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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, March 4, 1890,
1 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT:

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President;

ALDERMEN

Andrew A. Noonan,
Vice-President,
David Barry,
Philip B. Benjamin,
Nicholas T. Brown,
William Clancy,
Bernard Curry,
Cornelius Daly,

Charles H. Duffy,
Alexander J. Dowd,
Cornelius Flynn,
George Gregory,
Thomas M. Lynch,
James E. McLarney,
August Moebus,
George B. Morris,

William H. Murphy,
Patrick N. Oakley,
William P. Rinckhoff,
David J. Roche,
Louis Schlamp,
Isaac H. Terrell,
William H. Walker.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Moebus—

Petition of the Harlem Bridge, Morrisania and Fordham Railway Company for permission to build an extension or branch to their present road, as follows:

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

The petition of the Harlem Bridge, Morrisania and Fordham Railway Company respectfully shows:

That your petitioner is a corporation organized and existing under and pursuant to the laws of the State of New York, for the purpose of acting as a common carrier of persons and property on and through the surface of certain streets and avenues now in the City of New York, and that the said company is desirous of building and operating a branch or extension of such railroad through, upon and along the surface of a certain street or avenue in the Twenty-third Ward of said City and to and from the following-named points, viz.:

Beginning at the point or place where Courtlandt avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, intersects North Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, thence running northerly through, upon and along said Courtlandt avenue, with double tracks to a point on the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and said Courtlandt avenue. Together with such switches, sidings, turn-outs and turn-tables and suitable stands as may be necessary for the convenient working of said road.

And your petitioner respectfully asks the consent of your Honorable Body to the construction, maintenance and operation of such extension or branch through, upon and along the surface of such portion of the within-mentioned avenue and in such manner as above described and set forth.

THE HARLEM BRIDGE, MORRISANIA AND FORDHAM
RAILWAY COMPANY,
By HENRY SPRATLEY, President.

Dated March 4, 1890.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By Alderman Daly—

Petition to change name of parts of Ninth avenue and Tenth avenue to Columbus avenue and Holland or Amsterdam avenue, respectively.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance to amend section 18 of article I. of chapter 6 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, respectfully

REPORT:

That the proposed amendment is intended simply to remove a restriction which confines the sales of articles in the public yard, or other place provided therefor, that have been removed from the public streets, to the months of February, May, August and November, and authorizes the sale of such articles at any time the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

Your Committee believe the Commissioner should be vested with discretionary power in the premises, and accordingly recommend the adoption of the ordinance herewith submitted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 18 of article I. of 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 18 of article I. of chapter 6 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880 is hereby amended by inserting in said section, after the word "November," in the second line thereof, the words "or at any other time he may designate," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

"Section 18. He shall, between the first and tenth days of February, May, August and November, or at any other time he may designate, in each year, advertise and sell, at public auction, all such articles so removed as shall have been in the public yard, or other suitable place, one month prior to the time of advertising; and he shall, immediately after such sale, account for and pay the proceeds thereof into the City Treasury in the manner provided in the last section."

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
DAVID BARRY, } on
GEORGE B. MORRIS, } Law Department.

Alderman Daly moved that the ordinance as reported be amended by striking out the word "or" and substituting the word "and" therefor after the word "November."
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said ordinance as amended.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

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

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted February 18, 1890, appointing Julius Preuss a City Surveyor, on the ground that it has not been sufficiently shown that the person proposed to be appointed is capable.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That Julius Preuss be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.
Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 27, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted February 18, 1890, which provides for the lighting of Hall place, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street. The Commissioner of Public Works reports that this place or street is at present an open common, not graded, and without sidewalks, and, consequently, without proper place for public lamps. The resolution is, therefore, premature.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted, in Hall place, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 27, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted February 18, 1890, which provides for the regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard. The Commissioner of Public Works reports that this street is not legally opened, and no expenditure can be incurred for improving it until the City acquires title to it for public use.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

G. O. 179 (October), G. O. 180 (November).

Alderman Brown moved that his Honor the Mayor be requested to return to this Board General Orders Nos. 130 and 131, being reports from Committee on Law Department in favor of granting applications made during the months of October and November, 1888, for permission to keep trucks in the public streets during the night time.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the papers were received from his Honor the Mayor (for which see proceedings of Board, February 18, 1890, pages 170 to 201, and CITY RECORD, February 19, 1890, page 631).

Alderman Brown moved that the vote by which resolutions were adopted be reconsidered.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The papers were then laid over.

(G. O. 181.)

By Alderman Barry—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 182.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, and the 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.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 183.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 184.)

By Alderman Daly—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Eighth avenue to Manhattan avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 185.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Eighty-ninth street, between Tenth avenue and the easterly side of the Western Boulevard, be paved with granite-block pavement; that crosswalks be laid at intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 186.)

By the same—

Resolved, That two lamp-posts and lamps be placed in front of the new church and chapel on the south side of West Seventy-sixth street, about one hundred and fifty feet west of Ninth avenue, in addition to the two lamps allowed by law, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert B. Baird to connect his premises, corner One Hundred and Third street and Tenth avenue, with the premises of Charles A. Fuller, on the opposite side of One Hundred and Third street and Tenth avenue, with an eighteen-inch iron pipe for the purpose of conducting steam between said premises, the said pipe to be laid beneath the surface of said West One Hundred and Third street, at a point at or about sixty-five feet west of Tenth avenue (as shown by the accompanying diagram), provided the said Robert B. Baird shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in the exercise of the permission hereby given to any water, gas or other pipe or sewer, or from any other cause, during the progress of the work or subsequent to the completion thereof, 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.

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

(G. O. 187.)

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid on Wadsworth street, from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue; thence along Aqueduct avenue to Buchanan place, and thence along Buchanan place to Jerome avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That the 28th day of March, 1890, at one o'clock P. M., and the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, Room No. 16, City Hall, be and hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the application of the "New York Suburban Surface Railroad 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 described in the petition of said company for such consent, will be first considered by the Railroad Committee of this Board, and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board, by publishing the same for fourteen days, exclusive of

Sundays, in two newspapers published in this city, to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, such advertising to be at the expense of the petitioner.

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

(G. O. 188.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the Department of Public Parks be and it is hereby authorized to contract, by private contract and without public letting, for a steam road-roller, for use on the streets, roads and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at a cost not exceeding four thousand dollars, as provided for by section 64 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 189.)

By Alderman Moebus—

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and lamps placed thereon and lighted on the westerly side of Claremont avenue-south of High Bridge street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 190.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and lamps placed thereon and lighted in Ritter place, in the Twenty-third Ward, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 191.)

By the same—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed on or near the southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and Southern Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 192.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Prospect avenue and Westchester avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Hughes to tap the large Croton water-main on the west side of Second avenue, forty feet north of Eighty-seventh street, thence to lay pipes to the north side of Eighty-seventh street, thence to a point two hundred feet east of Second avenue, for the purpose of supplying water to the premises Nos. 317 to 327 East Eighty-seventh street, as shown on the annexed diagram, 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. 193.)

By Alderman Rinckhoff—

Resolved, That a fire-hydrant be placed at or near the northwest corner of Ninth avenue and Forty-second street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 194.)

By Alderman Roche—

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted on the west side of First avenue, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That Leo Barnett 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 Barry—

Resolved, That Louis P. Rolland 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 Isaac J. Cohen 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 David Hirshfield 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 John D. Beals 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 Emanuel Dreyfous be and he is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That Frederick Tourelle be and he is hereby reappointed as a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That Charles Gerding 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 Henry C. Thompson be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor 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 Max Levy 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 Moebus—

Resolved, That Eliakim W. Gilbert 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 John M. Tierney 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 John H. Bergen 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 Thomas M. Canton 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 Rinckhoff—

Resolved, That John T. Smith 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 Philip J. Brett 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 Schlamp—

Resolved, That Arthur E. Kaulfuss 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 Walker—

Resolved, That Jacinto Costa, Jr., 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 the name of Pascal T. Sothern, heretofore appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, be and it hereby is corrected and amended so as to read Pascal T. Southern.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That the name of Hyman Fredericks, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and the same is hereby corrected so as to read Hyman Fredricks.

By Alderman Rinckhoff—

Resolved, That the name of James C. Matthews, who was recently succeeded by Edward V. Wood, as a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read James G. Matthews.

By Alderman Walker—

Resolved, That the name of Herbert L. Lugues, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Herbert L. Luques.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Public Works:

(G. O. 195.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 4, 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, 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.

Elizabeth street, from Bridge street to Bayard street.

South William street, from William street to Broad street.

William street, from Wall street to Franklin street.

Pearl street, from Fulton to Oak street.

New Bowery, from Oak street to Chatham Square.

East Broadway, from Chatham Square to Grand street.

Park Row, from Frankfort street to and including Chatham Square.

Harrison street, from Hudson to Washington street.

Desbrosses street, from Hudson to Greenwich street.

Catharine street, from Division to Cherry street.

Crosswalks of bridge-stone, of North river blue stone, to be laid, relaid or renewed at the several street 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.

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, with granite-block pavement on concrete foundation, the following streets, viz.:

Elizabeth street, from Bleecker street to Bayard street.

South William street, from William street to Broad street.

William street, from Wall street to Frankfort street.

Pearl street, from Fulton street to Oak street.

New Bowery, from Oak street to Chatham Square.

East Broadway, from Chatham Square to Grand street.

Park Row, from Frankfort street to and including Chatham Square.

Harrison street, from Hudson street to Washington street.

Desbrosses street, from Hudson street to Greenwich street.

Catharine street, from Division street to Cherry street.

Crosswalks of bridge-stone, of North river blue stone, to be laid, relaid or renewed at the several street 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; and the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to provide in the advertisements for proposals for these repavements and in the contracts and specifications for the same either that the old paving-blocks to be taken up from said streets shall become the property of the contractors to whom the contracts shall be awarded, as provided by law, or that the said contractors shall deliver such paving-blocks at convenient places of storage to be designated by him.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATION.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from Secretary World's Fair Committee:

THE COMMITTEE FOR THE INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION OF 1892,
NO. 146 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 3, 1889.

