Hundred and Tenth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 6.

Spring street, Broadway to Macdougall street.
Grand street, South Fifth avenue to Bowery.
Mercer street, Canal to Prince street.
Greene street, Canal to Spring street.
Wooster street, Canal to Broome street.
Crosby street, Howard to Broome street.
Canal street, Broadway to Thompson street.
Howard street, Mercer to Centre street.
White, Walker and Franklin streets, Broadway to Centre street.
Hester street, Bowery to Centre street.
Sullivan and Thompson streets, Houston to Canal street.
Elm street, Broome to Howard street.
Elizabeth and Mulberry streets, Prince to Canal street.

Broadway, Prince to West Third street.
Bleeker street, Broadway to Bowery.
Crosby street, Broome to Bleeker street.
Mercer street, Prince to West Third street.
Broome street, Broadway to Wooster street.
Houston street, Broadway to Mercer street.
Prince street, Wooster to Marion street.
Spring street, Broadway to Marion street.

ROUTE NUMBER 7.

Broadway, Tenth to Fourteenth street, and Seventeenth to Twenty-third street.
Fifth avenue, Fifteenth to Twenty-third street.
Fourth avenue, Nineteenth to Twenty-fourth street.
Madison avenue, Twenty-third to Thirty-third street.
Fourth street, Broadway to Third avenue.
Twenty-third street, Sixth to Madison avenue.
Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, Fifth avenue to Broadway.
Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirty-first and Thirty-third streets, Madison to Fourth avenue.
Thirty-sixth, Thirty-ninth, Fortieth, Forty-first and Forty-second streets, Park to Third avenue.
Thirty-fourth street, Madison to Third avenue.
Thirty-fifth street, Sixth to Third avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 8.

Broadway, Twenty-third to Thirty-third street.
Fifth avenue, Twenty-third to Thirty-third street.
Thirty-fourth street, Fifth to Sixth avenue.
Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, Madison to Fifth avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 9.

Third avenue, Fourteenth to Twenty-sixth street.
Fourth avenue, Twenty-fourth to Thirty-third street.
Twenty-fifth street, Madison to Fourth avenue.
Twenty-seventh street, Madison to Fourth avenue.
Twenty-fifth street, Lexington to Third avenue.
Thirty-second street, Fourth to Lexington avenue.
Cross street between Irving place and Third avenue, Fourteenth to Twentieth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 10.

Eighth avenue, Thirteenth to Thirty-fourth street.
Fourteenth and Sixteenth streets, Sixth to Ninth avenue.
Fifteenth, Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth streets, Seventh to Ninth avenue.
Twenty-second, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, Seventh avenue to North river.
Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth and Thirty-fourth streets, Sixth to Eighth avenue.
Seventh avenue, Fourteenth to Twenty-fifth street.
Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, Eleventh to Thirty-fourth street.
Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, Tenth avenue to North river.
Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets, Eleventh to Thirtieth avenue.
Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth streets, Sixth to Eighth avenue.
Ninth avenue, Twenty-third to Twenty-fifth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 11.

Broome street, Bowery to Broadway.
Centre street, Broome to Grand street.
Greene street, Spring to Houston street.
Wooster street, Broome to Prince street.
Broome street, Wooster to Varick street.
Grand street, South Fifth avenue to Varick street.
Spring street, Canal to Carmine street.
Prince street, Varick to Houston street.
Astor place, Broadway to Lafayette place.
Ninth street, Broadway to Sixth avenue.
Eighth street, Broadway to Fourth avenue.
Clinton place, Broadway to Sixth avenue.
Fourth street, Broadway to Macdougall street.
Washington place, Broadway to University place.
Waverley place, Broadway to University place.
Greene street, Third street to Clinton place.
Mercer street, Third street to Clinton place.
University place, Fourth street to Clinton place.
Wooster street, Third to Fourth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 12.

Greenwich and West streets, from Cortlandt street to Battery place.
Liberty street, Broadway to West street.
Cedar, Albany and Rector streets, Greenwich to West street.
Church street, Cortlandt to Morris street.
Rector street, Broadway to Greenwich street.
Battery place and Bowling Green to West street.
Waverley place, Perry to Washington street.
West Eleventh street, Bleeker to Washington street.
Houston street, West Eleventh to Twelfth street.
Eighth avenue, Bank to Twelfth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 13.

