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Report for the Quarter ending December 31, 1889.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 16, 1890.

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of section 27, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I have the honor to transmit the following report of the operations and transactions of the Department of Public Charities and Correction for the three months ending December 31, 1889.

Yours, very respectfully,
H. H. PORTER, President.

Census Report for the Quarter ending December 31, 1889.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining Sept. 30, 1889.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Returned.	Died.	Eloped.	Adopted.	Pardoned.	Executed.	Remaining Dec. 31, 1889.
City Prison	266	7,864	1,640	6,266	....	2	..	..	..	1	321
District Prisons	211	8,878	3,794	5,151	....	..	..	..	..	..	144
Bellevue Hospital	557	3,690	3,271	....	....	353	..	..	..	..	623
Workhouse Help	73	470	399	59	....	..	..	..	..	..	65
Ninety-ninth Street Hospital	20	470	78	12	....	7	2	..	..	..	15
Workhouse Help	7	35	35	2	....	..	..	..	..	..	5
Gouverneur Hospital	26	399	187	180	....	31	..	..	..	..	27
Workhouse Help	7	49	41	3	....	..	4	..	..	..	8
Harlem Hospital	29	471	169	267	....	33	..	..	..	..	31
Workhouse Help	16	81	72	..	....	..	6	..	..	..	16
Charity and Maternity Hospitals	810	1,775	1,589	....	....	136	..	..	..	..	860
Workhouse Help	93	234	234	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	93
Hospital for Nervous Diseases	81	39	40	....	....	4	..	..	..	..	76
Penitentiary	891	548	469	2	....	3	..	..	..	..	965
Alms-house	1,503	506	345	8	....	101	1	..	..	..	1,644
Workhouse Help	85	182	182	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	85
Blind Asylum	86	21	19	....	....	2	..	..	..	..	86
Incurable Hospital	94	23	4	1	....	5	..	..	..	..	107
Workhouse Help	1,047	5,606	5,341	2,307	....	12	..	..	..	..	1,245
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, B. I.	1,096	176	95	16	....	35	..	..	..	..	1,725
Workhouse Help	4	14	6	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	12
Homeopathic Hospital	431	974	765	10	....	74	..	..	..	..	556
Workhouse Help	58	229	212	12	....	..	..	..	..	..	63
Inebriate Asylum	3	..	1	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	2
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, W. I.	1,700	182	93	2	....	55	..	..	..	..	1,732
Workhouse Help	6	31	23	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	13
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, L. I.	311	..	..	1	....	1	3	..	..	..	306
Randall's Island Hospital—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Children	351	60	82	....	....	1	..	..	..	..	328
Adults	242	415	374	....	....	23	..	..	..	..	260
Workhouse Help	104	388	327	37	....	..	3	..	..	..	125
Idiot Asylum	321	23	10	....	....	11	..	..	..	..	323
Infants' Hospital—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Children	136	224	89	38	....	59	..	..	..	..	174
Adults	51	95	54	3	....	..	..	..	..	..	89
Workhouse Help	62	152	103	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	51
Branch Workhouse	1	2	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Workhouse Help	234	326	278	27	....	..	4	..	..	..	251
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, H. I.	1,149	18	3	..	....	14	..	..	..	..	1,150
Randall's Island Farm	16	28	25	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	19
Farmed-out Children	32	38	3	..	....	18	..	..	..	..	49
Colored Home and Hospital	201	138	72	20	247
	13,111	34,588	20,583	14,405	2,232	1,000	27	..	19	1	13,891

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Salaries	\$136,355 74
Supplies	300,239 81
Alterations, additions and repairs to buildings and apparatus	25,478 52
Transportation of paupers, etc., and support of out-door poor	2,270 10
Poor adult blind	148 00
Repairs to steamer "Fidelity"	500 00
Construction of new buildings, Central Islip	10,892 43
New boilers, etc., Hart's Island	377 22
Additional amount for water supply, Hart's Island	32 56
Cooking apparatus, etc., Hart's Island	15 13
New boilers, etc., Ward's Island	11,684 71
Additional amount for laundry plant, Randall's Island	289 52
Renewal of portions of roof, etc., Bellevue Hospital	1,362 01
Plumbing, etc., Insane Asylum, Blackwell's Island	955 67
Additional amount for pavilion, Hart's Island	498 88
Transportation, maintenance, etc., insane criminals	35 99
Steam elevator at Bellevue Hospital	129 32
Completion of plumbing, etc., Insane Asylum, Ward's Island	400 08
Additional amount for residence for Medical Superintendent, Hart's Island	75 00
Repairs, etc., to washing machines at Bellevue Hospital	3,396 58
Additional amount for alterations to lodge, Blackwell's Island	273 00
Plumbing North and South Hospitals, Randall's Island	278 95
	\$495,689 22

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CHAS. BENN, General Bookkeeper.

OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT.

QUARTERLY REPORT FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1889.

Admissions to the different Institutions from Central Office.

ADULTS.	
To Examining Physician	5,029
" Charity Hospital (direct)	323
" Alms-house	451
" Workhouse	166
" Randall's Island	84
" Colored Home	130
	6,183
CHILDREN.	
To Nursery Hospital	83
" Infants'	224
	307
Number of children discharged to parents and guardians	222
Out-door poor interments in City Cemetery	473
Requisitions granted on complaint of abandonment	349
Number of families relieved with coal	640
Number of blind persons relieved with money	5

Transportation has been afforded to fifty-one sick and destitute persons to reach their homes, thus preventing them from becoming a charge on the county.

There have also been two hundred and twenty-nine sick and destitute persons committed to the State Alms-house, at Flatbush, there to be cared for by the State Board of Charities, or returned to their homes.

This Department has also through the State Board of Charities returned to their homes in Europe twenty-one alien paupers who were a temporary and would be a permanent charge on this Department.

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent.

Quarterly Report of the Examining Physician.

OFFICE OF THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN,
NEW YORK, January 7, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction:

SIRS—I hereby transmit for your consideration, the report for the fourth quarter, ending December 31, 1889.

Number of applicants during	October, 1889	2,519
"	November, 1889	2,368
"	December, 1889	3,594
Total		8,481

Number of patients assigned to—

Bellevue Hospital	3,415
Charity Hospital	1,693
Homeopathic Hospital	1,065
Randall's Island Hospital	456
Incurable Hospital or Alms-house	40
Bureau of Medical and Surgical Relief for Out-door Poor	1,386
Number of applicants rejected	330
Number of applicants refusing to go to hospital	65
Number of applicants referred to Department of Emigration	24
Number of cases of contagious diseases referred to Department of Health	7
Total	8,481

Respectfully submitted,
ALBERT S. NEWCOMB, M. D., Examining Physician.

CITY PRISON, (TOMBS), NEW YORK, December 31, 1889.

Improvements and Repairs at City Prison (Tombs) from October 1 to December 31, 1889.

Painters—Painted wainscoting at stairs from first to fourth tiers, male prison; church room and room and halls at female prison, storm-house at office, 6 windows on Centre street and 2 iron gates. Calcimined ceiling and landing at church room, walls at stairs and counsel room.

Plumbers—Repaired and placed 8 new faucets in water-pipes in boys' prison; placed 12 new faucets in water-pipes in new prison; repaired water-pipes in female prison; placed 10 new faucets and 1 stop-cock in water-pipes in wash-house; repaired and placed 6 new faucets and 6 elbows in water-pipes in old prison; repaired 10 water-closets in new prison, and 24 water-closets in old prison; repaired gas-pipes in female prison, new prison and old prison.

Blacksmiths—Placed an iron railing in hall of old prison.

Carpenters—Built a pine floor at door of office, and in carpenter shop and skylight on Magdalen.

Tinsmiths—Placed new bottoms in 14 boilers for kitchen, repaired range, made 8 boilers and 2 large sheet-iron pans for kitchen, placed 325 square feet of tin on wall over gate in Franklin street, placed ventilators in windows on Centre street.

Roofing—Repaired roof of Magdalen with 1,088 square feet of tin; also placed a galvanized-iron gutter 68 feet long on the roof, and 2 galvanized-iron boxes for leader.

CHARLES OSBORNE, Warden.

OFFICE OF THE SECOND DISTRICT PRISON,
CORNER WEST TENTH STREET AND GREENWICH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 6, 1890.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President of Department of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Enclosed please find report of District Prisons of City of New York for the quarter ending December 31, 1889, together with Labor Report covering the same period.

JAMES W. LEDWITH, Warden.

Report of District Prisons for Quarter ending December 31, 1889.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Remaining in Prison last report.....	137	74	211
Received during the quarter.....	6,152	2,726	8,878
Discharged during the quarter.....	3,046	748	3,794
Transferred to City Prison.....	1,041	130	1,171
" Workhouse.....	1,861	1,658	3,519
" Hospital.....	231	201	431
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	18	12	30
Total remaining at District Prisons.....	92	52	144

SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.