Capt. F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk of Common Council, City Hall:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to send to you thirty copies of the Memorial to Congress, with the maps and illustrations. These are a valuable record, and I hope they will be acceptable to the members of the Board, to whom I ask you to distribute them.

Yours, very respectfully,

W. E. D. STOKES, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 21, 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:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$12 50	\$1,487 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.	200 00	200 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	6,258 14	68,841 86

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
March 1, 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:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$12 50	\$1,487 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00		200 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	12,516 28	62,583 72

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which were ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the City Chamberlain:

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to section 164 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present to you a statement of the balances in the Treasury to the credit of the City on February 7 and March 3, 1890, with a summary of the receipts and payments of the Treasury during the year 1889, as follows:

Cash receipts.....\$97,331,757 94
Cash payments.....98,488,588 60

Cash balances to credit of the City:

1890, February 7—
City Treasury.....\$3,702,302 03
Sinking Fund Redemption.....4,957,572 02
Sinking Fund Interest.....660,601 80
1890, March 3—
City Treasury.....917,981 03
Sinking Fund Redemption.....6,294,828 47
Sinking Fund Interest.....794,722 47

Respectfully, yours,
THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain.

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, March 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 or Trustees.	Amount paid into City Treasury for unknown next of Kin.
John P. Lynch.....	Jan. 24, 1890	\$39,781 93	\$24,589 09	\$1,057 04	\$450 00	\$13,685 80
Julia Farrell.....	" 21, "	460 61	359 61	23 03		\$67 97
Ann McCrossan, etc.....	" 28, "	4,485 30	75 55	174 63	4,235 12	
Victor Gutman.....	" 31, "	232 43	220 81	11 62		
Annie Morcan.....	Feb. 6, "	830 17	176 77	41 50	611 90	
Frederico Kusel.....	" 6, "	10,500 67	10,175 66	325 01		
Frederick M. Woodhouse.....	" 6, "	10,115 26	9,759 88	315 38		
Frances A. Ennever.....	" 13, "	691 35	656 79	34 56		
Elizabeth Gilbert, or Buck.....	" 21, "	\$41,447 77	30,814 53	1,153 05	\$9,480 19	
Anna Weidner.....	" 19, "	1,151 37	205 11	58 06	399 20	499 00
Edward O. Snow.....	Closed by pay-	4 33	4 33			
Patrick Irwin.....	ment on ac-	1 54	1 54			
George Bohm.....	count of bur-	23 75	23 75			
Mary Sullivan.....	ial expenses.	10 84	10 84			
Giuseppe Cerretti.....		9 00	9 00			
Various persons re-						
ported from Coro-						
ner's office, and of						
whom a detailed list						
is hereto attached....		12 29				12 29
		\$109,768 61	\$77,133 26	\$3,193 88	\$15,176 41	\$579 26
						\$13,685 80

* On hand for distribution, pending adjustment of taxes and disputed claims about to be settled.
† Also two Long Dock Bonds.

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

NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.	NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.
William Delaney.....	\$160 00	Annie Corbley.....	\$8 70
Emil Frankenberg.....	131 44	Patrick Fox.....	874 58
Emanuel Rinck.....	106 12	Constantino Vessa.....	405 00
Claus Doscher.....	26 00	Myer Silverman.....	45
Mary C. Sudlow.....	70 00	Ann Wren, or Rinn.....	694 51
Walter Nef.....	25 90	Patrick Fox.....	1,473 67
Patrick Fuhr.....	46	Mary Caldwell.....	207 32
Charles D. Conway.....	6 15	Claus Doscher.....	1,936 67
Claus Doscher.....	11 05	Joseph H. Craig.....	131 84
Catherine Lee.....	3 10	Catherine Lee.....	40 38
Charles Cunningham.....	4 00	Catherine A. Foster.....	102 97
Sophie Weiss.....	1 00	Carl Struber.....	352 57
Maurice Prendergast.....	10 00	Patrick Cahill.....	15 25
Charles D. Conway.....	1 34	Thomas Rendrigg.....	55
Mary B. Taylor.....	293 70	Edward Pfeiffer.....	3,000 00
John Jackson.....	1 95	Various persons reported from Coroners' office, and of whom a detailed list is hereto attached.....	12 29
Howard Pinkney.....	483 00	Interest from deposit banks on balances for month of January, 1890, as follows:	
Thomas McCrossan.....	403 35	Importers and Traders' National Bank.....	\$201 23
John McCrossan.....	493 34	Continental National Bank.....	185 78
Edmund Wilde.....	20	National Park Bank.....	188 13
Thomas F. Keegan.....	100 00	Mercantile Trust Company.....	38 93
John O. Brown.....	334 47		
Edward Page.....	1,147 45		
Annie Corbley.....	534 80		
Henry Adams.....	568 89		
Amzi S. Dodd.....	30 00		
Robert Miller.....	8 06		
John W. Fittje.....	1 00		
Amzi S. Dodd.....	50 00		
		Total.....	\$14,868 59

List of Cash received from Coroners' Office, December 5 and 23, 1889.

Date of Death.	Name.	Amount.	Date of Death.	Name.	Amount.
Aug. 5, 1889.	Gottlieb Fauser.....	\$0 25	Sept. 10, 1889.	Patrick Culklin.....	\$0 17
Nov. 17, "	Rebecca Nelleney.....	17	" 23, "	James Richardson.....	24
" 26, "	Unknown man, Eighteenth street and North river.....	05	" 6, "	Unknown man, High Bridge.....	1 28
Sept. 4, "	Michael Fitzgerald.....	1 50	Nov. 4, "	Moses Lubelsky.....	\$0 45
" 4, "	Philip Phail, or Prail.....	15		Less car-fare, etc.....	10
" 4, "	Charles Crossen.....	70	Sept. 15, "	James Walsh.....	35
Aug. 7, "	Ann Harriott.....	55	" 16, "	Isaac Green.....	05
Oct. 16, "	Unknown man, No. 68 East Broadway.....	\$2 07	" 5, "	Unknown man.....	70
	Less car-fare investi-		Aug. 14, "	Unknown man, Twenty-eighth street and North river.....	24
	gating estate.....	10	Oct. 19, 1886.	Charles Heiser.....	2 79
Sept. 30, "	Meyer Adler, ten stamps.....	1 97		Unknown man, foot of Canal street (28. 6d. and 6d. copper), exchanged for.....	65
Nov. 20, "	Felix Broessel.....	\$0 11			
	Less car-fare, etc.....	10			
		01			
					\$12 29

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Board a communication from the President of the New York Juvenile Asylum, being their thirty-eighth annual report to the State Legislature and Common Council.

Which was ordered on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The President called up G. O. 160, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-fifth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, be paved with asphalt pavement, with concrete foundation, the work to be guaranteed for five years and to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—20.

The President called up G. O. 161, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-eighth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, with concrete foundation, the work to be guaranteed for five years and to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—20.

Negative—Alderman Flynn—1.

The President called up G. O. 162, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-ninth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, with concrete foundation, the work to be guaranteed for five years and to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Roche, Terrell, and Walker—20.

Negative—Aldermen Flynn and Oakley—2.

Alderman Barry called up G. O. 134, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of Ninety-fourth street, from the crosswalk at or near the westerly intersection of Second avenue to the crosswalk at or near the easterly intersection of Third avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

And moved to amend by striking out the word "trap" before the word "block," wherever it occurs in the resolution and ordinance, and inserting in lieu the word "granite."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The paper was then again laid over.

Alderman Barry called up G. O. 159, being an ordinance, as follows:

AN ORDINANCE to permit the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to make draft upon the Comptroller for incidental expenses contingent to the Department of Street Cleaning.

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

Section 1. For the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Department of Street Cleaning, as cannot be conveniently accounted for on separate vouchers, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may, by a requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. The Commissioner of Street Cleaning may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Department of Street Cleaning, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Barry called up G. O. 128, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That an additional course of flagging, four feet wide, be laid on the sidewalks on the west side of the Boulevard, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street, on the north side of Seventy-third street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, and on the south side of Seventy-fourth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, 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 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, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Rinckhoff, Roche, Terrell, and Walker—20.

Alderman Barry called up G. O. 163, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Fourth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, be paved with granite-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of three courses of bridge-stones, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid at each terminating avenue where not already laid, 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, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—23.

Alderman Moebus called up G. O. 176, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That Railroad avenue, East, from the north curb-line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the north house-line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, be regulated and graded, and on the easterly side thereof the curb-stones be set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, through the centre thereof, and crosswalks of two courses of bridge-stones be laid at each intersecting and terminating avenue or street where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; 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, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—23.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 173, being a resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Lisbon place, from Potter place to Ernescliff place; in Ernescliff place, from Grenada place to St. George's Crescent; in St. George's Crescent, from Ernescliff place to Van Cortlandt avenue; in Cordova place, from Ernescliff place to Van Cortlandt avenue, and in Grenada place, from St. George's Crescent to Ernescliff place, 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, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—21.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 174, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Lisbon place, from Potter place to Ernescliff place; in Ernescliff place, from Grenada place to St. George's Crescent; in St. George's Crescent, from Ernescliff place to Van Cortlandt avenue; in Cordova place, from Ernescliff place to Van Cortlandt avenue, and in Grenada place, from St. George's Crescent to Ernescliff place, 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, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Benjamin, Brown, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—20.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 175, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Andrews place, from Jerome avenue to the west side of Grand 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, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—23.

Alderman Flynn called up G. O. 78, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Crane Elevator Company to lay a three-inch steam supply pipe across Duane street, beneath the surface of the street, at the intersection of Caroline street, and along Caroline street to within fifty feet of Jay street, for the purpose of connecting the same with an elevator in premises southeast corner of Jay and Caroline streets; provided the said Crane Elevator Company 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 given, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying such pipe, the work to be done at the expense of the company, under the direction and to 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.

(Vice-President Noonan in the chair.)

Alderman Flynn called up G. O. 170, being an ordinance, as follows:

AN ORDINANCE in relation to scalpers in coal freight in the City of New York.

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

Section 1. The Mayor shall license and appoint as many and such persons as he may think expedient, to be scalpers of coal freight in the City of New York, and may issue, suspend or revoke any or all of such licenses, at his pleasure, but such licenses shall be issued only to citizens of the United States, and residents of the State of New York.