Third avenue, Twenty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.
Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, from Second to Fourth avenue.
Vanderbilt avenue, Forty-second to Forty-sixth street.
Forty-second street, Fourth to Madison avenue.
Cross streets, Forty-third to Ninetieth street, from Third to Second avenue.
Eighteenth to Twenty-fifth street, from Second avenue to Broadway.
Lexington avenue, from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-sixth street.
Fourth avenue, Fiftieth to Ninetieth street.
Cross streets, Forty-fifth to Fifty-ninth street, Third to Fourth avenue.
Cross streets, Fifty-ninth to Ninety-sixth street, Madison to Fifth avenue.
Lexington avenue, from Thirty-fourth to Forty-second street.
Sixtieth, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, Third to Madison avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 14.

Houston street, Sheriff to Suffolk street.
Essex street, Delancey to Canal street.
East Broadway, Catharine to Grand street.
Canal street, East Broadway to Bowery.
Market street, Division to Cherry street.
Rutgers and Montgomery streets, East Broadway to Cherry street.
Broome street, Essex street to Bowery.

Forsyth street, Stanton to Canal street.
Lewis street, Eighth to Houston street.
Division street, Market to Grand street.
Clinton street, Houston to Broome street.

ROUTE NUMBER 15.

Grand street, Bowery to East river.

ROUTE NUMBER 16.

Around Custom House.
Nassau street, Pine to Wall street.
William street, Hanover Square to Pine street.
Wall street, Nassau to South street.
Beaver street, Broad to Wall street.
Pine street, Pearl to Nassau street.
Pearl street, Old Slip to Wall street.
New street, Beaver to Wall street.
South William street, Water to Pearl street.
Nassau street, Cedar to Pine street.
Maiden lane, William to South street.
Front street, Burling to Coenties Slip.
Water street, Burling Slip to Wall street.
Pearl street, John to Wall street.
Cedar and Liberty streets, William to Broadway.
William street, Liberty to Pine street.
Nassau street, Liberty to Cedar street.
Old Slip, Pearl to Water street.
South street, Dover to Jefferson street.
New Chambers street, New Bowery to South street.
Catharine street, Oak to South street.
Roosevelt street, New Bowery to South street.

ROUTE NUMBER 17.

Cross streets, One Hundred and Twenty-second to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to North river.

ROUTE NUMBER 18.

First avenue, Fiftieth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.
Second avenue, Sixtieth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

Avenue A, Forty-ninth to Fifty-fifth street.
Thirty-ninth street, to Eighty-sixth street, Second avenue to East river.
Watrous and Wilson's lumber yard.
Thirty-ninth street, Lexington avenue, One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.
Fourth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.
Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.
Cross streets, One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Fourth avenue to East river.

ROUTE NUMBER 19.

Houston street, Mercer to Macdougall street.
Bleeker street, Broadway to Sullivan street.
West Third street, Broadway to Macdougall street.
Greene and Wooster street, Houston to West Third street.
South Fifth avenue and Thompson street, Houston to West Fourth street.
Sullivan street, Houston to West Third street.
Macdougall street, Houston to West Third street.

ROUTE NUMBER 20.

Madison avenue, Fifty-ninth to Eighty-sixth street.
Cross streets, Fifty-ninth to Ninetieth street, from Third to Madison avenue.
Excepting Sixtieth, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, from Third to Madison avenue.
Lexington avenue, from Forty-second to Eighty-sixth street.
Cross streets, Forty-second, Forty-third, Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, from Third to Fourth avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 21.

Eighth avenue, Thirty-fourth to Forty-sixth street.
Tenth avenue, Thirty-fourth and Sixty-ninth street.
Eleventh avenue, Thirty-fourth to Sixtieth street.
Thirty-fifth, Forty-first, Forty-second, Forty-third, Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, Seventh avenue to North river.
Forty-sixth street, Eighth to Ninth avenue.
Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth, Forty-second and Forty-fifth streets, Eighth to Ninth avenue.
Thirty-fourth and Fortieth streets, Eleventh avenue to Hudson river.
Thirty-seventh, Forty-third, Forty-seventh, Fiftieth and Fifty-seventh streets, Ninth to Tenth avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 22.

