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OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the week ending March 15, 1890.

Barometer.

DATE. MARCH.		7 A.M.				2 P.M.				9 P.M.				MEAN FOR THE DAY.				MAXIMUM.				MINIMUM.			
		Reduced to Freezing.				Reduced to Freezing.				Reduced to Freezing.				Reduced to Freezing.				Reduced to Freezing.				Reduced to Freezing.			
Sunday,	9	30.340				30.384				30.436				30.387				30.444				30.248			
Monday,	10	30.418				30.364				30.300				30.361				30.434				30.250			
Tuesday,	11	30.185				30.070				30.080				30.112				30.260				30.054			
Wednesday,	12	30.064				30.034				30.074				30.057				30.090				30.028			
Thursday,	13	30.032				30.002				30.124				30.053				30.132				30.002			
Friday,	14	30.032				29.910				29.922				29.955				30.100				29.884			
Saturday,	15	29.800				29.666				29.632				29.699				29.884				29.614			

Mean for the week..... 30.089 inches.
Maximum " at 11 P.M., March 9th..... 30.444 "
Minimum " at 12 P.M., March 15th..... 29.614 "
Range "830 "

Thermometers.

DATE MARCH.		7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.			MAXIMUM.			
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.	
Sunday,	9	19	18	33	31	29	27	27	25	34	4 P. M.	31	4 P. M.	18	2 A. M.	17	2 A. M.	104.	1 P. M.
Monday,	10	27	24	39	33	39	35	35	30	42	4 P. M.	38	6 P. M.	25	6 A. M.	23	6 A. M.	99.	3 P. M.
Tuesday,	11	39	37	45	43	47	45	43	41	49	7 P. M.	47	7 P. M.	39	0 A. M.	36	0 A. M.	64.	11 A. M.
Wednesday,	12	44	42	66	60	59	57	56	53	71	4 P. M.	63	4 P. M.	43	3 A. M.	41	3 A. M.	117.	1 P. M.
Thursday,	13	55	53	58	54	48	45	53	50	63	1 P. M.	58	1 P. M.	46	12 P. M.	44	12 P. M.	110.	11 A. M.
Friday,	14	40	39	40	39	39	37	39	38	46	0 A. M.	44	0 A. M.	39	12 P. M.	37	12 P. M.	49.	0 A. M.
Saturday,	15	36	34	36	33	35	30	35	32	39	0 A. M.	37	0 A. M.	29	12 P. M.	27	12 P. M.	64.	5 P. M.

Mean for the week..... Dry Bulb. 41.5 degrees..... Wet Bulb. 38.8 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 4 P.M., 12th..... 71..... at 4 P.M., 12th..... 63.....
Minimum " at 2 A.M., 9th..... 15..... at 2 A.M., 9th..... 17.....
Range " 53..... " 46.....

Wind.

DATE. MARCH.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.						FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.					
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	9 P.M. to 7 A.M.	7 A.M. to 2 P.M.	2 P.M. to 9 P.M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Max.	Time.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Sunday,	9....	NNW	NNE	NNE	64	59	44	167	0	1½	0	1½	2 P.M.			
Monday,	10....	NE	SSW	S	4	54	56	114	0	¼	¼	1½	6.50 P.M.			
Tuesday,	11....	NE	SSW	SE	45	23	27	95	0	0	0	¾	0.30 P.M.			
Wednesday,	12....	ENE	SW	SE	3	57	38	98	0	1¼	0	2¼	0.20 P.M.			
Thursday,	13....	SW	N	N	72	64	61	197	¾	¾	0	2	8.15 A.M.			
Friday,	14....	N	NNW	NNW	50	43	33	126	0	0	0	¾	3.20 P.M.			
Saturday,	15....	NW	NNW	W	15	28	12	55	0	0	0	2¾	11.50 P.M.			

Distance traveled during the week..... 852 miles.
Maximum force..... ¾ pounds.

DATE. MARCH.	Hygrometer.								Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, IO.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES					
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	O. IO.
Sunday,	9	.087	.151	.124	.121	84	80	77	80	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Monday,	10	.095	.110	.152	.119	64	46	63	58	2 Cir.	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Tuesday,	11	.194	.251	.273	.239	81	84	84	83	10	10	10	3 A.M.	11 A.M.	8.00	.29	0
Wedn'day,	12	.241	.438	.439	.373	83	68	88	80	9 Cu	2 Cir.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Thursday,	13	.376	.365	.260	.334	87	75	77	80	0	10	10	9.30 P.M.	11 P.M.	1.30	.03	3
Friday,	14	.225	.225	.194	.215	91	91	81	88	10	10	10	0 A.M.	6.30 P.M.	12.30	.40	10
Saturday,	15	.170	.149	.109	.143	20	70	53	68	10	10	0	0 A.M.	1.30 P.M.	13.30	.56	10

Total amount of water for the week..... 1.35 inch.
Duration for the week..... 1 day, 21 hours and 0 minutes.
* Melted as it fell.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.
Sunday, Mar. 9	Clear, cold.....	Clear, cold.....
Monday, " 10	Pleasant, hazy.....	Mild, hazy.....
Tuesday, " 11	Mild, raining, fog.....	Mild, overcast.....
Wednesday, " 12	Mild, fog.....	Warm, pleasant.....
Thursday, " 13	Mild, pleasant.....	Mild, overcast.....
Friday, " 14	Mild, raining.....	Mild, overcast.....
Saturday, " 15	Raw, snowing.....	Raw, overcast.....

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, MARCH 3 TO 8, 1890.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending March 1, 1890: Males, 33; females, 1. On file.
List of 38 prisoners to be discharged from March 9 to March 15, 1890. Transmitted to Prison Association.
From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to March 1, 1890. To Book-keeper.
From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending March 1, 1890, \$237. On file.
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 17 patients admitted, 12 discharged, during week ending March 1, 1890. On file.
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 11 patients admitted, 13 discharged and 5 that have died during week ending March 1, 1890. On file.
From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending March 1, 1890, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.
From Penitentiary—Report of prisoners confined in dark cells during February, 1890. On file.
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Transmitting writs of habeas corpus in the cases of Willet L. Hasbrouck and Thomas Burney, inmates. Referred to Counsel to the Corporation.
From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending March 1, 1890. On file.
From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending March 1, 1890, \$276. On file.
From Storekeeper—Rejecting potatoes, onions, cement, overcoats, furnished under contracts, they being inferior to samples. Approved.
From Alms House—Requesting that the Examiners in Lunacy be directed to examine three inmates as to their sanity. So ordered.
From his Honor the Mayor—Asking the Board to designate a representative to attend at his office on 7th instant, for the purpose of consulting with reference to pending legislation at Albany affecting the interests of this city. Referred to President Porter.

Contracts Awarded.

George W. Winants—1,000 tons coal, at \$4.65 per ton.
James F. Curren—13,000 yards U. G. cassimere, at 19 93-100 cents per yard.
Richard Lindner—34,100 yards ticking, at 11 44-100 cents per yard; 400 yards blue flannel, at 18 56-100 cents per yard; 8,250 yards seersucker, at 9 92-100 cents per yard; 800 yards linsey-woolsey, at 10 63-100 cents per yard; 1,600 woman's shawls, at \$2.38 each; 5,700 yards huckabuck, at 15 86-100 cents per yard; 24,000 yards crash, at 7 76-100 cents per yard; 40 great gross white buttons, at 93 cents per great gross.
John C. Juhring—4,800 pounds of barley, at 2 35-100 cents per pound; 6,000 pounds Rio coffee, at 22 70-100 cents per pound; 2,500 pounds coffee sugar, at 5 26-100 cents per pound.
Bloomingdale Bros.—12,000 yards furniture check, at 7 34-100 cents per yard; 14,000 yards ticking, at 11 20-100 cents per yard; 8,000 yards cottonades, at 14 24-100 cents per yard; 2,500 yards of brown denims, at 87 59-100 cents per yard; 8,000 yards blue denims, at 7 59-100 cents per yard; 175 dozen O. N. T. cotton, at 41 20-100 cents per dozen; 2,700 yards white flannel, at 15 13-100 cents per yard; 500 gross dress buttons, at 26½ cents per gross; 300 dozen undershirts, at \$3.17½ per dozen; 125 dozen pairs drawers, at \$3.17½ per dozen.
William M. Jeens—545 blouses, faced, \$2.75; double, \$3 each; 1,975 rubber sheets, at \$1.7½ each.

Appointed.

From March 1. R. M. Miller, Laborer, Storehouse. Salary, \$60 per annum.
" 1. John J. McMahon, Laborer, Storehouse. Salary, \$60 per annum.
" 3. David Hutchinson, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 4. John Parry, Orderly, Workhouse. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 4. Owen McGuire, Laborer, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.
" 5. Patrick McKenna, Driver, Central Office Stables. Salary, \$800 per annum.
" 5. Marcus Reiser, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$600 per annum.
" 5. William Van Giesen, Orderly, Ninety-ninth Street Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.
" 6. Bernard Mehan, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$360 per annum.
" 6. Annie Hart, Nurse, Alms House. Salary, \$144 per annum.
" 6. Mary F. Reynolds, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.
" 6. Joseph Maguire, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 7. John Peake, Fireman, Alms House. Salary, \$240 per annum.
" 8. Maggie Miller, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.
" 8. Matthew C. Scott, Nurse, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.

Reappointed.

March 3. Richard R. Kefford, Orderly, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.
" 4. Thomas G. Mitchell, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

Resigned.

March 1. R. H. Owens, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
" 2. Thomas F. Hoynes, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.
" 3. Thomas Meehan, Orderly, Randall's Island Hospital.
" 3. Mary B. Muldooney, Nurse, Charity Hospital.
" 3. George Ostrom, Orderly, Ninety-ninth street Hospital.
" 3. Kate Stewart, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
" 4. George Beaumann, Cook, Charity Hospital.
" 5. Henrietta Wilkins, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
" 5. John J. Farrell, Driver, Central Office Stables.
" 5. B. Willes Walker, Assistant Physician N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

Dismissed.