Sec. 2. Every person receiving a license to be a scalper in coal freight shall pay to the Mayor, for the use of the city, and to be applied towards the support of the poor of said city, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, and shall also file a bond, with two or more good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Mayor, in the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars, conditioned for a faithful compliance with the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 3. Every licensed scalper in coal freight shall wear, when exercising his calling, in a conspicuous place about his person, so as to be easily seen, a plate or badge, of a size and style to be designated by the Mayor, on which shall appear his name and the words "Scalper in Coal Freight" and the number of his license.

Sec. 4. All licenses to scalpers in coal freight granted as aforesaid, shall run one year from the date thereof, and may be renewed by the Mayor at any time within said year for a succeeding year.

Sec. 5. Every such licensed scalper in coal freight who shall violate or fail to comply with any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall, in addition to a forfeiture of the bond mentioned in section 2 of this ordinance, thereby incur a penalty of fifty dollars, to be recovered by the Corporation Attorney, as in the case of other penalties.

Sec. 6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Alderman Oakley moved that the matter be referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

Alderman Gregory moved to refer to the Committee on Law Department.

Alderman Flynn moved to refer to the Committee on Streets.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion of Alderman Flynn.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Dowd, Duffy, Lynch, Moebus, Murphy, Schlamp, and Walker—9.

Negative—Aldermen Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Gregory, McLarney, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, and Terrell—12.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Gregory to refer to the Committee on Law Department.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Walker called up G. O. 169, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton-water pipes be laid in One Hundred and Third street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—22.

Alderman Terrell called up G. O. 165, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Seventy-third street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—22.

Alderman Daly called up G. O. 168, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton-water pipes be laid in One Hundred and Fourth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—22.

Alderman Daly called up G. O. 167, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton-water pipes be laid in One Hundred and Eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, and Terrell—21.

Alderman Daly called up G. O. 166, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—22.

Alderman Daly called up G. O. 164, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Terrell, and Walker—21.

Alderman Roche called up G. O. 119, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, be flagged full width 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 Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Benjamin, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Morris, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—22.

Alderman Roche called up G. O. 133, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph A. Britton to place an ornamental lamp in front of the premises on the southeast corner of Forty-first street and Broadway, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Dowd—

Resolved, That the flags be hoisted on the City Hall, on St. Patrick's day, the 17th of March, together with the Irish flag, from sunrise to sunset.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Morris, as follows:

Affirmative—Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Murphy, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Terrell, and Walker—19.

Negative—Aldermen Gregory and Morris—2.

Alderman Barry moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Vice-President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 11, 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement met at the Mayor's office on Thursday, February 27, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to the following notice:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,
ROOM NO. 10, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, February 24, 1890.

SIR—You are respectfully requested to attend a special meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, to be held in the Mayor's office, in the City Hall, on Thursday, February 27, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which it is proposed to consider unfinished business, with such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Very respectfully,

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

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

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

Absent—The President of the Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting of February 10, 1890, were read and approved.

In regard to certain resolutions relating to the matter of altering the area of High Bridge Park, and presented to the Board for adoption, on motion, the Comptroller was appointed to confer with the Counsel to the Corporation in relation thereto, and to report to the Board thereon at its next regular meeting.

Ex-Judge Ernest Hall appeared before the Board and presented petitions from "The Port Morris Land and Improvement Company," for the opening of East One Hundred and Thirty-second, East One Hundred and Thirty-third, East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

Each of these streets being over one mile in length, Judge Hall explained that "The Port Morris Land and Improvement Company, in order to secure immediate improvement to its large property, is willing to accept a nominal award of one dollar for all its land in said openings, and to waive the benefit of the provision of law requiring the City to pay one-half of the assessment and to pay the entire assessment for said openings, so far as its land fronting on said streets is concerned, and to guarantee the City against any assessment for said openings, as to such lands, and is ready and willing to execute a necessary bond or other instrument to that effect."

Upon this hearing the Board, on motion, referred the said petitions of "The Port Morris Land and Improvement Company" to the Counsel to the Corporation for his opinion and report thereon, and especially as to whether the City would be liable to assessment for the opening of any part of the streets named in the said petitions, along the line of any property not belonging to the said Port Morris Land and Improvement Company, and lying west of the property belonging to the said company on the line of the streets asked to be opened, in consequence of any such street being over one mile in length.

Judge Hall then called the attention of the Board to a bill lately introduced in the Legislature of this State, entitled "An act to regulate the construction of roads and streets across railroad tracks," and of which the following is a copy:

AN ACT to amend chapter 62 of the Laws of 1853, entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of roads and streets across railroad tracks."

Section 1. Add at the end of section 1, the following:

"No streets, or highway, within the limits of any city containing a population of 25,000 or more inhabitants, or within a radius of 25 miles of such city, shall hereafter be laid out, opened or constructed across any double, treble or quadruple track railroad, operated by steam, or across the tracks in any freight or passenger station grounds of such railroad, on the same grade or level with such railroad, whether compensation be made to the corporation owning such railroad or not, without an order of the Supreme Court that public necessity requires such lay-out, opening and construction. Twenty days' notice of application for such order shall be given to the railroad company whose tracks are proposed to be so crossed. An appeal may be taken to the General Term of the Supreme Court from any such order."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately. All acts and parts of acts, general or special, so far as inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

Introduced by Mr. J. I. Burns; referred to Railroads; Assembly Int. 580.

On motion, the President of the Department of Public Parks was requested to prepare a remonstrance, on behalf of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, of this city, for presentation to the Legislature, against the passage of said bill.

The following communication from the Department of Public Parks, inclosing resolution to open East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Carter and Third avenues, was presented:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
February 5, 1890.

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

SIR—Herewith I beg to forward a petition of Henry Mehles, George L. Hahn and others, for the opening of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Carter and Third avenues, as a street of the first class, with the recommendation of this Department that the prayer of the petitioners be granted. I also inclose herewith form of resolution for adoption by said Board, directing the initiation of a proceeding for acquiring title to the land required for the opening of said street.

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

Whereupon the President of the Department of Public Parks offered the following resolution: Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Carter avenue and Third avenue, as a street of the first-class, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, and hereby determines that the entire cost and expense of said proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, unless the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, who may be appointed in said proceeding, are of the opinion that said street is over one mile in length, in which case such cost and expense shall be assessed as is now provided by law in such cases.

NOTE.—The total length of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street is 1,500 feet.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following communication from the Department of Public Parks, inclosing resolutions for the opening of Freeman street, from Union avenue to Southern Boulevard; Intervale avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Wilkins place; Lane avenue, from Westchester avenue to Farragut street; Wilkins place, from Southern Boulevard to Boston road, was presented:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
February 24, 1890.

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

SIR—Herewith I beg to return a letter from the Health Department, together with an accompanying report upon complaint of the Fox Estate Association, relative to the sewerage of the Leggett's Creek and Bound Brook Districts, which were referred to this Department for report, and also return petition to open Freeman street, from Union avenue to the Southern Boulevard, which was also referred to this Department by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement.

The Inspector states that a report was made on this property by Dr. Comfort in 1882, and a drainage plan was then prepared, and that no action has been taken by this Department. The drains here referred to are known as the "Bound Brook Drains."

The preambles, resolutions, etc., of the Board of Health relative to these drains seem not to have been presented to the Board of Parks until October, 1883, when proceedings were ordered initiated to acquire the right of way for the drains, but no order was given to make plans for constructing the same, as required by chapter 430, Laws of 1883. This omission probably arose from the fact that the Topographical Engineer had reported that there were no funds available for making such plans. These drains, if built, could not be used for house-drainage, and, as the Inspector admits, the large areas of low land cannot be effectively drained without sewers.

With regard to the first recommendations in the Inspector's reports, it may be stated that all the necessary data for making sewerage plans were furnished by the Topographical Survey of the Annexed District, made prior to the annexation. The Bound Brook and Leggett's Creek water-shed and its requirements are fully noticed in a report on drainage of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (a copy of which is inclosed herewith). A plan of sewerage for the district in question is now being prepared, and will be completed as soon as the maps of Tiffany and other streets in that section can be revised and filed.

As to the Inspector's second recommendation, I beg to state that proceedings were initiated January 18, 1889, for the opening of Brnstow, Chisholm and Jennings streets. All the maps required in the proceedings have been furnished by this Department, and the reports of the Commissioners are to be presented for confirmation on the 4th proximo.

I inclose herewith for adoption by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement resolutions to open

1. Intervale avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Wilkins place, 5,640 feet long.
2. Freeman street, from Union avenue to Southern Boulevard, 2,160 feet long.
3. Lane avenue, from Westchester avenue to Farragut street, 8,380 feet long.
4. Wilkins place, from Southern Boulevard to Boston road, 1,640 feet long.

The latter street, although omitted from the Inspector's recommendation, is one of the most important in the sewerage system of that District, and its opening is strongly recommended, as it is needed for the main sewer of the whole system.

The opening of Ely street (formerly One Hundred and Forty-fourth street) is not needed at present. The street is of the third class and can only be opened on the petition of the owners of at least three-fourths of the linear frontage on the street.

Yours, very respectfully,

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

Whereupon the President of the Department of Public Parks offered the following resolution: Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Freeman street, from Union avenue to Southern Boulevard, as a street of the first class, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, and hereby determines that the entire cost and expense of said proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, unless the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, who may be appointed in said proceeding, are of the opinion that said street is over one mile in length, in which case such cost and expense shall be assessed as is now provided by law in such cases.

NOTE.—The total length of Freeman street is 2,160 feet.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The resolutions to open Intervale avenue and Lane avenue, were laid over, for the reason that said avenues are over one mile in length.

The resolution to open Wilkins place was also laid over.

The following report from the Department of Public Parks, relative to a petition for the opening of Andrews avenue, from Burnside avenue to Fordham road, was presented and read:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
February 18, 1890.

