

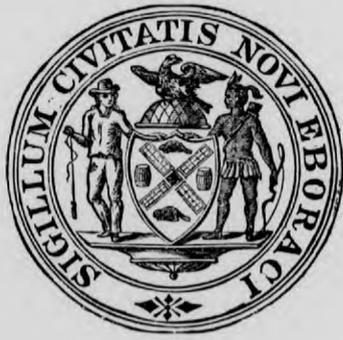
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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, October 7, 1890,
1 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT :

JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President, in the chair.

ALDERMEN

Philip B. Benjamin,	George Gregory,	Patrick N. Oakley,
William Clancy,	Thomas M. Lynch,	David J. Roche,
Bernard Curry,	James E. McLarney,	William P. Rinckhoff,
Cornelius Daly,	August Moebus,	Walton Storm,
John A. Dinkel,	William M. Montgomery,	William Tait,
Alexander J. Dowd,	George B. Morris,	Isaac H. Terrell,
Charles H. Duffy,	William H. Murphy,	William H. Walker.
Cornelius Flynn,		

The minutes of the meetings of September 23 and 30, 1890, were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Flynn—
Petition of storekeepers and citizens on First avenue, between Seventy-eighth and Eighty-second streets, to permit licensed vendors to stand in the carriageway with their vehicles on Saturday evenings, between four and ten o'clock P. M.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the President—
Petition of George F. King, relative to the running of the cars on the Fourteenth Street Line to the Hoboken Ferry.
Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance "to amend section 27 of article III. of chapter 6 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880," relating to the sale of Croton water to shipping in the harbor, respectfully

REPORT :

That the provisions of the ordinance are intended to prevent the unauthorized use of water for shipping and to provide a penalty for its use, when taken surreptitiously and without a permit from the Department of Public Works, which is charged with the supply and distribution of Croton water for all purposes within the corporate limits of the city.

The ordinance is a very proper one, and its passage is desired by the Department responsible for the use and supply of Croton water.

Your Committee therefore respectfully recommend its adoption.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 27, article III., chapter 6, of the Revised Ordinances of 1880.

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

Section 1. Section 27 of article III. of chapter 6 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880 is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

"No person or persons, except such as may be licensed by the Commissioner of Public Works to sell water to shipping, shall take the water from any hydrant or water-connection erected or be erected in the City of New York, and attached to the water-pipes, for the purpose of using the same on any boat, vessel, barge or pile-driver, or for the purpose of selling or offering the same for sale to the owner of any boat, vessel, barge or pile-driver, without having first obtained permission in writing from the Commissioner of Public Works, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered against such person or persons or such owner or owners of any such boat, vessel, barge or pile-driver in an action to be prosecuted by the Corporation Attorney."

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

NICHOLAS T. BROWN,	} Committee on Law Department.
WILLIAM H. WALKER,	
DAVID BARRY,	
GEORGE B. MORRIS,	

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

Report of the Committee on Streets :
(G. O. 627.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the petition of property-owners and business men on Baxter and adjoining streets to change the name of Baxter street to Harry Howard street, respectfully

REPORT :

Your Committee, after careful investigation, find that Baxter street was formerly called Orange street, and that that locality had always borne a bad name until 1878, when, upon a petition of property-owners, that part of Baxter street at junction of Canal and Walker streets was named Harry Howard Square. Since then, that part of the street has improved in business character, and the value of real estate has been enhanced. Your Committee therefore believe it would benefit that neighborhood to grant the prayer of the petition of these property-owners and business men to call the remainder of Baxter street Harry Howard street.

And your Committee unanimously recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the name of Baxter street be changed to Harry Howard street, to take effect December 1, 1890.

CORNELIUS FLYNN,	} Committee on Streets.
DAVID J. ROCHE,	
WILLIAM TAIT,	
WILLIAM P. RINCKHOFF,	
ISAAC H. TERRELL,	

Which was laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By the President—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Evan Thomas, President of the New York Produce Exchange, to lay two six-inch and two five-inch pipes, inclosed by a wooden box one foot square, across Beaver street, to connect the Produce Exchange building with the Central building, No. 3 Beaver street, for water-power, as shown on the accompanying diagram, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, with as little interruption as possible to the use of the street by the public, and that the said Evan Thomas shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby granted, during the progress of the work of laying said pipes or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at the expense of the Produce Exchange, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Benjamin—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Ridley & Sons to lay a crosswalk of two courses of bridge-stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, across Allen street, opposite No. 59 to No. 60 ; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 628.)

By Alderman Daly—
Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of Seventy-sixth street, between Columbus avenue and Central Park, West, commencing about one hundred feet east of Columbus avenue, and running easterly about one hundred and fifty feet, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.
(G. O. 629.)

By the same—
Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of bridge-stone, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Hamilton place, at or near the northerly intersection of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.
(G. O. 630.)

By the same—
Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Columbus avenue to Manhattan avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.
(G. O. 631.)

By the same—
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.
(G. O. 632.)

By the same—
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.
(G. O. 633.)

By the same—
Resolved, That water-main be laid in Eighty-second street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, as provided for by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

By the same—
Resolved, That the resolution approved September 16, 1890, given permission to Henry Mansmann to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Eighth street and Amsterdam avenue, be amended by striking out the word "Henry" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "George," so that the resolution, when so amended, will read :

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James H. McCarthy to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Amsterdam avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That Friday, the seventh day of November, 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M., and the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, be and hereby are designated as the time and place where and when the application of "The East and West Railway Company," to the Common Council of the City of New York, for its consent and permission for the construction, maintenance and operation of the street surface railroad proposed to be constructed by said company, as set forth in the petition for such consent be first considered, and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board by publishing said notice for fourteen days, exclusive of Sundays, in two newspapers published in the City of New York, to be designated by his Honor the Mayor, according to provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, the publication of said notice to be at the expense of the said company.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Albert Lenz to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, on the southwest corner of Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 634.)

By Alderman Dowd—
Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 564½ Broome street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Flynn—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. Lilienthal to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 2 West street, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fred. Lilienthal to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 166 Maiden Lane, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Solomon Loeb to lay a crosswalk of two courses of bridge-stone from the northeast corner of Cortlandt and Washington streets to the southeast corner of Cortlandt and Washington streets, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Gregory—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Sachs & Brother to connect premises Nos. 9 and 10 Washington place with one three-inch and one two-inch pipe for conducting steam, enclosed in a non-conducting covering consisting of asbestos, board, hair, felt and canvas, the whole enclosed in a ten-inch iron pipe, as shown on the accompanying diagram; provided the work be done in a substantial and durable manner, with as little interruption as possible to the use of the street by the public, and that the said Louis Sachs & Co. shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipes, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Martin Mahon and Edward Coyne to extend a vault in front of premises Nos. 27 and 29 West Eleventh street, a distance of one foot beyond the curb-line, as shown in the accompanying diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said Martin Mahon and Edward Coyne shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur, in consequence of the building or extension of said vault, during the progress of, or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 635.)

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That water pipes be laid in Mechanic street, from Boston road to Osdorf avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 636.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Mosholu avenue, between Riverdale avenue and Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 637.)

By Alderman Moebus—

Resolved, That East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between the westerly curb-line of Third avenue and the easterly curb-line of Railroad avenue, East, be regulated and graded, the curb and flag stones where not on the established line or grade be taken up, the curb-stones reset and the flag-stones relaid four feet in width, new curb-stones be set and new flag stones, four feet in width, be laid on each sidewalk where not heretofore set or laid, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating avenue where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Montgomery—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William G. Byrne to place and keep a watering on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 520 Eighth avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. J. Sprague to place and keep two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of the entrance to the Oriental Hotel, on Broadway, east side, about twenty-five feet north of Thirty-ninth street, provided the lamps be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the posts shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), and that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Herrmann, of Nos. 1195 and 1197 Broadway (proprietor of Herrmann's Theatre), to remove the lamp-post and lamp located as shown by the red circle in the accompanying diagram, a distance of about twenty-five feet north from its present location, using an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in place of the present post and lamp, provided said post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), that the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the city lamps, and not to exceed two feet in diameter at the top, and that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard de Loyerot, proprietor of "The Croicis," to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp on the northwest corner of Fifth avenue and Twenty-sixth street, provided the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base); that the lamp be kept lighting during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Terrell—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John A. Meagher to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 376 Eighth avenue, southeast corner of Twenty-ninth street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Christopher Siegel to place and keep a watering-trough on the Eleventh avenue, near the northeast corner of Twenty-sixth street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That the name of James G. Burnet, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and it is hereby corrected so as to read "James G. Burnett."

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McLarney—

Resolved, That the name of Charles Foost, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, be corrected so as to read Charles Forst.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Benjamin—

Resolved, That the name of Isidor Kaplon, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Isaac Kaplon.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That Ambrose O. McCall be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That William A. C. Dougherty be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Barry—

Resolved, That Sarsfield Kennedy be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Benjamin—

Resolved, That Simon Friedman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Abraham Levy be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, That Israel M. Schampain be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Daly—

Resolved, That J. M. Mayer be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Julius W. Meyer be and he is hereby reappointed as Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That George A. Bowman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Charles Schwick be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Lorenzo S. Palmer be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That John F. Gouldsbury be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That Jeremiah Donovan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That Harris Pierce be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McLarney—

Resolved, That Thomas F. McLaughlin be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Montgomery—

Resolved, That Edward William Hoegberg be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That Mary Callahan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That Frank Cascioli be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Rinckhoff—

Resolved, That Robert L. Woolley be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Roche—

Resolved, That Leon Ullman and Emile Cohen be and they are hereby reappointed as Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Joel M. Marx be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Tait—

Resolved, That Charles J. Newman be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That A. L. Gutman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ewen McIntyre to construct a vault under the street in front of the premises of the said Ewen McIntyre, located on the northeast corner of Broadway and Eighteenth street, the vault to be constructed on Eighteenth street as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon the payment of the usual fee in such cases; provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said Ewen McIntyre shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building of said vault during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of constructing said vault, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council, and such vault to be subject to such changes or alterations as may be necessary for purpose of any pipes or conduits duly authorized to be placed in said street.

Alderman Lynch moved that it be referred to the Committee on Streets.

Alderman Storm moved that it be laid over.

Alderman Daly then moved to amend by striking out all the resolution after the words "Common Council."

Whereupon Aldermen Lynch and Storm respectively withdrew their motions. Alderman Flynn then moved that the whole subject be laid on the table. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the negative on a division called by Alderman Storm, as follows: Affirmative—Aldermen Benjamin, Clancy, Dinkel, Dowd, Flynn, Lynch, and Tait—7. Negative—The President, Aldermen Curry, Daly, Duffy, Gregory, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Terrell, and Walker—15. The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment of Alderman Daly. Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Flynn, as follows: Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Dinkel, Duffy, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Terrell, and Walker—19. Negative—Aldermen Clancy, Flynn, and Tait—3. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution, as amended. Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Flynn, as follows: Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Curry, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Terrell, and Walker—18. Negative—Aldermen Clancy, Flynn, and Tait—3. By Alderman Roche— Resolved, That George H. Fahrback be and he is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk: COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, October 3, 1890.

President JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Board of Aldermen: DEAR SIR—Inclosed please find list of names of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire during the present month. Yours, respectfully, P. JOSEPH SCULLY, Deputy and Acting Clerk.

Name.	Term Expires.
Bostwick, Charles F.	October 16, 1890
Burghard, Edward M.	" 6, "
Babcock, Charles H.	" 6, "
Byrne, Bernard J.	" 6, "
Blackhurst, Frank	" 20, "
Bollet, Frank	" 30, "
Christian, Lewis	" 14, "
Christalli, Vincent	" 14, "
Cohen, Emile	" 30, "
Callahan, Eugene F.	" 30, "
Christalli, Michael A.	" 30, "
Codey, Thomas	" 30, "
Dougherty, William A. C.	" 16, "
Delaney, John J.	" 16, "
Divine, M. W., Jr.	" 20, "
Dieckman, Herman R.	" 30, "
Friedberg, William B.	" 20, "
Frohwitter, Henry	" 6, "
Fromme, Henry	" 30, "
Finn, Daniel E.	" 30, "
Gerding, Benjamin F.	" 16, "
Glyn, Charles A.	" 30, "
Hart, John J.	" 16, "
Hamburger, Simpson	" 16, "
Hawes, James W.	" 6, "
Harrison, Richard T.	" 20, "
Hoegberg, Ed. William	" 6, "
Hershfield, Mitchell	" 20, "
Hyatt, George Edward	" 20, "
Henry, George W.	" 20, "
Hays, Daniel P.	" 27, "
Heath, George B.	" 30, "
Hyland, James	" 30, "
Hatzel, George	" 6, "
Harold, John J.	" 30, "
Jackson, Washington	" 30, "
Koplik, Isador	" 16, "
Kerr, John	" 16, "
Kaiser, Julius	" 30, "
Kappeler, John R.	" 30, "
Kurzman, Seymour P.	" 30, "
Leuton, John L.	" 6, "
Lorey, Albert C.	" 6, "
Lefson, G. A.	" 14, "
Levy, Gabriel	" 14, "
Logan, Charles R.	" 6, "
Lyons, John A.	" 30, "
McGonigal, David	" 20, "
McCarten, Michael K.	" 6, "
McGinnis, Charles J.	" 6, "
McCoy, John J.	" 6, "
McLaughlin, Thomas F.	" 6, "
McCafferty, James	" 20, "
Mayer, Julius M.	" 6, "
Malone, John J.	" 16, "
Murphy, Daniel B.	" 16, "
Mandeville, John I.	" 16, "
Miller, Henry F.	" 30, "
Maurer, Henry	" 30, "
Mellor, William H.	" 30, "
Mackay, Alfred	" 30, "
Merrigan, Patrick	" 30, "
Newman, Charles J.	" 30, "
O'Brien, Edward C.	" 6, "
Pyne, William F.	" 16, "
Platzek, M. Warley	" 6, "
Pflegger, Gustave	" 30, "
Quinn, Matthew	" 16, "
Ready, Thomas A.	" 16, "
Reed, Charles B.	" 16, "
Silberstein, Max	" 16, "
Schaeffler, Frank	" 30, "
Seybold, Richard	" 14, "
Schampain, Israel M.	" 6, "
Stone, George B.	" 20, "
Travis, Patrick J.	" 30, "
Torney, John	" 6, "
Ulman, Leon	" 20, "
Wehle, Charles	" 30, "
Wellman, George F.	" 30, "
Woodward, Henry E.	" 30, "
Whitney, Charles J.	" 30, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the State Comptroller:

STATE OF NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, ALBANY, October 3, 1890.