February 25. James Murphy, Orderly, Ninety-ninth street Hospital.

Transferred.

March 4. William Nevin, Attendant to Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary increased from \$300 to \$360 per annum.
" 4. George Wiebel, Assistant Cook to Cook, Charity Hospital. Salary increased from \$400 to \$600 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending March 15, 1890:

Deposited in the Treasury.

To the Credit of the Sinking Fund..... \$51,991 95
" City Treasury..... 732,044 04
Total..... \$784,035 99

Bonds Issued.

Two and one-half per cent. Bonds..... \$605,000 00

Warrants Registered for Payment.

The Mayoralty—
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office..... \$33 40
The Finance Department—
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office..... 40 00
Interest on the City Debt..... 140 00
Aqueduct Commissioners—
Additional Water Fund..... 88,502 79
The Law Department—
Contingencies—Law Department..... 1,690 58

The Department of Public Works—
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening..... \$2,952 04
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of..... 90 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works..... 103 85
Fund for Viaduct from St. Nicholas place to McComb's Dam Bridge..... 161 00
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting..... 11,367 25
Laying Croton Pipes..... 404 11
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs..... 1,255 56
Public Drinking-hydrants..... 857 50
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc..... 1,406 23
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading..... 1,037 95
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works..... 21 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning..... 1,916 86
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886..... 3,021 39
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices..... 1,381 81
Water-meter Fund, No. 2..... 342 31
26,318 86

The Department of Public Parks—
American Museum of Natural History—Enlarging the Building.. \$8,825 00
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.. 62 72
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885... 8,265 83
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places..... 5,977 64
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards..... 80 00
Metropolitan Museum of Art, Completion of..... 819 33
Morningside Park, For the Improvement and Maintenance of... 53 57
New Parks North of Harlem River..... 77 42
Riverside Park, Construction of..... 71 43
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886..... 11,375 29
Surveys, Maps and Plans..... 701 30
Van Cortlandt Park—Parade Ground, Construction of..... 240 71
36,550 24

The Department of Public Charities and Correction—
Public Charities and Correction..... 57,872 19

The Health Department—
For Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals..... \$3,000 00
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses..... 66 30
Health Fund—For Law Expenses..... 83 33
Hospital Fund—For Improving Heating Apparatus on North Brother Island..... 1,997 55
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island..... 385 87
5,533 05

The Department of Street Cleaning—
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning..... 9,671 17

The Fire Department—
Fire Department Fund..... 6,664 67

The Department of Taxes and Assessments—
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments..... 5 00

The Department of Docks—
Dock Fund..... 48,208 74

The Board of Education—
College of the City of New York..... \$54 04
Public Instruction..... 283,992 75
School-house Fund..... 10,377 00
The Normal College..... 874 17
295,297 96

The Board of Excise—
Commissioners of Excise Fund..... 102 13

Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books..... \$8,818 44
Publication of the CITY RECORD..... 3,884 83
12,703 27

Municipal Service Examining Boards—
Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of..... 76 99

The Coroners—
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses..... 1,122 70

The Register—
Salaries—Register's Office..... \$191 66

The Judiciary—
Salaries—Judiciary..... 62 49

Charitable Institutions—
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society..... \$4,637 26
New York Catholic Protectory..... 17,491 99
New York Infant Asylum..... 7,247 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital..... 6,642 84
36,019 00

Miscellaneous Purposes—
Armory Fund—Eighth Regiment..... \$9,373 00
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office..... 239 74
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses..... 250 00
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.. 35 00
For Construction of a Bridge over Harlem River..... 76 84
Forfeited Recognizances..... 300 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings..... 524 16
Judgments..... 700 05
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials..... 17 00
New Parks Fund..... 1,023 67
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error..... 245 74
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886..... 1,750 00
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages..... 118 33
14,653 53

Total..... \$641,460 42

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Com. Pleas	Peter J. Loughlin....	.....	Summons. Complaint not served.....	E. Fixman.
Supreme..	In matter of acquiring title to lands for school purposes on north side of Fourth street, between First and Second avenues.....	.....	Certified copies report of Commissioners of Estimate in said matter, and of order confirming the same.....	W. H. Clark, Corporation Counsel.
"	Ferdinand T. Hopkins	\$1,167 00	Certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 316 and 347 in matter of Bronx Park, portion within New York City.....	J. Mc. G. Smith.
"	William Anderson...	389 40	Summons and complaint. For stenographic services in the Court of General Sessions in 1889.....	G. R. Westerfield.
Superior..	Charles Wund.....	299 00	Summons and complaint. For salary as Attendant in Court of General Sessions, from October 7, 1889, to January 25, 1890.....	Gildersleeve, P. & B.
Supreme..	Mary F. Schieffelin...	250 51	Certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 444 in matter of Bronx Park, portion within New York City.....	Platt & Bowers
"	George O'Byrne.....	1,741 22	Summons and complaint. For salary as an employee in the Department of Public Works, from June 25, 1885, to December 31, 1889.....	J. O'Byrne.
Com. Pleas	James Brand vs. The Mayor, etc., H. F. Clark and others..	476 00	Notice of pendency of action.....	J. J. Thomasson.
"	James Brand vs. The Mayor, etc., H. F. Clark and others..	476 00	Summons and complaint. To foreclose lien for materials furnished under contract of said Clark for paving with rock asphalt the walks, etc., in Morningside Park.....	"
Supreme..	G. Capoto, admr. vs. The Mayor, etc., John Connolly and others.....	.....	Notice of pendency of action.....	H. Pressprick.
"	Patrick Higgins.....	151 25	Certified copy judgment.....	H. A. Brann.
"	Mary Hubner, adm'x	.....	Summons. Complaint not served.....	Fromme Bros.
Com. Pleas	James Rogers vs. The Mayor, etc., John F. Dawson and others.....	940 20	Notice of pendency of action.....	J. A. Deering.
"	David Hamilton vs. Terence A. Smith and ano.....	.....	Copy consent and order of discontinuance..	L. L. Kellogg.
"	Sarah Knox and ano. vs. The Mayor, etc., George W. Swift and others.....	36 05	Notice of pendency of action.....	J. L. Strahan.
Supreme..	William W. Falconer.	460 24	Transcript of judgment.....	F. Moss.
"	Michael Gavin.....	226 56	"	J. Hillhouse.