Remaining in Prison last report.....	56	18	74
Received during the quarter.....	1,876	937	2,813
Discharged during the quarter.....	871	371	1,242
Transferred to City Prison.....	393	56	449
" Workhouse.....	546	479	1,025
" Hospital.....	61	25	86
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	16	8	24
Total remaining at Second District Prison.....	45	16	61

THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.

Remaining in Prison last report.....	38	33	71
Received during the quarter.....	2,178	1,263	3,441
Discharged during the quarter.....	1,119	246	1,365
Transferred to City Prison.....	323	40	363
" Workhouse.....	716	973	1,689
" Hospital.....	31	20	51
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	....	....	....
Total remaining at Third District Prison.....	47	23	50

FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Remaining in Prison last report.....	22	12	34
Received during the quarter.....	1,116	331	1,447
Discharged during the quarter.....	550	85	635
Transferred to City Prison.....	200	18	218
" Workhouse.....	311	194	505
" Hospital.....	65	34	99
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	1	2	3
Total remaining at Fourth District Prison.....	11	10	21

FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Remaining in Prison last report.....	21	11	32
Received during the quarter.....	938	178	1,116
Discharged during the quarter.....	486	43	529
Transferred to City Prison.....	123	12	135
" Workhouse.....	288	12	300
" Hospital.....	72	117	189
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	1	2	3
Total remaining at Fifth District Prison.....	9	3	12

SIXTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Remaining in Prison last report.....	....	....	....
Received during the quarter.....	164	23	187
Discharged during the quarter.....	20	3	23
Transferred to City Prison.....	2	4	6
" Fifth District Prison*.....	140	12	152
" Hospital.....	2	4	6
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	....	....	....
Total remaining at Sixth District Prison.....	....	....	....

* This item is included in the number received of Fifth District Prison.

LABOR REPORT.

Work Performed in the District Prisons for the Quarter ending December 31, 1889.

SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.

Storm-door erected at entrance to prison, sub-bases of walls and stone tiers in female prison painted, walls and cells of prison whitewashed.

Prison whitewashed entire.

Prison whitewashed.

Prison whitewashed and 7 cells painted.

THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.

FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.

FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.

JAMES W. LEDWITH, Warden.

Warden's Report.

The following is the report of New York Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, for the quarter ending December 31, 1889:

	MALES.		FEMALES.		TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOR- EIGN.
	White.	Colored.	White.	Colored.			
Remaining at last report.....	687	57	114	33	891	487	404
Received.....	467	23	47	10	547	339	208
Born.....	1	..	....	..	1	1	....
Total imprisoned.....	1,155	80	161	43	1,439	827	612
Discharged.....	393	20	50	6	469	287	182
Transferred.....	....	..	2	..	2	1	1
Died.....	3	..	....	..	3	3	....
Total discharged.....	396	20	52	6	474	291	183
Total remaining.....	759	60	109	37	965	536	429

Increase.....74

Males. { Men.....816
 { Boys.....3Females. { Women.....145
 { Girls.....1

Total belonging to Penitentiary.....965

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Number of prisoners.....	819	146	965
Number of paid officers and employees boarding at the Penitentiary.....	64	7	71
Total.....	883	153	1,036

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

NEW YORK PENITENTIARY,
December 31, 1889.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President, Department of Public Charities and Correction:

DEAR SIR—Annexed I beg leave to submit to your Honorable Board my report for the quarter ending December 31, 1889.

The number of prisoners received and discharged, the labor on which they have been employed, and the results accomplished.

Very respectfully,

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

Blacksmiths—Made 2 coal carts, 1 wagon, 6 anchors, 7 cross-washers, 1 calking tool, 96 feathers, 72 plugs, 22 chain-links, 3 hub-bands, 4 axes, 21 handles, 242 cot-frames, 1 table frame, 11 wire window screens, 1 wire door, 53 straps, 18 seat-irons, 2 stove shakers, 2 shaft irons, 6 wearing irons, 3 bands, 73 braces, 2 augers, 8 rods, 6 cold-chisels, 1 iron grating, 4 iron wheels, 26 plates, 2 legs, 2 axle-washers, 5 guard rails, 2 axles, 8 clips, 426 rivets, 176 bolts, 2 iron railings, 2 set screws, 9 leaves in spring, 1 iron stairway, 34 staples, 3 pinch-bars, 21 pitching tools, 1 gate, 2 posts, 9 keys, 1 gudgeon, 1 hold-fast, 4 fire-hose, 2 slice-bars, 2 hammers for gong, 17 blades, 50 guardrail spikes, 2 sets drawing-chains, 26 wheelbarrow tires, 26 wheelbarrow hub-bands, 11 wedges, 1 spring for gong, 1 tail-board iron, 1 cross-bar, 3 hasps, 2 pins, 150 ash shovel handles, 76 spikes, 47 hooks, 5 sledges, 2 cog-wheels, 1 brush, 24 cross-roads, 2 journals, 79 hand-drills, 7 king-bolts, 100 staple-bolts, 24 axle-washers, 106 iron bedsteads, 4 gang-plank bolts, 10 shaft-irons, 3 hinges, 5 hammers, 1 clothes-wagon, 25 standards, 1 coal-tub, 1 coupling, 1 poker, 2 wrenches, 1 axle-bed, 12 ice-picks, 1 shaft-head, 3 wedges with handles, 1 spring, 1 bell-frame, 1 stanchion, 1 cross-brace, 1 invalid wagon, 36 points, 36 chisels. Repaired—Reset 50 tires, 15 locks, 8 braces, 7 hand-trucks, 2 clavers, 7 ambulances, 9 shackles, 2 meat-boxes, 2 strap-hinges, 1 hand-cart, 5 keys, 5 trucks, 4 king-bolts, 3 fifth wheels, 13 wagons, 15 carts, 1 van, 2 carriages, 4 buggies, 1 truck-pole, 3 iron wheelbarrows, 31 cot frames, 2 hubs, 4 gongs, 10 fire hose, 9 slice-bars reset, 1 spring, 1 hoop, 12 springs, 154 bedsteads, 1 ash-sifter, 2 pairs shafts, 3 steps, 1 splinter-bar, 1 door-wheel, 1 hinge, 1 tank, 1 whiffletree-iron, 2 rungs, 1 vise, 43 clips, 2 shaft-irons, 1 leg, 2 tail-board irons, 3 pairs ice-tongs, 3 pairs ice-hooks, 1 stanchion, 2 gates, 1 frame, 1 boiler plate, 1 broom machine, 5 handles, 1 cook-house chimney, 1 wheelbarrow, 5 fire-irons, 3 wheels, 2 axles, 1 pipe-cleaner, 1 second wheel, 1 retort iron, 2 guard-rails, 1 pair hame-irons, 1 bearing-chain, 2 puddling bars, 6,446 points, 6,144 chisels, 2,763 hand-drills, 994 augers, 62 pitching tools, 145 wedges, 124 picks, 25 axes, 5 hammers, 8 sledges, 40 crow-bars, 1 windlass.

Carpenters—Made 104 cell-buckets, 116 water-pails, 25 cot frames repainted, 61 wheelbarrows, 7 refrigerators, 1 desk, 672 adult coffins, 653 infant coffins, 6 settees, 1 ice-box, 8 tubs, 16 benches, 620 bedblocks, 2 gang-planks, 4 tables, 7 hand-barrows, 1 wardrobe, 12 hammer handles, 1 cart-body, 1 tail-board, 1 dumping-slat, 50 snow shovels, 1 wash-trough, 400 clothespins, 1 directory board, 6 mallets, 12 table-legs, 1 clothes box, 36 breeching-straps, 1 pair reins, 52 hair pillows, 2 mattresses. Repaired 3 carts, 5 wagons, 82 barrels, 16 water-pails, 173 cell buckets, 32 wheelbarrows, 3 trucks, 1 coach, 13 chairs, 2 benches, 7 ice-boxes, 1 buggy, 3 bread-boxes, 8 tubs, 1 brush, 1 ambulance, 1 cart stanchion, 1 table, 1 lounge, 1 cradle, 1 arm-rest, 2 meat-boxes, 19 snow shovels, 3 handbarrows, 1 boat, 12 blinds, 40 spittoons repainted, 3 mattresses, 1 pair hames and traces, 9 saddles, 1 breeching, 5 halters, 4 pair traces, 8 horse collars, 5 breeching-straps, 1 saddle-tug, 1 strap, 6 bridles, 3 belly-bands, 1 set harness, 1 hame-strap, 1 restraining strap.