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

SIR—I herewith return the petition of Henry W. T. Mali and others for the opening of Andrews avenue, from Burnside avenue to Fordham road, which was referred to this Department for report on the 10th instant, and have to state that Andrews avenue, as named by a resolution of the Board of Aldermen and approved by the Mayor, February 5, 1886, extends from near Featherbed lane to the Gun Hill road, a distance of 15,900 feet, or over three miles. It was proposed to divide the avenue into three parts; and a resolution, leaving the name Andrews avenue to the part between Aqueduct avenue and Fordham road, a distance of 4,560 feet, was adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 23, 1889, and approved by the Mayor, May 6, 1889. The change of name of any street, avenue or public place, "save between the first day of December of any year and the first day of May next ensuing" is not lawful. (See section 86, Consolidation Act.) For this reason, the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, on October 4 last, rejected the petition of Alfred J. Taylor and others to open Andrews avenue, from Aqueduct avenue to Fordham road.

Very respectfully,

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

On motion, the petition of Henry W. T. Mali and others, for the opening of Andrews avenue, from Burnside avenue to Fordham road, was refused, for the reason contained in the foregoing report from the Department of Public Parks.

The following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, inclosing resolutions relative to the opening of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Railroad to St. Ann's avenue; East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Railroad to Third avenue; East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Railroad to Washington avenue; East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Courtland to Elton avenue; East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Jerome to Vanderbilt avenue; East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to St. Ann's avenue, was presented:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, February 7, 1890.

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

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

These resolutions are prepared in accordance with and carry out the suggestions contained in communications heretofore addressed by this Department to your Board, and provide that the cost and expense of the proceedings shall be assessed as was provided by law at the time of the passage of chapter 406 of the Laws of 1888.

The reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment will shortly be presented to the Court for confirmation, and it is desirable, owing to the enactment of chapter 406 of the Laws of 1888, that such resolutions be adopted.

Respectfully, yours,

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

Whereupon the President of the Department of Public Parks offered the following resolutions: Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines that the whole amount of the cost and expense attending the opening of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, except that any part not exceeding one-third of the estimated value of any building or buildings required to be removed, and which the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed for the opening of the said street, in their discretion, if they deem it equitable and just so to do, but not otherwise, may be assessed upon the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; provided, that if the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment are of opinion that the street is over one mile in length, not more than one-half of the cost and expense of the opening shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited.

The total length of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to St. Ann's avenue, is 3,700 feet.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines that the whole amount of the cost and expense attending the opening of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, except that any part not exceeding one-third of the estimated value of any building or buildings required to be removed, and which the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed for the opening of the said street, in their discretion, if they deem it equitable and just so to do, but not otherwise, may be assessed upon the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; provided that if the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment are of opinion that the street is over one mile in length, not more than one-half of the cost and expense of the opening shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited.

The total length of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, is 1,650 feet.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines that the whole amount of the cost and expense attending the opening of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Washington avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, except that any part not exceeding one-third of the estimated value of any building or buildings required to be removed, and which the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed for the opening of the said street, in their discretion, if they deem it equitable and just so to do, but not otherwise, may be assessed upon the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; provided that if the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment are of opinion that the street is over one mile in length, not more than one-half of the cost and expense of the opening shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited.

The total length of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Washington avenue, is 1,500 feet.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines that the whole amount of the cost and expense attending the opening of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Courtland avenue to Elton avenue, and from Brook avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, except that any part not exceeding one-third of the estimated value of any building or buildings required to be removed, and which the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed for the opening of the said street, in their discretion, if they deem it equitable and just so to do, but not otherwise, may be assessed upon the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; provided that if the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment are of opinion that the street is over one mile in length, not more than one-half of the cost and expense of the opening shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited.

The total length of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Courtland avenue to Elton avenue, and from Brook avenue to Third avenue, is 4,000 feet.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines that the whole amount of the cost and expense attending the opening of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Jerome avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, except that any part not exceeding one-third of the estimated value of any building or buildings required to be removed, and which the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed for the opening of the said street, in their discretion, if they deem it equitable and just so to do, but not otherwise, may be assessed upon the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; provided that if the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment are of opinion that the street is over one mile in length, not more than one-half of the cost and expense of the opening shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited.

The total length of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Jerome avenue, West, to Vanderbilt avenue, West, is 2,804 feet.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

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

The total length of East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to St. Ann's avenue, is 2,700 feet.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following communication from property-holders in the upper part of the Twelfth Ward of the city was read, and, on motion, was ordered on file:

FORT WASHINGTON, December, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned are, and for many years have been, large property-holders and taxpayers in the upper part of the Twelfth Ward of this city, and we desire to convey to you in this communication our appreciation of the earnest, business-like and satisfactory manner in which your Board has handled some of the business which has, during the last few months come before you for consideration.

But especially do we desire to express to you our sense of the service you have rendered the City by the conclusion lately reached by you that it is unwise, unnecessary and unjust to add anything to the area of the park at High Bridge as acquired by the City more than twenty years ago.

By this decision you have relieved property in this vicinity from what would have been a most unjust and onerous assessment, and the City from a large and uncalled-for addition to its municipal debt.

We are, gentlemen, very respectfully, your fellow-citizens and obedient servants,

John Haven.
Isaac P. Martin.
Estate Wm. H. Hays, by Jacob Hays,
executor.
William Libbey.
Wm. A. Wheelock.
Robert C. Rathbone.
R. Bleeker Rathbone.
Eliza M. Sloane.
A. H. Wellington,

G. B. Grinnell.
Wm. Foster, Jr.
Helen S. Grinnell.
William Milne Grinnell.
Isaac M. Dyckman.
Jno. M. Hepburn.
Susan Barclay Ward, per Beverley
Ward.
James McCreery.
Bert. Amermann.

The Board then signed the petition to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the proceedings for the opening of Woodruff street, from the Southern Boulevard to centre of Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

On motion, the Board then adjourned.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the week ending March 1, 1890.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
FEBRUARY AND MARCH.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 23	29.958	29.906	29.896	29.920	29.982	29.884
Monday, 24	29.904	29.824	29.908	29.879	29.940	29.900
Tuesday, 25	29.966	29.800	29.722	29.829	29.966	29.642
Wednesday, 26	29.700	29.730	29.900	29.783	29.984	29.606
Thursday, 27	30.088	30.056	30.072	30.072	30.100	29.984
Friday, 28	29.942	29.760	29.700	29.801	30.040	29.684
Saturday, 1	29.700	29.742	29.806	29.749	29.848	29.656

Mean for the week..... 29.862 inches.
 Maximum " at 12 M., February 27th..... 30.100 "
 Minimum " at 1 A.M., February 26th..... 29.606 "
 Range "..... .494 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
FEBRUARY AND MARCH.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.
Sunday, 23	28	26	43	37	40	34	45
Monday, 24	40	38	42	41	40	41	44
Tuesday, 25	42	41	48	46	44	43	49
Wednesday, 26	46	44	55	53	53	54	65
Thursday, 27	37	36	44	41	43	40	47
Friday, 28	42	40	43	42	41	42	45
Saturday, 1	45	43	38	34	30	28	37

Mean for the week..... 41.7 degrees.
 Maximum for the week, at 4 P.M., 26th..... 65. "
 Minimum " at 12 P.M., 1st..... 27. "
 Range "..... 38. "

Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.	VELOCITY IN MILES.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.
FEBRUARY AND MARCH.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Sunday, 23	SW	SSW	SSW
Monday, 24	SE	ENE	NNW
Tuesday, 25	NE	ESE	NNE
Wednesday, 26	W	W	NNW
Thursday, 27	N	ENE	E
Friday, 28	E	NE	NNE
Saturday, 1	W	NNW	N

Distance traveled during the week..... 932 miles.
 Maximum force..... 6 pounds.

Hygrometer.

Clouds.

Rain and Snow. Ozone.

DATE.	FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	CLEAR, OVERCAST, IO.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES
FEBRUARY AND MARCH.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.
Sunday, 23	.117	.142	.221	.160
Monday, 24	.203	.244	.235	.227
Tuesday, 25	.244	.284	.264	.264
Wednesday, 26	.262	.314	.403	.326
Thursday, 27	.199	.212	.208	.208
Friday, 28	.221	.254	.244	.240
Saturday, 1	.251	.144	.130	.175

Total amount of water for the week..... .74 inch.
 Duration for the week..... 1 day, 8 hours and 15 minutes.
 Depth of snow..... 1/4 inch.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.
Sunday, Feb. 23	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.
Monday, " 24	Mild, hazy.	Mild, hazy.
Tuesday, " 25	Mild, fog.	Mild, fog.
Wednesday, " 26	Mild, fog.	Mild, fog.
Thursday, " 27	Mild, cloudy.	Mild, cloudy.
Friday, " 28	Mild, overcast.	Mild, overcast.
Saturday, Mar. 1	Mild, raining.	Mild, raining.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1890.

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

Trial.

Inspector of Buildings Ronald Ketcham, Bureau Inspection of Buildings, who was charged with violating sec. 12, par. V., G. O. 1, O. B. C., series of 1881, and making false report. Sentenced to be dismissed.
 Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, February 12, 1890.

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

Proposals Opened.

Affidavit of publication in the CITY RECORD read and filed. Approved forms of contract submitted.

For Building Boilers for New Floating Engine.

No. 1. From McNeil & McLachlan, security deposit, certified check, \$400, \$19,800. Referred to the Comptroller for his action on the sureties.
 No. 2. From Heipershausen Brothers, security deposit, currency, \$400, \$26,000. Filed.
 No. 3. From Robert J. Gray, security deposit, certified check, \$400, \$23,427. Filed.
 No. 4. From the Kings County Boiler Works, security deposit, certified check, \$400, \$20,400. Filed, and all the security deposits to be transmitted to the Comptroller.

Requisitions, etc.

Expenditures Authorized.

40 cords wood.....	\$360 00
12 volumes insurance maps.....	650 00
Articles for issue to Supply Clerk.....	683 50
Telegraph supplies.....	700 00
Heater repairs required at quarters Hook and Ladder 12.....	21 00
Carpenter work " Deputy Chief of Department.....	57 00
Flag-staff " Engine 36.....	65 00
Carpenter work " Hook and Ladder 20.....	71 00
" " Engine 36.....	102 00
Boiler repairs " 55.....	105 00
Calking work " Hook and Ladder 1.....	125 00
Carpenter work " 16.....	225 00
Plumbing required at various quarters.....	395 00
Two horses for Engine 37.....	600 00
Rebuilding Hook and Ladder truck, registered No. 11.....	765 00

Referred.