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Mar. 10	Theodore E. Senior..... James Gray..... Christopher Cuttingham.	..... \$1,030 00 1,000 00 1,002 00	For damages for personal injuries, as follows :	F. J. Bischoff " "
" 10	Theodore E. Senior.....	220 00	For damage to horse and wagon caused by falling into an excavation in Sixty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, on March 2, 1890.....	"
" 10	H. Amy, treasurer, etc.	763 60	For return of amounts paid by the Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul for water rents, between May 13, 1887, and February 8, 1890, on premises Nos. 211 and 213 West Thirty-ninth street.....	"
" 11	Equitable Life Assurance Society.....	1,305 35	For return of amount paid for an assessment for Fourth avenue regulating, etc., from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street.....	T. H. Baldwin.
" 12	Frank S. Beard.....	2,756 40	For stenographic services rendered for the District Attorney in various cases in 1889.	"
" 12	..... Thomas McCormick ... John R. Peterson..... Albert Emmitt.....	..... 480 00 1,120 00 1,360 00	For salary as Inspectors of Masonry on New Aqueduct, as follows : From October 12, 1889, to February 12, 1890.. From May 2, 1888, to " 12, " .. Between April 20, 1888, and " 12, " ..	Hatch & Warren. " "
" 14	Masten & Nichols.....	1,460 34	For professional services in actions of The Mayor, etc., vs. Brady, and Brady vs. The Mayor, etc., between April 11, 1889, and January 21, 1890.....	A. D. Keyes.
" 15	Jacob Scholle and ano..	.....	For amount of award for damages to house at One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and Fifth avenue, caused by change of grade of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.....	A. B. Johnson.
" 15	John Donnellon.....	10,000 00	For damages to buildings on northwest corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, caused by the bursting of a sewer.....	Earley & Prendergast.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 15, 1890.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
10109	Feb. 18, 1890	Aqueduct Commission	Washburn, Shaler & Washburn	American Surety Company	\$100,000 00	Building an earth and masonry dam for "Reservoir M." on Titicus river, near Purdy's Station, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, N. Y., with gate-house and other appurtenances.....Estimated	\$933,065 00
10110	Mar. 8, "	Public Parks	Michael J. Leahy	Charles Jones..... Oto H. Georgi.....	11,000 00	Construction of sewer and appurtenances in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth streets, with branches at Franklin avenue, Fulton avenue or Spring place: One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and in One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, between Washington and Third avenues.....Estimated	15,971 00
10111	" 7, "	Board of Education	John Neal's Sons	Thomas Falvey..... John Simmons.....	1,900 00	Heating apparatus for Primary School Building No. 43, on southwest corner Ogden avenue and Orchard street, in Twenty-third Ward.....Total	5,714 69
10112	" 11, "	Public Parks	John J. Montgomery..... Samuel F. Pease.....	Charles Jones..... R. McLoughlin.....	1,600 00	Construction of sewer and branches, with appurtenances, in Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, and in One Hundred and Sixty-second street.....Estimated	3,450 50
10113	" 5, "	"	Brown & Fleming	Edmond Dwyer..... Patrick Sheehy.....	7,000 00	Furnishing and delivering screened gravel, of the quality known as Roa Hook gravel, where required, on the Central Park and Riverside Park and avenue.....Estimated	16,650 00
10114	" 5, "	Public Works	M. J. Drummond	John Keresey..... Michael Donnelly.....	3,000 00	Furnishing cast-iron lamp-posts (800).....Estimated	5,544 00
10115	" 5, "	"	"	Michael Donnelly..... John Keresey.....	2,000 00	Furnishing and delivering dock hydrants, hydrants, nozzles, caps and chains, drills, plugs and stop-cock box covers.....Estimated	2,518 00
10116	Feb. 28, "	"	Rowland A. Robbins	James S. Barron..... William H. Barron.....	2,000 00	Furnishing and delivering lead, lead pipe and solder.....Estimated	4,644 00
10117	Mar. 1, "	"	Ogden & Wallace	William Gaskell..... John B. Carss.....	1,000 00	Furnishing and delivering bolts, bolt ends, tool steel and refined iron.....Estimated	648 00
10118	Feb. 27, "	"	James V. Lawrence	J. H. Root..... David B. Duncan.....	2,000 00	Furnishing and delivering chestnut poles and posts.....Estimated	4,475 00
10119	" 27, "	"	Bernard Mahon	P. H. Kerwin..... Joseph C. Biglin.....	10,000 00	Improvement of the old reservoir in Central Park.....Estimated	24,500 00
10120	Mar. 10, "	(Special)	C. J. Giblin	Joseph C. Biglin..... Patrick Lamey.....	125 00	Fencing vacant lots on west side of the Boulevard, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street, and on north side of Seventy-third street and south side of Seventy-fourth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue.....Estimated	244 04
10121	Feb. 28, "	Public Works, under direction of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund	Dawson & Archer	Thomas J. Dunn..... William H. Jackson..... Bernard Mahon..... John N. Stearns..... Robert C. Martin.....	205,000 00	For the mason work in the erection and completion of the New Criminal Court Building.....Total	820,000 00
10122	" 28, "	Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund	Jackson Architectural Iron Works	John H. Hankinson..... Ebenezer C. Jackson.....	75,000 00	For the iron work in the erection and completion of the new Criminal Court Building.....Total	284,925 00
10123	" 28, "	Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund	P. K. Lantry	George A. Haggerty..... Philip Bolnet.....	42,000 00	For the carpenter and joiner work and general carpenter work in connection with other mechanics, in the erection and completion of the new Criminal Court Building.....Total	161,000 00
10124	Mar. 6, "	Public Charities and Correction	Richard Lindner	Isaac Taylor, Jr..... Enoch Dutcher.....	7,000 00	Furnishing 34,100 yards ticking, 400 yards blue flannel, 8,250 yards seersucker, 800 yards linsey wolsey, 1,600 women's shawls, 5,700 yards huckabuck, 40 great gross white buttons and 24,000 yards crash.....Total	11,490 34
10125	" 6, "	"	James F. Curnen	Francis M. Bacon..... Peter J. McIntyre.....	1,300 00	Furnishing 13,000 yards U. G. cassimere.....Total	2,590 90
10126	" 7, "	"	John C. Juhring	Francis H. Leggett..... Albert H. Jones.....	2,500 00	Furnishing 4,800 pounds barley, 6,000 pounds Rio coffee and 2,500 pounds coffee sugar.....Total	1,606 30
10127	" 10, "	"	William M. Jeans	Charles H. Townsend..... Andrew J. Shively.....	2,800 00	Furnishing 545 B. F. blouses and 1,975 rubber sheets.....Total	3,690 00
10128	" 4, "	"	Rowland A. Robbins	James S. Barron..... William H. Barron.....	22,000 00	Furnishing 25,500 yards calico, 16,700 yards jeans, 13,000 yards awning stripes, 3,640 white toilet quilts, 4,000 yards satin, 3,900 yards prison cloth, 28,000 yards Canton flannel, 3,950 pairs gray blankets, 1,510 pairs white blankets, 300 girls' shawls, 100 pieces mosquito netting, 500 women's knit jackets, 84 dozen pairs women's woolen mittens, 100 children's woolen hoods, 67 dozen pairs children's woolen mittens, 500 yards linen drill, 2,000 yards linen draper, 773 B. F. blouses, 90 great gross suspender buttons, 20 great gross brace buttons, 60 oilskin "Cape Ann Suits," 50 dozen girls' straw hats and 1,300 women's woolen hoods.....Total	34,850 11
10129	" 6, "	"	Bloomington Brothers	Maurice J. Krauss..... D. E. Sicher.....	4,000 00	Furnishing 12,000 yards furniture check, 14,000 yards ticking, 8,000 yards cottonades, 2,500 yards brown denims, 8,000 yards blue denims, 175 dozen O. N. T. white cotton, 2,700 yards white flannel, 500 gross dress buttons, 300 dozen knit undershirts, 125 dozen pairs knit drawers.....Total	6,347 43
10130	" 4, "	"	William H. Trainer	J. H. Sweetser..... W. J. Murray.....	12,000 00	Furnishing 162,000 yards brown muslin, 13,900 yards bleached muslin, 100,000 yards bandage muslin, 2,500 yards cottonades, 20,500 yards ging-ham, 20,500 yards cotton check, 5,000 yards hickory stripes, 100 dozen basting cotton and 2,900 yards red flannel.....Total	19,997 60
10131	Feb. 28, "	Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund	James Fay	George A. Haggerty..... Marin Disken.....	10,000 00	For the plumbing, draining, gas-fitting, in the erection and completion of the New Criminal Court Building.....Total	11,775 00
10132	" 27, "	Public Works	Bernard Mahon	Joseph C. Biglin..... John Claffy.....	25,000 00	Improvement of the old reservoir in Central Park.....Estimated	124,000 00
10133	Mar. 6, "	"	Samuel Smyth	R. H. Casey..... P. Mahoney.....	500 00	Furnishing materials and labor for alterations and repairs to the Hall of Records, City Hall Park.....Total	873 00
10134	" 1, "	"	Henry R. Worthington	James M. Mothy..... Edmund Hendricks.....	20,000 00	Building and putting a pumping engine, boilers and appurtenances, in the building on Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, 100 feet west of Ninth avenue.....Total	52,000 00
10135	" 7, "	"	William D. Bruns, Jr.	Andrew Koch..... Frederick Trope.....	6,000 00	Furnishing the Department of Public Works with 3,470 gross tons white ash coal and 30 tons cannel coal.....Total	19,567 75
10136	Feb. 27, "	Board of City Record	Moses Schlesinger	Leo Schlesinger..... Isaac Spien.....	107 00	Stationery for the use of the Courts and the Departments of the Government of the City of New York.....Total	212 64
10137	" 21, "	"	Rowland A. Robbins	James S. Barron..... William H. Barron.....	303 00	Stationery for use of the Courts and Departments of the City Government.....Total	604 65
10138	" 25, "	"	William P. Mitchell	John Mitchell..... John F. Hahn.....	297 47	Stationery for use of the Courts and Departments of the City Government.....Total	594 93
10139	Mar. 8, "	Docks	Alfred J. Murray	Augustin Walsh..... William P. Kelly.....	5,500 00	Furnishing 2,100 piles.....Total	20,737 50
10140	" 10, "	"	John D. Walsh	James D. Leary..... James M. Cumings.....	1,340 00	Repairing the pier at the foot of West Fifty-fifth street, North river.....Total	5,544 00
10141	" 10, "	Public Works	Wellington Mfg. Co.	William Bourke..... John C. Wilson, Jr.....	4,000 00	Furnishing 3,000 street-lamps.....Total	6,900 00
10142	Feb. 27, "	"	Maher, Robinson & Flockhart	James Gallagher..... Patrick Sheehy.....	2,000 00	Furnishing and delivering manhole heads and covers, extra manhole covers and basin covers.....Estimated	3,145 50
10143	" 25, "	Board of City Record	L. W. Ahrens Stationery and Printing Co.	Abraham S. Ahrens..... Isaac Stuebel.....	3,500 00	Stationery for use of the Courts and Departments of the City Government.....Total	6,978 91

Correspondence with the Manhattan Railway Company, relative to the Payment into the City Treasury of Percentages on the Net Income of said Company.

MANHATTAN RAILWAY COMPANY,
VICE-PRESIDENT'S OFFICE, NO. 71 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1890.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller, etc., New York City:

DEAR SIR—In response to the request of your representative, that we should prepare and transmit to you a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Manhattan Railway Company, on account of the Third and Ninth avenue lines, for the five years ending September 30, 1889, I herewith enclose you such a statement.

I beg to call your attention to the circumstance that the City of New York, during the past five years has received over \$100,000 in payment of the taxes imposed upon the net income of the New York Elevated Railroad Company. I would also call your attention to the fact that this tax is imposed only by chapter 459 of the Laws of 1867 and chapter 855 of the Laws of 1868. These statutes imposed this tax upon the net income of the West Side & Yonkers Patent Railway Company. The New York Elevated Railroad Company is liable to pay this tax only as it has succeeded to the rights, powers and franchises of the former company. The West Side & Yonkers Company was authorized to build a line of Elevated Railway along both sides of Greenwich street, to Ninth avenue and thence to the Harlem river. It had not the power to build a line upon the east side of the city; the right of the New York Elevated Railroad Company to construct and operate its Third Avenue line is derived not from the West Side & Yonkers Company, but by reason of the action of the Rapid Transit Commissioners appointed under chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, performing duties authorized and imposed upon them by the last-named act.

If in place of adopting the view under which the City of New York has received during the five years mentioned over \$100,000, the company had acted upon the view that there was no liability to pay upon the net income of any of the lines of the New York Company except the Ninth Avenue Line, the City of New York, during the five years in question, would have received something less than \$6,000.

I was advised several years ago, and am now advised, that the liability, if any, of the New York Company to pay a tax to the City of New York upon its net income is confined to the net income of the Ninth Avenue line. As, however, the Company began to make payments to the city immediately after the lease of the New York Company's lines to the Manhattan, in 1879, upon the view that you are now subjecting to examination, and as a change of view on the part of the company, would have led to a reduction of the tax, the New York Company has never departed from its original practice in meeting this tax.

I trust you will do your part in absolving the elevated railroad companies from any charge that they are not bearing their full share of the public burdens. The statement herewith submitted shows that they have paid \$2,560,281.64 in taxes during the last five years.