Tinsmiths—Made 18 large mess-boxes, 36 small mess-boxes, 562 feet stove-pipe, 100 quart cups, 17 boilers, 1,803 pans, 506 pails, 8 cannisters, 1 milk-house lined, 4 ice-boxes lined, 181 coal-hods, 144 ash shovels, 10 tea-pots, 17 coffee-pots, 12 coffee cans, 25 funnels, 8 strips, 1 chimney jack, 49 cans, 24 covers, 303 cups, 14 elbows, 6 scoops, 7 lengths pipe, 102 dippers, 250 basins, 9 fire-buckets, 3 kettles, 2 colanders, 11 strainers, 13 moulds, 24 muffin rings, 1 set vegetable cutters, 1 cistern, 1 block-iron stove, 1 apple corer, 1 foot-bath, 2 galvanized hand-pumps, 3 pie plates, 12 spittoons. Repaired 479 pieces sundry tinware, 19 cans, 4 knives, 5 pans, 5 boilers, 1 pail, 166 kettles, 1 pudding box, 11 spittoons, 2 water-coolers, 1 ice-box relined, and all necessary repairs to Prison and the adjoining buildings.

Tailors and Cotmakers—Made 276 pairs pants, 161 jackets, 250 caps, 350 pairs gloves, 10 cots, 55 vests, 12 set stretcher-cloths, 1 truck cover. Repaired 361 pairs pants, 205 jackets, 152 vests, 486 caps, 599 pairs gloves, 6 horse blankets, 981 cots.

Shoemakers—Made 2,939 pairs men's shoes, 1,400 pairs women's shoes. Repaired 888 pairs men's shoes, 78 pairs women's shoes.

Brush and Broom Makers—Made 242 dozen brooms, 223 dozen brushes, 12 dozen whisk-brooms, one-half dozen dandruff brushes.

Stonecutters—Cut 2,623 feet building stone, 256 feet window sills, 178 feet window lintels, 41 feet door sills, 73 feet pier caps, 44 feet window jambs, 70 feet water tables, 96 feet quoins, 12 feet angles, 121 feet chimney-coping, 58 feet base stone.

In the Sewing Room the female prisoners made 150 chemises, 36 pillow cases, 50 pillow ticks, 20 blue spreads, 250 dresses, 700 children's petticoats, 2,132 roller-towels, 1,526 sheets, 150 children's dresses, 425 nightgowns, 1,420 pairs shoes bound, 1,110 shirts, 216 men's caps, 700 children's aprons, 53 hand-towels, 186 checked aprons, 50 women's wrappers, 30 baby cloths, 450 baby's dresses, 600 baby's shirts, 180 sacques, 150 pairs suspenders, 500 baby's hoods. Repaired 3,066 striped shirts, 529 pairs pants, 482 dresses, 313 chemises, 307 petticoats, 354 pairs stockings, 39 bed ticks, 859 pillow ticks, 6 waiters' aprons, 467 men's undershirts, 9 white spreads, 170 pairs socks.

WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }
January 1, 1890.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Board Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I respectfully submit herewith my report of the amount and description of mechanical and miscellaneous labor performed by the inmates of Workhouse for the three months ended December 31 ultimo.

Very respectfully,
LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Superintendent.

Report of Male Labor.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	TOTAL NUMBER DAYS' WORK.	DAILY AVERAGE.	HOW EMPLOYED.
Steamboats.....	4,184	46	Firemen and Deckhands.
Bakery.....	4,644	54	Bakers and Assistants.
Almshouse Shop.....	78	1	Blacksmiths, Coopers and Wheelwrights.
Storehouse.....	2,241	26	Clerks, Messengers and Laborers.
Stables.....	1,909	22	Drivers and Hostlers.
Lunatic Asylum.....	5,067	42	Laborers, Kitchenmen, Firemen, etc.
Engine-room.....	839	9	Machinists, Firemen and Laborers.
Gas-house.....	1,312	14	Making Gas.
Boat-house.....	1,558	17	Crew pulling Boat to and from City.
Stone Shed.....	2,205	36	Stone-breaking for Department.
	3,509	38	Kitchen, Store-room and Dining-rooms.
	1,234	14	Scrubbing and Whitewashing.
In Building.....	1,458	18	Attending to Cell Buckets and Water-closets.
	506	7	Barbers and Bath-room.
	2,825	31	Clerks, Messengers, Hallmen, Doormen, etc.
New Wing, Coal Dock, Garden, etc.....	3,538	49	Attending Mechanics, Unloading Coal Boats and Cultivating Farm.
Bellevue Hospital.....	1,180	16	Trimming Coal and General Labor.

Report of Female Labor.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	TOTAL NUMBER DAYS' WORK.	DAILY AVERAGE.	HOW EMPLOYED.
Female Hall—			
Dining-rooms.....	1,092	12	Waitresses and Dishwashers.
Tier Women.....	455	5	In charge of Tiers.
Scrubbers.....	4,128	55	Scrubbing and General Cleaning.
Sundry Work.....	1,627	37	Doorkeepers, Messengers and Clothes-room Work.
Steamboats.....	843	14	Cooks, Waitresses and General Help.
Almshouse Gang.....	3,154	43	Washing, Ironing and General Help.
Laundry.....	4,280	57	Washing and Ironing for Workhouse and other Institutions.

Carpenters—Erected an enclosed shed for lumber, 30 feet by 30 feet by 20 feet by 9½ feet; addition to residence, 6 feet by 6 feet by 7½ feet; made 1 pistol closet, 1 caldron, 1 anvil block, 1 window frame, 2 tailors' cutting boards, 6 squeegees, 200 tallies, 1 door, 2 coal boxes, 2 pipe boxes, 2 sledge handles, 2 chairs, 24 wedges, 10 hammer handles, 2 tub handles, 2 stove platforms; repaired boat-house, 4 sets skylights, 2 ventilators, 2 water-closets, 9 windows, rowboat.

Blacksmiths—Made and put on 75 sets horseshoes; made 6 bracket rings, 158 rivets, 108 spikes and nails, 18 iron plates, 1 window guard, 4 iron rods, 30 chisels, 3 eye bolts, 15 common bolts, 15 nuts, 2 meat forks, 12 hooks, 4 iron bars, 8 links, 6 points, 10 staples, 2 hammers, 1 tongue bolt, 76 hammer wedges, 2 screw drivers, 5 washers, 2 pinch bars, 1 strap, 1 spring, 1 band, 1 stove lifter, 1 drill, 2 S. and T. latches, 9 poker, 6 key handles, 5 drawer handles, 8 door handles, 20 tub handles, 2 box handles, 2 calking irons, 1 wrench, 2 stove shakers, 20 feathers, 12 plugs, 19 bars, 1 hand brace, 7 nail punches, 2 feet 6-inch chain, 3 iron racks, 1 draw knife, 6 hasps, 1 grating; repaired 1 bellows, 1 cot frame, 5 fire shovels, 3 rakes, 1 set blacksmith's tools, 3 window guards, 1 stone axe, 1 furnace hoe, 1 meat wagon, 20 hammers, 2 ice boxes, 1 stone roller; dressed and sharpened 853 masons', stonecutters' and quarrying implements, 2 pairs ice tongs, 6 axes.

Tinsmiths—Laid 600 square feet tin roofing; made 2 smoke stacks, 6 moulds, 1 blower, 2 wash pans, 3 fire shovels, 2 eight-gallon tin boilers, 6 funnels, 40 feet three-inch tin leaders, 2 valley strainers, 1 forge hood, 1 tin box, 1 fog horn, 3 salt boxes lined, 1 dinner box, 1 soup strainer; repaired 5 stoves, 1 sink, 267 pieces tinware, 6 bake pans, 9 lamps, 3 lanterns, 1 chopping dish, 1 range, 2 tin roofs, 1 pump, 2 ice-boxes, 2 weather vanes.

Locksmith—Fitted 37 keys to locks; oiled 26 locks and bolts.

Painters—Painted 1,440 feet tin valley, 1 one-story frame building, 1 hydrant box, 20 chimneys, 179 cot frames, 1 storm-door, 1 iron tank, 2 stove platforms, 1 belfrey, 34 window screens, 1 pistol closet, 164 dining-room tables, 9 water-closets, 3 dining halls, 3 coal boxes, 1 lumber shed, 1 floor, 3 bath-tubs, 3 rooms, 2 chairs, 2 pads, 2 flower boxes, 4 ventilators, 1 grating cover, 135 pairs window sash, 4 tubs, 8 pails, 2 boilers, rowboat, 60 salt boxes, 1 greenhouse, 2 pinnacles, 1 sink; painted and lettered 7 fire buckets, 166 cell doors, 200 cell buckets; calcimined 1 room; put in 144 panes of glass.

Engineer—Cleaned and repaired 11 waste pipes, 26 steam pipes, 40 feet stove pipes, 7 steam valves, 11 water-closets, 5 water tanks, 5 hot-water boilers, 6 Croton supply pipes, 1 gas stove, 16 gas fixtures and pipes, 6 radiators, 4 pumps, 1 ball cock, 1 range, 4 ice boxes; packed 10 valves; cleaned and put up two sinks, 9 stoves, 14 gas fixtures and pipes, 4 cots, 1 window guard; made 480 lead weights for dining-room benches.