To Chairman, Board of Supervisors, New York County:

SIR—In addition to the 2 3/10 mills, directed to be levied as per circular from this office, dated September 30, amounting to \$3,923,698.92, the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York is hereby required to raise the sum of \$12,555.10 for the compensation and expenses of the Shore Inspector from October 1, 1890, to September 30, 1891, as follows:

For salary, per chapter 604, Laws of 1875..... \$1,477 07
 For expenses, per section 6, chapter 414, Laws of 1885..... 11,078 03

\$12,555 10

Respectfully yours, EDWARD WEMPLE, Comptroller.

STATE OF NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, ALBANY, September 30, 1890.

SIR—The Board of Equalization of Taxes, in pursuance of chapter 312 of the Laws of 1859, have fixed the aggregate valuation of property in your county at the sum of \$1,676,794,411, upon which amount a State tax of \$3,923,698.92 must be levied for the fiscal year commencing October 1, 1890, as provided in said act and amendments thereto by chapter 351, Laws of 1874, being 2 3/10 mills on the dollar, for the following purposes, viz:

For Schools..... 1 1/10 mill, per chapter 554, Laws of 1890.
 For General Purposes..... 3/10 " " 554, " 1890.
 For Canals..... 1/10 " " 122, 266 and 554, Laws of 1890.

Total..... 2 3/10 mills.

Your obedient servant, EDWARD WEMPLE, Comptroller.

To Chairman of Board of Aldermen, New York City, New York County, N. Y.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT, ROOM 10, STEWART BUILDING, NEW YORK, October 6, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—By direction of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, at a meeting held on the third instant, I transmit to you herewith, a true copy of resolutions adopted by said Board at the said meeting, setting forth that the said Board deem it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out and opening certain pieces or parcels of land, for the purpose of a Public Park, in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York.

I am, very respectfully, V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT, ROOM 10, STEWART BUILDING, NEW YORK, October 6, 1890.

The following is a true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, at a meeting held on the 3d instant:

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York deem it for the public interest to take and acquire certain pieces or parcels of land located in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of a public park, pursuant to chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, and to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out and opening said pieces or parcels of land for the said purpose of a public park, the said pieces or parcels of land being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Leroy street, distant 364.58 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern side of Leroy street with the eastern side of Hudson street; thence

1. Running westerly along the southern side of Leroy street for 364.58 feet to the eastern side of Hudson street;
2. Thence running southerly along the eastern side of Hudson street for 208.0 feet to the northern side of Clarkson street;
3. Thence running easterly along the northern side of Clarkson street for 340.62 feet to the northern side of Carmine street;
4. Thence running easterly along the northern side of Carmine street for 20.41 feet;
5. Thence running northerly for 208.2 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

This plot has been heretofore used in part as a burying-ground. Resolved, That such proposed action of this Board be laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, and that full notice of the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

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

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator:

LAW DEPARTMENT, BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, NEW YORK, October 1, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to chapter 4, article III., section 24 of the Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, of January 1, 1881, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully, CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.

A transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled since the date of his last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions paid into the City Treasury.	Amount paid to Legatees or next of Kin.	Amount paid into City Treasury for unknown next of Kin.
Peter Hefferan	Closed by payment on account of burial expenses.	\$47 17	\$47 17			
Richard Mahon	Closed by delivery of bank book, etc., to Administrator, duly appointed.					
Oswald Hoppe		189 08	179 63	89 45		
Jennie S. Harrison		530 92	475 83	26 55		\$28 54
George Carrbon		438 62	227 12	21 93		189 57
Ann Burke		159 31	81 90	7 97		69 44
Maggie Davis		114 11	5 96	5 71		102 44
Ann Fox		59 11	43 00	2 06		13 15
James Gillespie		233 90	24 33	11 69		197 88
Jose Cos		19 90	3 52	1 00		15 38
James Wright		231 71	162 73	11 59		57 39
Mary A. Thompson		83 53	49 34	4 18		30 01
Elizabeth Reeth		101 38	93 20	5 08		3 30
Margaretha Briede	Closed under provisions of chapter 573 of the Laws of 1887.	28 11	4 72	1 41		21 98
Rosina Gopel		143 07	10 14	7 15		110 78
James Walsh No. 2		57 18	4 72	2 81		48 65
James Tully		586 95	199 40	3 49		98 03
Ellen Welch		120 02	15 99	6 00		4 82
Alexander Lowrie		158 36	145 62	7 92		45 86
Dora Mink		282 42	222 44	14 12		
Anderson E. Walker		20 52	19 49	1 03		
Bridget Clowrie		525 46	499 49	25 97		
Michael Crowley		60 71	4 62	3 04		53 05
Ellen O'Brien		125 70	116 50	6 28		2 92
Mary Brown		48 00	45 10	2 40		50
Everett A. Rice		40 00	38 00	2 00		
John or Christ. Lawrence		100 79	95 70	5 00		
Ellen Cessford		92 73	88 12	4 61		

* Paid to Administrator "de bonis non."

Table with columns: NAME OF DECEASED., Date of Final Decree., Total Amount Received., Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors., Commis-sions paid into the City Treasury., Amount paid to Legatees or next of Kin., Amount paid into City Treasury for unknown next of Kin.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Department of Public Works:

(G. O. 638.) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 6, 1890

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, at its intersection with the westerly side of Lenox avenue; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully, THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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

(G. O. 639.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 6, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Avenue A, at its intersection with the southerly side of Seventy-fourth, Eightieth and Eighty-fifth streets, and the northerly side of Seventy-sixth street; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully, THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Avenue A, at its intersection with the southerly side of Seventy-fourth, Eightieth and Eighty-fifth streets, and the northerly side of Seventy-sixth street; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 640.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 3, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across the Western Boulevard, at its intersection with the northerly side of Seventy-ninth street; the northerly and southerly sides of Eightieth street; the northerly side of Eighty-first street; the southerly sides of Eighty-second, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, and the northerly and southerly sides of Eighty-fifth, Eighty-sixth, Eighty-seventh, Eighty-eighth, Ninetieth, Ninety-first, Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully, THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across the Western Boulevard, at its intersection with the northerly side of Seventy-ninth street; the northerly and southerly sides of Eightieth street; the northerly side of Eighty-first street; the southerly sides of Eighty-second, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, and the northerly and southerly sides of Eighty-fifth, Eighty-sixth, Eighty-seventh, Eighty-eighth, Ninetieth, Ninety-first, Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone, of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 641.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, September 30, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the following-named streets be repaved:

With Granite-block Pavement on Concrete Foundation.

Fulton street, from Broadway to Greenwich street. Church street, from Chambers to Canal street.

With Asphalt Pavement on Concrete Foundation.

Sixty-third street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

With Asphalt Pavement on the Present Stone Pavement.

Sixty-sixth street, from Lexington to Third avenue. Sixty-seventh street, from Lexington to Third avenue.

And that crosswalks of bridge-stone of North river blue stone be laid, relaid or renewed at the several intersections where necessary, and that the curb-stones along said streets be reset to the proper grade, and new curb-stones of North river blue stone furnished and set where required; the work to be done by contract publicly let to the lowest bidder.

Very respectfully, THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave the following-named streets with—

Granite-block Pavement on Concrete Foundation.

Fulton street, from Broadway to Greenwich street. Church street, from Chambers to Canal street.

With Asphalt Pavement on Concrete Foundation.

Sixty-third street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

With Asphalt Pavement on the Present Stone Pavement.

Sixty-sixth street, from Lexington to Third avenue. Sixty-seventh street, from Lexington to Third avenue.

Crosswalks of bridge-stone of North river blue stone to be laid, relaid or renewed at the several intersections where necessary, and the curb-stones along said streets to be reset to the proper grade, and new curb-stones of North river blue stone to be furnished and set where required; the work to be done by contract publicly let to the lowest bidder.

Which were severally laid over.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 4, 1890.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the provisions of section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to transmit herewith a duplicate of the Departmental Estimate of the Department of Public Parks for the year 1891.

Very respectfully, CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

† Paid into the Treasury of the City of New York on April 30, 1890. ‡ Retained until now for a creditor whose whereabouts are unknown.

A statement of the title of any estate on which any money has been received since the date of the last report.

Table with columns: NAME OF DECEASED., TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED., NAME OF DECEASED., TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.

Cash Received from Coroner, August 13, 1890.

Table with columns: DATE OF DEATH., NAME., AMOUNT., DATE OF DEATH., NAME., AMOUNT.

Which was ordered on file.

INVITATIONS.

An invitation was received from the New York Caulkers' Association to attend their grand annual ball at Walhalla Hall, on October 30, 1890. Which was accepted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 4, 1890.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council, from January 1 to December 31, 1890, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances:

Table with columns: TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS., AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS., PAYMENTS., AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.

Which was ordered on file.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 27, 1890.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to the provisions of section 189 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to submit the following estimate of the amount of money required for the use of the Department of Public Parks for the year 1891, the same having been adopted by the Board of Parks as the "Departmental Estimate."

For Salaries.....	\$45,000 00
<i>Office of Commissioners.</i>	
President.....	\$5,000 00
Secretary.....	4,000 00
Assistant Secretary.....	2,500 00
Clerk.....	2,200 00
Clerk.....	2,000 00
Clerk.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00
Stenographer.....	1,500 00
Typewriter.....	780 00
	\$20,680 00
<i>Office of Property Clerk.</i>	
Property Clerk.....	\$3,000 00
Two clerks, at \$1,200.....	2,400 00
Clerk.....	800 00
Two Clerks.....	2,500 00
	8,700 00
<i>Office of Superintendent of Parks.</i>	
Superintendent of Parks.....	\$4,000 00
Clerk.....	1,100 00
	5,100 00
Engineer of Construction.....	3,500 00
Director of Menagerie.....	2,500 00
Meteorologist.....	2,500 00
Entomologist.....	1,275 00

The amount allowed for the current year is \$41,000. The additional amount asked for is required for the payment of two additional Clerks in the office of the Property Clerk, necessitated by the large increase in the clerical work, by reason of weekly payments; an increase of \$500 in the salary of the Engineer of Construction, which is deemed by the Board proper in view of the new and constantly increasing duties devolving upon him, and an increase of \$250 (from \$1,950 to \$2,200) for the Clerk performing the duties of Bookkeeper, who will then receive \$300 less than his predecessor. The designation of one Clerk is changed to that of Entomologist, the duties of which position he is now performing, the salary remaining unchanged.