I am, very truly yours,

ROBERT M. GALLAWAY, Vice-President.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
March 12, 1890.

ROBERT M. GALLAWAY, ESQ., Vice-President:

DEAR SIR—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 4th instant, as to the claim of the City against the New York Elevated Railway Company for five per cent. on the net income of the company, payable pursuant to the statutes imposing liability therefor.

In the communication referred to, you treat this claim for percentage on the net income of the company as if the same was a tax imposed upon it under and pursuant to the tax laws of the State. I do not so view the matter. The statutes requiring the payment upon net income officially declared the same to be as legal compensation to the city "in full for the use and occupancy of the streets by said railway," while the taxes imposed upon the elevated railway companies by the tax laws of the State are the quota of the public burdens, for governmental purposes of City, County and State, which all corporations and individuals within the municipality are required to contribute according to the assessed valuation of their property, real and personal, subject to taxation.

What possible bearing in such circumstances the amount of taxes paid annually by your companies into the City Treasury, under the tax laws of the State can have upon the question as to the amount of percentage which the New York Elevated Railway Company is required by law to pay to the city as compensation for the use and occupancy of the city by its railways, and what object you intended to accomplish by referring to those taxes in the communication mentioned, I am at a loss to comprehend.

I cannot accept the statement or suggestions set forth in this communication from you as answering the claim made by me on behalf of the city. The city, as I have heretofore informed you, and now repeat, is, in my judgment, entitled, under the provisions of the statutes hereinbefore specified to receive each quarter an amount equal to five per cent. of the net income of the New York Elevated Railway Company from its passenger traffic on Manhattan Island. This claim, of course, includes the passenger traffic upon both the Ninth and Third avenue line. You answer as to the claim so maintained by me: "I was advised several years ago, and am now advised, that the liability, if any, of the New York Company to pay a tax to the City of New York upon its net income, is confined to the net income of the Ninth avenue line." And after stating the fact that the city has during the past five years received over \$100,000 upon the net income of the New York Elevated Railway Company, you add, "If in place of adopting the view under which the City of New York has thus received during five years over \$100,000, the company had acted upon the view that there was no liability to pay upon the net income of any of the lines except the Ninth avenue line, the city during the five years in question would have received something less than \$6,000." In these statements you admit that the New York Company, though it was advised several years ago—and as you say is still advised—that its liability, if any, to pay a percentage to the city upon its net income is confined to the income of the Ninth avenue line, has in each year paid to the city a percentage upon what it was willing to concede to be its net income upon both its Ninth and Third avenue lines, and that by not acting upon, or by rejecting the advice upon, this subject of percentage which the company received (from whom you do not state) the advantage to the city has been in five years over \$94,000.

This result, I think, shows conclusively that the company, or rather its directors, for the last five years, never had any confidence in the soundness of the advice which you state they received

on this subject of percentage. No one in this city will, I am satisfied, for an instant believe that the management of this company—considering the well-known characteristics of its directors—would ever have sanctioned payments in five years out of the funds of the company in excess of the company's legal obligations to the extent of upwards of \$94,000, if there was a certainty or even a probability that this money could be legally retained by the company. The fact that the payments were made will be universally accepted as an admission by the company and its Board of Directors that under the statute relating to the subject matter, the company was liable to pay to the city, or that the provisions of the statute referred to were susceptible of an interpretation which established the company's liability to pay a percentage upon its net income from both its Ninth and Third avenue lines. All the conceded facts clearly go to show that there must at least have been serious doubt on the part of the management of the company as to its liability to successfully evade the payment of the percentage upon the net income of the company on its Third avenue line, and doubt on this subject operates in favor of the city and against the company. The authorities establishing this point were collected, and the rule applies in a case recently decided in favor of the city (The Mayor, etc., against the Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railway Company, 47 Hun, 199, affirmed in the Court of Appeals, 112 N. Y., 137). As stated in that decision, "the rule of construction in this class of cases is, that it shall be most strongly against the corporation. Every reasonable doubt is to be resolved adversely. Nothing is to be taken as conceded but what is given in unmistakable terms, or by an implication equally clear. The affirmative must be shown. Silence is negation, and doubt is fatal to the claim. This doctrine is vital to the public welfare. It is axiomatic in the jurisprudence of this court." And again, "If any ambiguity exists as to the amount of the fee to be paid, then the greater amount should be adopted; for it is a well settled rule that any ambiguity in a grant of privileges must operate against the grantee and in favor of the public. This is fully established by the adjudication in this country and in England."

Applying these established principles of construction of public grants to the particular grant in favor of the New York Elevated Railway Company and its predecessor, the conclusion appears to me to be irresistible that the view accepted, and all along acted upon by your company and its directors, as to the company's liability under the statutes, conferring these grants, to pay the percentage upon both its Ninth and Third avenue lines, cannot, even if the company were now disposed to do so, be successfully questioned or resisted. The first statute relating to the subject is chapter 489 of the Laws of 1867. This statute applies to "The West Side and Yonkers Patent Railway Company." It provides, in section 9 "the said company shall pay a sum not exceeding five per cent. of the net income of said railway from passenger traffic upon Manhattan Island, as aforesaid, into the treasury of the City of New York * * * as a compensation to the corporation thereof for the use of the streets thereof." It is quite true that the railways authorized to be constructed and referred to in the statute are described in section 4 as extending "along both sides of Greenwich street to Ninth avenue, or streets west of Ninth avenue to the Harlem river." But, as I shall immediately show, this is only a part of the grant conferred upon and enjoyed by the New York Elevated Railway Company. The next statute bearing upon these grants is chapter 855 of the Laws of 1868. It is entitled "An Act supplementary to chapter 489 of the Laws of 1867, and to provide for the collection and application of revenue in the County of New York in certain cases." By the second section of this supplementary act, it is provided that "In pursuance of section 9 of the act aforesaid that the said construction company (The West Side and Yonkers Patent Railway Company) or its successors, shall, in the month of January in each year, and quarter-yearly thereafter pay to the Comptroller of the City of New York, five per cent. of its net income * * * and (section 5) "It shall be the duty of the said company, before opening its railway to public use, to file with the Comptroller of the City of New York its bond in the sum of \$100,000, conditioned upon the true and faithful payment of the revenue in amount and manner specified in the preceding section, and the payment thereof shall be the legal compensation in full for the use and occupancy of the streets by the said railway as provided by law, * * * and the claim of the city therefor shall constitute a lien on the railway of said company having priority over all others."

The legal compensation thus secured to the city for the use and occupancy of its streets by "The West Side and Yonkers Patent Railway Company," was imposed upon the company and its successors, and amounted to five per cent. of the net income of the said railway from passenger traffic upon Manhattan Island.

"The New York Elevated Railway Company" is the successor of "The West Side and Yonkers Patent Railway Company." This successor company was incorporated under and pursuant to the provisions of the General Railroad Act, chapter 871 of the Laws of 1850 and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto. It became by purchase, at foreclosure sale and otherwise, entitled to all the rights, powers, privileges and franchises which were conferred by the said statutes of 1867-8 upon the said "The West Side and Yonkers Patent Railway Company," and by the statute chapter 595 of the Laws of 1875 (section 1), the successor company was confirmed in the possession and enjoyment of "the said right, powers, privileges and franchises as fully and at large as they were so granted in and by the acts aforesaid to the said West Side and Yonkers Patent Railway Company."

This new company (The New York Elevated Railway Company) was subsequently authorized, under and pursuant to the provisions of the statute, chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, to extend its route so as to "connect with other steam railways, or the depots thereof, or with steam ferries." The extension, or route, authorized to make these connections, was what is known as the Third avenue line; and as empowered by the thirty-sixth section of the statute last referred to, the said company made and constructed this connection line "with all the rights and with like effect as though the same had been a part of the original route of said company."

The original route of the company was, as I have shown, what is known as the Ninth avenue line; but by this provision of the statute of 1875 the Third avenue line stands in exactly the same position as if it, along with the Ninth avenue line, was part of the original route of the company. As this Third avenue line must thus, by statutory command, be treated as part of the original route of the railway, it is exactly the same position as the original route on Ninth avenue; and being situated on Manhattan Island, five per cent. of the net income from passenger traffic thereon is payable to the city "as legal compensation for the use and occupancy of the streets and avenues through or over which the railway extends."

As declared by the statute, chapter 855 of the Laws of 1868, this five per cent. payable to the city "constitutes a lien on the railway of said company having priority over all others." The claims of the city thus constitute a preferred lien in five per cent. of the net revenue from passenger traffic of the railways of the company. This claim, and the preferred lien protecting the same, the company cannot defeat, or permanently reduce by leasing its railways, franchises and properties so as to secure to its stockholders a net income of six per cent. of the capital stock of the company, and thus restrict the claim of the city to five per cent. of this net income instead of five per cent. of the net income of its passenger traffic. A similar question was decided in favor of the city in the case of The Mayor, etc., against the Twenty-third Street Railway Company (relating to the lease of the Bleecker Street Railroad), 48 Hun, 552; 115 N. Y., 311.

The payments heretofore made to the city by the New York Elevated Railway Company have been accepted only on account of its claim against the company. These payments have been made by the company on the basis of five per cent. upon the income of the company under its lease to the Manhattan Company. During the last five years these payments have amounted, as you correctly state, to a total of a little over \$100,000. By the table you furnished to me, which accompanied your communication of the 4th instant, five per cent. on the net income on passenger traffic upon the Ninth and Third avenue lines of the company, during these five years, amounts to within a fraction of \$300,000.

I however, do not admit that this table shows correctly the net income upon these lines of railway during the past five years; but whether right or wrong in this respect, the table does establish conclusively that upon your own showing your company is at present indebted to the city for a net income during the last five years in about \$200,000, with interest, in excess of all payments heretofore made by the company on account.