Masons and Stonecutters—Laid 220 feet rubble masonry; cut and laid 1 stone step; relaid 1,100 lineal feet curb; repaired 7 catch basins, 6,600 square feet walk.

Shoemakers—Made 300 pairs women's slippers, 500 pairs women's shoes; repaired 374 pairs shoes.

Tailors—Made 2 suits, 66 cots; bound 400 pairs women's shoes, 300 slippers; cleaned and repaired 480 suits of clothing for discharged prisoners.

Cot-room—Made 69 and repaired 175 cot bottoms.

Weaver—Made 140 yards rag carpet.

Sewing, Knitting and Tailoresses' Rooms—Made 348 night gowns, 48 sheets, 400 shirts, 200 mitts, 694 shrouds, 225 babies' capes, 1,521 dresses, 136 towels, 600 drawers, 75 petticoats, 1,222 jackets, 1,648 pants, 700 vests, 229 men's caps; knitted 456 pairs men's socks; repaired 1,439 dresses, 226 chemises, 83 petticoats, 271 hickory shirts.

BRANCH WORKHOUSE, HART'S ISLAND, }
NEW YORK, January 1, 1890.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Department of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—During the three months ending on December 31, 1889, the following work has been done at this institution:

FOR BRANCH WORKHOUSE.

Carpenters—Made 3 wheelbarrows, 3 front boards, 9 tail boards, 9 bread boxes, 6 coal and ash boxes, 1 meat box, 2 barbers' chairs, 8 doors, 2 step-ladders, 1 baker's peel, 3 stools, 14 stable feed-boxes, 5 standards for carts, 48 stakes for City Cemetery, 1 cart shaft; removed old ceiling in chapel and replaced it with a new one; built extension to Warden's house, porch, and greenhouse, etc. Repaired 21 wheelbarrows, 1 bread box, 2 ash boxes, 17 carts, 16 chairs, 8 doors, 2 step-ladders, 1 pail, 1 pump, 3 window sashes, 33 stools, 3 flights of stairs; rehandled 86 tools.

Blacksmiths—Made 2 axles, 2 bands, 11 bolts, 9 braces, 1 hammer, 2 handles, 12 hasps, 110 hooks, 1 latch, 56 nuts and washers, 2 linchpins, 5 poker, 26 rivets, 69 staples, 2 pairs tongs, 1 reamer, 1 bread knife, 1 flower stand, 1 set iron railings, 1 set cart irons, 1 boat brace, 13 calking tools, 4 wire baskets, 1 grating. Repaired 2 tubs, 4 wheelbarrows, 7 carts, 2 cot frames, 1 chain, 3 hammers, 2 locks, 11 pails, 18 masons' points, 1 poker, 3 tires, 12 knives, 1 pump, 1 plow; sharpened 72 tools, steeled 20 tools, set 116 horseshoes and toed 22.

Tinsmiths and Plumbers—Made 1 boiler, 3 boxes, 17 cans, 2 dippers, 3 elbows, 6 chimney hoods, 5 leaders, 1 pail, 4 roofs, set up 27 stoves and 47 joints of pipe. Repaired 50 boilers, 5 ash boxes, 149 cans, 1 cover, 15 dippers, 48 cups, 8 coffee and tea pots, 5 lamps, 6 leaders, 10 locks, 4 pails, 3 baking-pans, 7 dish-pans, 1 frying-pan, 108 mess-pans, 4 sauce-pans, 30 pumps, 8 roots, 16 stoves, 1 pair shears, 8 bath-tubs, 1 set scales, 4 ventilators.

Painters—Painted 7 boxes, 18 buildings, 10 cot frames, 9 doors, 3 leaders, 7 roofs, 9 rooms, 10 signs, 2 tanks, 4 bath-tubs, 2 watering-cans, 2 wheelbarrows, 37 window-sashes, 1 window-frame, 2 flower-stands, 1 set shelves, 30 flower-sticks, 2 step-ladders, new ceiling in chapel. Whitewashed pig-pens, water closets, 7 cells, 1 cellar.

Shoemakers—Repaired 450 pairs of shoes, men's and women's.

Tailors—Made 435 pairs of mittens; repaired 36 cot bottoms, 149 caps, 413 jackets, 907 pairs pants, 136 vests.

General Labor—Excavated and carted sand, loaded and dispatched 10 barges thereof for Department use. Built pig-pens; worked at sea-wall on northeast end of the Island; sunk holes for electric-light poles. Cultivated farm, gathered and stored crops and hay, plowed and repaired land for the winter. Repaired damages to roads, paths and grounds and kept same in order. Cleared off snow. Washed, scrubbed, cleaned and whitewashed cells, dormitories, shops, buildings, etc.

Female Work-house Help—Washed and laundered 17,614 pieces of clothing, bedding, etc., Repaired 506 hickory shirts, 329 undershirts, 291 pairs of socks, 69 chemises, 35 petticoats, 104 dresses, 49 aprons, 85 pairs of stockings, 17 roller towels, 12 hand towels, 28 pillow-cases, 6 sheets.

Hart's Island Bakery—Made 156,088 pounds of bread.

City Cemetery—Excavated 1 trench, 90 feet by 30 feet by 7 feet, and 5 trenches 45 feet by 15 feet by 7 feet each. Interred 705 bodies, 96 of which were in the Catholic Cemetery; disinterred 15 bodies for reinterment elsewhere.

BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Supplied 4,512 days' labor of men and 342 day's labor of horses and carts.

School—The school was recommenced at the end of November, since which time there have been held 22 day sessions with an average attendance of 7 boys, and 14 night sessions with an average attendance of 42 pupils.

	WORKHOUSE HELP.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.
Remaining September 30.....	210	23	233
Admitted since.....	298	28	326
	508	51	559
Discharged.....	Males, 255; females, 22		
Returned.....	22	5	
Eloped.....	4	..	
	281	27	308
Remaining December 31, 1889.....	227	24	251

Very respectfully,
W. R. STOCKING, Warden.

Almshouse, Blackwell's Island, Labor Report, Fourth Quarter, 1889.

Carpenters—Days' work: Building fence, 5½; box, 4; Central Office, 21; jobbing, 32½; hanging sash, ½; benches, 11; water-closet, 2½; storehouse, 8; fire-engine house, 17½; soap-boxes, 9; Male Dispensary, 33; easel, 5; male hospital, 5; lounge, 8½; towel rack and knife-box, 2½; A. H. Chapel, 8¾; chairs, 8½; female hospital, 1½; laundry, 26½; dumb-waiter, ½; shelving, 2½; female bath-house, 2; Bellevue, 56½; Mr. Cleary, 4½; Ward 38, 1; screens, 4; Warden's house, 5½; wash-house, 3¼; linen room, 30; shelving, 2; platform, 1; Chapel G. S., 1; storm door, ½; stool, 1¾; refrigerator, 1½; extension table, 2; floor, ½; doors, 1; knife-cutter frame, 1; "Minnahanonck," 1½. Repaired 5 doors, 2 tables, 1 water-closet seat, 1 bin cover, 5 wheelbarrows, 2 blinds, 7 saws, 1 saw-buck, 59 chairs, 1 meat-cart, 2 meat-boxes, 1 commode, 1 sash, 2 knives, 1 press-board, 2 clothes horses, 3 handles, 4 slates, 1 lounge, 1 crutch, 1 umbrella, 1 strainer, 1 wagon, 1 closet-lock, 1 window, hanging shades, 1 buck-saw, 1 lock, 1 clothes elevator, 1 axe-handle, 1 roller, 1 looking-glass, 1 screen, 1 box, 1 screen, 1 storm-door, 1 sewing-machine, 1 saw. Put in—1 storm-door, 62 sash cords.

Blacksmiths and Machinists—New work: 210 spikes, 311 bolts, 23 poker, 500 hoop-nails, 104 handles, 67 hooks, 1 pin, 2 pairs hinges, 8 staples, 1 hasp, 1 fire-rake, 2 pipe-clasps, 200 ears, 1 chain, 200 rivets, 6 anchors, 8 dough-knives, 1 shovel, 2 plates, 2 dampers, 1 plate, 2 cornices, 3 meat-hooks, 1 drill, 1 ring, 1 ripper, 3 pins, 2 tub-handles. Repaired 5 coal-shovels, 4 grates, 8 hand-trucks, 6 drills, 2 handles, 5 bars, 17 clocks, 4 door-knobs, 12 keys, 35 locks, 30 scissors, 1 cover, 6 razors, 27 poker, 43 bolts, 44 hinges, 3 chisels, 14 slice-bars, 1 padlock, 1 compass, 1 band, 4 wheelbarrows, 5 bedsteads, 3 crowbars, gas-fixtures, 3 sewing-machines, 2 hammers, 2 sledge bars, 6 calking tools, 52 feet railing, 8 choppers, 2 farm wagons, 1 shears, 1 set surgical instruments, 1 saw, 2 ice-tongs, 3 stoves, 4 carving-knives, 1 spring, 2 screw-drivers, 3 irons, 1 brace, 1 band, 2 rakes, 1 scuttle, 4 axes, 1 lantern, 1 hook, 3 dough-cutters.