Foreman of Engine 41—Report relative to alterations and repairs required at Company quarters. To Chairman of Committee on Building and Apparatus.

Filed.

Finance Department—Returning proposal of John Mooney for furnishing forage with approval of the sureties. Contract awarded.

Attorney to the Department—Report of moneys received for violation of building laws during the month of January, 1890. Forwarded to the Comptroller.

Chairman of Committee on Building and Apparatus—Approving report of Chief of the Department for apparatus, hose, etc., required for the current year. To advertise for proposals as soon as practicable.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of condition of the appropriation.

Same—Receipt for security deposits accompanying proposals opened on the 6th instant.

Bills Audited.

Schedule No. 77 of 1889.

Andrews Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$120 00
Arctander, A., & Co., ".....	886 00
Castles, John, ".....	3 25
French, Samuel G., ".....	1,922 51
Fuller, A. P., ".....	33 80
Hilton, E. G., ".....	390 00
Keller Manufacturing Co., ".....	89 60
Manchester Locomotive Co., ".....	423 00
O'Brien, L. G., & Co., ".....	779 00
Powers, John, manager, ".....	35 00
Shields, John R., ".....	11 65
Smith, Clifford E., ".....	8 86
Sullivan, John W., ".....	67 21
Sullivan, John W., ".....	115 86

\$4,885 69

Schedule No. 3 of 1890.

Beyer, Charles, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$12 00
Carlin, William, ".....	45 00
Casey, Patrick, ".....	27 00
Cleary & Donnelly, ".....	24 00
Dean, Jeremiah, ".....	33 00
Donoghue, M., ".....	12 00
Dougan, Patrick, ".....	18 00
Dowd, James, ".....	12 00
Duane, J., ".....	3 00
Dunn, John F., ".....	24 00
Fallon, Owen, ".....	81 00
Fitzgerald, Edward, ".....	24 00
Fitzpatrick, John, ".....	48 00
Fox, C., ".....	24 00
Gallon, Thomas J., ".....	36 00
Graham, John, ".....	30 00
Graley, Benjamin F., ".....	25 50
Hassler, John A., ".....	18 00
Hayes, Dennis, ".....	12 00
Kenny, Bernard, ".....	45 00
Kiernan B., ".....	45 00
Lally, John, ".....	95 50
Lattimore & Dougherty, ".....	33 00
Layton, J. A., ".....	9 00
McEvoy, John, ".....	18 00
McCann, Henry, ".....	33 00
McCann, Patrick, ".....	30 00
McFarrell, Charles, ".....	21 00
McKenna, Patrick, ".....	12 00
McKenna, William, ".....	48 00
McNally, John, ".....	15 75
Maloy, Mrs. Joseph, ".....	9 00
Malone, P., ".....	21 00
Moffit, Edward, ".....	42 00
Nimphs, Adam, ".....	21 00
Hayes, John, ".....	3 00
Quilty, Patrick, ".....	45 00
Roach, James, ".....	27 00
Woods, Thomas F., ".....	18 00

\$1,099 75

Schedule No. 4 of 1890.

Banta, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$30 00
Coles, William, completing new floating engine.....	700 00
Crotty, John E., repairs and alterations to buildings.....	30 00
Dahlman, I. H., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	900 00
Dobbs, Edward, ".....	40 00

Ehrig, Edwin, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$110 25
Fryer, William J., Jr., "	40 00
Grady, J. W., & Co., "	80 00
Grady, J. A., & Co., "	112 00
Isley, Doubleday & Co., "	318 63
Jussen, Carl, "	80 53
Le Brun, N., "	40 00
McDermott, Lewis, "	50 18
McDermott, M. J., repairs and alterations to buildings.	305 00
Mitchell, James, apparatus, supplies, etc.	24 80
Niver, Norman L., "	54 50
Notman, Peter, "	40 00
O'Reilly, Cornelius, "	40 00
Ohlsen, Henry D., "	431 50
Shields, John B., "	98 72
Teasdale, George, repairs and alterations to buildings.	200 00
	\$3,727 11

Appointments.

Ununiformed Firemen as Firemen of 3d grade, to take effect from the 10th instant :

Oliver P. Morris.	James J. Byrnes.	James G. Corbet.
Ernest T. Plate.	Thomas Malavey.	John E. O'Neill.
James D. Clifford.	William A. Taylor.	Theodore Hilkeman.
William Hearn.		

Communications, etc.**Referred.**

Chief of Department—Recommending sites for location of new companies. Back, with directions to consult the President of Department of Taxes and Assessments.
 Same—Forwarding list of hotels in the city showing which have and which have not complied with the law to provide rope fire-escapes. To the Attorney to Department.
 Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violations of law. Back, to enforce collection of penalties.
 Same—Recommending prosecution of persons for violations of law. Approved. To Attorney to the Department.
 Same—Recommending the remission of penalties. Approved. Back, to carry out.
 Attorney to Department—Returning violation case of 1889, with recommendation that complaint be dismissed. Approved. To the Superintendent of Buildings.
 Same—Returning fire-escape case of 1887, with recommendation that complaint be dismissed and new inspection be made. To the Superintendent of Buildings for recommendation.
 Same—Returning twelve fire-escape cases of 1889, with the recommendation that complaints be dismissed, etc. To Commissioner Eickhoff.
 Ongley Electric Register and Safety Signal System—Submitting description for the protection of buildings against fire. To Chairman of Committee on Telegraph and Supplies.

Filed.

Theatre Detail—Reporting slight fire at the Standard Theatre.
 Foreman of Engine 33—Reporting alarm-boxes Nos. 264 and 265 not in working order.
 Foreman of Engine 34—Reporting the death of Fireman 3d grade Walter R. Ostrander.
 Foreman of Engine 28—Reporting loss of patrol-badge No. 669 and its recovery.
 Superintendent of Buildings—Reporting three vacancies for Inspectors of Buildings.
 Civil Service Examining Board—Certifying names on eligible list for the position of Inspector of Buildings, and the following appointments ordered to take effect on the 14th instant :
 To be Inspectors of Buildings, at \$1,100 per annum—James E. Dolen, Richard B. Newman, Michael P. Burns.
 Superintendent of Telegraph—Relative to a statement in an evening paper that alarm-boxes Nos. 13 and 14 were out of order.
 Foreman in Charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Recommendation regarding pay of Stableman Andrew Connor. Ordered that the wages of Stableman Andrew Connor be fixed at \$2.50 per day.

Laid Over.

Chief of Department—Returning communication of Trustees St. John's German Lutheran Church, relative to change of location of Engine 35, with the information that the Department has no site for the transfer of Engine 35, and is compelled to build at No. 223 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street.
 Superintendent of Telegraph—Report on communication from the Mayor, relative to removal of wires and poles of the Fire-alarm Telegraph.
 Same—Report in relation to communication from the Board of Electrical Control, requesting the co-operation of the Department in the matter of relieving the streets of poles and wires.
 Same—Recommendation and report in relation to communications from the Board of Electrical Control and the Mount Morris Electric Light Company, regarding removal of certain wires of the Department.
 Same—Recommending that request of the Western Union Telegraph Company to place wires on Department poles on One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street be granted with the usual restrictions.
 Commissioner Robbins reported that on the evening of the 11th instant the aisles and stairways in the Bijou Theatre were occupied by people, and the Theatre Detail informed him that he had warned the management repeatedly of the violation.

Trials.

Inspector of Buildings Joseph R. Goggin, Bureau Inspection of Buildings, "making false report." Reprimanded and sentence suspended.
 Foreman Edward A. Scannell, Engine 30, "absence without leave." Fined ten days' pay and warned.
 Fireman 1st grade William J. Hoag, Engine 30, "absence without leave." Resignation tendered by accused and acceptance by the President approved.
 Assistant Foreman Peter Hanlon, Engine 1, "under the influence of liquor." Sentence suspended and warned.
 Fireman 2d grade James Crockwell, Engine 31, "neglect of duty." Fined three days' pay.
 Fireman 1st grade Joseph P. Johnson, Hook and Ladder 6, "conduct prejudicial to good order" (two specifications). Fined ten days' pay.
 Fireman 2d grade Michael B. Honan, Hook and Ladder 6, "conduct prejudicial to good order" (two specifications). Fined ten days' pay.
 Fireman 1st grade William A. Lines, Engine 26, "absence without leave." Fined ten days' pay and warned.
 Fireman 1st grade Edward J. Murphy, Hook and Ladder 4, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.
 Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS IN THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

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

To the Supervisor of the City Record :

SIR—In accordance with Civil Service Regulations I hereby report the following appointments :

By the Department of Public Works—

February 26. Thomas Benedict, as Rodman ; character certified to by W. H. Hebbard, No. 389 Park avenue ; J. H. Franklin, No. 41 East One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street ; J. P. Bennett, No. 1294 Broadway ; J. H. Light, No. 29 Washington street, South Norwalk, Conn.

February 27. William W. Wheeler, as Inspector of Sewers ; character certified to by James LaCroix, No. 78 Gold street ; G. F. Henry, No. 47 West Thirtieth street ; J. B. Ratcliff, No. 80 Gold street ; F. L. Whittier, No. 41 Cortlandt street.

By the Department of Street Cleaning—

March 1. John T. Oakley, as Complaint and Corresponding Clerk ; character certified to by Bernard Reilly, Jr., No. 245 Broadway ; J. A. Hanley, No. 234 East Tenth street ; F. P. Young, No. 303 Third avenue ; F. J. Harte, No. 81 St. Mark's place.

Yours, respectfully,

G. K. ACKERMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**Mayor's Office.**

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.**Office of Clerk of Common Council.**

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.**Commissioner's Office.**

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**Comptroller's Office.**

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.**Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.**

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 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 JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Office of Topographical Engineer.

Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

EDWIN A. POST, President ; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 HORACE LOOMIS, Commissioner ; EDWARD P. HAGAN, Deputy Commissioner ; R. W. HORNER, Secretary ; HENRY W. BEARDSLEY, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZ, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, 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. 37, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 21.
Part III., Room No. 15.
Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 29, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.15 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JURORS.