If, under these circumstances, your company is willing to acknowledge its liability to the city for five per cent. of the net income on passenger traffic on the Ninth and Third Avenue Railway lines, instead of upon its dividend income secured by agreement with the Manhattan Company, I am prepared to proceed with such investigation as I may consider necessary to ascertain and determine what the net income of the company, from its passenger traffic, really amounts to, and thus secure a speedy settlement of the matters in controversy. But if your company disputes its liability to the extent I have shown to be imposed upon it by the statutes, I shall be compelled, in discharge of my duty, for the protection and defense of the financial interests of the city, to see that such action is taken as will secure to the city a settlement of the claim to the extent which I consider the city is justly entitled to demand.

Trusting I may be favored with an early reply,

I am, respectfully,
(Signed)

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

- March 14. The Department of Docks (adjourned opening)—For furnishing sawed spruce timber.
- March 14. The Department of Docks—For dredging at Pier, new 59, North river, and at Pier 62, East river.
- March 14. The Department of Public Works—For paving with asphalt pavement the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated February 20, 1890, published in the CITY RECORD.
- March 15. The Fire Department (adjourned opening)—For furnishing 26,000 feet rubber-lined hose.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

- March 10. For furnishing the Fire Department with one second-size steam fire engine.
Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Co., Hudson, N. Y., Principal.
A. Spadone, No. 160 West Fifty-ninth street, } Sureties.
D. T. Warren, No. 170 West Fifty-ninth street, }
- March 10. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 2,000 barrels No. 1 flour and 2,000 barrels No. 2 flour.
T. E. McCarthy, No. 434 Produce Exchange, Principal.
Thomas Barrett, No. 165 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn, } Sureties.
C. W. McCutchen, Plainfield, N. J., }
- March 11. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 7,919 pounds butter and 1,600 pounds cheese.
H. Henneberger, No. 317 Washington street, Principal.
Robert Rutter, No. 116 East Fourteenth street, } Sureties.
Sanford Mabie, No. 11 Beach street, }
- March 11. For furnishing the Department of Public Works with 26,000 cubic yards sand.
Murray & Reed, No. 218 East Thirty-sixth street, Principals.
Thomas Cunningham, No. 602 East Fifteenth street, } Sureties.
James F. Boyle, No. 676 Second avenue, }
- March 11. For furnishing the Fire Department with one Hale water-tower.
Sterling F. Hayward, agent, No. 351 Canal street, Principal.
Sarah R. Hayward, Yonkers, N. Y., } Sureties.
John Noble Stearn, No. 10 West Fifty-eighth street, }
- March 13. For furnishing stationery for use of the Courts and Departments of the City Government in 1890.
L. W. Ahrens Stationery and Printing Co., No. 85 Liberty street, Principal.
Isaac Stoebel, No. 310 West One Hundred and Third street, surety, substituted in place of Robinson Gill, one of the original sureties, approved by the Comptroller, February 21, 1890.
- March 14. For alterations and additions to Ladies' Cottage in Madison Square.
R. L. Warke, No. 84 Washington place, Principal.
Robert Macbeth, No. 408 West Eighteenth street, } Sureties.
John Spence, No. 77 Jane street, }
- March 15. For regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue west; One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue; One Hundred and Second street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and One Hundred and Eighth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.
Thomas Gearty, No. 135 East Eighty-third street, Principal.
Thomas Regan, No. 719 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.
Michael Regan, No. 99 Barrow street, }
- March 15. For regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from St. Nicholas to Ninth avenue; One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Fifth and Lenox avenues, and One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.
John G. Smith, No. 329 West Forty-eighth street, Principal.
James Slattery, No. 218 West Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
John F. Moore, No. 220 West One Hundred and Fifth street, }
- March 15. For regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundredth street, from Boulevard to Riverside avenue.
James Pollock, No. 239 East One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Principal.
John White, No. 536 West Fortieth street, } Sureties.
Michael Larkin, No. 338 East Fifteenth street, }
- March 15. For regulating and paving (granite-block) Eighty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue.
Denis McGrath, No. 35 East One Hundred and Fourth street, Principal.
Michael McGrath, No. 64 East One Hundred and Sixth street, } Sureties.
Patrick Larney, No. 325 East Thirty-eighth street, }

Return of Proposals.

- March 10. Proposal of S. F. Hayward, agent, for furnishing the Fire Department with one Hale water tower, returned to said Department for action on the proposed substitution of Sarah R. Hayward as a surety thereon, in the place of G. W. Galinger, one of the original sureties.
- March 12. Proposal of the L. W. Ahrens Stationery and Printing Co. for furnishing stationery for the year 1890, returned to the Board of City Record for action on the proposed substitution of Isaac Stoebel as a surety thereon in the place of Robinson Gill, one of the original sureties.

Filed.

- March 12. Bond for commencement and completion of construction of a railroad by the Metropolitan Cross Town Railway Company, and bond for payment of percentages by same company.

Official Bonds Approved and Filed.

- March 12. J. Courtney Starin, Security Deposit Clerk, Comptroller's Office, Principal.
Bernard Reilly, No. 320 East Thirteenth street, } Sureties.
Charles H. Van Brunt, No. 21 East Forty-sixth street, }
- March 15. James J. Sullivan, Stock and Bond Clerk in Finance Department, Principal.
William F. Lett, No. 59 Second place, Brooklyn, } Sureties.
John D. Sullivan, No. 74 McDonough street, Brooklyn, }

Removed.

- March 11. John J. McCoy, Temporary Clerk, Finance Department.

Appointed.

- March 12. Howland B. Hall, Stenographer and Typewriter in the Comptroller's Office, temporarily, under Regulation 45 of the Municipal Civil Service Regulations, with compensation at rate of \$1,100 per annum, from March 7, 1890.
- March 12. J. Courtney Starin, Security Deposit Clerk, Comptroller's Office, with compensation at rate of \$1,000 per annum, to take effect March 13, 1890 (appointed March 7, 1890).

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 18, 1890.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following abstract of the transactions of this Department for the week ending March 2, 1890:

Streets Swept.		Miles.	
By Department forces		1,112.81	
Material Collected.			
By Department forces			
On permit—			
Bureau of Markets	158		158
Departments of Public Works and Parks	220		220
Manufacturers (boiler ashes, etc.)	3,431		3,431
Totals	26,253	8,234	34,487

Final Disposition of Material.

At sea and behind bulkheads—	Leads.
31 dumpers at sea.....	13,140
15 deck scows at Newark Bay.....	6,605
9 deck scows at Gowanus.....	3,454
3 deck scows at Guttenburg.....	1,290
3 deck scows at Passaic.....	1,326
3 deck scows at Fort Hamilton.....	1,352
15 deck scows at Jersey City.....	6,168
	33,335
In lots for fertilizing, filling-in, etc.—	
At One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Fifth avenue.....	1,385
At One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and East river.....	501
At various places.....	950
For fertilizing.....	20
	2,856
Total disposition.....	*36,191

Appointments.

Thomas McDermot, Laborer, First Precinct.
 John Skelly, Hired Cart, Thirtieth Precinct.
 Charles Z. O'Neill, Machinist, at Stables.
 Owen Gallagher, Laborer, Ninth Precinct.
 Ed. Feldman, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 Patrick McEnery, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 James Stokes, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Murtha Lawler, Laborer, Thirtieth Precinct.
 Michael Burgerser, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Daniel Thomas, with Sweeping Machine, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 George Stump, with Water Cart, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 Patrick Fox, with Sweeping Machine, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 Bryan Conlon, with Sweeping Machine, Thirtieth Precinct.
 Thomas Darcy, with Water Cart, Thirtieth Precinct.
 James Owen, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
 William Hubbert, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 Patrick Hickey, Laborer, Twelfth Precinct.
 Michael Reardon, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Patrick Bogan, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Raphael Carnio, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 Francis Johnson, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Michael McGowan, Hired Cart, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Rhoddy Loughran, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 Cornelius Kane, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 David Grandon, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Charles Wagner, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 Thomas McGill, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 John Conklin, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Donato Lupe, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 Juan Sandy, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Tony Spanard, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Antonio Gallo, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Antonio Ambele, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 Robert DeForrest, Laborer, Seventh Precinct.
 Thomas Manning, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 Samuel Vincent, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 Phillip Golden, Hired Cart, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 John Tully, Hired Cart, Twelfth Precinct.
 Thomas Sullivan, Hired Cart, Twenty-third Precinct.
 Joseph Waldron, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
 Morris Numan, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 James Shevlin, Hired Cart, Fourth Precinct.
 John Crowley, Laborer, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 Charles Groghan, Laborer, Twenty-second Precinct.
 Nicolo Petrello, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Michael Camens, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Charles Parks, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Cornelius Savage, Laborer, Fifteenth Precinct.
 Francis Sullivan, Laborer, Fourteenth Precinct.
 Michael Kelly, Laborer, Fourteenth Precinct.
 Antonio Di Lucio, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Cunio Cappabianco, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 Antonio Desimone, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 Raphael Cappabianco, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 Patrick Gilligan, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
 Felix Meyer, Blacksmith's Helper.
 John T. Oakley, Complaint and Correspondence Clerk.
 Michael Kelly, Laborer, Thirty-third Precinct.
 Joseph Deck, Hired Cart, Twelfth Precinct.
 Thomas Broderick, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.
 David Warren, Feedman at Stables.
 Robert Smith, Captain Scow 23.

Removals.