For Police Salaries.....	\$391,280 00
1 Captain.....	\$2,750 00
1 Surgeon.....	2,200 00
7 Sergeants, at \$1,800.....	12,600 00
17 Roundsmen, at \$1,250.....	21,250 00
36 Mounted Patrolmen, at \$1,200.....	43,200 00
192 Patrolmen, at \$1,100.....	211,200 00
95 Patrolmen, at \$900.....	85,500 00
8 Doormen, at \$730.....	5,840 00
6 Stablemen, at \$730.....	4,380 00
2 Laborers, at \$730.....	1,460 00
1 Ambulance Driver.....	900 00
	\$391,280 00

The amount allowed for the current year is \$260,525. The increase asked for is for the following purposes:

1. An increase of pay of \$100 each to the members of the uniformed force, to offset the cost of uniforms, which have heretofore been furnished by the Department, and are now to be paid for by the men.....	24,700 00
2. An increase of \$200 each for 73 Patrolmen now receiving \$800 per annum, they having served over one year, in addition to allowance for uniforms.....	14,600 00
3. For 95 new Patrolmen, at \$900 each.....	85,500 00
4. For advance in rates of pay of Captains, Sergeants and Roundsmen.....	1,950 00
5. For increase of pay (by promotion) for 1 Sergeant, 5 Roundsmen and 19 Mounted Men.....	3,200 00
6. For additional Stableman, etc.....	805 00

The total police force provided for, uniformed and ununiformed, is 366, which it is proposed to distribute as follows:

<i>Force Required for Central Park.</i>	
Captain.....	1
Sergeants.....	5
Roundsmen at Arsenal.....	3
Sub-station, Mount St. Vincent.....	3
Roundsmen for Mounted Squad.....	1
Patrolmen, mounted.....	23
on foot.....	124
Total uniformed force for Central Park.....	160
Doormen for Arsenal and Mount St. Vincent.....	4
Stablemen at Police Stables, Sheepfold.....	4
Ambulance Driver.....	1
Laborer at Arsenal.....	1
Total force, Central Park.....	170

<i>Force Required for City Parks, Including Riverside and Morningside Parks.</i>	
Sergeant in charge of City Parks.....	1
Roundsmen for the lower Parks.....	2
Sub-Station, Riverside Park.....	3
Patrolmen, mounted, for Riverside Park.....	3
Patrolmen, on foot, for Riverside Park.....	27
High Bridge Park.....	2
Morningside Park.....	6
Mount Morris Park.....	5
East River Park.....	4
Bryant Park.....	3
Madison Square Park.....	6
Union Square Park.....	4
Fourth Avenue Parks, Thirty-fourth to Ninety-fourth street.....	8
Stuyvesant Parks.....	6
Tompkins Square Park.....	10
Washington Square Park.....	6
Jackson Square Park.....	2
Abingdon Square Park.....	2
Christopher street.....	2
Canal street.....	3
Duane street.....	2
City Hall.....	7
Jeannette.....	2
Bowling Green and Battery.....	11
Total uniformed force for City Parks.....	127
Doormen for Sub-station, Riverside Park.....	2
Laborer at Mount Morris.....	1
	130

<i>Force Required for the New Parks North of Harlem River.</i>	
Sergeant-in-Charge, mounted.....	1
Roundsmen, mounted.....	5
Patrolmen, mounted, Van Cortlandt Park.....	3
on foot, Van Cortlandt Park.....	10
mounted, Bronx Park.....	3
on foot, Bronx Park.....	10
mounted, Pelham Bay Park.....	4
on foot, Pelham Bay Park.....	15
Crotona Park.....	5
Claremont Park.....	3
St. Mary's Park.....	3

Total uniformed force in new Parks.....	62
Doormen for Van Cortlandt and Pelham Parks.....	2
Stablemen for Van Cortlandt and Pelham Parks.....	2
	66
Total uniformed force for parks north of Harlem river.....	62
Total uniformed force for Central Park.....	160
Total uniformed force for City Parks, including Riverside and Morningside Parks.....	127
Police Surgeon.....	1
Doormen, Central and Riverside Parks.....	6
Doormen, Van Cortlandt and Pelham Parks.....	2
Stablemen, Van Cortlandt and Pelham Parks.....	2
Stablemen, Central Park.....	4
Ambulance Driver.....	1
Laborers, Central and Mount Morris Parks.....	2
Total force uniformed and ununiformed.....	366

For Police Supplies.....	\$17,932 50
Of this amount there will be required for parks south of the Harlem river, the following:	
Ten (10) new horses, at \$275.....	\$2,750 00
Ten (10) sets of equipments, at \$30.....	300 00
Seventy-five (75) new shields.....	112 50
Forage, shoeing, etc., for 28 horses.....	4,300 00
Gas, coal, ice and other supplies.....	1,000 00
Repairs to Police station, painting, etc.....	1,500 00
	\$9,962 50

For parks north of the Harlem river, the following:	
Fourteen (14) new horses, at \$275.....	\$3,850 00
Fourteen sets of equipments, at \$30.....	420 00
Forage, shoeing, etc., for 14 horses.....	2,200 00
Gas, coal, ice and other supplies.....	500 00
Fitting up sub-station and stable at Pelham Bay Park.....	1,000 00
	7,970 00
	\$17,932 50

LABOR, MAINTENANCE, SUPPLIES, CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS.

For General Maintenance.....	\$420,000 00
In order to properly maintain the Central and City Parks in accordance with the improved methods of the present time, and the requirements of the public this sum will be necessary. The following is an approximate estimate of the proposed expenditures:	
Propagation of plants in the nursery and greenhouses, that cannot be bought profitably in the open market, and care of same.....	\$18,000 00
Cost of digging holes and planting trees on Eighth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and replacing trees that have died, on Thirty-ninth street, and on Eighth avenue, Fifty-ninth to Ninety-sixth street; cutting out dead, deformed and interfering trees and shrubs on Central Park and replacing same.....	15,000 00
Special fertilization of lawns on Central Park, to meet the strain of their use.....	15,000 00
Top-dressing with rich mould, repairing with gravel 14½ miles of roads and 5½ miles of bridle-path.....	15,000 00
Resodding bare places under trees and repairing borders of lawn.....	8,000 00
Erecting and maintaining wire fences on the Central and City Parks.....	6,000 00
Cleaning and removing snow and ice from walks of the Central and City Parks, and caring for three skate ponds on Central Park.....	10,000 00
Cleaning, rolling and scraping drives of Central Park.....	20,800 00
Erecting and removing two temporary skate buildings on Central Park.....	2,800 00
Almost daily sprinkling of drives and bridle paths.....	25,000 00
Extra labor required on the Central and City Parks in cleaning up after concerts, games, picnics, etc.....	5,000 00
Routine work of daily sweeping and cleaning up after the great crowds who use the parks at other times.....	25,000 00
Cleaning shores of three lakes in Central Park.....	8,000 00
Mowing lawns on an average of once a week.....	30,000 00
Maintenance of railroad plant, Eighty-fifth street Transverse road.....	5,000 00
Care of Eighty-fifth street stables, including harness, etc.....	6,000 00
Repairing of existing tarwalks, Central Park.....	1,000 00
Repairing and maintenance mason-work in the form of curbs, gutters, drains, bridges, stone walls and structures on the Central and City Parks.....	70,000 00
Repairs of woodwork in the form of cottages, bailing, settees and rolling stock in Central and City Parks.....	40,000 00
Repairing of plumbing work and bursts in water-pipes on Central and City Parks.....	9,000 00
Painting new and repairs of cottages, fences, rolling stock, settees, etc., on Central and City Parks and for tree labels.....	32,000 00
Special treatment for the preservation of stone carvings at the terrace.....	10,000 00
Repairing and maintenance pipes, boilers and iron-work of rolling stock, settees, fences, urinals, horseshoeing and attending steam boilers.....	25,000 00
Total.....	\$421,600 00

Amount asked for.....	\$420,030 00
For Special Watering of Trees and Plants.....	\$16,500 00

The completion of the New Aqueduct and the increased supply of water given the City affords an opportunity of obtaining a more luxuriant growth of grass and plants on the Central and City Parks. This would require special watering on an average of five days per week during five months, and in order to accomplish this work, for the purchase of plant and extra labor, the sum of \$16,500 is asked for.

For Completing the Asphalt Walks of Central Park.....	\$168,795 00
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The increased use of Central Park above Seventy-second street, owing to the number of buildings being erected and the consequent rapid growth of population in that section, renders it very important that walks should be provided which are capable of being maintained in a satisfactory condition. The gravel walks which have so long answered the demands of the public are unsatisfactory, and during wet weather very disagreeable. There are in Central Park 675,182 square feet of such walks, and it would cost, approximately, the amount asked for to properly surface them with asphalt.

For Reconstruction of the City Parks other than Central Park.....	\$143,232 00
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This work is in addition to the work of regular maintenance, and is urgently required to place the various smaller parks in proper condition. The following detailed statement shows the character and amount of work proposed to be done at the various parks indicated:

<i>Washington Square.</i>	
New gentlemen's cottage.....	\$8,000 00
103 square feet new asphalt walk.....	28,000 00
30,000 square feet of sod.....	675 00
4,800 lineal feet wire fence.....	1,320 00
7,200 bushels of manure.....	504 00
	\$38,499 00

<i>Canal Street Park.</i>	
Police shelter.....	500 00
<i>Jeannette Park.</i>	
Police shelter.....	500 00
<i>Tompkins Square.</i>	
New ladies' cottage.....	\$9,000 00
67,000 square feet new asphalt walks.....	17,500 00
Setting 1,200 lineal feet wire fence.....	360 00
400 bushels of manure.....	30 00
40,000 square feet grass sod.....	900 00
	27,799 00
<i>Bryant Park.</i>	
Setting 2,000 lineal feet new wire fence.....	\$600 00
2,750 bushels of manure.....	192 50
12,000 square feet grass sod.....	270 00
	1,062 50
<i>Madison Square.</i>	
50,000 square feet of sod.....	\$1,125 00
4,000 bushels of manure.....	280 00
	1,405 00
<i>Union Square.</i>	
Laying 5,250 square feet of new asphalt walk.....	\$1,346 00
1,250 bushels of manure.....	87 50
	1,433 50
<i>Stuyvesant Square.</i>	
Building store-room for tools and water-closet.....	\$1,100 00
9,800 square feet new asphalt walk.....	2,450 00
2,000 bushels of manure.....	140 00
5,000 square feet of sod.....	112 50
	3,802 50
<i>City Hall Park.</i>	
8,600 square feet new asphalt walk.....	\$2,150 00
Large underground urinal.....	25,000 00
	27,150 00
<i>Bowling Green.</i>	
1,400 square feet new asphalt walk.....	350 00
<i>Battery Park.</i>	
27,805 square feet new asphalt walk.....	6,951 00
<i>Mount Morris Park.</i>	
16,500 lineal feet wire fence, at 30 cents.....	\$4,950 00
65,520 square feet of asphalt walk, at 25 cents.....	16,380 00
Repairs, drains and basins.....	5,000 00
Repairs, painting and plumbing cottages.....	500 00
New music stand and surroundings.....	3,100 00
20,000 square feet grading and sodding, at 5 cents.....	1,000 00
<i>Outside Park.</i>	
23,000 square feet sidewalk relaid, at 15 cents.....	3,450 00
500 square feet new sidewalk relaid, at 45 cents.....	225 00
3,800 lineal feet curb to be reset, at 6 cents.....	228 00
80 lineal feet new curb.....	56 00
	34,789 00
For Settees.....	\$10,000 00
The constant demand for an increase in the number of settees in the various parks is considered deserving of special consideration, and an appropriation for that purpose is asked.	
For Entrance to Central Park at West One Hundred and Sixth Street.....	\$22,000 00
There is at present no entrance to the park on the west side north of One Hundredth street, and an additional entrance has been asked for by the residents of that section. Plans have been adopted for the construction of an entrance and drive at One Hundred and Sixth street, between Eighth avenue and the West Drive of Central Park, the estimated cost of which is the amount asked for.	
For Improving the Plaza at One Hundred and Tenth Street and Fifth Avenue.....	\$34,000 00
The city having acquired title to the property designated by law as a circle at One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue, it is proposed to proceed with the work of construction in accordance with the plans adopted. A carefully prepared estimate of the cost of this work is as follows:	
5,300 square yards of granite pavement with joints filled with gravel and coal tar pitch, at \$3.75.....	\$19,875 00
\$74 cubic yards concrete for foundation, at \$4.50.....	3,333 00
10,500 square feet walks, with rock asphalt surface, at 35 cents.....	3,675 00
335 lineal feet fine axed 20 inch by six inch curb, at \$1.25.....	420 00
498 lineal feet fine axed 20 inch by six inch curb, curved on face, at \$2.00.....	996 00
600 square feet bridge-stone, at 75 cents.....	450 00
600 cubic yards of garden mould, at 65 cents.....	390 00
Excavation and filling for regulating and grading.....	750 00
Trees, planting, sodding, etc.....	300 00
Contingencies, engineering, etc., 10 per cent.....	3,079 00
	\$33,868 00
For Completion of the Inclosing Wall at Mount Morris Park.....	\$60,000 00
During the present year a contract has been executed for the foundation for the inclosing wall at this park, and the amount now asked for is for the purpose of completing the inclosure. It is intended to erect a wall of Ohio sandstone, similar to that inclosing Central Park. To fully complete this work, the sum of \$60,000 will be required.	
For Riverside Park and Avenue, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	\$40,000 00
With the increased growth of the city, and the demands of the public for opportunities for riding and driving, the proper maintenance of this drive is becoming more important. A liberal application of gravel is necessary for the drive and bridle-road, and provision must be made for washouts, which occur frequently in the park along the line of the railroad. The portion of the park between Seventy-second and Seventy-ninth streets has been constructed during the present year, and now becomes a part of the maintenance work.	
During six months of the year Riverside Drive would require for cleaning, watering, cutting grass, caring for plants, etc., carting, general work, attending tool-house, and ladies' cottage:	
1 Foreman, at \$125 per month.....	
2 Assistant Foremen, at \$75 per month.....	
4 Rockmen, at \$2 per day.....	
29 Laborers, at \$1.76 per day.....	
1 Driver, at \$55 per month.....	
9 Double teams, at \$4.50 per day.....	
1 Cottage Attendant, at \$35 per month.....	
The above force would cost \$111.69 per day, or \$20,383.42 for six months.	
During the remaining six months of the year, it would be necessary to clean the drives and walks, remove snow, cart rubbish to dump, and cart for tool-house and cottage. This would require a force of:	
1 Foreman, at \$125 per month.....	
2 Assistant Foremen, at \$75 per month.....	
1 Rockman, at \$2 per day.....	
20 Laborers, at \$1.76 per day.....	
1 Driver, at \$55 per month.....	
7 Double teams, at \$4.50 per day.....	
1 Cottage Attendant, at \$35 per month.....	
The above force would cost \$80.85 per day, or \$14,755.12 for six months.	
First six months.....	\$20,383 42
Second six months.....	14,755 12
Cost for the year.....	\$35,138 54
For gravel and other supplies.....	4,861 46
Amount asked for.....	\$40,000 00