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

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

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

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

engineers; and persons physically incapable of performing jury duty by reason of severe sickness, deafness, or other physical disorder.

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

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable jurors, 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.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

G. K. ACKERMAN,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING
two complete Portable Hoisting Plants for the use of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on March 5, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, February 19, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING
4,000 tons egg coal,
1,500 tons stove coal,
500 tons nut coal.

—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, March 5, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read:

nesday, March 5, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The coal is to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton or Lackawanna, to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

All of the coal is to be delivered at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of an Inspector designated for that purpose by the Department, upon scales furnished by the Department, which are to be transported from place to place by the contractor.

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

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

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

The 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 supply to which it relates.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of thirteen thousand (\$13,000) 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 five per centum of the amount of the security required upon 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.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sums specified in the several forms of contracts, which are as follows:

For the 15,000 feet of 2½-inch Hose \$7,500 00
For the 5,000 feet of 2½-inch Hose 2,500 00
For the 6,000 feet of 3-inch Hose 5,500 00
—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 five per centum of the amount of the security required upon 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.

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For the two third size Steam Fire Engines... \$4,000 00
For the one second size Steam Fire Engine... 2,000 00
For the six Hose Wagons... 1,600 00
For the one Hook and Ladder Truck... 1,000 00
For the one Water Tower... 2,400 00
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HENRY D. PURROY,
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Commissioners.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 24, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Front street sewer extension, between Old Slip and Wall street.

Grand street sewer extension, between Goerck and Lewis streets.

Avenue A, flagging east side, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

Hamilton place sewer, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets.

Lenox avenue, flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding, east side, from One Hundred and Eleventh to One Hundred and Twentieth street; from One Hundred and Twenty-second to One Hundred and Twenty-third street; from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirty-second street; from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-first street.

From One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-third street.

From One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

From One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.

From One Hundred and Forty-seventh to One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

From One Hundred and Fiftieth to One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

From One Hundred and Fifty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

From One Hundred and Fifty-fourth to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

From One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

From One Hundred and Fifty-eighth to One Hundred and Sixtieth street.

From One Hundred and Sixtieth to One Hundred and Sixty-second street.

From One Hundred and Sixty-second to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

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From One Hundred and Sixty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

From One Hundred and Sixty-eighth to One Hundred and Seventieth street.

From One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-second street.

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From One Hundred and Seventy-fourth to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.

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From One Hundred and Eightieth to One Hundred and Eighty-second street.

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From One Hundred and Eighty-fourth to One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street.

From One Hundred and Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street.

From One Hundred and Eighty-eighth to One Hundred and Ninetieth street.

From One Hundred and Ninetieth to One Hundred and Ninety-second street.

From One Hundred and Ninety-second to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.

From One Hundred and Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street.

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From One Hundred and One Hundred to One Hundred and One Hundred and Twenty street.

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From One Hundred and One Hundred and Forty to One Hundred and One Hundred and Sixty street.

From One Hundred and One Hundred and Sixty to One Hundred and One Hundred and Eighty street.

From One Hundred and One Hundred and Eighty to One Hundred and One Hundred and One Hundred street.

From One Hundred and One Hundred and One Hundred to One Hundred and One Hundred and Thirty street.

From One Hundred and One Hundred and Thirty to One Hundred and One Hundred and Fifty street.

From One Hundred and One Hundred and Fifty to One Hundred and One Hundred and Seventy street.

From One Hundred and One Hundred and Seventy to One Hundred and One Hundred and Ninety street.

Seventy-second street sewers, between Hudson river and Eleventh avenue, with branch in Riverside avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-sixth streets.

Seventy-eighth street sewer, between Riverside and West End avenues.

Eighty-fifth street, flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding, south side of, between Madison and Park avenues.

Eighty-fifth street sewer, between Boulevard and Riverside avenues.

Eighty-ninth street flagging and reflagging, both sides of, from First to Second avenue.

Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets flagging and reflagging, between Second and Third avenues.

Ninetieth street flagging and reflagging, south side of, from First to Second avenue.

Ninety-second street sewer, between West End avenue and Boulevard.

Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, fencing vacant lots, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

Ninety-seventh street and Tenth avenue, receiving-basin, on the northeast corner.

Ninety-seventh street sewer, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

One Hundred and Second street sewer, between Harlem river and First avenue.

One Hundred and Second street sewer, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

One Hundred and Seventh street sewer, between Manhattan and Eighth avenues.

One Hundred and Seventh street regulating and grading, curbing and flagging, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

One Hundred and Eighteenth street, flagging and reflagging both sides of, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Lenox avenue, receiving-basin on the northwest corner.

One Hundred and Thirty-third street, curbing and receding, flagging and reflagging, both sides of, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, paving, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, with granite-blocks, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street sewer, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

One Hundred and Seventieth street, regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments February 6, 1890, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before April 14, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

NOTICE OF SALE OF THE CITY'S INTEREST IN CERTAIN REAL ESTATE IN THE TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL the right, title and interest of the Corporation of the City of New York in and to certain land in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, being a part of the Old Fitzroy road, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, at noon, on Tuesday, the 25th day of March, 1890, under the authority of a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, February 14, 1890, to wit:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 170 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to sell at public auction, after public advertisement and appraisal, all the right, title and interest of the Corporation of the City of New York in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, being a part of the Old Fitzroy road, situate, lying and being in the City and County of New York, forming a portion of lots known as Ward No. 12, 12½, in Block No. 88, on the tax maps of the Twenty-second Ward, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Forty-first (41st) street, distant three hundred (300) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Forty-first (41st) street with the easterly side of Ninth (9th) avenue; running thence northerly and parallel with Ninth (9th) avenue sixty-two (62) feet and nine (9) inches to the westerly side of the Old Fitzroy road, as laid down on the map for the Commissioners appointed to close said Fitzroy road, by D. Ewen, City Surveyor, dated February, 1833; thence northeasterly along the westerly line of said Fitzroy road forty-one (41) feet to a point on the centre line of the block between Forty-first (41st) and Forty-second (42d) streets, distant three hundred and twenty-two (322) feet easterly from the easterly side of Ninth (9th) avenue; thence easterly along the said centre line of the said block ten (10) feet and two (2) inches; thence southerly and parallel with Ninth (9th) avenue fifty-five (55) feet and eleven (11) inches to the easterly side of said Fitzroy road; thence southerly along the said easterly side of said Fitzroy road fifty-one (51) feet and one (1) inch to the northerly side of Forty-first (41st) street, distant three hundred and six (306) feet easterly from the easterly side of Ninth (9th) avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of Forty-first (41st) street six (6) feet to the point or place of beginning; the distances of the said described land colored pink, being more or less, as shown on a diagram thereof; the purchase money and the auctioneer's fee to be paid in cash at the time of the sale, and all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents that may be due shall be paid on or before the delivery of said release; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to appoint an appraiser of the interest of the City in said described land forming a part of the Old Fitzroy road, the appraisal to be approved by this Board before such sale.

THEO. W. MYERS,
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REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
NEW YORK, February 25, 1890.

AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS will sell at public auction, by J. Thomas Stearns, Auctioneer, buildings, barns, sheds, etc., now standing within the lines of Van Cortlandt and Crotona Parks, on Friday, March 7, 1890.

The sale will begin with and in front of premises numbered 1, viz., 2-story frame building on Gun Hill road, near Grand avenue, at 10 o'clock A. M., and will be continued in the order arranged in the catalogue.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase moneys to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale. Purchasers will be required to remove their property within twenty days from date of sale. Purchasers to be liable for any and all damages to persons, animals or property by reason of the removal of said buildings, etc.

For further information and for catalogues apply at the offices of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street; Arsenal, Central Park; No. 2773 Third avenue, Lorillard House, Bronx Park; Tremper House, Van Cortlandt Park.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
February 24, 1890.

AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at public auction by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on Wednesday, March 5, 1890, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Central Park, the following:

Stables, Eighty-fifth street Transverse road—
1 Black Horse, 15½ hands high.
1 Roan Horse, 16 hands high.
2 Bay Horses, 16 hands high.
1 Gray Horse, 16 hands high.
5 Goats.
1 White Dog.
1 Pointer Dog.
12 Old Paint Barrels.
1 Old Top Buggy.
1 Open Buggy.

Lot of Old Shovels (about 300).
Lot of Old Rakes (about 60).
Lot of Old Rope (about 600 pounds).
12 Drop four-light Chandeliers.
12 Upright four-light Chandeliers.
15 Two-light Chandeliers.
1 Six-light Chandelier.
10 Three-light Brackets.
20 Three-light Brackets.
6 One-light Brackets.
10 Two-light Brackets.
8 Iron Radiators.

At yard Sixty-fourth street and Eighth avenue—
About 182 Cords of Wood.

At yard Seventy-ninth street and Eighth avenue—
About 5 Tons of Old Iron.

At yard Ninety-sixth street and Eighth avenue—
About 220 Cords of Wood.

At yard One Hundred and Second street and Fifth avenue—
About 42 Cords of Wood.

At yard Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue—
One frame of Old Bird Building.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 20, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING and delivering the Supplies enumerated in the following schedules, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, March 6, 1890:

SCHEDULE.

The articles, supplies, goods and merchandise are to be delivered free of expense of cartage, freight, packing and packages, in such quantities and at such time or times and at such places on Central or City Parks as shall be directed or required by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks or their proper officer.

The quality of the goods to conform in every respect to the samples exhibited, or the specification.

CEMENT, BRICK, ETC.

400 barrels Best English Portland Cement, subject to Engineer's test.

30,000 Hard Bricks, best quality North river.

2 barrels Fine Clay.

1,000 Fire Bricks.

3 barrels Rockland Lump Lime.

1 barrel Finishing Lump Lime.

2 barrels Rockaway Sand.

2 barrels Plaster Paris.

200 cubic yards clean, sharp Cowboy Sand.

1,000 cubic yards 2½ inch Broken Trap-rock Stone.

VITRIFIED, SALT GLAZED, SEWER OR DRAIN PIPE.

2,000 feet each, 8 in. and 6 in.