M. Connolly, Laborer, First Precinct.
 James Corcoran, Hired Cart, Twenty-third Precinct.
 Thomas Barry, Hired Cart, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Timothy Rafferty, Hired Cart, Twentieth Precinct.
 Peter Lynch, Hired Cart, Twentieth Precinct.
 James Ballna, Hired Cart, Thirtieth Precinct.
 John Small, Laborer, Ninth Precinct.
 Morris Spillane, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 Matthew Storan, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 John McGrath, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 James Mangen, Laborer, Thirtieth Precinct.
 Matthew Byrnes, Sweeping Machine, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 Matthew Byrnes, Water Cart, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 Michael O'Brien, Sweeping Machine, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 James Crowley, Sweeping Machine, Thirtieth Precinct.
 James Crowley, Water Cart, Thirtieth Precinct.
 Hugh Owens, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
 Simon Lang, Laborer, Twelfth Precinct.
 Michael Doyle, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Patrick Mangin, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Bernard Kiernan, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 Henry Schaefer, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Michael Mahoney, Hired Cart, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 John O'Connor, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 John McCullough, Laborer, Ninth-ninth Precinct.
 Frank Duffy, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 Felix Duffy, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 Lawrence Mahon, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 Martin Hart, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Joseph Burns, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 John McMahon, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 James Glennan, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Patrick Ryan, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 Henry Kuntz, Laborer, Seventh Precinct.
 William Brennan, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 William Woods, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 William Ellard, Hired Cart, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Joseph Deck, Hired Cart, Twelfth Precinct.
 Michael O'Mara, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
 Samuel Kopp, Hired Cart, Fourth Precinct.
 Patrick Ferrey, Laborer, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 William Dolan, Laborer, Twenty-second Precinct.
 John Monohan, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Thomas O'Keefe, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
 Raphael Sabaletto, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.

* Includes 1,704 loads of material previously left on scows.

Thomas Eagan, Laborer, Fifteenth Precinct.
 Patrick Dwyer, Laborer, Fourteenth Precinct.
 Richard Gorman, Laborer, Fourteenth Precinct.
 John Traverso, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Charles Bowman, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 Michael Fitzgerald, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 Silfano Rossi, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
 Patrick O'Neill, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
 Charles Klausman, Blacksmith's Helper.
 James Mulligan, Laborer, Thirty-third Precinct.
 John Blessington, Hired Cart, Twelfth Precinct.
 Anthony Kelly, Feedman at Stables.
 Charles Kimball, Captain Scow 23 (died).

Transfers.

Thomas Kearnan, Hired Cart, Twenty-ninth to Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 William Hayes, Hired Cart, Twenty-seventh to Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 Owen Mulready, Hired Cart, First to Fourteenth Precinct.
 Peter Mullen, Hired Cart, Fourteenth to First Precinct.
 James McCadden, Hired Cart, Ninth to Sixteenth Precinct.
 John Neilson, Foreman, Twenty-second to Nineteenth Precinct.
 John J. Demice, Foreman, Nineteenth to Fifteenth Precinct.
 Albert M. Lee, Foreman, Fifteenth to Twenty-second Precinct.
 James Heflin, Assistant Foreman, Ninth to Sixth Precinct.
 Martin McDonald, Assistant Foreman, Sixth to Ninth Precinct.
 Thomas S. Healy, Assistant Foreman, Twenty-fifth to Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Bernard Smyth, Assistant Foreman, Twenty-seventh to Twenty-fifth Precinct.

Bills Audited

—and transmitted to Finance Department:

Schedule No. 13—

Timmerman, J. H., City Paymaster, Salaries, Commissioner, Deputy and Clerks,
 February, 1890..... \$3,558 84

—chargeable to appropriation for 1890, as follows:

"Administration"..... \$3,558 84

Schedule No. 14—

Bono, Joseph, unloading scows.....	\$567 00
Dailey, John D., unloading scows.....	390 00
Duffy & Sons, R. H., coal.....	20 00
Drummond, M. J., supplies.....	28 15
Dillon, James, hired horses.....	312 00
Dahlman, I. H., hired horses.....	410 00
Early & Co., John, rope, etc.....	592 95
Leonard & Ellis, valvoline oil.....	50 00
Moran, Michael, extra towing.....	601 50
Murray & Reid, hired scows.....	155 00
Orth, G. A., repairs at stables.....	102 19
Ross & Sanford, unloading scows.....	445 00
Short & Co., W. G., supplies.....	53 09
The Chapman-O'Neill Manufacturing Co., supplies, etc.....	764 95
The East River Mill and Lumber Co., lumber.....	152 32
The Higganum Manufacturing Corporation, wheelbarrows.....	39 00
	\$4,683 15

—chargeable to appropriation for 1890, as follows:

"Sweeping".....	\$1,095 45
"Carting".....	761 32
"Final Disposition".....	2,826 38
	\$4,683 15

Bids for Feed.

P. Lenane & Brother, approved.....	\$628 25
J. Fitzpatrick.....	629 01
J. E. Connolly.....	640 99

Public Moneys Collected

—and transmitted to City Chamberlain:

For trimming scows.....	\$1,103 00
Proceeds of public sales.....	1,014 04
Total.....	\$2,117 04

EDWARD P. HAGAN,
 Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 17th day of March, 1890.

Present—Commissioners MacLean, Voorhis and Martin.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

Anne C. Nolte, at Manhattan Hall, March 20. Fee, \$25.
 Robert Renner, at Grove Hill Assembly Rooms, March 26. Fee, \$10.

Application of Patrolman William A. Ryan, Nineteenth Precinct, for fifty days' sick leave, was referred to the Board of Surgeons for report.
 Communication from Robert L. De Akers commending Patrolman Christopher Belton, Seventeenth Precinct, was ordered on file.

Communication from the Property Clerk relative to Russian Bond No. 41, claimed by Louis Scherlach & Co. and Abraham Cohen, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for advice.

Transfer and Detail.

Patrolman Henry J. Smith, from Eighteenth Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.

" Thomas Powers, Twenty-second Precinct, detail at foot West Fifty-fifth street.
 Resolved, That Charles S. Williams be granted a re-examination by the Surgeons.

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine Samuel P. Costello, an applicant for appointment as Patrolman.

Resolved, That the rooms on the first floor front (No. 1) be designated and assigned to the Inspector of the First District as his office, and the room in the rear thereof assigned to the use of the Bureau of Information; that the front room in the basement (No. 3) be designated and assigned to the Inspector of the Second District, and the room in the rear thereof assigned to the Inspector of the Third District, as their respective offices.

Resolved, That the return in the case of David J. Brant be verified by the signatures of the President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Leroy Snyder, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" William J. Coffey, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" James Davis, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James F. Brett, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" John F. Malarkey, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Frank S. Masterson, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Charles White, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

" John McDonald, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John McDonald, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" John McDonald, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.

" William Holder, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Thomas Lyons, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Cornelius J. Fleming, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Edward F. Flood, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" George Snyder, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.

" James Grier, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.

" Hugh J. McCauley, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Richard E. Conkling, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Patrolman Henry E. Cullen, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Daniel W. Clark, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Emil H. Stebbins, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Orin H. Sims, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " John Slowey, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Andrew Sullivan, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " William Radigan, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Thomas A. Kelly, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " Owen Conovan, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Thomas Hewitt, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John Smith, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John Ewald, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Robert B. Watt, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " James J. Ward, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " George Dennerlein, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Edward F. Nishwitz, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " Thomas F. Gilligan, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " Martin D. Langdon, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " James McNamee, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John Cusack, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Peter Richardson, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John Dwyer, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " James T. O'Connor, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " William H. Kuhn, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Charles W. Schulze, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " William A. Barncott, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Bernard J. Malloy, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John P. Shea, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Thomas F. O'Beirne, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John Y. Phillips, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " August Boller, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Dennis Harrington, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " Thomas M. Cooney, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " James Black, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " James P. Cells, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " Adolphus G. Doncourt, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " Elbert M. Roberson, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " William H. McKenna, First Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " John Walsh, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John McCrea, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John Griffin, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " James Farley, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Edward A. Clonan, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " James Keilt, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " James White, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " Charles E. Von Eiff, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Edward E. Griffenhagen, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " William Heyer, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " John Coghlan, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Conrad J. Nicholas, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, etc., five days' pay.
 " Doorman Frank W. Empie, Twenty-first Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one day's pay.
 " Doorman John Fay, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Reprimands.

Patrolman Christopher Farrell, Fifth Precinct, violation of rules.
 " Edward J. Quirk, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman William Clark, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.
 Adjourned.

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate the "Daily News" and the "New York Morning Journal," two of the daily papers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of 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 E. 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. FTELEY, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES H. FARKELL, 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. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 D. 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 VREDENBURG, 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. CHAIN, 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.

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. 307 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. ADEE, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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. SCHULTZE, 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. 35.

Equity Term, Room No. 33.

Chambers, Room No. 30.

Part I., Room No. 34.

Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.

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

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

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

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

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

Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.

Terms open, first Monday each month.

JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

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

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. JOHN TROLOMAN, Justice.

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice.

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

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.

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

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

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 21, 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 19, 1890.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, March 15, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FIVE (5) Horses (registered numbers 20, 34, 75, 110 and 382) will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash on Friday, March 21, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirteenth street.

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, No. 146 GRAND STREET, N. Y. CITY.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Friday, March 21, 1890, at 4 P. M., for supplying the Coal and Wood required for the public schools in the city for the ensuing year, say seventeen thousand (17,000) tons of coal, more or less, and four hundred (400) cords of oak and twelve hundred (1,200) cords of pine wood, more or less. The coal must be of the best quality of white ash, furnace, egg, stove and nut sizes, clean and in good order, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The proposals must state the mines from which it is proposed to supply the coal to be furnished from the mines named if accepted, and must state the price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds.

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.: Eleven thousand eight hundred (11,800) tons of furnace size, two thousand five hundred (2,500) tons of stove size, two thousand (2,000) tons of egg size, and seven hundred (700) tons of nut size.

The oak wood must be of the best quality Virginia. The pine wood must be of the best quality Virginia.

The proposals must state the price per cord of one hundred and twenty-eight (128) cubic feet, solid measure, for both oak and pine wood.

The wood, both oak and pine, must be delivered sawed and split, and must be piled in ranks in the yards, cellars, vaults or bins of the school buildings, as may be designated by the proper authorities, and measurements for payment are to be made by the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education of the said wood so piled in the school buildings.