For Morningside Park, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	\$25,000 00
This park, within its boundaries, was nearly constructed a year ago, but during the present year, owing to the small appropriation, the Department has been unable to properly maintain it, being compelled to give attention in an unsatisfactory and incomplete way to the mowing of the lawns, repairs of washouts and the care of existing trees and shrubbery. The general maintenance of this park is similar to that of Central Park, in addition to which it will be necessary to do considerable watering on account of the dryness of the situation. This will involve the outlay of considerable money to introduce a system of pipes to convey water to the different parts of the park.	
The items of proposed expenditures are as follows:	
1 Foreman, at \$100 per month.....	
15 Laborers, at \$1.76 per day.....	
5 Gardeners, at \$60 per month.....	
2 Carts at \$3 per day.....	
This force would require an expenditure of \$45.73 per day, or per year.....	\$16,691 45
1,000 tons manure, at \$3.....	3,000 00
50,000 square feet sod.....	1,125 00
15,000 plants, at 8 cents.....	1,200 00
Blasting supplies, etc.....	1,000 00
2 monitors for watering, six months, \$4.50 per day.....	1,642 50
1 double team, \$4.50 per day, eight months.....	1,080 00
	\$25,738 95
Amount asked for.....	\$25,000 00
For Care and Maintenance of Seventy-second, One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-second Streets, and Fifth and Morningside Avenues.....	\$26,500 00
These streets have been placed by law under the jurisdiction of this Department, and for their proper maintenance this sum is asked. The items are as follows:	
Watering, 9 monitors for six months, at \$4.50 per day.....	\$9,000 00
Broken stone, gravel and labor for resurfacing Seventy-second street, from Eighth avenue to Riverside.....	7,500 00
Broken stone, gravel and labor for repairs to Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	10,000 00
	\$26,500 00
It is the judgment of the Board of Parks that Fifth avenue should be paved, and an estimate for that purpose is included herein, in case an appropriation is allowed therefor this item of \$10,000 may be omitted.	
For Alteration of the Roads, Walks, etc., in Washington Square in connection with the erection of the Washington Arch.....	\$17,422 56
An appropriation for this purpose is asked for at the request of the Memorial Arch Committee.	
The items are as follows:	
To repay the Committee on the Erection of the Memorial Arch in Washington Square, for the cost of excavations, drainage and concrete foundations of the Memorial Arch.....	\$6,862 56
For repaving, resetting of curb, new curb, asphalt walk, replanting of trees, rebuilding basins, etc.....	7,760 00
For granite curbing, etc.....	2,800 00
	\$17,422 56
For Care and Maintenance of New Parks north of Harlem River.....	\$75,000 00
During nine months of the year would require for general work, maintenance, etc.,	
1 General Inspector, at \$2,500 per year; 3 Assistant Foremen, at \$75 per month; 20 Laborers, at \$1.76 per day; 8 Double teams, at \$4.50 per day; 1 Bridge-tender, at \$300 per year; \$86.04 per day.....	\$23,661 00
For the remaining three months, 1 General Inspector, 2 Assistant Foremen, 10 Laborers, 1 Double team, 1 Bridge-tender, \$34.44 per day.....	3,099 60
Broken stones, supplies and repairs.....	23,239 40
For building docks at Pelham Bay Park.....	25,000 00
	\$75,000 00
A number of applications have been made during the present year for the privilege of landing excursions at Pelham Bay Park; at present there are no facilities for that purpose. The erection of suitable docks would bring this park within reach of the public, and make it available for general use.	
For Paving the Roadway of Fifth Avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth Street.....	\$100,000 00
The roadway of Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth street, where the new pavement, to One Hundred and Tenth street, is in very bad condition, in some places dangerous, and should be repaved without delay. The Department Engineer reports that the amount asked for is necessary to place a suitable pavement on this portion of the avenue.	
For Zoological Department.....	\$40,000 00
Wagers of keepers, at \$65 per month.....	\$8,640 00
Food for animals.....	15,000 00
Heating.....	3,000 00
Removal of rubbish.....	11,000 00
Tools, freight, express charges and contingencies.....	1,300 00
Care of sheep.....	2,000 00
Painting and repairs to Carnivora building, monkey-house and other structures.....	1,500 00
Building deer paddocks on new ground and removing old structures.....	1,500 00
New asphalt walks.....	1,500 00
New animals.....	4,560 00
	\$40,000 00
The item for the purchase of animals is to replace such specimens as may die, and also for the completion of pairs.	
For Maintenance of Museums.....	\$50,000 00
American Museum of Natural History.....	\$25,000 00
Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	25,000 00
	\$50,000 00
For Music—Central Park and the City Parks.....	\$35,000 00
The amount asked for is an increase of \$10,000 over that allowed for the present year, and is intended for the purpose of providing concerts in Washington Square and Riverside Park, and an additional afternoon concert at Mount Morris Park—for the latter petitions have been received signed by thousands of the residents of Harlem. The great and increasing crowds attending these concerts prove them to be among the most popular attractions of the parks. The proposed arrangement of concerts is as follows:	
Central Park—Saturday and Sunday afternoons, 42 concerts, at \$230.....	\$9,660 00
Battery Park—Friday evenings, 20 concerts, at \$170.....	3,400 00
Tompkins Square—Wednesday evenings, 20 concerts, at \$170.....	3,400 00
East River Park—Thursday afternoons, 20 concerts, at \$170.....	3,400 00
Mount Morris Park—Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoons, 40 concerts, at \$170.....	6,800 00
Paradise Park—Monday evenings, 12 concerts, at \$110.....	1,320 00
Washington Square—Thursday evenings, 20 concerts, at \$160.....	3,200 00
Riverside Park—Wednesday afternoons, 20 concerts, at \$150.....	3,000 00
Calcium lights, for 92 evening concerts.....	820 00
	\$35,000 00
For Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	\$40,000 00
The chief expense of these bridges consists in the wages of the employees who operate them. Aside from this main item must be considered the cost of coal, oil and necessary repairs to the structures and machinery. The bridges are required to be opened at all hours of the day and night, and the frequency of opening is a severe strain upon them, whereby the large rollers and tracks under the centre of the draw are quickly worn out.	

The amount for wages is as follows :

7 Engineers, at \$90 per month.....	\$7,560 00
6 Firemen, at \$70 per month.....	5,040 00
18 Bridge-tenders, at \$60 per month ..	12,960 00
	\$25,560 00
For coal, oil, cotton waste, cast-iron wheels, gearing for machinery.....	3,310 00
For carpenter work and material, estimated.....	2,500 00
For ordinary repairs, estimated.....	1,630 00
For special repairs and alterations.....	5,000 00

In explanation of the last item it is submitted that it is probable that the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street viaduct will interfere with the westerly approach of the Central Bridge, and in order to keep the bridge open for public use, alterations, etc., to the approach and fixed span will be required, the estimated cost of which is \$2,500. A similar sum (\$2,500) will be required for surveys, plans, estimates, etc., for the alteration of the Third Avenue Bridge, which has been ordered by the United States Government.

For Telephonic Service..... \$4,000 00

This amount is required for the renewal of existing contract.

For Rents..... \$6,500 00

The rental of the Department Office is provided for by this item.

For the Erection of a Monument in honor and memory of John Ericsson..... \$10,000 00

A communication has been received from a committee of citizens organized for the purpose of procuring the erection of a suitable monument in honor of John Ericsson on one of the public parks, requesting that this amount be included in the Departmental Estimate under the provisions of chapter 266, Laws of 1889, and proposing to submit to the Department designs and specifications for such monument, and offering to provide for any expense of executing such designs, in excess of ten thousand dollars, which may be found to be necessary.

For Maintenance of Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including all appropriations heretofore made to this Department for Maintenance of Streets, Roads and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; for Sewers and Drains; for Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Tax and Assessment Maps; for Surveys, Maps and Plans; for the Bronx River Bridges, and for the Cromwell's Creek Bridges..... \$1,000 00

The control and maintenance of these wards devolving, by act of Legislature, upon a new Commissioner, to take office on January 1 next, a pro forma estimate is made for the expenses of the annexed district, for such adjustment as may be deemed proper by your Honorable Board.

RECAPITULATION—THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS—DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1891.

Salaries—To pay entirely the salaries of the President, Secretary and Clerical Force in the office of the Commissioners; the Property Clerk and Clerks in his office; the Engineer of Construction; the Meteorologist; the Entomologist and Director of the Menagerie :

President.....	\$5,000 00
Secretary, Superintendent, Engineer, Clerks, etc.....	40,000 00
	\$45,000 00

Police :
Salaries of Captain, Surgeon, Sergeants, Roundsmen, Patrolmen, Special Keepers and Doormen, and wages of all persons employed in the Police Stables..... \$391,280 00
For Supplies and Repairs, including Sub-stations..... 17,932 50

(The above includes provision for additional force required for new parks north of Harlem river.)

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, Construction and Repairs—For all Supplies, excepting those for which specific appropriations are made, and wages of all persons employed on the works of maintenance, excepting those employed in the Zoological Department and Police Stables, and including the maintenance of the Meteorological Observatory..... 420,000 00

Special Watering of Trees and Plants.....	16,500 00
Completing the Asphalt Walks of Central Park.....	168,795 00
Reconstruction of the City Parks other than Central Park.....	143,232 00
Settees.....	10,000 00
Entrance to Central Park at West One Hundred and Sixth Street.....	22,000 00
Improving the Plaza at Fifth Avenue and One Hundred and Tenth Street.....	34,000 00
Completion of the Enclosing Wall at Mount Morris Park.....	60,000 00
Riverside Park and Avenue, For the Improvement and Maintenance of.....	40,000 00
Morningside Park, For the Improvement and Maintenance of.....	25,000 00
Care and Maintenance of Seventy-second, One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-second Streets and Fifth and Morningside Avenues.....	26,500 00

Alteration of the Roads, Walks, etc., in Washington Square in Connection with the Erection of the Washington Arch..... 17,422 56

New Parks North of Harlem River—For Care and Maintenance of Said New Parks, including Roads and Bridges, and one-half of City Island Bridge..... 75,000 00

Paving the Roadway of Fifth Avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth Street..... 100,000 00

Zoological Department—For the Increase and the Keeping, Preservation, Additions to and Exhibitions of the Collection in the Zoological Department of the Central Park, including Repairs to Buildings Used for that Purpose..... 40,000 00

Maintenance of Museums—For the Keeping, Preservation and Exhibition of the Collection in the American Museum of Natural History and the Metropolitan Museum of Art..... 50,000 00

Music—Central Park and the City Parks..... 35,000 00

Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance..... 40,000 00

Telephonic Service—For Maintaining Telephonic Service for the Department..... 4,000 00

Rents—Department of Public Parks—To pay Rent of Offices for use of the Department, under agreement entered into by the Comptroller, by order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund..... 6,500 00

Monument in Honor and Memory of John Ericsson, for the erection of..... 10,000 00

Maintenance of Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including all appropriations heretofore made to this Department for Maintenance of Streets, Roads and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; for Sewers and Drains; for Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Tax and Assessment Maps; for Surveys, Maps and Plans; for the Bronx River Bridges, and for the Cromwell's Creek Bridges (pro forma)..... 1,000 00

Total..... \$1,799,162 06

I transmit herewith comparative statement in tabular form, showing the appropriations made to this Department for the year 1890, and the amounts asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1891.

It is impracticable to state at this time what balances, if any, may remain unexpended of the appropriations for the present year.

Very respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman McLarney moved to discharge the Committee on Law Department from the further consideration of an ordinance to compel owners of buildings in the City of New York to provide receptacles for ashes, rubbish and garbage.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from the Committee, and is as follows :

AN ORDINANCE to compel owners of buildings in the City of New York to provide receptacles for ashes, rubbish and garbage.

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

Section 1. The owner or owners of all tenement-houses and other buildings in the City of New York are hereby required to provide a barrel or tub, or box, or can of sufficient size to contain all the rubbish and ashes and garbage that may accumulate from day to day on his, her or their premises, which said barrel, tub, box, or can shall be placed on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of each house or tenement, and it shall be the duty of the owners or occupants of all such houses and tenements to put all their rubbish, ashes and garbage into said barrel, tubs, boxes or cans when so provided.

Sec. 2. Every person who shall violate any of the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before any police magistrate shall be punished by a fine of not more than ten (\$10) nor less than one (\$1) dollar for every offense, and in

default of payment of such fine, by imprisonment for a period of not more than ten nor less than one day.

Sec. 3. The Commissioners of the Department of Police of the City of New York are hereby directed to cause the provisions of this ordinance to be strictly enforced.

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect October 1, 1890.

Alderman McLarney moved to amend by striking out the word "October," before the figure 1 in section 5 of the ordinance, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "November."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Whereupon Alderman Morris offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is requested to furnish this Board with his opinion as to the legality of the "garbage" ordinance, and as to the power of the Common Council to pass an ordinance which conflicts with the rules and regulations of the Health Department and the Department of Street Cleaning.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Morris called up G. O. 616, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the carriage-way of West street, from Battery Place to Gansevoort street, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water, be paved with granite-block pavement on a concrete foundation, and that the present crosswalks within that space be relaid, using the present bridge-stones where not worn or broken so as to be unfit for use, and using new bridge-stones in place of defective stones, under the provisions of chapter 449, Laws of 1889, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—22.