Tinsmiths—Made 12 ash-pans, 300 feet pipe, 27 elbows, 51 sauce-pans, 2 caps, 1 bread-box, 2 rings, 1 boiler, 1 oil-tank, lining box, 6 one-quart pails, 200 cups, 200 saucers, 2 galvanized-iron tanks, 1 fender, 1 chimney-top, 1 fireboard, 2 dampers, 12 funnels, 1 teapot, 2 dish-pans, 13 oil cans, 1 oval pan, 8 bake-pans, 2 ladles, 1 tea kettle, 1 double boiler, 2 pudding-pans, 1 coffee pot, 17 feet leader, 22 feet flashing, 560 feet new roof, 1 amazon top, 1 smoke-stack, 3 wash-boilers. Repaired 244 pieces, 3 roofs.

Coopers—Made 28 barrels, 48 pails. Repaired 122 barrels, 47 pails, 7 tubs. Coopered 52 barrels.

Brush and Mat Makers—Made 9 dozen door-mats, 6 gross scrubs.

Seamstresses and Knitters—Made 130 pairs socks, 511 canton flannel shirts, 709 chemises, 210 blue dresses, 286 petticoats, 50 shroud caps, 125 caps, 50 aprons, 150 men's aprons, 97 towels, 144 blue spreads, 450 canton flannel chemises, 75 hoods, 175 night-gowns, 139 sheets, 150 bed-ticks. Repaired 389 dresses, 59 petticoats, 439 shirts, 302 chemises, 89 bed-ticks, 537 socks, 442 sheets, 1 blanket, 1 spread, 28 pillow-cases, 144 canton flannel shirts, 121 sheets, 203 pairs socks.

Shoemakers—Repaired 412 pairs shoes.

Tailors—Made 149 winter pants, 58 winter jackets, 185 caps, 45 vests, 50 pairs mitts. Repaired 335 summer pants, 316 caps, 565 summer jackets, 593 vests, 1,060 winter pants, 710 jackets, 1 army overcoat.

Washerwomen—Washed 97,231 pieces.

Mason and Bricklayers—Repaired 300 feet gutters, 200 feet brickwalk, extending store tramway.

Painters and Plasterers—General repairs.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. S. McNAMARA, Warden.

GENERAL DRUG DEPARTMENT, BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, }
NEW YORK, January 6, 1890.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Herewith I have the honor to submit my report for the fourth quarter of the year 1889:

Requisitions for medical supplies have been filled for the undermentioned institutions, viz.:

1. Regular bi-weekly requisitions (Nos. 20 to 26, both inclusive): to Bellevue Hospital, Charity Hospital, Almshouse, B. I.; Lunatic Asylum, B. I.; Insane Asylum, W. I.; Homoeopathic Hospital, W. I.; Infants' Hospital, R. I.; Randall's Island Hospital, R. I.; Branch Lunatic Asylum, H. I.; Branch Workhouse, H. I.; Ninety-ninth Street Hospital, Gouverneur Hospital, Harlem Hospital, City Prison, Bureau of Medical and Surgical Relief for Out-door Poor (Bellevue Hospital), New York City Asylum for the Insane, Central Islip.

2. Special or monthly requisitions: From the Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth District Prisons, the Westchester Dispensary for Out-door Poor, the Superintendent of Out-door Poor, No. 66 Third avenue, and Photographical Department.

3. General surgical requisitions (bi-weekly) Nos. 20 to 26, both inclusive, have also been filled for the following institutions, comprising numbers:

Bellevue Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 164, 165, 170, 171, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 186, 187, 188, 192, 193, 199, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219; Charity Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 172, 185, 189, 205; Workhouse, Requisitions Nos. 167, 182, 191, 197; Lunatic Asylum, Requisitions Nos. 195, 203; Homeopathic Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 166, 198; Branch Lunatic Asylum, Requisition No. 184; Randall's Island Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 169, 181, 194, 202, 211; Out-door Poor Dispensary, Requisition No. 204; Ninety-ninth Street Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 175, 190, 220; Gouverneur Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 173, 183, 196, 200, and Harlem Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 168, 174, 201.

A number of analyses of supplies purchased in open market have been made to insure good quality, and daily examination of cows' and condensed milk have been continued. The quality of the milk delivered has, with few exceptions, of which your Honorable Board was notified at time of analysis, been generally satisfactory.

Very respectfully,

CHARLES RICE, Chemist.

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, January 1, 1890.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report for the quarter ending December 31, 1889:

Labor Performed by Unpaid Help during the Quarter.

Carpenters' Work—Window frames and sashes repaired and new sash cords put in Wards 10, 1, 14, 20, 28, 22, 11 and 29; also in Orderly's sleeping room and the general laundry; Ward 13, a new curtain pole made and put up in bath-room; male and female help dining-room, general repairs; Ward 7, water-closet lock repaired and new knob handles put on; Ward 24, medicine closet repaired; Ward 17, shelves put up in bath-room; female lodging-house, general repairs done; new doorway cut through and new door put up to water-closet; Ward 12, window frames repaired and large clothes closet built; Ward 6, new clothes shelves put up; Doctors' water-closet, fifth floor, general repairs; two storm-houses made and put up at the main entrance to Wards 26 and 29; general repairs done in the Apothecary's Department; new locks put on the clothes closets of Wards 1, 7, 16, 18, 19, 10, 13, 14, 2, 28, 33 and 21; new door put on clothes closet of Ward 2; Ward 22, large box built for soiled clothes; Ward 6, window blinds and clothes box repaired; spiral door springs put on to several doors throughout the hospital; Ward 31, window blinds and medicine closet repaired; Doctor's kitchen, new lock put on the door; ambulance stable doors, general repairs; a new storm-house made and put up at eastern entrance to female lodging-house; a new doorway cut through in cellar under store-room, three new doors made and put up in the same; also sliding platform twenty-five feet long for taking in ice; Ward 9, water-closet repaired; Ward 19, water-closet repaired; Ward 27, door and door frame, general repairs; eastern door of passageway north of Prison Ward, general repairs; water beds, splints and crutches made in accordance with demand; new table made for Prison Ward; female dormitory, new closet made and put up; Ward 18, bath-room door, general repairs; new partitions made and put up south of store-room; Ward 15, doors and door frames, general repairs; lower hallway under main office, five new swinging doors made for same and put up, as follows: two on western entrance, one at stairway leading to main hall, one on Apothecary's Department, and one on reception office; Doctor's Room No. 5, new floor put down; new large screen made for patients' new dressing room, and large wooden dividing partition made and put up and general repairs done; wooden platform walk in front of Ward 31 repaired; transoms and window frames repaired in ward; Doctors' Room No. 3, general repairs done; Ward 38, repairs to wooden stoop done; Warden and Doctors' dumb-waiter and shaft of same, general repairs; ambulance drivers' sleeping quarters, clothes shelves put up; Out-door Poor Department, general repairs on chairs.

Plasterers' Work—Female Lodging-house, general repairs; Doctors' Kitchen and Apothecary's apartment, general repairs; drivers' sleeping quarters and Doctors' Room No. 3, general repairs; one of the general drug rooms in the eastern wing, general repairs; Wards 1, 6, 38, 25, 7, 20, 2 and 33, general repairs.

Masons' Work—Flagging and flag-stones in various parts of the grounds reset, and general repairs of this class of work done.

Plumbers' Work—New water sink set in and attachments and connections made in new dressing room, and general repairs done throughout the hospital.