Bowery, Division to Fourth street.
Canal street, Bowery to Mott street.
Bond street, Bowery to Broadway.
Spring street, Bowery to Mott street.
Second street, Bowery to Second avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 23.

Madison avenue, Forty-third to Fifty-ninth street.
Fifth avenue, Forty-third to Fifty-ninth street.
Forty-third to Fifty-fifth street, Fourth to Sixth avenue.
Delancey street, Bowery to Columbia street.
Rivington street, Bowery to Essex street.
Essex, from Stanton to Delancey street.

ROUTE NUMBER 24.

Avenue B, Houston to Fourteenth street.
Second street, Avenue A to Avenue C.
First avenue, Fourth to Ninth street.
Seventh, Eighth and Ninth streets, from Avenue A to Third avenue.
Avenue A, Twenty-second to Twenty-fourth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 25.

Avenue A, First to Ninetieth street.
First avenue, Houston to Fourth street.
Second avenue, First to Third street.
Second street, Second avenue to Avenue A.
Stanton street, Bowery to Clinton street.
First street, Second avenue to Avenue A.
Third street, Avenue A to Avenue B.
Fifth and Sixth streets, First avenue to Avenue B.
Houston street, from Bowery to Norfolk street.
Essex street, from Houston to Stanton street.

ROUTE NUMBER 26.

Ninth avenue, Forty-fifth to Sixty-fifth street.
Thirty-sixth, Thirty-seventh, Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, Seventh to Eighth avenue.
Cross streets, Twenty-ninth, Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, Eighth to Ninth avenue.
Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, Sixth to Seventh avenue.
Thirty-first street, Seventh to Eighth avenue.
Thirty-eighth street, Eighth to Ninth avenue.
Forty-sixth street, Ninth to Tenth avenue.
Broome and Dominick streets, Hudson to Varick street.

ROUTE NUMBER 27.

Varick street, Canal to Beach street.
Canal street, Hudson to Thompson street.
Greenwich street, Canal and Franklin streets.
Greenwich street, Spring to Houston street.
Hudson street, Canal to Clarkson street.
West street, Beach to Watts street.
West Broadway, Thomas to Worth street.
Washington street, Franklin to Canal street.
Vestry, Canal to West street.
Laight street, Canal to West street.
Charlton, King and Clarkson streets, Hudson to Greenwich street.
West Houston street, Varick to Greenwich street.
Desbrosses street, from West to Hudson street.
Madison avenue, Thirty-sixth to Forty-third street.
Thirty-fourth street, Fifth to Madison avenue.
Thirty-sixth street, Fourth to Madison avenue.
Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets, Fifth to Park avenue.
Forty-first and Forty-second streets, Fifth to Madison avenue.
Fortieth and Forty-second streets, Fifth to Sixth avenue.
Thirty-eighth street, Fourth to Lexington avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 28.

Cortlandt street, Broadway to West street.
Dey street, Broadway to Greenwich street.
Fulton street, Broadway to Washington street.
Barclay street, Greenwich to West street.
Washington street, Barclay to Robinson street.
Maiden Lane, Broadway to William street.
William street, Maiden Lane to John street.
Church street, Cortlandt to Vesey street.
Gold street, Fulton street to Maiden Lane.
Platt street, William to Pearl street.

ROUTE NUMBER 29.

William street, Ann to Frankfort street.
Beckman street, Nassau to South street.
Ferry street, Pearl to Gold street.
Pearl street, Fulton to Madison street.
Spruce street, Gold to Nassau street.
Water street, Roosevelt to Fulton street.
Frankfort street, William to Pearl street.
Gold street, Ann to Frankfort street.
Peck Slip, Pearl to South street.
Front street, Roosevelt to Fulton street.
Cliff street, Fulton to Frankfort street.
Vandewater street, Pearl to Frankfort street.
Park Row to Tryon Row, from Spruce street.
Second avenue, Thirtieth to Sixtieth street.
First avenue, Thirtieth to Fiftieth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 30.