Alderman Morris called up G. O. 617, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave the following-named street (so far as the same is not within the limits of grants of land under water), with granite-block pavement on concrete foundation : West street, from Battery place to Gansevoort street ; crosswalks of bridge-stone of North river blue stone to be laid, relaid or renewed at the several intersections where necessary, and the curb-stones along said street to be reset at the proper grade and new curb-stones of North river blue stone to be furnished as set where required ; the work to be done by contract publicly let to the lowest bidder.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Clancy, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—21.

Alderman Tait called up G. O. 625, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of North river blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, at its intersection with the easterly and westerly sides of Lexington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—21.

Alderman Tait called up G. O. 600, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on the south side of Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, be relaid and reset where necessary so as to conform to the proper grade as established by the Department of Public Works, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—21.

Alderman Tait called up G. O. 612, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid in One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Railroad avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Curry, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—21.

Alderman Terrell called up G. O. 445, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—21.

Alderman Terrell called up G. O. 499, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the west side of Central Park, West, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, and on the south side of Fifty-seventh street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Storm, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—22.

Alderman Curry called up G. O. 601, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalk on the south side of Ninety-fifth street, commencing about one hundred and fifty feet west of Columbus avenue, and extending a distance about one hundred feet, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Benjamin, Curry, Daly, Dinkel, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Storm, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—20.

Alderman Curry called up G. O. 544, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Eighth and Bradhurst avenues, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Alderman Daly moved to amend by striking out the words "One Hundred and Forty-third" before the word "street," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "One Hundred and Forty-third."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the paper was again laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Benjamin moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, October 14, 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending September 20, 1890.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN, NEW YORK, October 3, 1890.

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to September 20, 1890, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since September 13, 1890, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on September 20, 1890.

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

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain, during the week ending September 20, 1890. CR.

Main financial table with columns for 1890 Sept. 20, 1890 Sept. 13, and 1890 Sept. 20. Includes sub-totals like \$55,304 95 and \$1,373,516 79.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending September 20, 1890.

1890. Sept. 13 " 20	By Balance, as per last account current Street Improvement Fund Market Rent and Fees Street Vaults Licenses Interest on Deposits " " " " Dock and Slip Rent Croton Water Rent and Penalties Croton Water Arrears and Interest House Rent To Sinking Fund—Interest Balances	Smith Daly Gilroy Engelhard Citizens' National Bank Seventh National Bank Holland Trust Company Importers and Traders' National Bank Matthews Riley Smith Daly	SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
			DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
		\$12,838 18			\$42,626 66	
		4,851 22				
		2,689 04				
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		10 62				
		31 25				
		10 61				
		2,638 15				
		2,207 57		25,362 64		
		\$63,725 23				65,192 81
		1,652 58				
		615 00				
					\$50,000 00	
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NEW YORK, September 20, 1890. THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending October 4, 1890.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGIS-TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM-MENCED	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme....	(11) 146	1890. Sept. 29	Dunn, Pierce (In re).....	To vacate an assessment for Tenth avenue paving Seventy-fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street.
"	40 306	" 29	Davies, John Herring et al. (ex rel.) vs. Edward F. Keilly, Register, etc.	Mandamus to compel record of diplomas in County Clerk's office.
"	40 307	" 29	Hayes, John, and another (ex rel.) vs. The Board of Police.....	Mandamus to compel Police Commissioners to appoint County Democracy Inspectors of Election.
City.....	40 308	" 30	Simms, Jacob H., against Thomas Coughlin.....	Damages for alleged assault and battery, August 26, 1890, \$2,000.
Supreme....	40 309	Oct. 4	Forbes, Horatio.....	Wreaths furnished the Department of Charities and Correction October 21, 1890, \$52.50.
Superior....	40 310	" 4	Melliken, David, John Sander and Herman Hayes ads. The Mayor, etc., of New York.....	Summons only served.
Supreme....	40 311	" 4	Blizard, Mary A. (matter of).....	Claim to award on Parcel No. 691 of Pelham Bay Park.

SCHEDULE "B."

ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS ENTERED.

American Cement Company—Order of discontinuance without costs entered.
Matter of New Aqueduct, Westchester County Section—Order entered confirming fourth separate report of the Commissioners of Appraisal.
Matter of New Aqueduct, Double Reservoir "I"—Order entered confirming second separate report of the Commissioners of Appraisal.
Matter of New Aqueduct, additional lands—Order entered confirming third separate report of the Commissioners of Appraisal.
Matter of New Aqueduct, Westchester County Section—Order entered confirming report of second commission on claim of Clinton W. Sweet (entered September 25, 1890.)
Tribune Association—Order entered reducing amount of judgment, entered September 9, 1890, from \$15,664.39 to \$3,967.87.
In re John H. Livingston et al., regulating, etc., Morningside avenue—Order reducing assessment entered.
In re William L. Hall, regulating, etc., Morris avenue—Order reducing assessment entered.
Jacob Scholle et al.—Judgment entered vacating assessment for Fifth avenue opening, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, with one-half costs and disbursements.
In re Philip Mulligan, sewer in Sixty-fourth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs for lack of prosecution.
In re Henry McAlleenan, sewer in Sixty-fourth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs for lack of prosecution.
In re Catharine R. Seabury, Fourth avenue regulating, etc., Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs for lack of prosecution.
People ex rel. John Hayes and ano. vs. the Police Commissioners—Order entered directing peremptory writ of mandamus to issue.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Mary M. Gouverneur et al.—Motion to change place of trial argued before Pratt, J.; decision reserved; W. Carmalt for the City.
People ex rel. John Hayes and ano. vs. Police Commissioners—Motion for madamus argued before Lawrence, J.; D. J. Dean for Police Commissioners; motion granted.
In re Philip Mulligan, sewer in Sixty-fourth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.
In re Henry McAlleenan, sewer in Sixty-fourth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.
In re Catharine R. Seabury, Fourth avenue regulating, etc., Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Second street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.
Mayor, etc., vs. Simon Bernheimer et al.—Motion to restore to day calendar made and granted; E. J. Freedman for the City.
Phoebe J. McAdam—Motion to dismiss the complaint for lack of prosecution made and granted; T. E. Rush for the City.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, SEPTEMBER 8 TO 13, 1890.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending September 6, 1890: Males, 34; females, 5. On file.
List of 53 prisoners to be discharged from September 14 to September 20, 1890. Transmitted to Prison Association.
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 6 patients admitted, 2 discharged and 4 that have died during week ending September 8, 1890. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 8 patients admitted, 11 discharged, and 5 that have died during week ending September 6, 1890. On file.

From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to September 6, 1890. To Book-keeper.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending September 6, 1890, \$123 On file.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending September 6, 1890. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending September 6, 1890, \$324. On file.

From Storekeeper—Rejecting rice, onions, potatoes, cheese, furnished under contracts, they being inferior to samples. On file.

From Penitentiary—Report of prisoners confined in dark cells during August, 1890. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending September 6, 1890, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

By Commissioner Porter—

In view of accidents occurring in the administering of medicines, it is hereby

Resolved, That the Medical Boards of all the institutions are directed to thoroughly investigate whether the existing rules are complied with, and if additional precautions cannot be taken, that will prevent the possibility of mistakes, the result and recommendations to be sent to this Board as soon as possible. Adopted.

Contract Awarded.

H. Henneberger—8,095 pounds butter, at 14 90-100 cents per pound.

Appointed.

From Aug. 30. Margaret Hassett, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

From Sept. 5. Richard Blanchfield, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 5. Delia Gough, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 6. William S. Shriver, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

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

" 6. Maggie T. Nelly, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 8. May Tyndall, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.

" 8. Teresa J. Keegan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 9. Charles W. Cedarholm, Nurse, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.

" 9. Annie Innes, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 10. Louis Miller, Night Watchman, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.

" 10. Lizzie Moore, Laundress, Homoeopathic Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 11. John Donohue, Baker, Branch Workhouse. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 11. Michael Horan, Fireman, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.

" 11. Arthur Williams, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.

" 11. Eliza Ullman, Louisa Govan, Mary Ellis, Nurses, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum each.

" 12. Blair McCarthy, Nurse, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$300 per annum.

Reinstated.

Sept. 11. John F. Harrison, Keeper, Penitentiary. Salary, \$800 per annum.

Resigned.

Sept. 6. Cora Matthews, Nurse, Almshouse.

" 6. Patrick Mulligan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

" 8. Mary A. Harvey, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

" 8. John H. Smith, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

" 9. David F. Gifford, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

" 10. Lawrence Hanlon, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital.

" 10. John J. Daly, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

" 11. Henry Picard, Assistant Cook, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.

Dismissed.

Sept. 10. Michael Daly, Night Watchman, Bellevue Hospital.

" 10. Albert Kelly, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.

" 11. Thomas Barber, Fireman, Bellevue Hospital.

Salary Increased.

Sept. 5. John W. Flynn, William O'Reilly, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island, from \$120 to \$200 per annum, each.

" 9. Mary Karley, Kate Lenigan, Attendants, Almshouse, from \$120 to \$144 per annum, each.

" 9. William Miller, A. W. Pither, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island, from \$300 to \$360 per annum, each.

" 12. Charles F. Wilson, Orderly, Gouverneur Hospital, from \$300 to \$360 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 20, 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 September 13, 1890:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$43,008 11
For penalties on water rents.....	266 75
For tapping Croton pipes.....	229 50
For sewer permits.....	457 05
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	593 00
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	17 95
For vault permits.....	840 99
Total.....	\$45,413 35

Public Lamps.

- 11 new lamps lighted.
- 4 old lamps relighted.
- 3 lamps discontinued.
- 14 lamp-posts removed.
- 18 lamp-posts reset.
- 7 lamp-posts straightened.
- 3 columns refitted.
- 12 columns releaded.
- 3 service pipes refitted.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending September 13, 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.
Sept. 8	5 P.M.	80.	30.22	{ Consolidated, Branch 1.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.79	5.00	126.0	21.80	22.89
" 9	5 P.M.	80.	30.18	"	"	.80	5.00	117.6	23.62	23.14
" 10	2 P.M.	78.	30.33	"	"	.80	5.00	120.0	22.60	22.60
" 11	3.30 P.M.	76	30.28	"	"	.84	5.00	117.6	22.68	22.24
" 12	11.30 A.M.	76.	30.17	"	"	.82	5.00	126.0	21.66	22.74
" 13	10.30 A.M.	78.	29.98	"	"	.85	5.00	115.8	23.58	22.76
									Average.	22.73
Sept. 8	4.30 P.M.	80.	30.22	{ Consolidated, Branch 2.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.74	5.00	123.0	18.90	19.37
" 9	4 P.M.	80.	30.18	"	"	.74	5.00	120.0	19.90	19.90
" 10	2.30 P.M.	78.	30.33	"	"	.75	5.00	117.6	20.58	20.17
" 11	4 P.M.	76.	30.28	"	"	.74	5.00	116.3	21.82	21.14
" 12	12 M.	76.	30.17	"	"	.74	5.00	119.4	20.80	20.70
" 13	11 A.M.	78	29.98	"	"	.76	5.00	114.9	20.66	19.79
									Average.	20.18
Sept. 8	1.30 P.M.	82.	30.19	{ Consolidated, Branch 4.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.58	5.00	126.0	21.90	23.00
" 9	8 P.M.	80	30.20	"	"	.56	5.00	120.0	22.30	22.30
" 10	9.30 A.M.	81	30.33	"	"	.55	5.00	118.6	22.20	21.94
" 11	10 A.M.	78.	30.29	"	"	.55	5.00	120.0	22.40	22.40
" 12	8.30 A.M.	76.	30.22	"	"	.54	5.00	126.0	21.80	22.89
" 13	2.30 P.M.	77.	29.97	"	"	.54	5.00	122.4	21.92	22.36
									Average.	22.48
Sept. 8	2 P.M.	82	30.19	{ Consolidated, Branch 6.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.70	5.00	118.2	27.90	27.48
" 9	8.30 P.M.	80	30.20	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	27.32	27.32
" 10	9 A.M.	81	30.33	"	"	.69	5.00	115.8	28.13	27.12
" 11	9.30 A.M.	78.	30.29	"	"	.70	5.00	114.0	28.66	27.23
" 12	9 A.M.	76.	30.22	"	"	.68	5.00	120.0	26.96	26.96
" 13	2 P.M.	77.	29.97	"	"	.69	5.00	122.0	25.86	26.28
									Average.	27.05
Sept. 8	4 P.M.	80.	30.22	{ Consolidated, Branch 3.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.86	5.00	125.4	26.00	27.17
" 9	3.30 P.M.	80.	30.18	"	"	.86	5.00	117.6	28.24	27.67
" 10	3 P.M.	78.	30.33	"	"	.86	5.00	120.0	28.30	28.30
" 11	3 P.M.	76.	30.28	"	"	.87	5.00	123.0	27.82	28.51
" 12	11 A.M.	76.	30.17	"	"	.87	5.00	121.2	27.86	28.14
" 13	11.30 A.M.	78.	29.98	"	"	.87	5.00	123.0	27.52	30.24
									Average.	28.34
Sept. 8	3.30 P.M.	80.	30.22	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90	5.00	126.0	26.80	28.14
" 9	3 P.M.	80.	30.18	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	29.04	29.04
" 10	3.30 P.M.	78.	30.33	"	"	.90	5.00	115.2	30.96	29.72
" 11	2 P.M.	76.	30.28	"	"	.94	5.00	119.0	31.72	31.46
" 12	10.30 A.M.	76.	30.17	"	"	.92	5.00	120.0	30.82	30.82
" 13	12 M.	78.	29.98	"	"	.94	5.00	116.3	32.08	31.08
									Average.	30.04
Sept. 8	3 P.M.	80.	30.22	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.89	5.00	126.0	27.50	28.87
" 9	2 P.M.	80.	30.18	"	"	.89	5.00	119.4	29.26	29.11
" 10	4 P.M.	78.	30.33	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	28.68	28.68
" 11	2.30 P.M.	76.	30.28	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	28.34	28.34
" 12	10 A.M.	76	30.17	"	"	.90	5.00	123.6	27.92	28.76
" 13	12.30 P.M.	78.	29.98	"	"	.90	5.00	114.9	32.44	31.08
									Average.	29.14

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

Permits Issued.