Painters' Work—Ward 1, ceiling calcimined and walls painted 1 coat; Ward 11, ceiling of water-closet and bath-room calcimined, walls painted 1 coat; entrance to Wards 14 and 17 painted and grained 1 coat; passageway north of Prison Ward, ceiling calcimined, walls painted and grained 1 coat; Apothecary's apartment, ceiling calcimined 2 coats; walls and woodwork painted and grained 1 coat; Prison Ward, ceiling calcimined, walls and woodwork painted 1 coat; walls outside of the General Drug Department and stables painted 1 coat; three new doors in cellar under storeroom painted 2 coats; three new doors, lower hall, painted and grained 2 coats; Ward 6, ceilings of bath-room and water-closet calcimined, walls painted 1 coat; main entrance of north-eastern wing, hall and staircase painted 1 coat; Wards 12 and 13, doors painted and grained; Ward 7, ceiling calcimined 2 coats, walls painted 2 coats; Ward 17, bath-room ceiling calcimined; general laundry, first floor, woodwork inside part oiled and part painted, second story walls and woodwork painted 2 coats; lower hall of centre building, ceilings calcimined 1 coat, walls and woodwork painted and grained 2 coats; Ward 33, water-closet room calcimined 1 coat, walls and woodwork painted 1 coat; Female Lodging-house, new storm-house painted 2 coats; general and extra cook-houses, ceilings and walls painted 1 coat; Ward 2, ceiling calcimined 1 coat, walls and woodwork painted 1 coat; Assistant Apothecary's sleeping room, ceiling calcimined, walls and woodwork painted 1 coat; new room for dressing patients, lower floor, centre building, ceiling calcimined, walls and woodwork painted and grained 2 coats; Doctors' Room No. 3, ceiling calcimined, walls and woodwork painted 1 coat; Doctors' Kitchen, ceiling calcimined 1 coat, walls and woodwork painted and grained 1 coat; all the wards of the hospital have been newly numbered.

Miscellaneous—Whitewashing done in several parts of the lower portion of the hospital, basements, cellars, etc. The balance of the unpaid help were employed as follows: As stretcher-carriers, messengers, coal shovellers, and as useful men in the Drug Department and storerooms, and as laborers in cleaning and keeping in order the roadways and grounds within the hospital walls.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN FALLON, Warden.

CHARITY, MATERNITY AND EPILEPTIC HOSPITALS, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }
NEW YORK, January 2, 1890.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President:

SIR—The reports of the Charity, Maternity and Hospital for Nervous Diseases for quarter ending December 31, are respectfully submitted.

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

Admissions, Births, Discharges and Deaths in Charity Hospital for Quarter ending December 31, 1889.

1889.	ADMISSIONS AND BIRTHS.						DISCHARGES.						DEATHS.					
	WHITE.			COLORED.			WHITE.			COLORED.			WHITE.			COLORED.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
October....	364	215	579	1	5	6	391	207	598	2	2	4	26	21	47	21	26	47
November..	323	160	483	4	12	16	288	168	456	4	3	7	16	12	28	14	14	28
December..	394	216	610	1	8	9	339	181	520	1	3	4	38	22	60	1	61	61
Total...	1,081	591	1,672	6	25	31	1,018	556	1,574	7	8	15	80	55	135	36	58	94

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

Admissions, Discharges and Deaths in Hospital for Nervous Diseases, for Quarter ending December 31, 1889.

1889.	ADMISSIONS.						DISCHARGES.						DEATHS.					
	WHITE.			COLORED.			WHITE.			COLORED.			WHITE.			COLORED.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
October....	11	4	15	..	..	..	15	2	17	8	9	17	2	..	2	1	1	2
November..	10	1	11	..	..	..	6	2	8	2	6	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
December..	7	6	13	..	..	..	7	2	9	6	1	7	1	..	2	1	1	2
Total.....	28	11	39	..	..	..	28	12	40	19	21	40	3	1	4	2	2	4

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

Labor Report for Quarter ending December 31, 1889.

Carpenters—Made 1 meat block, 3 meat boards, 1 straight edge, 31 dozen swab sticks, 1 table leg, 1 coal box, 2 wall strips, 1 stretcher, 15 weather strips, 4 flower boxes, 18 history boards, 1 water tank, 1 coal bin, 1 oil closet, 1 brush handle, 13 brackets, 13 racks, 18 towel rollers, 2 urinal gratings, 4 door panels, 5 pairs crutches, 4 corner boards, 16 shelves, 1 meat mallet, 1 floor, 1 bath tub, 1 box cover, 16 stone blocks, 1 walnut frame, 2 benches, 6 splints, 4 plaster rollers, 1 letter press stand, 2 chair bottoms, 1 chair back, 1 storm door and portico, 4 sashes, 1 sash door, 4 shutters, 1 packing box, 1 bed cradle, 2 leg cradles, 150 clothes tallies, built stairs and laid floor at Fifty-second street dock, inclosed foundations of pavilion. Repaired 2 doors, 1 dead house cart, 1 closet, 3 bedsteads, 5 tables, 49 windows, 1 wheelbarrow, 2 ice boxes, 11 pairs blinds, 27 doors, 1 drip board, 33 screens, 49 bed trays, 4 meat boxes, 2 fence gate posts, 7 window shades, 7 drawers, 6 closet doors, 4 floors, 1 hot house, 61 stools, 4 shelves, 20 history boards, 1 step ladder, 1 grating, 2 medicine closets, 7 water-closets, 1½ pairs crutches, roof, 15 skylight frames, 2 towel racks, 1 stretcher, 1 rowboat, 2 flower baskets, 1 fruit box, 1 table top, 1 bureau, 1 bread box; put up 2 lamps and racks; cut hole in roof; put on 4 door knobs, 4 dresser knobs, 1 hook and eye, 24 locks, 1 spring bolt, 2 pairs hinges, put in 57 sash cords.

Painters—Painted 2 coal boxes, 1 seat, 5 stove guards, base of male dormitory, 1 room, 1 dining room, 10 bedsteads, 1 dormitory, 1 stretcher, 1 wagon, 38 history boards, 3 water-closets, 3 medicine closets, 1 box, 11 braces, 3 wards, 2 door panels, 2 partition walls, 5 wash stands, 1 hopper, 1 butcher block, 1 storm-door, staff kitchen, alleyway, 16 gas pendants, 1 ward gas pendant, 4 bath tubs, pipe in Home, retouched main hall, washed kitchen wall, put in 158 panes of glass.

Tinsmiths—Made 4 trays, 1 one-quart oil can, 1 gallon oil can, 1 ten-quart can, 1 douche can, 6 galvanized-iron cans, 1 two-quart can, bottomed 19 pails, 2 dozen pint cups, 2 tin scoops, 16 lengths of stove pipe, 4 six-inch elbows, 3 five-inch elbows, 2 galvanized-iron boilers, 1 splint, 16 coal scuttles, 1 skimmer, 1 double chamber heater, 4 ash pans, 10 pans, 1 gas shade, 2 tin boilers, 33 inhalers, 1 zinc box, 1 tin box, 24 square cans, 1 gallon funnel, 3 dippers, 1 drip pan, 1 large spoon, 1 large potato boiler, 1 cake cutter, 1 apple corer, 1 cover and bottom for boiler, lined 1 urinal board with zinc. Repaired tin roof of boiler-house and a quantity of miscellaneous tinware.

Plasterer—Built 2 brick piers in cellar, painted walls in 9 wards, holes in dormitory and joints on kitchen front. Repaired brick walks and plastering of wards and ceilings, arches under boiler, cut and bricked around smokestack hole, cemented 4 traps, lathed and plastered extra diet kitchen, stopped rat holes in kitchen, lined stove and whitewashed cellar and tool house.

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, WARD'S ISLAND, }
January 1, 1890.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit quarterly report ending December 31, 1889.

Respectfully,

T. M. STRONG, Chief of Staff.

Quarterly Census.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
PATIENTS.					
Remaining September 30, 1889.....	230	201	431	97	334
Admissions.....	705	268	973	284	689
Births.....	..	1	1	1	..
Total.....	935	470	1,405	382	1,023
Discharges.....	571	194	765	207	558
Transfers.....	2	8	10	3	7
Deaths.....	52	22	74	27	47
Total.....	625	214	849	237	612
Remaining December 31, 1889.....	310	246	556	145	411
WORKHOUSE HELP.					
Remaining September 30, 1889.....	11	47	58	15	43
Admissions.....	112	117	229	101	128
Total.....	123	164	287	116	171
Discharges.....	102	110	212	80	132
Transfers.....	4	8	12	4	8
Total.....	106	118	224	84	140
Remaining December 31, 1889.....	17	46	63	32	31

Labor Report.

Carpenter-work—50 feet roofing for shanty at dump; making and laying 15 feet moulding, 4 posts put in on fence near bakery; 1 closet, 6 feet high, 4 feet wide and 1 foot deep, with 5 shelves, double doors and lock; 1 back for sink, Staff kitchen, 6 feet 4 inches wide, also shelf 6 feet 4 inches long by 12 inches wide; 2 large doors for bread-closet, Ward B; 1 bread box for Staff kitchen, 23 inches long, 15 inches wide and 12 inches deep; 2 small and 1 large shelves, bedroom, Ward G; 1 packing-box, 36 inches long, 21 inches wide and 18 inches deep; 1 box, 17 inches high, 8¾ inches square, with cover; 1 roller for towel-rack; cut holes through floor, Ward I, to cellar, for water pipe; 1 step-ladder, 2 feet high, 18 inches wide, for Library; 1 meat board, 21 by 31 inches by 1¼ inches thick, for Nurses' dining-room; 1 cutting board, 17 by 25 inches. Repaired 1 table, 1 ward-robe, new hinges on chapel door, window of carriage, floor and washroom B3, 1 bed screen, 2 black

walnut bedsteads, blinds, Ward B, 15 chairs, boat-house as a straw-house, 1 wheelbarrow, 1 meat box, 1 closet, 2 doors, 2 rocking chairs, 3 step-ladders, 1 stretcher, 1 storm-door, padded cell, new sash cord put in 113 windows.