Fourth avenue, Fourth to Fourteenth street.
Great Jones street, Bowery to Broadway.
Fourth street, Second avenue to Broadway.
Seventh street, Second avenue to Broadway.
Ninth street, Third avenue to Broadway.
Eleventh street, Third to Fourth avenue.
Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, Third avenue to Broadway.
Lafayette place, Great Jones to Astor place.
Third avenue, Astor to Lafayette place.
Stuyvesant street, Second to Third avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 31.

University place, Eighth to Fourteenth street.
Fifth avenue, Eighth to Fifteenth street.
Cross streets, Tenth to Nineteenth street, Broadway to Sixth avenue.
Second avenue, Third to Ninth street.
Irving place, Fourteenth to Nineteenth street.
Union Square, Fourteenth to Seventeenth street.
Seventeenth street, Fourth avenue to Broadway.
Fourth avenue, Fourteenth to Nineteenth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 32.

Third avenue, One Hundred and Sixteenth street to One Hundred and Thirtieth street.
One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street to One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Eighth avenue to East river.
Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.
Eighth to Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 33.

Broad street, Wall to Pearl street.
Whitehall street, Marketfield to Bridge street.
Beaver street, Broadway to Broad street.
Broadway, Wall street to Battery place.

ROUTE NUMBER 34.

Third avenue, One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Seventieth street.
Any other avenues or parts of streets not sprinkled above One Hundred and Thirty-third street by others.

ROUTE NUMBER 35.

Seventh avenue, Twenty-fifth to Thirty-first street.
Broadway, Thirty-fourth to Thirty-eighth street.
Twenty-sixth street, Seventh to Eighth avenue.
Forty-second, Forty-third, Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, Sixth to Seventh avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 36.

Ninth avenue, Twenty-fifth to Forty-fifth street.
Thirty-fourth street, Ninth to Tenth avenue.
Thirtieth and Thirty-fifth streets, Eighth to Ninth avenue.
Thirty-ninth street, Eighth to Tenth avenue.
Twenty-eighth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

ROUTE NUMBER 37.

Exchange place, Hanover to Broad street.
Hanover street, Exchange place to Pearl street.
South street, Burling to Coenties Slip.
Front street, Fulton to Burling Slip.
Burling Slip, South to Water street.
Coenties and Old Slips, South to Front street.

ROUTE NUMBER 38.

Sixth avenue, Carmine to Fifteenth street.
Seventh and Greenwich avenues to Fourteenth street.
Sixth to Eighth avenue, Waverley place, Macdougall to Grove street.
West Washington place, Macdougall to Grove street.
Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, Sixth to Eighth avenue.
Christopher street, Greenwich avenue to Bleeker street.
Charles, Perry and West Eleventh streets, Waverley place to Greenwich avenue.
Tenth street, Bleeker to Sixth avenue.
Bedford street, Carmine to Christopher street.
West Fourth street, Sixth to Eighth avenue.
Grove and Barrow streets, Fourth to Hudson street.
Commerce street, Morton and Leroy streets, Hudson to Bleeker street.
Fifteenth street, Fifth to Seventh avenue.
Bank street, Greenwich avenue to Hudson street.

ROUTE NUMBER 39.

Hudson street, Horatio to Fourth street.
Little Twelfth street, Hudson to West street.
Ninth avenue, Thirteenth to Twenty-third street.
Tenth avenue, Thirteenth to Thirty-fourth street.
Fifteenth street, Ninth to Tenth avenue.
Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Twentieth streets, Eighth to Thirteenth avenue.
Thirteenth and Nineteenth streets, Ninth avenue to Hudson river.
Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets, Eighth to Tenth avenue.
Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets, Eighth to Tenth avenue.
West Eleventh to Thirteenth street and Tenth avenue.
Gansevoort street to Market Square.
Gansevoort street, Eighth to Thirteenth avenue.
Washington street, Jane to Little Twelfth street.
West Washington Market.

ROUTE NUMBER 40.

Canal, Charlton, King and Houston streets, Washington to West street.
Hudson street, Jay to Canal street.
Hubert street, Hudson to West street.
Washington street, Canal to Spring street.
West street, Watts to West Eleventh street.
Beach street, West Broadway to West street.
North Moore street, West Broadway to West street.
Franklin street, Varick to West street.
West Eleventh street, Washington street to North river.
Clarkson, Leroy, Morton, Barrow, Christopher, West Tenth and Perry streets, Washington to West street.
Spring street, Hudson to West street.
Washington street, Jane to Spring street.
Renwick street, Spring to Canal street.
Hoboken street, Washington to West street.
Varick street, Franklin to Beach street.