- 50 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 28 permits to open streets.
- 22 permits to make sewer connections.
- 26 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 165 permits to place building material on streets.
- 19 permits—special.
- 4 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

41 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Pavement Repairs.

9,480 square yards of pavement repaired.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 4 receiving-basins relieved.
- 95 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 4,143 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 36,483 lineal feet of sewer examined.
- 3 lineal feet of new culvert pipe laid.
- 9 lineal feet of new spur-pipe laid.
- 47 manhole heads reset.

- 8 new manhole heads and covers put on.
- 2 new manhole covers put on.
- 1 new basin cover put on.
- 1 receiving-basin cover put on.
- 18 square yards of pavement relaid.
- 260 cubic feet of brickwork built.
- 3,543 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
- 319 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending September 13, 1890.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	30	94	6	5
Laying Croton Pipes.....	"	"	"	"
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	"	"	"
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	66	148	3	19
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	2	20	2	"
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	13	54	"	23
Repairs and Renewals of Pavement.....	224	291	5	78
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	20	68	14	6
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	24	9	"
Totals.....	363	699	39	131
Increase over previous week.....	2	"	"	2
Decrease from previous week.....	"	1	"	"

Appointed.

Hugh J. Daly, Inspector of Construction.
William T. Stone, Inspector of Masonry.

Discharged.

John B. Connor, Inspector of Paving.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$301,043.10.

Very respectfully,

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, }
NEW YORK, September 5, 1890. }

Present—President Henry D. Purroy in the chair, and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

Trials.

- Fireman 1st grade George J. Boles, Hook and Ladder 4, "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.
- Fireman 1st grade Peter J. Bonner, Engine 33, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.
- Fireman 1st grade Thomas Coffey (No. 1), Engine 37, "sleeping while on duty." To be reprimanded.
- Engineer of Steamer Peter F. McDermott, Engine 33, "disobedience of orders." Laid over.
- Fireman 1st grade William A. Kelly, Hook and Ladder 7, "under the influence of liquor," "neglect of duty" and "disobedience of orders." Dismissed from the service of the Department.
- Inspector of Buildings, Louis K. Osborn, Bureau Inspection of Buildings—Demanding money for allowing an alteration to be made without permit issued by the Superintendent of Buildings. Laid over.

Requisitions, etc.—Expenditures Authorized.

- 2 horses..... \$600 00
- Replacing telegraph lines..... 800 00
- Repairs to ladders, fire extinguishers, etc..... 250 00

Filed.

- Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Reporting receipt of two new hose wagons from the Gleason & Bailey Manufacturing Company, Limited.
- Finance Department—Returning voucher of John J. Walsh, Jr., for calking, for report. To Committee on Buildings and Apparatus.
- On motion, the request of the Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Co., for an extension of 30 days' time on contract for furnishing one second-sized steam fire-engine (laid over), was granted.

Bills and Pay-rolls Audited.

Schedule No. 52, of the Current Year, on this date.

- Extra Telegraph Force Pay-roll, apparatus, supplies, etc..... \$572 00
- Extra Telegraph Force Pay-roll (No. 2), placing fire-alarm conductors underground.. 39 45
- Headquarters Pay-roll, salaries..... 63 00
- Engine Company 43 Pay-roll, salaries..... 42 00
- Engine Company 51..... 42 00
- Repair Shops..... 850 79
- Hospital Stables..... 87 50

\$1,696 74

Schedule No. 53, of the Current Year, on this date.

- Arctander & Seabold, repairs and alterations to buildings..... \$410 00
- Ash & Buckbee, " "..... 260 99
- Barry, John J., " "..... 136 97
- Breen, M., " "..... 485 00
- Caswell & Guy, apparatus, supplies, etc..... 104 25
- Central Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc..... 32 96
- Clapp & Jones Mfr. Co., Limited, apparatus, supplies, etc..... 4,000 00
- Cole, W. L. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc..... 205 00
- Dakota Boarding Stables, " "..... 30 00
- Deevis, John H. & Bro., new houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies... 3,474 00
- Duffy, Phillips, apparatus, supplies, etc..... 30 00
- Frisbee, James G., " "..... 62 50
- Holmes, Booth & Hayden, work for Board of Education..... 312 80
- Johnson Foundry and Machine Co., placing fire-alarm conductors underground..... 107 42
- Jussen, Carl, Secretary, apparatus, supplies, etc..... 95 01
- Merrill, E. R., " "..... 120 13
- Miles, William H. & Co., " "..... 30 00
- Pearce, Frederick, placing fire-alarm conductors underground..... 67 37
- Seneca Lake Ice Co., apparatus, supplies, etc..... 40 60
- Sullivan, Peter, " "..... 240 00
- Towle, Frank E., new house for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies..... 15 00

\$10,268 82

Communications, etc., Referred.

Manhattan Coal Saver Co.—Requesting trial of coal saver. To the Committee on Telegraph and Supplies.

Filed.

Department of Public Works—Relating to paving One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard, with suggestion. To prepare resolution for adoption by Board of Aldermen.

Edward D. Buttler—Invitation to attend an exhibition of the Miller fire extinguisher.

Appointment.

By order of the President pro tem., approved—John J. Malley, as Machinist's Helper in the Repair Shops, at \$1.75 per day, from the 5th instant.

Adjourned.

JOHN H. BYRNES, Assistant Secretary.

NEW YORK, September 10, 1890.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Requisitions, etc.—Expenditures Authorized.

Table with 2 columns: Description of work and Amount. Includes Plumbing at quarters of Engine 30, Carpentry and masonry at quarters of Engine 38, etc.

Filed.

Chairman of the Committee on Buildings and Apparatus—Returning communication from the Finance Department, relative to calling at quarters of Engine 31, with report and recommendation to return for payment. Approved.

Bills and Pay-rolls Audited.

Schedule No. 54, of the Current Year, on this date.

Table with 2 columns: Name of contractor and Amount. Includes Ahrens Manufacturing Co., Bassett, John W., Conover, W. A., etc.

Schedule No. 55 of the Current Year, on this date.

Table with 2 columns: Name of contractor and Amount. Includes Beyer, Charles, Carlin, William, Cleary & Donnelly, etc.

Schedule No. 56 of the Current Year, on this date.

Table with 2 columns: Description of work and Amount. Includes Extra Telegraph Force Pay-roll, Headquarters Pay-roll, salaries, etc.

Communication—Filed.

Lewis K. Osborn, Inspector Bureau Inspection of Buildings—Tendering his resignation. Accepted. Charges pending.

Adjourned.

JOHN H. BYRNES, Assistant Secretary.

NEW YORK, September 15, 1890.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Communications, etc., Filed.

Manager Harlem Theatre—Tendering thanks to the Department for saving theatre during the fire in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street on 10th instant.

Assistant Foreman Engine 6—Reporting loss of coat badge by Fireman 1st grade Edward Gallagher. Fined.

Foreman Engine 27—Reporting the recovery of coat badge belonging to Fireman 1st grade John J. Moore. To remit fine.

Requisitions, etc.—Expenditure Authorized.

Plumbing work required at various quarters, \$49.99.

Referred.

Captain in charge of the Hospital and Training Stables—Two horses for Engine 17, estimated cost, \$600. Back, with directions to select.

Attorney to Department—Returning four fire-escape cases of the current year, with the recommendation that complaints be dismissed. Approved and referred to the Superintendent of Buildings.

Filed.

Chief of Department—Returning the request of the Hale Patent Harness Company, for permission to put on trial a set of their patent collars and swinging devices, with recommendation. Approved.

Finance Department—Relative to extension of time granted to the Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Company, on contract for furnishing one second-size steam fire-engine.

On motion, the time was extended to date of the receipt of the engine.

Same—Weekly statement of condition of the appropriation.

Adjourned.

JOHN H. BYRNES, Assistant Secretary.

NEW YORK, September 17, 1890.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy in the chair, and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

Trials.

Fireman 1st grade William J. Harris, Engine 14, "conduct prejudicial to good order." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Thomas Leddy, Engine 14, "conduct prejudicial to good order." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Robert K. Grace, Hook and Ladder 14, "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.

Assistant Foreman John T. Needham, Engine 53, "absence without leave." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Luke Welsh, Engine 51, "absence without leave." Reprimanded.

Fireman 1st grade John Ward (No. 2), Engine 30, "conduct prejudicial to the good reputation, order or discipline of the Department." Suspension from duty ordered pending trial on the 24th instant.

Fireman 1st grade Edward J. Murphy, Hook and Ladder 4, "neglect of duty." Accused reported sick and unable to be present. Laid over.

Requisitions, etc.—Expenditures Authorized.

Table with 2 columns: Description of work and Amount. Includes Plumbing and gas-fitting at quarters of Engine 33, Carpentry at quarters of Engine 37, etc.

Referred.

Foreman of Engine 30—Requesting that manure pit be placed in yard of company quarters. To Chairman of Committee on Buildings and Apparatus.

Foreman of Engine 31—Applying to have partition removed. To Chairman of Committee on Buildings and Apparatus.

Filed.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of condition of the appropriation.

Bills and Pay-rolls Audited.

Schedule No. 57 of the Current Year, on this date.

Table with 2 columns: Name of contractor and Amount. Includes Arctander, Arthur, repairs and alterations to buildings, Arctander & Seabold, Barry, John J., etc.

Schedule No. 58, of the Current Year, on this date.

Table with 2 columns: Description of work and Amount. Includes Extra Telegraph Force Pay-roll, Headquarters Pay-roll, salaries, etc.

Schedule No. 94, of 1889, on this date.

Table with 2 columns: Description of work and Amount. Includes Christie, George H., new houses for Hook and Ladder Companies, Standard Underground Cable Co., etc.

Finance Department—Relative to bill of \$51 for rent of premises No. 160 East Thirty-third street, (rear), etc. To apply for renewal of lease from date of its expiration.

Communications, etc., Referred.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Recommending the placing of additional street boxes, and that the Gas Engine & Power Co. be permitted to connect a special building box with Department circuit at their own expense. Back, with directions to carry out.

Chief of Department—Recommending that application be made to the Commissioners of the Department of Docks for a new berth for the floating engine "Zophar Mills," the old berth having been leased for ferry purposes. To Commissioner Robbins.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Returning the request of the Finance Department for an alarm box to be placed in the New West Washington Market building, with recommendation. Back, with directions to carry out.

Foremen of Engine 31 and 29, and Hook and Ladder 20—Reporting accumulation of horse manure at company quarters. To Commissioner Robbins.

Filed.

Deputy Chief of Department commanding—Returning communication of the Superintendent of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, relative to apparatus of the Department being driven through Fourth avenue tunnel on the 3d instant, with report.

Foreman in charge of the Repair Shops—Stating that Painter Joseph Seibert has not reported for duty since April 5.

Foreman of Engine 40—Reporting the loss of hose spanner by Fireman 1st grade Thomas H. Relyea of Engine 40. Fined.

George W. Hunt—Applying for the position of stoker on the floating engine "The New Yorker."

C. H. Boutwell and others—Expressing their grateful appreciation of the very efficient services rendered by the Department during the fire at Stransky & Co.'s, on the 10th instant.

Adjourned.

JOHN. H. BYRNES, Assistant Secretary.

NEW YORK, September 19, 1890.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Appointment.

William Miller, as Stableman in the Hospital and Training Stables, at \$2 per day, to take effect on the 20th instant.

Adjourned.

JOHN. H. BYRNES, Assistant Secretary.

NEW YORK, September 24, 1890.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy, in the chair, and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

Trials.

Fireman 1st grade Edward J. Murphy, Hook and Ladder 4, "neglect of duty." Sentence suspended.

Fireman 1st grade John Ward (No. 2), Engine 30, "conduct prejudicial to the good reputation, order or discipline of the Department," "neglect of duty," and "violation of section 36 of Article VI. of Rules and Regulations." Sentenced to be dismissed from the service of the Department.

Requisitions, etc.—Expenditures Authorized.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes Carpentery at Hospital and Training Stable (\$97.00), Iron work, Headquarters (225.00), Mason work (130.00), Paving (400.00), Plumbing, quarters Engine 40 and Hospital and Training Stables (20.00), One horse for Engine 5 (300.00).

Referred.

Captain in charge of the Hospital and Training Stables—Two horses, one for Engine 20 and one for Engine 53, at estimated cost, \$300 each. Back, with directions to select.

Filed.

Attorney to the Department—Report of moneys received during the month of August, 1890, for violations of the building law, with check therefor, which had been transmitted to the Comptroller. Action of the President pro tem. in transmitting check approved.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of the condition of the appropriation. Leonhard Kautman—Claim against George H. Christie.