Painted—18 bath tubs; walls and floor, Ward B; 5 iron bedsteads, 1 door, 2 rooms and wood-work, walls, windows and floor, Ward G; 1 shelf; 3 storm-doors, rear of Hospital; 2 large doors, B 3; woodwork and blinds, Nurses' Dining-room; 1 bread-box; Chief of Staff Office, 3 coats, 2 chairs, 3 step-ladders, 2 water coolers, 2 wash basins, floor and woodwork, F 3; floor and 35 feet moulding, Ward E; walls, woodwork and floor, Druggist's room; 1 fancy wire flower stand, walls, sashes and floor, Room 15, Ward E; 7 large benches, 2,220 feet steam and water pipes in cellar, with black asphaltum, 40 lights of glass put in window sash.

Calculated—Ceiling of 7 rooms, 7 rooms.

Linen Room—Repaired 288 women's chemises, 22 petticoats, 301 sheets, 170 pillow-slips, 511 cotton shirts, 75 colored shirts, 65 knit undershirts, 167 nightgowns, 51 white spreads, 80 dresses, 177 tick dresses, 250 bed-ticks, 85 blue denim jackets, 342 pants, 11 tablecloths, 18 jackets. Made 100 hand towels, 96 cotton shirts, 20 aprons, 250 sheets, 68 women's chemises.

Engineer's Department—Materials used for increasing the hot water supply to Hospital: 270 feet 2-inch galvanized pipe, 16 feet 2-inch galvanized fittings, 200 feet 1-inch galvanized pipe, 15 feet 1-inch galvanized fittings.

RANDALL'S ISLAND HOSPITAL, NEW YORK, }
December 31, 1889.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board a report for quarter ending December 31, 1889.

Yours, respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

Admissions, Discharges and Deaths.

	ADULTS.	CHILDREN.	IDIOTS.	EPILEPTICS.	TOTAL.
Remaining September 30, 1889.....	242	351	321	....	914
Admitted	415	60	23	....	498
Total	657	411	344	....	1,412
Discharged or transferred	374	82	10	....	466
Died	23	1	11	....	35
Remaining December 31, 1889.....	265	328	323	....	916
Total	657	411	344	....	1,412

Labor Report.

The Workhouse men have been employed as painters, carpenters, plumbers, bricklayers, plasterers, drivers, barber, etc., and in carrying meals and coal to wards.

During the quarter assistance has been given to steam-fitters in doing their work in laundry and new kitchen.

Sidewalks, pathways and flagging have been repaired and kept in order. Repairs to plastering in wards, chimneys, roofs, etc.

Painters and help have been employed in the school, Feeble-minded house, cottage, diet kitchen, and Dormitory 6, and in putting in glass in the various wards, pavilions and dormitories.

Tinsmith has been repairing stoves and hot air apparatus and in repairs to roof of cottage, etc.

Plumbers have been employed in altering pipes and basins in church and school-room, in running water and gas-mains to new pavilion, cleaning out waste pipes and closets in same, also rebuilding radiators in Feeble-minded house, helping steam-fitters in felting pipes in trenches, tapping and running new water and gas-mains to new kitchen, repairing leaks in wards, and completely refitting cottage with new closets and new vent-pipes, felting pipes in south hospital, repairing gas-pipes in doctor's rooms, store and wards, running new water supply to large boiler, also putting pipes for steam jets in laundry and kitchen for hot water purposes, repacking valves and new sinks in store, wards and matron's room.

Carpenters and help have been employed in boxing pipes in trenches, making alterations in church and school, alterations and repairs to cottage, fences at stables, cutting holes in flooring for steam-fitters, building of new hot-house, repairs at Harlem Dispensary, jobbing for steam-fitters in laundry, repairing benches, doors, locks, etc., in wards, making covers for cellar openings, cellar doors, putting up new hand rails around grounds, making closets for Orderlies' rooms, repairing window shutters and sash cords, building new lumber sheds and repairing quakers in laundry, washing machines and drying horses; storm-doors have been put up in the proper places; hanging shades and putting up lamps. All of which has been under the supervision of the Steward.

The Workhouse women have been employed at their usual work, cleaning, scrubbing, and mending clothes.

In the laundry there were 60,322 pieces washed during the quarter.

INFANTS' HOSPITAL, R. I., December 31, 1889.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following report for quarter ending December 31, 1889.

Respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

Admissions, Discharges and Deaths.

	CHILDREN.		MOTHERS.		WORKHOUSE HELP.	TOTAL.
	With Mothers	Or-phans.	Out-door Poor.	Work-house.		
Remaining October 1, 1889.....	82	54	51	16	46	249
Admitted during the quarter.....	109	115	86	23	152	485
Discharged.....	191	169	137	39	198	734
Farmed-out.....	70	28	54	23	151	326
Died.....	10	49	..	..	..	59
Adopted.....	..	1	..	..	..	1
Remaining.....	111	65	83	16	47	322

Labor Report—Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island.

The Workhouse male help have been employed in painting, glazing, plastering, carpenter work, gas-fitting, plumbing and driving; as laborers in boiler-room and gas-house, in stables, and keeping the walks and grounds in order.

The Workhouse female help have been employed in kitchens, dining-rooms, tents and pavilions, Doctors' quarters, and in the laundry, where the number of pieces washed was

In the gas-house 29,000 cubic feet of gas have been manufactured.

In the Randall's Island stables the horses have been employed 690 days, viz.:

For Randall's Island Hospital.....	250 days.
For Infants' Hospital.....	130 "
For Randall's Island Farm.....	120 "
For Randall's Island improvement.....	190 "

Respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

RANDALL'S ISLAND SCHOOLS, }
December 31, 1889.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following Industrial Report of this institution for the quarter ending December 31, 1889:

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

Sewing Department.

Articles made:

Dresses	453
Aprons	60
Button-holes.....	1,197
Piano cover	1

Articles repaired:

Dresses	7
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Tailoring Department.

Articles made:

Jackets	121
Trousers	39

Articles repaired:

Jackets	31
Trousers	56

Shoemaking Department.

The boys in this Department soled, heeled and repaired—

Shoes.....	pairs 175
Cork-soled	1

Tinware-making Department.

Articles made:

Tin pipe	feet 152
Stove-pipe, 5-inch.....	112
" 4-inch.....	24
Stove elbows.....	1
Tin tubes.....	30
Cups.....	35
Mess pans.....	60
Basins	36
Pudding pans.....	24
Sauce pans	16
Coffee pots	12
Dish pans	36
Tin blocks	21
Oatmeal boilers.....	7
Oil cans	2
Ventilators	1
Ash cans	1
Dust-pans	30
Dippers	48
Skimmers	24
Coal scuttles.....	13
4-gallon cans	12
Lined with zinc.....	Tubs 1

Carpenter-work Department.

Articles made:

Tables.....	1
Flower boxes	50
Clothes horses	1
Refrigerators	4
Window-sashes.....	20
Window-frames	1
Stand for water	1
Tub	1
Cutting boards	3
Closets	3
Hamper bottoms.....	15
Chair seats	9

Articles repaired:

Door.....	1
Flower stand	1

Wire-work Department.

Articles made:

Sieves.....	2
Pieces of wire-work	3

Articles repaired:

Lawn-mowers	2
Fire screens.....	8
Refrigerators lined	1
Register	1

Basket-making Department.

Articles made:

Clothes baskets.....	24
Wood baskets	6
Sponge baskets	1
Hampers.....	7

SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN.

Sewing Department.

Articles made:

Dresses	98
Aprons	54
Button-holes.....	844
Handkerchiefs.....	110
Loops	63
Towels.....	20
Caps	7

Articles repaired:

Dresses	164
Skirts.....	91
Chemises.....	46
Drawers	51
Aprons	100
Blankets	27

The girls also washed and ironed pieces to the number of three thousand four hundred and seventy-one (3,471).

Mat-making Department.

The boys in this Department made:

Door mats.....	91
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Very respectfully,

M. C. DUNPHY, Superintendent.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE,
BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, January 8, 1890.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following report for quarter ending December 31, 1889.