ROUTE NUMBER 41.

Bleeker street, Sullivan to Charles street.
Carmine street, Varick to Sixth avenue.
Greenwich street, Christopher to Bank street.
Greenwich street, Morton to Ninth avenue.
Barrow street, Hudson to West Tenth street.
Christopher and Charles streets, Bleeker to West street.

Horatio, Banks and Jane streets, Eighth to Thirteenth avenue.
Downing street, Bleeker to Varick street.
Bethune street, Greenwich street to North river.
West Twelfth street, Hudson street to North river.
Jane street, Bleeker to Fourth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 42.

Chatham Square, Park Row, Bowery to Tryon Row, and around the Staats-Zeitung Building.
Chambers street, Centre street to New Bowery.
New Bowery, Pearl street to Park Row.
Pearl street, Park Row to New Chambers street.
William street, New Chambers to Pearl street.
Catharine street, Division to Monroe street.
Division street, Catharine to Market street.
James street, Park Row to Cherry street.

ROUTE NUMBER 43.

Whitehall street, South to Bridge street.
Pearl and Water streets, Whitehall street to Old Slip.
Front street, Whitehall street to Coenties Slip.
State street, Whitehall street to Battery place.
Broad street, South to Pearl street.
Bridge street, State to Whitehall street.
Old Slip, Water to Front street.
Coenties Slip, South to Whitehall streets.

ROUTE NUMBER 44.

Hudson street, Clarkson to West Eleventh street.
Hudson street, Horatio to West Twelfth street.
Eighth avenue, Twelfth to Horatio street.
Bleeker street, Charles to Bank street.
Van Ness place, Bleeker street to Waverley place.
Greenwich street, Clarkson to Morton street.
West Eleventh street, Bleeker street to Waverley place.

ROUTE NUMBER 45.

Wall street, Broadway to Nassau street.
Pine street, Broadway to Nassau street.
Fulton street, Broadway to South street.
South street, Burling Slip to Dover street.
Water street, Fulton street to Burling Slip.
Cliff street, Fulton to John street.
William street, John to Ann street.
Nassau street, Maiden Lane to Spruce street.
Ann street, Broadway to Gold street.
Barclay street, Broadway to Church street.
Gold street, Fulton to Ann street.
Burling Slip, Pearl to Water street.
Beckman street, Park Row to Nassau street.

ROUTE NUMBER 46.

Worth street, Broadway to Centre street.
Elm street, Pearl to Reade street.
Centre and Elm streets, Howard to Pearl street.
Canal street, Broadway to Mott street.
West Broadway, Worth to Canal street.
South Fifth avenue, Canal to Houston street.
College place, Barclay to Chambers street.
West Broadway, Chambers to Thomas street.
Park place, Broadway to West street.
Church street, Vesey to Worth street.
Vesey street, Broadway to West street.
Hudson street, Jay to Chambers street and around the American Express Building.
Chambers street, Church to Greenwich street.
Barclay street, Church to Greenwich street.
Murray street, Broadway to College place.
Warren and Read streets, Broadway to Greenwich street.
West street, Murray to Cortlandt street.
Washington street, Barclay to Dey street.
Dey street, Greenwich to West street.
Park place, Greenwich to West street.

ROUTE NUMBER 47.

Avenue D, Houston to Eleventh street.
Columbia street, Grand to Houston street.
Broome street, Essex to Goerck street.
Madison street, New Bowery to Grand street.
Fourteenth street, Avenue C to East river.
Houston street, Sheriff to Thompsons street.
Seventh street, Avenue B to East river.
Avenue C, Houston to Fourteenth street.
Rivington street, from Essex street to East river.
Henry street, New Bowery to Grand street.
Essex street, from Broome to Houston street.

ROUTE NUMBER 48.

Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth to One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.
Morris street, between Third and Fourth avenues.
Also to sprinkle around Fordham Hill, but not to interfere with any other route.