Bills and Pay-rolls Audited.

Schedule No. 59 of the Current Year, on this date.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes Berry, Charles E., apparatus, supplies, etc. (\$130.65), Breen, M., repairs and alterations to buildings (39.08), Dahlman, I. H., apparatus, supplies, etc. (900.00), Fiegel, M., & Bro. (86.40), Guita Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc. (575.00), Hell Gate Oil Works, apparatus, supplies, etc. (30.00), Holmes, Booth & Hayden (416.00), Keller Manufacturing Co., repairs and alterations to buildings (64.00), Loos, Christopher G., apparatus, supplies, etc. (468.00), Lurch, David (21.25), Moonan, John (855.42), Moonan, John (540.00), Moonan, John (582.50), New Haven Clock Co. (78.75), Ogden & Wallace (9.18), Patterson, Gottfried & Hunter, Limited, apparatus, supplies, etc. (55.80), Pearce, Frederick, apparatus, supplies, etc. (451.35), Porter's Sons, William (12.55), Powers, John, manager (881.90), Sanitary Stall Co., repairs and alterations to buildings (168.00), Sheridan, Thos. J., apparatus, supplies, etc. (1,309.00), Smith, Clifford E. (33.27), Smith, J. Elliot (64.26), Vanderwater, W. C. (4.50). Total: \$7,768.16.

Schedule No. 60 of the Current Year, on the 26th inst.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes Extra Telegraph Force pay-roll, apparatus, supplies, etc. (\$571.50), Extra Telegraph Force pay-roll (No. 2), placing fire-alarm conductors underground (34.25), Headquarters pay-roll, salaries (63.00), Engine 43 (42.00), Engine 51 (42.00), Repair Shops pay-roll, salaries (1,019.03), Hospital Stables (97.50). Total: \$1,869.28.

Schedule No. 61 of the Current Year, on the 26th inst.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes Headquarters pay-roll, September salaries (\$3,994.94), Attorney to Department pay-roll, September salaries (333.00), Chief of Department (3,749.90), Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies pay-roll, September salaries (108,205.04), Bureau of Combustibles pay-roll, September salaries (1,200.00), Bureau of Fire Marshal (616.65), Bureau of Inspection of Buildings pay-roll, September salaries (7,430.78), Telegraph Force (No. 2) (433.33), Repair Shops (2,244.96), Hospital and Training Stables (743.66). Total: \$129,077.59.

Communications, etc., Referred.

Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violations of law. Back, with directions to enforce collection of the penalties.

Same—Recommending the remission of penalties. Back, with instructions to carry out.

Same—Recommending the prosecution of persons for violations of law. To Attorney to Department with instructions to carry out.

Attorney to Department—Returning two violation cases of the current year, with recommendation that complaints be dismissed. To the Superintendent of Buildings. Approved.

Driver James Moore in the Repair Shops—Requesting that his pay be fixed at an annual rate in place of per diem. To Chairman Committee on Buildings and Apparatus.

St. Vincent's Hospital—Applying for a special building signal box. To Superintendent of Telegraph for proper action.

Filed.

Theatre Detail at Niblo's Theatre—Reporting slight damage caused by an electric wire.

Fireman 3d grade Philip C. Harmon, Jr., Hook and Ladder 10—Applying for advancement to 2d grade. Ordered from the 1st proximo.

Superintendent of Buildings—Recommending that the salary of Inspector Cornelius J. Horgan, Bureau Inspection of Buildings, be fixed at \$1,500 per annum. Ordered from 1st proximo.

Nathaniel R. Harris—Inviting attention to his process for preserving stone.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 330, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate the "Daily News" and the "New York Morning Journal," two of the daily papers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of unredeemed pawns or pledges by public auction in said city, by pawnbrokers, shall be published for at least six days previous thereto, until otherwise ordered.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which 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. WM. McM. SPEER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. 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. SHREHAN, Secretary; A. FTELEV, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMY 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. HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

No. 31 Chamber 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. KEESSE, 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. LOWDER 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 VREDEBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes. No money received after 2 P. M.

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

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes. Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney. SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

Office of the Corporation Attorney. No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. LOUIS 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. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

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

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

Bureau of Fire Marshal. JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

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

Attorney to Department. WM. L. FINDLEY.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS. Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. ALBERT GALLUP, 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.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5. The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALEXANDER 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. DANIEL E. SICKLES, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. 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. County Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; CHARLES J. MCGEE, 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. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. MCGRAH, Examiner.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 124 Second avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M. MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZE, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

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

SUPREME COURT

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M. CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; 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.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.1/2 o'clock A. M. JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges. Terms open, first Monday each month. JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. PETER MITCHELL, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets. CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

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

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

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day. Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. JOHN JEROLAMAN, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 150 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. JOSEPH P. FALON, Justice. Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9 1/2 A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M. ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the North river. Court-room, No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

STATE TAX SALE.

STATE OF NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, ALBANY, AUGUST 13, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO law, that a list of all the lands liable to be sold by the Comptroller, for taxes assessed and levied in the years 1889, 1884, 1885, 1886 and 1887, and of certain lands liable to be sold for taxes levied in the years 1831 to 1832, both inclusive, has been forwarded to each of the County Treasurers and Town and City Clerks in this State; and that so much of said lands as may be necessary to discharge the taxes for said years, and the interest and charges which may be due thereon at the time of sale, will, on the eleventh day of December next, and the succeeding days, be sold at public auction, at the Capitol, in the City of Albany. EDWARD WEMPLE, Comptroller.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, September 19, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING eleven (11) head-house superstructures, etc., for the shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, October 8, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 3, 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, October 22, 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 contemplated changes in the street system of the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, viz: 1. Change of grade of Nathalie avenue, near Kingsbridge road, and laying-out a drainage street between Nathalie avenue and Kingsbridge road. 2. Change of lines of Heath avenue, at the Fordham Heights Station.

The general character and extent of the contemplated changes consist in changing the grade of Nathalie avenue, between Kingsbridge road and a point about 950 feet north thereof; laying-out a drainage street, 25 feet wide, between Nathalie avenue and Kingsbridge road, and in changing the location and discontinuing a portion of Heath avenue, from Fordham road to about 160 feet north thereof. Maps showing the contemplated changes are now on exhibition in said office.

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, October 8, 1890, for Heating Apparatus Work required in the Annex, Grammar School No. 70, at No. 207 East Seventy-fifth street.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman, L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, September 25, 1890.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to take and acquire certain pieces or parcels of land located in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of a Public Park, pursuant to chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, and to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out and opening said pieces or parcels of land, for the said purpose of a Public Park, the said pieces or parcels of land being bounded and described as follows:

- 1. Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Leroy street, distant 364.58 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern side of Leroy street with the eastern side of Hudson street; thence— 1. Running westerly along the southern side of Leroy street for 364.58 feet to the eastern side of Hudson street; 2. Thence running southerly along the eastern side of Hudson street for 208.0 feet to the northern side of Clarkson street; 3. Thence running easterly along the northern side of Clarkson street for 340.62 feet to the northern side of Carmine street; 4. Thence running easterly along the northern side of Carmine street for 2.41 feet; 5. Thence running northerly for 208.2 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning. This plot has been heretofore used in part as a burying ground. And that such proposed action of the said Board has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of said city. Dated NEW YORK, October 7, 1890. V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, October 2, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SEVEN (7) Horses (registered numbers 88, 138, 162, 197, 286, 383 and 447) will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash on Tuesday, October 7, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirteenth street.

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, September 26, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting a building on the east side of Fulton avenue, for Engine Company No. 42 of this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, October 15, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures. The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and forty (140) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, it deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of eight thousand (8,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, NO. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING), NEW YORK, October 6, 1890.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Rolls of Real Estate, Personal Property and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1890, and the warrants for the collection of taxes, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that all the taxes on said assessment rolls are now due and payable at this office.

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

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1890, ON THE Registered Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room No. 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from September 30 to November 1, 1890.

The interest due November 1, 1890, on the Coupon Bonds of the City of New York will be paid on that day by the State Trust Company, No. 50 Wall street. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Sept. 23, 1890.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 6r 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, September 30, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Seven Portable Houses, the property of this Department, heretofore used as election booths (but now unsuitable for that purpose on account of size), will be sold at Public Auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Wednesday, October 15, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the building formerly used as a station-house, No. 220 East Fifty-ninth street. Purchasers to remove the booths within forty-eight hours after the sale.

By order of the Board. WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

- 10,590 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, October 16, 1890. 1,678 pounds Cheese. 1,500 pounds Dried Apples. 2,200 pounds Harley, price to include packages. 5,100 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted. 700 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted. 200 pounds Chicory. 600 pounds Wheat Grits, price to include packages. 2,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages. 300 pounds Macaroni. 6,800 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages. 200 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted. 6,700 pounds Rice. 15,000 pounds Brown Sugar. 2,100 pounds Coffee Sugar. 1,000 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar. 1,700 pounds Granulated Sugar. 300 pounds Corn Starch, one-pound packages. 2,000 pounds Oolong Tea. 1,100 gallons Syrup, in barrels. 722 bushels Beans. 100 barrels Crackers. 100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within fifteen days. 20 barrels first quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel. 3,600 dozen fresh Eggs, all to be candled. 615 barrels good, sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel. 50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel. 100 barrels prime Russian Turnips, to weigh 135 pounds net per barrel. 1,600 heads prime, good-sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels. 41 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each. 53 pieces prime quality City-cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each. 28 prime quality City-cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each. 189 bales prime quality long, bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed 3 pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island. 35 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare and weight same as on straw. 50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each. 50 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each. 200 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.

- DRY GOODS, LEATHER, ETC. 200 dozen pairs Women's Stockings. 25 gross Women's Thimbles. 100 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each. 1,000 pounds Offal Leather. 5 bales Broom Corn.

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A.M. of Friday, October 17, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Leather, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, October 4, 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), 2,000 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 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, October 17, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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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.

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

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

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

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

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

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, 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, October 4, 1890. HENRY H. PORTER, President, CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier "A" North river—Unknown man, aged about 25 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair; deformity of left leg. Had on black coat, gray and black striped pants, white knit undershirt, white bosom shirt, gaiters.

Unknown man, from Tenth Precinct Station-house, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; sandy hair and moustache; blue eyes. Had on black coat and vest, blue and brown striped pants, white linen shirt, white cotton socks, laced shoes; "J. M." tattooed on right arm.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Charles Swain, aged 37 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat, pants and vest, colored shirt, shoes, black derby hat. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an open competitive examination will be held at the rooms of the Civil Service Boards, in the Cooper Union, for the positions below mentioned, upon the date specified:

- October 9. ASSISTANT APOTHECARY. October 9. ASSISTANT PHYSICIAN at the Insane Asylums, both in the Department of Charities and Correction.

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows: Schedule A shall include all deputies of officers and commissioners duly authorized to act for their principals, and all persons necessarily occupying a strictly confidential position.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

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 3335, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling, both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

List 3338, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling, north side of Ninetieth street, from Madison to Park avenue.

List 3342, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling, both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

List 3349, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Second street, from Ninth to Tenth 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 Twelfth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

No. 2. North side of Ninetieth street, from Madison to Park avenue.

- No. 3. Both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 5th day of November, 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, October 4, 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 3298, No. 1. Outlet sewer through Pier 4, North river, with sewers in West street, between Rector street and Battery place, connecting with sewers in Battery place and Morris street.

List 3336, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging west side of Boulevard, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street.

List 3347, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Eighth to Manhattan 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. Blocks bounded by Greenwich and West streets, Battery place and Morris street, including both sides of Greenwich street; north side of Battery place, from Bowling Green to Greenwich street; both sides of Morris street, from Broadway to West street; east side of West street, from Morris to Rector street, and both sides of Washington street, commencing at Morris street, and extending northerly about 125 feet.

No. 2. West side of the Boulevard, extending northerly from Sixty-fifth street about 166 feet 1/2 inches.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Eighth to Manhattan avenues, 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 5th day of November, 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, October 3, 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 3325, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3330, No. 2. Catch-basin on the southeast corner of Sixty-sixth street and the Boulevard.

List 3331, No. 3. Sewer in Park avenue, west side, between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, connecting with present sewer in Ninety-fourth street.

List 3332, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 3333, No. 5. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 3334, No. 6. Sewer in Washington street, between Beach and North Moore streets.

List 3337, No. 7. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling on the southwest corner of Canal and Mott streets, extending a distance of about 100 feet on Mott street.

List 3339, No. 8. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling, west side of Tenth avenue, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

List 3345, No. 9. Fencing the vacant lots on both sides of the Boulevard, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-eighth streets.

List 3346, No. 10. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Eighty-fourth street, beginning about 230 feet easterly from Riverside Drive, and extending about 200 feet easterly.

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

- No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and extending to half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Triangle bounded by Sixty-sixth street, Boulevard and Ninth avenue.

No. 3. West side of Park Avenue, from Ninety-third to Ninety-fourth streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and extending northerly from the northwest corner of Ninth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, about 100 feet.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Washington street, from North Moore to Beach street.

No. 7. Commencing at the southwest corner of Canal and Mott streets, extending a distance of about 100 feet southerly on Mott street.

No. 8. West side of Tenth avenue, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

No. 9. East side of the Boulevard, from Eighty-sixth to Eighty-seventh street, and west side of the Boulevard, from Eighty-sixth to Eighty-eighth street.