12 Double V's, each 6 in. x 6 in. x 6 in. and 8 feet x 8 in. x 6 in.

15 Single V's, each 6 in. x 6 in. and 8 in. x 8 in.

12 Single T's, each 6 in. x 6 in. and 8 in. x 8 in.

12 Reducers, 6 in. x 8 in.

3 Running Traps, 8 in.

25 Bends, each ½, 6 in.; ¼, 6 in.; ⅝, 8 in.; ¾, 8 in.

Pipe must be equal to sample and with 12 in. at the standard, to stand the following test: Weigh not less than 47 pounds to foot; not less than 1.10 inches thick; specific gravity 2.25; crushing weight (per foot length), with pipes bedded horizontally, half their depth in sand, weight to be applied uniformly along the length, on top, 2,500 pounds; breaking weight, 4,200 pounds, on 2 feet 6 in. span; glazing to be equal to sample.

PAINTS, OILS AND COLORS.

6,800 pounds best pure White Lead, ground in oil, of approved manufacture.

1,600 pounds Chrome Green, in oil, strictly pure.

225 pounds Indian Red, in Japan, of approved manufacture.

345 pounds Indian Red, in oil, strictly pure.

470 pounds Chrome Yellow, in oil, strictly pure.

100 pounds Chrome Green, in oil, strictly pure, dark.

270 pounds Venetian Red, in oil, strictly pure.

265 pounds best Lamp Black, in oil, strictly pure.

20 pounds Coach Black, in Japan, of approved manufacture.

3 gallons best Japan Dryer, strictly pure.

395 pounds Yellow Ochre, in oil, strictly pure.

45 pounds English Vermilion, dry, medium shade, strictly pure.

100 pounds Burnt Umber, in oil, strictly pure.

200 pounds Raw Umber, in oil, strictly pure.

135 pounds Burnt Sienna, in oil, strictly pure.

125 pounds Raw Sienna, in oil, strictly pure.

1,400 pounds Metallic, in oil, of approved manufacture.

50 pounds Prussian Blue, in oil, strictly pure.

25 pounds Potash, strictly pure.

9 tubs Putty, about 150 pounds each, ground in oil, strictly pure.

5 reams Sand Paper, No. 2.

6 reams Sand Paper, No. 1½.

2 reams Sand Paper, No. 1.

1 barrel Gilder's Whiting, extra.

5½ barrels Spirits Turpentine, New York barrels.

6½ barrels Raw Linseed Oil, Calcutta.

3½ barrels Boiled Linseed Oil, Calcutta.

28 gallons best extra Brown Japan.

10 gallons best extra White Japan.

25 gallons best extra Furniture Varnish.

25 gallons superior Outside Varnish, of approved manufacture.

10 gallons Quick-leveling Varnish, of approved manufacture.

15 gallons Plastic Gear Varnish, of approved manufacture.

10 gallons each White and Brown Shellac, grain alcohol.

5 gallons Alcohol at proof, 95°, grain.

10 gallons Naphtha.

3½ dozen Pound Brushes, 6½ extra, sample.

5 dozen Sash Tools, sample.

5 dozen XX Artist Brushes, flat, each ½ in. and 1 in., sample.

1 dozen each Nos. 3 and 4 silver bound Lettering Pencils, sable, sample.

½ dozen Paint Strainers.

PARTS OF MOWERS FOR REPAIRS.

25 Back Girt Bolts, No. 273.

20 Bottom Knives, each, Nos. 274 and 275.

25 Castor Collars, No. 279.

25 Castors, complete, No. 280.

6,000 pounds Rice.
16,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
2,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
1,700 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.
1,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.
100 barrels Crackers.
100 bushels Dried Peas.
3,050 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
12 dozen Tomato Catsup.
15 dozen Extract Lemon.
675 barrels good sound White Potatoes, 172 pounds net per barrel.
50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.
100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.
1,600 heads 1 time, good-sized cabbage, to be delivered in crates, or barrels.
35 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, about 6 pounds each.
25 prime quality City-cured Smoked Hams, about 14 pounds each.
10 prime quality City-cured Smoked Tongues, about 6 pounds each.
20 tubs prime quality kettle-rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.
12 gross Shoe Blacking, No. 3.

CROCKERY, DRYGOODS, ETC.

10 gross W. G. Bowls.
100 dozen Cotton Mops.
20 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound.
50 dozen Handkerchiefs.
25,000 Sewing Needles, 12 No. 3, 13 No. 4.

HARDWARE, WOODENWARE, ETC.

2 gross Carpenter's Pencils.
12 gross Hat and Coat Hooks.
24 dozen Taper Saw Files, 8 each, 3", 4" and 5".
6 dozen F. B. Files, 14".
6 dozen Claw Hammers.
6 dozen Shoe Hammers.
6 dozen Shoe Knives.
6 dozen Small Brass Padlocks, with 2 keys.
6 dozen Shoe Raps.
6 dozen Garden Rakes.
12 dozen Paint Brushes, 6".
12 dozen Stove Brushes.
24 dozen Dust Brushes.
12 dozen Window Brushes.
10 coils first quality Manila Rope, 9 thread.
1 coil first quality Manila Bolt Rope, 4 1/2".
250 sides first quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.
50 barrels first quality White-wash Lime.
25 barrels first quality Plaster Paris.
15 barrels first quality Whiting.

LUMBER.

10,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine Shelving 12 to 16" x 12 to 16 feet dressed 2 sides.
1,500 feet first quality Spruce, 4" x 4".
300 feet first quality Clear Pine, 3/4" dressed.
50 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 4" x 16 feet.
2 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 12" x 16 feet.
50 feet first quality Clear Pine, 3/4" dressed 2 sides.
200 first quality Spruce Plank, 1 1/2".
50 first quality Spruce Plank, 1 1/4".

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island. —will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, March 7, 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, Hardware, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 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, February 24, 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,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1890.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 40, North river—Unknown man, aged about 65 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair, moustache and whiskers; brown eyes. Had on brown overcoat, brown check coat, black vest and pants, white knit undershirt and drawers, white cotton socks, buckled shoes.

Unknown man, from One Hundred and Eighth street, North river—Aged about 70 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair, beard and moustache; blue eyes. Had on blue check jumper, brown plaid vest, black and gray striped pants, striped shirt, white cotton undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, blue socks, gutters.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Agnes Cook, aged 42 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted felt hat, blue veil, drab cloth sack, black dress, gray skirt, shoes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, March 18, 1890, for supplying a Steam heating Apparatus for Grammar School Building No. 46, One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and St. Nicholas avenue, and Grammar School Building No. 89, on northwest corner of Lenox avenue and West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; also for the Furniture required for Grammar School Building No. 89, on northwest corner of Lenox avenue and West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN HALEN,
WILLIAM STILLINGS,
ANTONIO RASINES,
LEOPOLD WORMSER,
ROBERT E. STEEL,
School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, March 5, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees for the Twenty-third Ward, until 12 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, March 13, 1890, for the erection of a new school building on the south side of East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, near Courtland avenue, and Janitor's house on Courtland avenue, near One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street.

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

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FREDERICK FOLZ,
WILLIAM HOGG,
SAMUEL SAMUELS,
WILLIAM R. BEAL,
A. F. BRUGMAN,
School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, February 28, 1890.

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 3177, No. 1. Paving Ninety-ninth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite blocks.
List 3182, No. 2. Paving Sixty-sixth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, with granite blocks.
List 3192, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring both sides of Seventy-first street, full width, from First avenue to the East river.
List 3193, No. 4. Laying crosswalks across Lenox avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty seventh street.

List 3196, No. 5. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

List 3197, No. 6. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

List 3198, No. 7. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

List 3191, No. 8. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring south side of Eighty-first street, from First avenue to the East river.

List 3199, No. 9. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

List 3200, No. 10. Laying a crosswalk across Avenue A, at the southerly side of Seventy-seventh street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Sixty-sixth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-first street, from First avenue to the East river.

No. 4. To the extent of half the block from the northerly and southerly intersection of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Lenox avenue.

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

No. 6. To the extent of half the block, from the northerly and southerly intersections of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Seventh avenue.

No. 7. To the extent of half the block from the northerly and southerly intersections of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Seventh avenue.

No. 8. South side of Eighty-first street, from First avenue to Avenue A.

No. 9. To the extent of half the block from the northerly and southerly intersections of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Seventh avenue.

No. 10. To the extent of half the block from the southerly intersection of Seventy-seventh street and Avenue A.

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 April, 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, March 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 3176, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

List 3180, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Sixth street, from Park to Fifth avenue, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3181, No. 3. Paving Eighty-eighth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite-blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3184, No. 4. Paving Ninety-fourth street, from Fifth to Madison avenue, with granite blocks.

List 3190, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring both sides of Ninety-second street, between Second avenue and the East river.

List 3194, No. 6. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street.

List 3195, No. 7. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-first street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Park to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from Fifth to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-second street, from Second avenue to the East river.

No. 6. To the extent of half the block from the northerly and southerly intersections of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twentieth street.

No. 7. To the extent of half the block, from the northerly and southerly intersections of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-first street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 29th day of March, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 28, 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 2967, No. 1. Regulating, grading and planting elm trees in the Fort Washington Ridge road, from its junction with Eleventh avenue at One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, to its junction with the Kingsbridge road, between One Hundred and Ninety-eighth and One Hundred and Ninety-ninth streets, except between One Hundred and Ninety-second and One Hundred and Ninety-fourth streets, and One Hundred and Ninety-eighth and Two Hundredth streets.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Fort Washington Ridge road, from its junction with Eleventh avenue at One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Two Hundredth street, and its junction with Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the distance to the adjoining streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of

Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation on the 25th day of March, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 24, 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 3179, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, with granite-blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3183, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, with granite-blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3185, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring Eighty-fifth street, south side, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

List 3186, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring west side of Park avenue, from Sixty-eighth to Sixty-ninth street.