ROUTE NUMBER 49.

Seventieth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets, from Eighth avenue to Boulevard.
Also cross street, from Sixty-fifth to Eightieth street, Eleventh avenue and west of Boulevard.
Tenth avenue, Sixty-ninth to One Hundred and Tenth street.
Eleventh avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Seventy-ninth street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 12, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Tuesday, February 25, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH THREE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND SEVENTY (3,470) GROSS TONS (2,240 pounds to a ton) OF BEST WHITE ASH, LEHIGH AND WILKESBARE COAL, as per specifications, and THIRTY (30) TONS OF INCE HALL CANNEL COAL.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO THE HALL OF RECORDS, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK CITY.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or

freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 15, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 7, 1890.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1890, AT 10.30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, the following quantities of Old Belgian Paving-stone Blocks, located at the places enumerated below, the sale to commence and proceed in the order in which the locations are given, viz.:
Eleventh avenue and Seventh street, about... 140,000
West street, between Fifth and 25, about... 225,000
West street, between Fulton and Vesey streets, about... 80,000
Gouverneur Slip, about... 215,000
Centies Slip, about... 60,000
Delancey and East streets, about... 146,000

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in full must be made in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the paving blocks must be removed by the purchasers within ten days from the date of sale, otherwise the purchasers will forfeit their right to the same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Wednesday, February 19, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER MAINS IN NINTH, MORNINGSIDE, BAINBRIDGE, PELHAM AND RAILROAD AVENUES; IN NINTY-FIRST, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHTH, SHERWOOD, NEW AND TALMADGE STREETS.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CHESTNUT POLES AND POSTS.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BOLTS, FOLT-ENDS, TOOL-STEEL AND REFINED IRON.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DOCK HYDRANTS, HYDRANT NOZZLES, CAPS AND CHAINS, DRILLS, PLUGS AND STOP-ROCK BOX COVERS.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LEAD, LEAD-PIPE AND SOLDER.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH 3,200 GROSS TONS (2,240 lbs. to a ton) OF EGG SIZE WILKESBARRE COAL.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING THREE THOUSAND STREET LAMPS.

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING EIGHT HUNDRED BOULEVARD LAMPS.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING EIGHT HUNDRED CAST-IRON LAMP-POSTS.

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

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

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

good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 10 and 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 1st, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 550, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1888, 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 meter are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

3d. The returns of arrears of water rents, including the year 1887, shall be made as heretofore on the confirmation of the tax levy by the Board of Aldermen, and shall include all charges and penalties of every nature.

4th. A penalty of five dollars (\$5) is hereby established, and will be imposed in each and every case where the rules and regulations of the Department prohibiting the use of water through hose, or in any other wasteful manner, are violated, and such penalties will be entered on the books of the Bureau against the respective buildings or property, and, if not collected, be returned in arrears in like manner as other charges for water.

5th. Charges for so-called "extra water rents" of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS AND RULES GOVERNING THE USE OF WATER, FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY ORDER OF THOMAS F. GILROY, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

UNDER CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 and 353, and as amended by chapter 550, Laws 1887, as follows:

"The commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings in said city in reference to their dimensions, values, exposure to fires, ordinary uses for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, number of families or occupants, or consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to

time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall become a charge and lien upon the buildings upon which they are respectively imposed, and, if not paid, shall be returned as arrears to the clerk of arrears. Such regular rents, including the extra charges above mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water. Said rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as herein provided, but no charge whatever shall be made against any building in which a water-meter may have been, or shall be placed as provided in this act. In all such cases the charge for water shall be determined only by the quantity of water actually used as shown by said meters. * * * * *

The said commissioner of public works is hereby authorized to prescribe a penalty not exceeding the sum of five dollars for each offense, for permitting water to be wasted, and for any violation of such reasonable rules as he may, from time to time, prescribe for the prevention of the waste of water; such fines shall be added to the regular water rents."

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 16 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet....	4 00	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 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:

BAKESIES.—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, three dollars per annum.

BARBER SHOPS shall be charged from five to twenty dollars per annum each in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works; an additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each bathtub therein.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, shall be charged at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding-houses, and bathing establishments. Combination stationary wash-tubs, having a movable division in the centre and capable of use for bathing, shall be charged the same as bathing tubs.