No. 10. North side of Eighty-fourth street, beginning about 230 feet easterly from Riverside Drive, and extending about 200 feet easterly.

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 31st day of October, 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, Sept. 30, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 1, 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. on Wednesday, October 15, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

- No. 1. FOR SEWER IN TWELFTH AVENUE, EAST SIDE, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-seventh streets, WITH OUTLET THROUGH PIER AT THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND CONNECTIONS TO PRESENT SEWERS IN THIRTY-SIXTH AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREETS.
No. 2. FOR SEWER IN PARK AVENUE, WEST SIDE, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets, WITH ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO PRESENT SEWER IN NINETY-SECOND STREET, between Park and Madison avenues.
No. 3. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-FIFTH STREET, between Harlem River and First avenue.
No. 4. FOR SEWER IN BOULEVARD, WEST SIDE, AND WEST END AVENUE, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Eighth street, WITH CURVES INTO ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREETS.
No. 5. FOR SEWER IN CONVENT AVENUE, between manhole south of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, between Convent and Amsterdam (Tenth) avenues, and in Amsterdam (Tenth) avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.
No. 6. FOR SEWER IN AMSTERDAM (TENTH) AVENUE, EAST SIDE, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, CONNECTING WITH PRESENT SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, east of Amsterdam (Tenth) avenue.
No. 7. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, between Hamilton place and Amsterdam (Tenth) avenue, and in AMSTERDAM (TENTH) AVENUE, west side, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.

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

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 1, 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. on Wednesday, October 15, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

- No. 1. FOR CONNECTING NEW GATE-HOUSE AT ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET AND CONVENT AVENUE WITH THE OLD AQUEDUCT ON TENTH AVENUE, AND THE REMOVAL OF THE GATE-HOUSES ON TENTH AVENUE, AT ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact.

That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, September 26, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a petition of the property owners, with map and plan for changing the grade of "FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUE A AND THE EAST RIVER," is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office, on or before the 8th day of October, 1890.

The maps showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, June 2, 1890.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK:

It becomes my duty as Commissioner of Public Works and custodian of the many and immense interests involved in the City's water supply, to briefly present to the people of the City the present condition of the supply, and the extreme necessity for care and economy in the use of the water.

For a number of years past and up to the present time, the old Aqueduct and the Bronx river conduit have delivered in the City all the water which they are capable of carrying, the supply thus remaining stationary when the City has been constantly growing in population, buildings, manufactures and commerce, creating new and additional demands upon the water service. The consequence is that at certain seasons of the year, notably in extreme cold weather, when the habit of wasting water from faucets to prevent freezing in the pipes prevails, and in warm and dry weather, when various methods of waste are in vogue, the daily consumption exceeds the supply which can by any possibility be received through the old Aqueduct and the Bronx river conduit, the excess of consumption being drawn from the city reservoirs, diminishing the depth of water and the pressure in the distributing mains. There is no possibility of increasing the water supply received in the City until the new Aqueduct is brought into operation, and in the meantime the only reliance for a fair and equal distribution of water throughout the city is care and economy in its use on the part of the people. Already the depth of water in the reservoirs is being diminished at the rate of one inch per day, and if this should continue for any length of time, the pressure in the distributing mains would be so reduced that it would be impossible to deliver water in thousands of houses located on high ground, and in some other locations even in the basements or cellars.

I, therefore, most earnestly appeal to all citizens, residents and people carrying on business in this city to be careful and economical in the use of water, in justice to themselves, to the people at large, and especially to those who are so located as to be already suffering inconvenience from insufficient supply of water.

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, JUNE 1st, 1889.

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 921 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887 the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in arrears in the same manner as regular rents have heretofore been treated.

2d. In every building where a water meter or meters are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, September 26, 1890.

MESSRS. VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, Auctioneers, will sell to the highest bidders at public auction, for account of the Department of Docks, on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1890,

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., the following-named and described old material, at the places stated in the order given, and upon the terms as specified, to wit:

- Basin South of Seventy-fifth Street, N. R.
Lot 1. Raft of old plank, 36 feet long, 21 feet wide, 5 feet deep.
Lot 2. Raft yellow pine (old), 12 inches by 12 inches, 47 feet long, 15 feet wide, 1 foot deep.
Lot 3. Raft old timber plank, 55 feet long, 22 feet wide, 5 feet deep.
Lot 4. Raft old timber plank, 22 feet long, 20 feet wide, 4 feet deep.
Lot 5. Raft old planks, 18 inches long, 14 feet wide, 1 foot 6 inches deep.
Lot 6. Raft old planks, 30 feet long, 20 feet wide, 2 feet deep.
Lot 7. Raft old timber and planks, 58 feet long, 18 feet wide, 2 feet deep.
Lot 8. Raft old timber, 12 inches by 12 inches, 26 feet long, 28 feet wide.
Lot 9. Raft old planks, 23 feet long, 17 feet wide, 1 foot 6 inches deep.
Lot 10. Raft old piles, 22 feet long, 15 feet wide, 12 inches deep.

West Fifty-seventh Street Yard.

- Lot 11. About 290 pounds of old wrought iron.
Lot 12. About 4,874 pounds of old cast-iron.
Lot 13. About 120 pounds of old brass.
Lot 14. 1 old tubular boiler 24 inches by 60 inches, 800 pounds.

West Washington Market Section.

- Lot 15. Raft of old plank, 4 inches and 5 inches, 22 feet by 18 feet by 5 feet deep.
Lot 16. Raft of old plank 3 inches and 4 inches, 30 feet by 17 feet by 5 feet deep.
Lot 17. Raft of square old timber, 23 feet by 15 feet by 4 feet deep.
Lot 18. Raft of square old timber, 25 feet by 25 feet by 4 feet deep.
Lot 19. Bunch of long pile butts, about 21 feet long, 88 in number.
Lot 20. Raft containing about 21 short pile butts, about 12 feet long; 10 long butts, 21 feet long; and 8 broken piles, about 40 feet long.

East Twenty-fourth Street Section.

- Lot 21. About 100 long cut pile butts, about 20 feet long.
Lot 22. About 135 short cut pile butts, about 7 feet long.
Lot 23. About 25 pile points, about 7 feet to 10 feet long.

Bellevue Section.

- Lot 24. About 200 long cut pile butts, about 20 feet long.
Lot 25. About 260 short cut pile butts, about 7 feet long.
Lot 26. About 50 pile points, about 7 feet to 10 feet long.

East Ninety-fourth Street Section.

- Lot 27. About 118 long cut pile butts about 20 feet long.
Lot 28. About 408 short cut pile butts, about 7 feet long.

East One Hundred and Tenth Street Section.

- Lot 29. About 149 long cut pile butts, about 20 feet long.
Lot 30. About 1,215 short cut pile butts, about 7 feet long.

CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., and be continued in the following order: First—At Basin south of Seventy-fifth street, North river. Second—At West Fifty-seventh Street Yard. Third—At West Washington Market Section. Fourth—At East Twenty-fourth Street Section. Fifth—At Bellevue Section. Sixth—At East Ninety-fourth Street Section. Seventh—At East One Hundred and Tenth Street Section.

Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross.

The estimated quantities stated to be in the several lots are believed to be correct, but the Department will not make any allowance from the purchase money for short delivery on any lot, and bidders must judge for themselves as to the correctness of the estimate of quantity when making their bids.

All property not removed promptly will remain at the risk of the buyer.

Terms of sale to be cash, to be paid at the time of sale. An order will be given for the material purchased.

EDWIN A. POST, JAMES MATTHEWS, J. SERGEANT CRAM, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

(No. 355.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING FOR A NEW PIER AT FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, ON THE EAST RIVER.

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 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 Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth of water set opposite thereto in the specifications, is as follows: For New Pier at foot of East Twenty-second street, East river, 10,000 cubic yards.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised 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 that fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

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

above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specification 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 DEFERRED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATHIEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated, NEW YORK, September 24, 1890.

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, 1890.

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Wednesday, October 15, 1890, at 3 30 o'clock P. M., for the consideration of the report of the Executive Committee as to the amount of money which will be required for the support of the College during 1891.

By order,
JOHN L. N. HUNT,
Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN,
Secretary.
Dated NEW YORK, October 7, 1890.

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO section 1839 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," that at the General Election to be held in this State on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next (1890), the following municipal officers (including ward and district officers) are to be elected in the City and County of New York, to wit:

- A Mayor, in the place of Hugh J. Grant.
- A Comptroller, in the place of Theodore W. Myers.
- A District Attorney, in the place of John R. Fellows.
- A President of the Board of Aldermen, in the place of John H. V. Arnold.
- Twenty-five Aldermen, one of whom shall be elected in the territory embraced in each Assembly District, as the same existed on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, except that in the territory embraced in the Twenty-fourth Assembly District there shall be elected two of said Aldermen, one for the district comprising the territory embraced within the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, and one from the district embraced within the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the said wards exist by law.
- A Judge of the Superior Court, in the place of Richard O'Gorman.
- A Judge of the Superior Court, in the place of John J. Freedman.

A Judge of the City Court, in the place of James M. Fitzsimons, for the unexpired term of William F. Pitshke.

A Judge of the City Court, in the place of Leonard A. Giegerich, for the unexpired term of Charles J. Nehrbas.

A Justice for the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the City of New York, in the place of William S. Moore, for the unexpired term of George B. Deane.

A Justice for the District Court of the Seventh Judicial District of the City of New York, in the place of John B. McKean, for the unexpired term of Ambrose Monell.

A Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, created by chapter 545, Laws of 1890.

A Sheriff, in the place of Daniel E. Sickles, appointed by the Governor, in the place of James A. Flack, resigned.

A Coroner, in the place of Michael J. B. Messemer. Twenty-four Members of Assembly, one of whom shall be elected in each of the Assembly Districts as now established by law.

Dated NEW YORK, October 6, 1890.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.

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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 November, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said eighteenth day of November, 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 nineteenth day of November, 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 East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-third street and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to St. Ann's avenue; easterly by the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-second street and East One Hundred and Forty-third street, from St. Ann's avenue to Rider avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Rider 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 first day of December, 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, October 7, 1890.
MICHAEL J. MCKENNA, Chairman,
BERNARD REILLY, Jr.,
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of WEBSTER AVENUE, commencing at One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and running to its intersection with the south line of Middlebrook Parkway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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 seventeenth day of November, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said seventeenth day of November, 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 eighteenth day of November, 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 Moshulu Parkway; easterly by the westerly line of the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad; southerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Jerome avenue and 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 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 fifth day of December, 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, October 6, 1890.
JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
JOHN H. MOONEY,
JOHN HALLORAN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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 10th day of October, 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, September 26, 1890.
JOHN J. BRADY,
BENJAMIN F. EDSELL,
SAMUEL E. DUFFEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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. 280 Broadway (Room 4), in the said city, on or before the eighth day of October, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said eighteenth day of October, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twentieth day of October, 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 a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Hampden street; easterly by the westerly line of Jerome avenue; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Hampden street, and westerly by the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved lands included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown or 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 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 31st day of October, 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, September 6, 1890.
HENRY HUGHES, Chairman,
JOSEPH C. WOLFF,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

- Beginning at the intersection of the eastern and most northerly lines of Bailey avenue, as the same has been legally opened:
- 1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Bailey avenue, for 72.23 feet;
- 2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 99° 03' 13" to the left, for 175.57 feet;
- 3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 6° 22' 24" to the left, for 60.04 feet;
- 4th. Thence easterly, curving to the left on the arc of

a circle whose radius, drawn through the eastern extremity of the preceding course, forms an angle of 90° 53' 57" to the north with the same and is 540 feet, for 160.41 feet to a point of compound curve;

- 5th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 310 feet, for 258.81 feet;
- 6th. Thence northeasterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 271.39 feet;
- 7th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 8° 45' 13" to the right, for 638.46 feet;
- 8th. Thence easterly, deflecting 37° 22' 23" to the right, for 53.82 feet to the western line of Sedgwick avenue;
- 9th. Thence northerly, along the western line of Sedgwick avenue, for 80 feet to the southern line of Giles place;
- 10th. Thence westerly along the southern line of Giles place, curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 350 feet, for 51.38 feet;
- 11th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 40° 53' 43" to the right from the southern prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its western extremity, for 86.21 feet;
- 12th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 3° 19' 14" to the right, for 609.92 feet;
- 13th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 8° 45' 13" to the left, for 275.98 feet;
- 14th. Thence westerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 250 feet, for 208.74 feet to a point of compound curve;
- 15th. Thence westerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 180 feet, for 368.42 feet;
- 16th. Thence southwesterly, for 24.46 feet, to the point of beginning.

Boston avenue is a street of the first class and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated NEW YORK, September 23, 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WALNUT AVENUE, extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 10th day of October, 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, September 26, 1890.
JOHN H. KNORRPEL,
RICHARD H. CLARKE,
JOHN H. SPELMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the fourteenth day of October, 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 a line commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Alexander avenue with the easterly line of Third avenue, and extending easterly and at right angles with the easterly line of Alexander avenue to its intersection with the easterly boundary line of the assessment district as herein-after described; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Alexander avenue and Willis avenue; southerly by the Harlem river, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Alexander avenue and Lincoln avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Alexander avenue and Third 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 thirty-first day of October, 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, September 3, 1890.
JOSEPH MCGUIRE, Chairman,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
FRANCIS HIGGINS,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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Supervisor