Proposals must state the price per cord for Oak wood, 16-inch lengths. Oak wood, 16-inch lengths, split to stove size. Oak wood, 12-inch lengths. Oak wood, 12-inch lengths, split to stove size. Pine wood, 16-inch lengths, split for kindling. Pine wood, 16-inch lengths, stove size. Pine wood, 12-inch lengths, split for kindling. Pine wood, 8-inch lengths, split for kindling. Pine wood, 6-inch lengths, split for kindling. Said coal and wood will be inspected, and said coal weighed under the supervision of the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education, and must be delivered at the schools as follows: Two-thirds of the quantity of each from the 15th of May to the 15th of October, and the remainder as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The contracts for supplying said coal and wood to be binding until the first day of May, 1891. Two satisfactory sureties, or bond by one of the guaranty companies, for the faithful performance of the contract will be required, and each proposal must be accompanied by the signature and residence of the proposed sureties. No compensation, above the contract price, will be allowed for delivering said coal and wood at any of the schools, nor for putting and piling the same in the yards, cellars, vaults or bins of said schools.

Proposals must be directed to the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education, and should be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," or "Proposals for Wood," as the case may be.

The Committee reserves to itself the right to impose such conditions and penalties in the contract as it may deem proper, and to reject any or all proposals received when deemed best for the public interest.

FERDINAND TRAUD, THADDEUS MORIARTY, SAMUEL M. PURDY, EDWARD H. PEASLEE, Mrs. SARAH H. POWELL, Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, March 7, 1890.

PUBLIC POUND.

NEW YORK, March 19, 1890. THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC auction at Kingsbridge Public Pound, on Saturday, March 22, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., two (2) Cows, one red and white about nine (9) years old, and one light-colored about two (2) years old; also two (2) red Calves, about one (1) year old.

JAMES WELSH, Pound Master.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC auction, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third avenue, on Monday, March 24, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following, viz.:

90 tons (2,240 pounds) of Bones, more or less, to be delivered semi-weekly during the year. Packages to be furnished by purchaser.

25,000 pounds Kags, more or less. To be delivered at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and to be paid for as follows:

Twenty-five per cent. of estimated value to be paid on day of sale, and the remainder on delivery.

R. E. CLARY, Storekeeper.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

8,483 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, March 20, 1890.

1,500 pounds Cheese.

1,500 pounds Dried Apples.

700 pounds Cocoa.

4,600 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.

500 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.

3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.

4,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.

1,200 pounds Prunes.

6,000 pounds Rice.

16,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

2,500 pounds Coffee Sugar.

2,700 pounds Granulated Sugar.

2,000 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.

2,500 pounds Oolong Tea.

gallons Syrup, in barrels.

200 bushels Rye.

3,277 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

50 dozen Canned Corn.

24 dozen Canned Peaches.

40 dozen Sea Foam.

12 dozen Extract Vanilla.

40 dozen Bath Brick.

30 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.

40 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.

20 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

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

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

100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net.

100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net.

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

152 bales prime quality Long Bright Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

75 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare and weight same as on straw.

50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net.

CROCKERY AND DRY GOODS, ETC.

1 gross Spitoons.

500 dozen pairs Men's Socks.

100 pieces Crinoline.

200 yards Canvas, No. 4, 36 inches wide.

1,000 yards Canvas, No. 4, 26 inches wide.

9,400 feet first quality, 9-thread Manila Rope.

9,100 feet first quality, 15-thread Manila Rope.

100 bundles Galvanized Iron, No. 24, 24 x 84.

12 dozen pairs Cast Butts, 8-3, 4-4.

12 dozen Glass Cutters.

2 dozen Putty Knives.

10 kegs Nails, 8d.

2 kegs Nails, 20d.

4 dozen Calcutting Brushes.

3 dozen Wall Brushes.

5,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from all adulterations and any added impurities, and subject to analysis if necessary, 25 1008, 25 508, 50 258.

LEATHER.

250 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each.

250 sides first quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.

1,000 pounds Offal Leather.

LUMBER.

75 linear feet first quality Oak, 4" x 4".

450 superficial feet first quality Oak, 1½".

150 superficial feet first quality Oak, 2".

50 first quality Spruce Plank, 1½" x 12".

600 first quality Clear Pine Boards, ¾" x 12" x 13 feet.

112 first quality Clear Pine Boards, 1½" x 14" x 14 feet.

40 first quality Clear Pine Boards, ¾" x 14" x 14 feet.

200 feet first quality Clear Pine, ¾".

150 feet first quality Clear Pine, 1½".

500 feet first quality Yellow Pine Flooring, 4½" x 1½".

20 Chestnut Posts, 6" x 8 feet, hewed one side.

500 square feet first quality clear White Pine, ½" x 10" to 16 feet, dressed two sides.

36 first quality Hemlock Posts, 4½ feet long.

2 Spruce Plank, 1½".

1,000 feet first quality Ceiling Boards, ¾" x 4½" x 16 feet.

1,000 feet first quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1" x 3½", tongued and grooved.

7,000 feet first quality Clear Spruce, 1½" x 3".

750 square feet first quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1½" x 3½".

100 first quality Partition Plank, 1½" x 4½" x 16 feet, dressed, tongued, grooved and beaded, two sides.

300 feet first quality Oak, 2".

200 feet first quality Oak, 1".

75 bundles XXX Clear Sawed Pine Shingles, 18".

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—Will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, March 21, 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 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, March 10, 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, March 18, 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 23, East river—Unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; scalp washed off head; small patch of dark brown hair, gray mixed, on side of head. Had on gray pants, laced shoes.

Unknown man from Sixth Precinct Station-house, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; small sandy side-whiskers and moustache; brown eyes. Had on blue coat and vest, black pants, white shirt, red woolen socks, gaiters.

Unknown man from New York Hospital, aged about 28 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; dark hair, brown moustache; gray eyes; large forehead, depressed on right side; two scars on left side of face; no clothing.

Unknown man from foot of Thirtieth street, North river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair, moustache and full beard. Had on black coat and vest, gray pants, blue and yellow striped cotton overshirt, gray woolen undershirt, blue flannel drawers, brown woolen socks, brogan shoes.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Mary Quigley, aged 60 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; clothing destroyed on account of vermin.

Daniel Bates, aged 42 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat and pants, blue jumper, colored shirt, black derby hat, shoes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Cooper Black, aged 58 years; committed December 17, 1889. Had on blue coat, dark pants, blue vest, gray overcoat, blue cap.

William Furer, aged 63 years; committed January 10, 1890. Had on brown overcoat, black coat, dark pants and vest, white shirt, flannel undershirt, derby hat.

Elizabeth Kallenbacker, aged 30 years; committed February 21, 1890.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, March 11, 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:

point 50 feet south of Clinton street; thence easterly about 90 feet to westerly side of Cauldwell avenue; thence northerly to a point 50 feet north of Clinton street; thence westerly 65 feet; thence northerly through the centre of the block between Eagle and Cauldwell avenues to a point 50 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence northerly, parallel with Cauldwell avenue, and 50 feet westerly therefrom to a point 50 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence easterly to a point 50 feet east of Cauldwell avenue; thence southerly 50 feet; thence easterly about 150 feet to the westerly side of Trinity avenue; thence northerly along Trinity avenue to a point 100 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence westerly 50 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Trinity avenue to the easterly side of Boston road; thence northerly to the northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh (or Home) street and Boston road; thence easterly 68 feet; thence northerly 90 feet; thence northerly to the southeast corner of Boston road and Jackson avenue; thence easterly to a point about 10 feet east of Jackson avenue; thence northerly to the Boston road to a point about 20 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence westerly to the centre of the block between Franklin avenue and Boston road; thence northerly about 305 feet; thence westerly about 150 feet; thence northerly along the west side of Franklin avenue to a point 100 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence easterly 100 feet; thence northerly about 210 feet; thence westerly to the centre of the block between Fulton and Franklin avenues; thence northerly to a point about 100 feet south of One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence easterly about 100 feet; thence northerly to the south side of One Hundred and Seventieth street about 50 feet west of Franklin avenue; thence northerly to a point 50 feet north of One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence westerly 50 feet; thence in a northeasterly direction to a point about 100 feet north of Woodruff street, distant 385 feet east of Fulton avenue; thence westerly about 50 feet; thence northerly about 100 feet; thence westerly 100 feet; thence northerly about 200 feet; thence easterly about 105 feet; thence in a northeasterly direction to a point 100 feet north of Tremont avenue; thence westerly 225 feet to the centre of the block between Jefferson avenue and Rye place; thence northerly to a point 50 feet north of Cedar street; thence westerly to the centre of the block between Arthur (Central) and Jefferson avenues; thence northerly to a point 100 feet south of Samuel street; thence westerly 110 feet; thence northerly to a point 100 feet north of Samuel street; thence westerly 125 feet; thence northerly parallel with Arthur avenue to the southerly side of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly to the easterly side of Quarry road; thence southerly along the easterly side of Quarry road to a point 225 feet north of Pine street; thence westerly about 150 feet; thence northerly through the centre of the land of the Home of the Incubators to a point about 100 feet east of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly and parallel with Kingsbridge road to the centre of the block between Lorillard and Hoffman streets; thence northeasterly to a point 100 feet north of Pelham avenue; thence southeasterly and parallel with Pelham avenue 150 feet east of Hoffman street; thence in a northeasterly direction to the southwest corner of the Southern Boulevard and Elm street; thence northerly to Gun Hill road to a point about 700 feet east of Jerome avenue; thence westerly along Gun Hill road to a point about midway between Croton Terrace and Jerome avenue; thence southerly to the north side of Boston avenue, about 200 feet west of Jerome avenue; thence westerly along the Boston avenue to the line of the Croton Aqueduct; thence southerly to Croton avenue, including both sides of Kingsbridge road to Aqueduct avenue; thence easterly along Croton avenue to the easterly side of Central or Jerome avenue; thence southerly along Central avenue to a point about 100 feet south of Welch street or Highbridge road; thence easterly to the easterly side of Berrian avenue; thence southerly diagonally through the block between Berrian and Avenue A to a point about 150 feet north of First (One Hundred and Eighty-fourth) street; thence easterly to a point 50 feet east of Avenue A; thence southerly to a point 75 feet south of First street; thence easterly to a point 100 feet east of Avenue B; thence southerly and parallel with Avenue B to a point 275 feet south of Second street; thence easterly to a point about 40 feet east of Avenue C; thence southerly, parallel with Avenue C, to a point about 200 feet south of Third street; thence easterly 75 feet; thence southerly through the centre of the block to a point 200 feet north of Fifth (One Hundred and Eighty-first) street; thence westerly 100 feet to Avenue C; thence southerly along the easterly side of Avenue C to the southerly side of Fifth (One Hundred and Eighty-first) street; thence westerly along the southerly side of Fifth street to a point 50 feet east of Monroe avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Monroe avenue to the southerly side of Orchard (One Hundred and Seventy-sixth) street; thence southerly 120 feet west of Lafayette avenue and parallel thereto to a point about 120 feet south of Walnut street; thence in a southeasterly direction to a point about 100 feet north of Highwood avenue; thence westerly 135 feet to Fleetwood avenue; thence in a southwesterly direction to the junction of Overlook avenue; thence southerly to a point about 75 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between College and Morris avenues; thence southeasterly to a point 50 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence easterly to a point 50 feet east of College avenue; thence southerly to a point 75 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence westerly to a point about 75 feet west of Morris avenue; thence southerly to a point 50 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence easterly to a point 50 feet east of College avenue; thence southeasterly to the southwest corner of College avenue and One Hundred and Sixtieth street; thence southerly 50 feet west of College avenue and parallel thereto to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street; thence in a diagonal line corner at the southeast corner of the College avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street to the centre of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets; thence easterly along the centre line of the block to a point 50 feet west of Cortlandt avenue; thence southerly and parallel with said avenue to the north side of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; thence through the centre of North Third avenue to One Hundred and Forty-third street; thence through the centre of Alexander avenue to a point 100 feet south of One Hundred and Fortieth street; thence easterly to a point about 200 feet west of Willis avenue; thence southerly to a point 100 feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; thence easterly to the centre of Willis avenue; thence southerly to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly to a point 50 feet east of Willis avenue; thence southerly to a point 100 feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly to a point 420 feet west of Brown place; thence southerly to a point 100 feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence easterly to a point about 47 feet west of Brown place; thence southerly to a point 100 feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-second street; thence easterly to a point 100 feet east of Brown place; thence southerly to the Harlem river; thence along the Harlem river to Mill brook, the place of beginning.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation, on the 11th 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 10, 1890.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
March 8, 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, between Fletcher street and Burling Slip.
Boulevard flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings east side of, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
Lenox avenue, laying a crosswalk across at the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
Lenox avenue, laying crosswalks across at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