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

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

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

No. 4. West side of Park avenue, commencing about 25 feet northerly from Sixty-eighth street, and extending northerly about 52 feet.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 22d day of March, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

HORACE LOOMIS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held in the Mayor's Office, on Friday, March 7, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business, and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated March 5, 1890. V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Tenth avenue to New avenue (Morningside West), in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the fourteenth day of April, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said fourteenth day of April, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the fifteenth day of April, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Morningside avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Morningside avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twentieth street and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets; and westerly by the easterly line of Tenth avenue; excepting from said area all the land included within the lines of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, March 3, 1890.
EDWARD L. FARRIS, Chairman,
MITCHELL LEVY,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners,
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth avenue to New avenue (Morningside West), in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the fifteenth day of April, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twentieth street and One Hundred and Twenty-first street; easterly by the westerly line of Morningside avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Nineteenth street and One Hundred and Twentieth street; and westerly by the easterly line of Tenth avenue, excepting from said area all the land included within the lines of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, March 3, 1890.
EDWARD L. FARRIS, Chairman,
MITCHELL LEVY,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District, in the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers of said court, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 27th day of March, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Fordham Morris, who has declined to serve.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.
Dated NEW YORK, February 27, 1890.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District in the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers of said Court, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of March, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Bowie Dash, who has declined to serve.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.
Dated NEW YORK, February 27, 1890.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District in the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers of said Court, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of March, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Ernest Hall, who has declined to serve.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.
Dated NEW YORK, February 27, 1890.

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

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the first day of April, 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 Sixty-third street; easterly by a line extending from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly from, the easterly line of Eagle avenue except where the centre line of the block between Eagle avenue and Terrace place is distant less than 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Eagle avenue, and in such case said centre line forms the easterly boundary; southerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; and westerly by a line extending from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly from, the westerly line of Eagle avenue, except where the centre line of the blocks between Eagle avenue and St. Ann's avenue is distant less than 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eagle avenue, and in such case said centre line forms the westerly boundary; 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 eighteenth day of April, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, February 12, 1890.
FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, Chairman,
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
JOHN H. KITCHEN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the fourth day of March, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated NEW YORK, February 17, 1890.
JOHN P. REED,
CHARLES H. LOVETT,
C. C. CLARKE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the thirty-first day of March, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly line of Jennings street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Chisholm street and Bristow street, from Jennings street to Stebbins avenue; southerly by the northerly line of

Northerly by the prolongation westerly of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Clay avenue to Morris avenue, and the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; easterly by the westerly line of the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and the westerly side of Brook avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; southerly by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Brook avenue to Morris avenue; and westerly by the easterly side of Morris avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the point where the northerly boundary line, heretofore described, intersects the easterly side of Morris avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, February 12, 1890.
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, Chairman,
MITCHELL LEVY,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twentieth day of March, 1890.

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, February 4, 1890.
AUGUSTUS C. BROWN, Chairman,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the eighteenth day of March, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eighteenth day of March, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3.30 o'clock, P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the nineteenth day of March, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly line of Jennings street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Chisholm street and Bristow street, from Jennings street to Stebbins avenue; southerly by the northerly line of

Stebbins avenue, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Chisholm street and Lyman place and Prospect avenue, from Stebbins avenue to Jennings street, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, February 4, 1890.
AUGUSTUS C. BROWN, Chairman,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
JOHN N. EMRA,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the nineteenth day of March, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Jennings street and Boston road, from Union avenue to a point 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Stebbins avenue; easterly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Stebbins avenue, and extending from the last mentioned point to the centre line of the block between Freeman street and Lyman street; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Freeman street and Lyman street, from the easterly limit of the assessment district to the easterly line of Lyman place and by the centre line of the block between Jennings street and Ritter place, from Prospect avenue to Union avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Lyman place, the easterly line of Prospect avenue, and the easterly line of Union avenue, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, February 4, 1890.
AUGUSTUS C. BROWN, Chairman,
THOMAS E. GRACE,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

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

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

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

MICHAEL COLEMAN,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 326.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIER, NEW 59, ON THE NORTH RIVER, AND AT PIER 61, ON THE EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIER, new 59, North river, and at Pier 61, 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, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall

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

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

Pier, new 59, North river.....	48,000 cubic yards.
Pier 61, East river.....	6,500 "
Total.....	54,500 "

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

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

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

The work to be done under 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 first day of May, 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 \$50 per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, March 3, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.
TO CONTRACTORS.
(No. 324.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED SPRUCE TIMBER.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 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 Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

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

	Feet, B. M.
Spruce Timber, 12" x 12", 450 pieces, 20 feet 6 inches long, about.....	110,700
" 12" x 12", 178 pieces, 24 feet long, about.....	51,264
" 8" x 8", 433 pieces, 29 feet long, about.....	66,970
" 4" x 12", about 3,437 linear feet, in 15', 18', 21' and 24' lengths, about.....	13,748
" 4" x 12", about 1,438 linear feet in 12 feet lengths and upwards, about.....	5,752
" 4" x 10", about 20,913 linear feet in 15', 18', 21' and 24' lengths, about.....	69,710
" 4" x 10", about 3,262 linear feet, in 12 feet lengths and upwards, about.....	10,873
" 4" x 10", about 230 pieces, 17 feet 9 inches long, about.....	13,608
" 4" x 10", about 520 pieces, 16 feet 9 inches long, about.....	29,033
" 4" x 10", about 290 pieces, 25 feet 1 inch long, about.....	24,244
" 4" x 10", about 230 pieces, 9 feet 4 inches long, about.....	7,153
" 4" x 10", about 50 pieces, 20 feet long, about.....	3,333
" 4" x 10", about 40 pieces, 19 feet long, about.....	2,533
" 3" x 10", about 97 pieces, 17 feet 9 inches long, about.....	4,302
" 3" x 10", about 254 pieces, 16 feet 9 inches long, about.....	10,635
" 3" x 10", about 157 pieces, 25 feet 1 inch long, about.....	9,845
" 3" x 10", about 97 pieces, 9 feet 4 inches long, about.....	2,262
" 3" x 10", about 50 pieces, 20 feet long, about.....	2,500
" 3" x 10", about 50 pieces, 19 feet long, about.....	2,375
Total Spruce Timber, about.....	440,840

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

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

At least 50,000 feet, board measure, of the timber is to be delivered within thirty days, Sundays excepted, from the date of the contract, and all the timber to be delivered under this contract is to be delivered on or before the first day of May, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of 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.

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, February 25, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Tuesday, March 18, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS ABOUT FIVE HUNDRED CUBIC YARDS OF ROA HOOK GRAVEL, SUITABLE FOR ROAD SURFACING; ALSO ABOUT ONE THOUSAND CUBIC YARDS OF ROA HOOK GRAVEL BANK SCREENINGS.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS ABOUT TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN STONE OF TRAP ROCK; ALSO ABOUT TWELVE HUNDRED CUBIC YARDS OF COARSE SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK.

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 his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 12, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Tuesday, March 18, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWERS IN SOUTH STREET, between Roosevelt street and Pike Slip, with outlet through Pier, new 29, East river, and ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN JAMES SLIP, OLIVER STREET, CATHERINE STREET AND MARKET SLIP.

No. 2. FOR EXTENSION OF SEWER OUTLET IN ELEVENTH STREET AT EAST RIVER.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN TENTH AVENUE, east side, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first 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 his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 28, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE CALLING FOR BIDS OR Proposals for the Privileges or Licenses to Sprinkle certain Public Streets in the City of New York with water drawn from the public fire-hydrants, the bids to be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, on Monday, March 17, 1890, until 12 o'clock noon, at which hour they will be publicly opened.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

8th. Each person obtaining a permit will be required to sprinkle the streets with sufficient water only to lay

the dust; drenching the streets with an excessive quantity of water will be sufficient cause to revoke any permit or license.

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

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

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

No bid will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Commissioner of Public Works, or money, to the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100), as security for compliance with the conditions of the license. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the bid, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no bid can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the license is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after the license has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the license within the time aforesaid, the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

ROUTE NUMBER 12.

Greenwich and West streets, from Cortlandt street to Battery place.
Liberty street, Broadway to West street.
Cedar, Albany and Rector streets, Greenwich to West street.
Church street, Cortlandt to Morris street.
Rector street, Broadway to Greenwich street.
Battery place and Bowling Green to West street.

ROUTE NUMBER 19.

Houston street, Mercer to Macdougall street.
Bleecker street, Broadway to Sullivan street.
West Third street, Broadway to Macdougall street.
Greene and Wooster streets, Houston to West Third street.

South Fifth avenue and Thompson street, Houston to West Fourth street.
Sullivan street, Houston to West Third street.
Macdougall street, Houston to West Third street.
Waverley place, Perry to Washington street.
West Eleventh street, Bleecker to Washington street.
Hudson street, West Eleventh to Twelfth street.
Eighth avenue, Bank to Twelfth street.

ROUTE NUMBER 22.

Bowery, Division to Fourth street.
Canal street, Bowery to Mott street.
Bond street, Bowery to Broadway.
Spring street, Bowery to Mott street.
Second street, Bowery to Second avenue.
Delancey street, Bowery to Columbia street.
Rivington street, Bowery to Essex street.
Essex, from Stanton to Delancey street.

ROUTE NUMBER 32.

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

ROUTE NUMBER 37.

Exchange place, Hanover to Broad street.
Hanover street, Exchange place to Pearl street.
South street, Berling to Counties Slip.
Front street, Fulton to Berling Slip.
Burling Slip, South to Water street.
Counties and Old Slips, South to Front street.
Whitehall street, South to Bridge street.
Pearl and Water streets, Whitehall street to Old Slip.
Front street, Whitehall street to Counties Slip.
State street, South to Whitehall street.
Bridge street, State to Whitehall street.
Old Slip, Water to Front street.
Counties Slip, South to Whitehall street.

ROUTE NUMBER 44.

Hudson street, Clarkson to West Eleventh street.
Hudson street, Horatio to West Twelfth street.
Eighth avenue, Twelfth to Horatio street.
Bleecker street, Charles to Fank street.
Van Ness place, 1 Ecker street to Waverley place.
Greenwich street, Clarkson to Morton street.
West Eleventh street, Bleecker street to Waverley place.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Friday, March 7, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF AVENUE B, from the north side of Seventy-ninth street to the south side of Eighty-sixth street.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTIETH STREET, from the Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Park to Madison avenue.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-SECOND STREET, from West End avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDREDTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue.

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Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, February 20, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Friday, March 14, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 1, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1889.

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

The Commissioner of Public Works desires to give the following explanation of the operation of this act:

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 322 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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