BUILDING PURPOSES.—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick—ten cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

COWS.—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum. DINING SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

FISH STANDS (retail) shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows: HORSES, PRIVATE.—For two horses there shall be charged six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, two dollars.

HORSES, LIVERY.—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, one dollar. HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART.—For each horse, one dollar per annum.

HORSE TROUGHS.—For each trough, and for each half barrel or tub on sidewalk or street, twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families, be charged for each lodging room, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LAUNDRIES shall be charged from eight to twenty dollars per annum, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LIQUOR AND LAGER BEER SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of ten dollars each. An additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each tap or wash-box.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERIES shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

PRINTING OFFICES, when not metered, shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

SODA, MINERAL WATER AND ROOT BEER FOUNTAINS shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

STEAM ENGINES, where not metered, shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: For each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; for each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge; each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets connected in any manner with sewer shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on any other portion of the premises. Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each.

WATER-CLOSET RATES.—For hoppers of any form, when water is supplied direct from the Croton supply, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, hopper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each, per year, twenty dollars.

For any pan closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock, and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, so that overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so constructed that not more than three gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle, or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but be carried like a safe-waste, as provided by the Board of Health regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 352, Consolidated Act 1882, water-meters, of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops

hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

It is provided by section 353, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law." * * *

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter. Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet.

Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
60	05	9 00
70	05	10 50
80	05	12 00
90	05	13 50
100	05	15 00
150	05	22 50
200	05	30 00
250	04½	33 75
300	04	36 00
350	03½	36 75
400	03½	42 00
500	03½	52 50
600	03½	63 00
700	03½	73 50
800	03½	82 00
900	03½	94 50
1,000	03½	105 00
1,500	03	135 00
2,000	02½	150 00
2,500	02½	180 00
3,000	02½	225 00
4,000	02½	280 00
4,500	02½	303 75
5,000	02½	333 50
6,000	02	360 00
7,000	02	420 00
8,000	02	480 00
9,000	02	540 00
10,000	02	600 00

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water daily or belonging to daily lines, is one-half cent per ton (Custom House measurement) for each time they take water. Steamers taking water other than daily, one cent per ton (Custom House measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not hereinbefore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

HYDRANTS, HOSE, TROUGHS, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.

No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to another person or persons.

All persons taking water from the City must keep their own service-pipes, street tap, and all fixtures connected therewith, in good repair, protected from frost, at their own risk and expense, and shall prevent all waste of water.

The use of hose to wash coaches, omnibuses, wagons, railway cars or other vehicles or horses, cannot be permitted.

No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except upon a license or permit taken out for that purpose. All licenses or permits must be annually renewed on the first of May. Such fixtures must be kept in good order and the water not allowed to drip or waste by overrunning the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous in winter by freezing in and about such troughs or fixtures.

No hydrant will be permitted on the sidewalk or in the front area, and any hydrant standing in a yard or alley, attached to any dwelling or building, must not be left running when not in actual use, and if the drip or waste from such hydrant freezes and becomes dangerous in winter, the supply will be shut off in addition to the penalty of five dollars imposed.

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, baths and urinals must not be left running, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense, which will be strictly enforced.

Fountains or jets in hotels, porter-houses, eating-saloons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, yards, court-yards, gardens, and about stables, is prohibited. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the police or inspectors of this department may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

Opening fire-hydrants to fill hand sprinklers or other vessels will not be allowed.

The penalty for a violation of any of the preceding rules and regulations will be five dollars for each offense, and if not paid when imposed will become a lien on the premises in like manner as all other charges for unpaid water rates.

By order,
THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN made to this Department by citizens claiming reductions or rebates on bills for water supplied through meters, on the alleged ground of leakage caused by defective plumbing and worn-out service pipes, or by willful waste of water by tenants allowing the faucets to be turned on in full force in water-closets, sinks, etc., without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the premises.

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted.

Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

House-owners are further notified that whenever their premises become vacant, and are likely to remain vacant, they must notify this Department in writing, and that unless this requirement is complied with no deductions in extra water rents will be allowed for any portion of one year.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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