Lexington avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets.

Park avenue, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings west side of, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, and north side of Fifty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue.

Park avenue, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings west side of, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-fifth street.

First avenue regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to the Harlem river.

Third avenue and Twenty-first street, southwest corner of, flagging, reflagging, curbing and recurbings.

Thirty-seventh street paving, from a point 100 feet east of First avenue to bulkhead line of East river, with trap blocks.

Forty-ninth street retaining-wall and coping and iron railing, on a line 5 feet south of the north house line between the east house line of First avenue and east house line of Beekman place.

Fifty-seventh street flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings north side, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

Ninetyth and Ninety-first streets, fencing vacant lots, First and Second avenues.

Ninety-first street, curbing and flagging both sides, between First and Second avenues.

Ninety-fourth street sewer, between First and Second avenues.

Ninety-fourth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from First to Second avenue.

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

One Hundred and Twenty-third street, laying a crosswalk across at its easterly intersection with Lenox avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-first street flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings south side of, from Madison to Park avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-first street paving, from Tenth avenue to Broadway, with trap blocks and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Forty-eighth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west.

—Which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments March 7, 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 May 10, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

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 Nos. 13, 13½, in Block No. 85, 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 southwesterly 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 rate 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,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 21, 1890.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
March 6, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Washington avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, February 28, 1890, and entered on the 5th day of March, 1890, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before May 5, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Rider avenue to Locust 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 29th day of April, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 29th day of April, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and 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 30th 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 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Rider avenue to Third avenue; the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and Third avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Lincoln avenue to Locust avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Locust avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Locust avenue to Rider avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Rider avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our said 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 16th day of May, 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 18, 1890.

EDWARD L. PARRIS, 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 that part of RAILROAD AVENUE, WEST (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, 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 15th day of April, 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 Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Leo C. Dessar and Thomas Loughran, who have resigned.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation.

No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.
Dated NEW YORK, March 15, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third avenue to Willis avenue, and from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-third day of April, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-third day of April, 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 twenty-fourth 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 blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Willis avenue and from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue; easterly by the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from St. Ann's avenue to Brook avenue and from Willis avenue to Third avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Third avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604

of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of May, 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 11, 1890.
EDWARD L. PARRIS, Chairman,
BERNARD REILLY, JR.,
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-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 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. PARRIS, Chairman,
MITCHEL 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 3.30 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 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. PARRIS, Chairman,
MITCHEL 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 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 18, 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 MELROSE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

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

of March, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the prolongation westerly of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Clay avenue to Morris avenue, and the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; easterly by the westerly line of the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and the westerly side of Brook avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; southerly by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Brook avenue to Morris avenue; and westerly by the easterly side of Morris avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the point where the northerly boundary line, heretofore described, intersects the easterly side of Morris avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, February 12, 1890.
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, Chairman,
MITCHEL 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 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 BRISTOW STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Stebbins avenue to Boston road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

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

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

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

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

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

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

MANHATTAN ISLAND SECTION—
ADDITIONAL LANDS.SUPREME COURT, SECOND JUDICIAL
DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

NOTICE OF THE CONFIRMATION OF THE report of the Commissioners of Appraisal—Manhattan Island Section—Additional Lands, as to Parcels Numbers Seventy-four (74) and part of Eighty-one (81), and as to damages to real estate contiguous thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal as to Parcels Numbers Seventy-four (74) and part of Eighty-one (81), and as to damages to real estate contiguous thereto, which report is dated June 3, 1889, and was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 7th day of June, 1889, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the same day, was duly confirmed by the Supreme Court at a Special Term thereof, held in the Second Judicial District, by order dated the 15th day of January, 1890, and duly filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 15th day of February, 1890. A certified copy of said order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 3d day of March, 1890.

Dated New York, March 6, 1890.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York,
Attorney for Petitioner.

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. 324.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ING 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

FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 1890.

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

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of 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, 19 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 1,428 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 feet 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:

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal ex-

amination 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 July, 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 to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state 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, it deem-d 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, March 14, 1890.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 325.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING
AT PIER 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:

1st. 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.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 15th 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 Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the person 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 14, 1890.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 330.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING
AT THE FOLLOWING-NAMED PLACES ON
THE NORTH AND EAST RIVERS: NORTH
RIVER—CANAL STREET DUMPING-
BOARD, DUMPING-BOARD AT WEST
NINETEENTH STREET PIER; EAST RIVER
—DUMPING-BOARD AT PIER 12, DUMP-
ING-BOARD AT PIER 44, SLIP BETWEEN
PIERS 51 AND 52, DUMPING-BOARD AT
FOOT EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET,
DUMPING-BOARDS AT FOOT EAST
TWENTY-SECOND STREET.

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

FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 1890.

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

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

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

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

ON NORTH RIVER.	
Canal Street Dumping-board.....	1,250 cubic yards.
Dumping-board at West Nineteenth street.....	1,500 "
ON EAST RIVER.	
Dumping-board at Pier 12.....	2,500 cubic yards.
Dumping-board at Pier 44.....	1,000 "
Slip between Piers 51 and 52.....	1,650 "
Dumping-board at East Seventeenth street.....	1,500 "
Dumping-board at East Twenty-second street.....	7,500 "
Total.....	16,900 "

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

1st. 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.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 10th 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 Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

or freeholders of the City of New York, each justifying in the penal sum of TWO THOUSAND (2,000) DOLLARS, and agreeing that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the said contract they will pay to the Corpora-

tion 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 person to whom the contract shall 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.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or estimate, 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.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 cautioned to examine the form of contract and the specifications for particulars before making their estimates. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment for the Meats will be made by requisitions on the Comptroller, issued monthly, and as more specifically and particularly is set forth in the contract form.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the contract and specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Board of Health.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 301 Mott street.

CHARLES G. WILSON,
JOSEPH D. BRYANT, M. D.,
WILLIAM M. SMITH, M. D.,
CHARLES F. MACLEAN,
Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, March 12, 1890.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 14, 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. Thursday, March 27, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN REPAIRING PONTOONS FOR THE FREE FLOATING BATHS, REPAIRING AND PAINTING THE ROOFS, AND PAINTING FOURTEEN OF THE FREE FLOATING BATHS AND REPAIRING AND FURNISHING SIGNAL LAMPS.

No. 2. FOR REBUILDING RETAINING-WALL AND STAIRWAY ACROSS FIFTY-FIRST STREET 80 (eighty) feet east of the east house-line of Beekman place.

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
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HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF
THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 15 and 5, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, March 14, 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. Thursday, March 27, 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-NINTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTIETH STREET, from the Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET, from Sixth avenue to Harlem river, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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.

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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 8, 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. Thursday, March 20, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH FIFTEEN THOUSAND (15,000) LINEAL FEET OF BRIDGE-STONE.

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.

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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 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 8, 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. Thursday, March 20, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH, AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF MORRIS STREET, from Broadway to West street.

No. 2. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF SEVENTIETH STREET, from Tenth to West End avenue.

No. 3. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON EIGHTIETH STREET, from Avenue A to East river.

No. 4. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NINETEEN-FOURTH STREET, from Park to Fifth avenue.

No. 5. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON THE EAST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, and on the SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDREDTH STREET, from First to Second avenue.

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

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

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

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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 1st, 1889.

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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,
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