Respectfully,

E. C. DENT, Medical Superintendent.

SEWING ROOM—ARTICLES MADE.	FOR INSANE ASYLUM, B. I.	FOR OTHER INSTITUTIONS.	TOTAL.
Sheets, brown muslin.....	....	262	262
Pillow-cases, brown muslin.....	....	1,000	1,000
Chemises, canton flannel.....	300	....	300
Drawers, canton flannel.....	60	950	1,010
Dresses, calico.....	136	200	336
Dresses, ticking.....	....	140	140
Men's shirts, brown muslin.....	....	5,312	5,312
Roller-towels.....	....	1,008	1,008
Hand-towels.....	....	107	107
Diapers, babies.....	....	500	500
Caps, babies.....	....	75	75
Men's suspenders, pairs.....	....	4,150	4,150
Cooks' caps.....	100	12	112
Cooks' aprons.....	100	12	112
Toboggans.....	8	....	8
Women's hoods, red flannel.....	296	....	296
Dresses, seersucker, Attendant's uniform.....	96	....	96
Waists, seersucker, Attendant's uniform.....	51	....	51
Aprons, muslin, Attendant's uniform.....	81	....	81
Caps, lawn and lace, Attendant's uniforms.....	160	....	160
Stockings, cotton, knitted, pairs.....	494	....	494
Total.....	1,882	13,728	15,610

Articles Cut.	Cutting Room.
Calico dresses.....	136
Seersucker dresses.....	96
Seersucker waists.....	51
Canton flannel chemises.....	300
Canton flannel drawers.....	60
Toboggans.....	8
Muslin aprons.....	81
Lawn caps.....	160
Hoods.....	296
Cooks' caps.....	100
Cooks' aprons.....	100
Total.....	1,388

Articles Manufactured.	Manufactory.
Scrub brushes.....	1,000
Fancy mats.....	30
Coir mats.....	40
Tampico mats.....	30
Rush baskets.....	25
Yards rag carpet.....	54
Yards lace.....	335
Candy bags.....	1,743
Tidies.....	40
Worsted caps.....	10
Pairs worsted gloves.....	15
Worsted toboggans.....	8
Pairs carpet slippers.....	6
Christmas cards, strung up.....	2,576
Dozen paper flowers.....	66
Tampico baskets.....	30
Christmas trees.....	39
Total.....	6,047

Articles Laundered.	Laundry.
Sheets.....	42,219
Pillow cases.....	22,768
Uniform dresses.....	845
Chemises.....	47,107
Petticoats.....	12,430
Pairs drawers.....	22,372
Dresses.....	16,800
Night-gowns.....	2,268
Aprons.....	3,383
Towels.....	15,196
Pairs stockings.....	17,094
Blankets and spreads.....	1,188
Bed and pillow ticks.....	15,864
Shirts, collars, cuffs, etc., for Medical Staff, Blackwell's Island.....	219,534
Shirts, collars, cuffs, etc., for Medical Staff, Ward's Island.....	2,005
Total.....	222,090

Carpenters—Repaired windows and doors in Retreats; made 2 packing boxes; repaired piano stool for Pavilion I; put locks on closets in Drug Store; repaired trap door for Public Kitchen; shingled part of the roof, Pavilion B; made sash for Hot House; repaired woodwork around windows in Retreats; took down slatted doors in Pavilions C, F, I and H; screen doors and windows taken down from Staff dining room, cottage, parlor and Medical Staff's rooms; repaired ceiling of Public Kitchen; hung sashes in Pavilions G and K; made platforms for under boilers in Public Kitchen; put in window cords in Cottage and Pavilion H; repaired dumb waiters in Hall 2 and Retreat 4; put weather strips in Cottage; repaired floor, Hall 5; put up shelves, hat hooks and stopped rat holes in Attendants' Rooms, Hall 3; repaired grating in bath-room, Retreat 6; repaired hat stand for Steward; repaired ice box in Kitchen; repaired meat cart; planed timber for Pavilion F and Hall 2 bath-rooms; made box for stove for round-house; repaired guarded windows in Retreat 5; repaired shears for Mat factory; repaired bell wire and door in Retreat 5; made step ladder for Laundry; repaired floor in bath-room of Pavilion K; made 2 boxes for stop-cocks, Pavilion C; worked on timber for bath-house and bath-rooms; made screens for ice box; put on striking plates on doors, Retreat 6; repaired key board and put on tags for keys in Attendants' Home; made rack for ice box; made sieve for Public Kitchen; repaired floor of bath-room, Pavilion B; made box for stove, Pavilion H; repaired step ladder and closet, Pavilion I; repaired posts for live saving lines; trimmed sinks and repaired floor in Attendants' dining-room; made handle for whitewash brushes; set guards around heaters in Retreat 4; repaired sash and sash cord in Halls 7 and 8, also in Doctors' rooms; made stands for Christmas trees; repaired inside shutters of Doctors' rooms, with the general repairs to the institution of settees, doors, chairs, closets, locks, tables, windows, sashes, etc.

Engineer—Cleaned out waste-pipe of bath-tubs and water-closets; also new seat on water-closet, Retreat 4; made alterations on steam-pipe in boiler room; made key for water-closet valve, Pavilion B; put up reflector in Retreat 6; pumped gas-mains in all the Pavilions; put in new glass

lights in Male Dormitory; repaired flour screen for public Kitchen; cleaned gas-bracket and put up lamp in hall of Main house; made tin frame for use in Mat factory; cleaned out back connection of boilers in main boiler-room; removed hot-water stove from Pavilion "I," for repairs; repaired ice-box in Attendants' Kitchen; repaired Night Attendant's supper cans, also put tin over rat-holes in Attendants' Kitchen; put gas fixtures in Druggist's Room; repaired steam-pump and steam-pipes in Laundry; packed steam-valves for Middle House, Druggist's room, Staff water-closet, and main boiler-room; completed work on steam-pipe to hot-water tanks, Halls 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7; repaired steam-pipe and put in drips from main steam-pipe to Middle House; relined ironing stove in Laundry; put gas burners in rooms of Attendant's Home; put new strainer on sink, Pavilion E; put in tell-tale pipe from water-tank in Hall 4, to main boiler-room; put up stove at Gate House; fastened screen around steam-heaters in Retreats 4, 5 and 6; repaired soil-pipe in Retreat cellar; packed steam expansion-joints in Retreat cellar; connected gas-stove to gas-pipe, Pavilion G; put new washer on water-closet plug, Hall 1; made handle for boiler-flue cleaner; repaired water-closet valves in Retreat 5; disconnected hot and cold water-pipes in Halls 1, 2, 3, 4, Middle House; repaired Croton water-main, and tell-tale pipe in steam trench from Laundry boiler-room to Retreats; made sand-duster for painter; charged electric batteries in Middle House; shut water supply to bath-tubs in new bath-house; made poker for Pavilion I; reset registers in rooms of Retreats 4, 5 and 6; put valve on Croton water to water-closet, and packed steam-valve in Hall 6; removed steam-pipes for plumber, Hall 1; repaired steam return-pipe from Retreat to Laundry boiler-room; put 2-inch cast-iron pipe from leaders of roof at Attendants' Home, also connected tin leaders from roof of Retreat to earthen drain, using 120 feet of 6-inch pipe; took down and put up screen on radiator, Hall 5; removed old Croton-pipe in public Kitchen, and put in drip-pipe from ice-box; repaired leaks in steam-coils and fastened hanger, also put up guard screen in Laundry; cleaned out sewer-pipe at Laundry boiler-room; repaired blow-off pipe on boiler, and put new valve on inspirator; repaired broken electric wires; removed carousal; put in 70 feet of 8-inch earthen pipe from main sewer to line of sink bath-tub basin, Middle House; removed reflector to have glass repaired, Retreat 6; made Croton connection in cellar of Attendants' House; put in waste-pipe for basin in linen room; put ventilators on roof of Gate-house; repaired leaders on roof of Retreat; removed pipe from tank, Hall 4; and general repairs to the Institution, of bath-tubs, water-closets, stoves, stovepipes, faucets, sinks, ventilator pipes, hot-water stoves, gas brackets, tinware, gas pendants, etc.

Mason Work, Plastering, etc.—Putting coping stone around the area of Cottage; repairing and whitewashing Pavilion E; repairing side walls in Retreats 4, 5 and 6; pointed entire front porch, relaid some of the stone that was out of place, also cemented floor of cellar under porch and put up new pillar to make it secure. Patching ceilings of Halls 1, 6, 7 and 8, also patching ceilings in Pavilions B, D, I, G and K; made new brick doorways leading to ice-house and closets, Attendant's Kitchen; made new cement floors in said closets; relaid coping stone around General Kitchen; put down new piece of cement floor on account of taking down old ice-house in General Kitchen; putting new brick and mason work around new beams on account of alterations in bath-rooms, Halls 1, 2, 3 and 4; whitewashed Attendants' and Staff's Kitchen; pointed part of walls in boiler-house; repaired brick work around steam boilers of the Main Building, also put down flagging around side door entrance, Main Building.

Painting and Glazing—Painted and marbled columns of dome, Main Building, also painted stairs and stair casing of the same, two coats of paint; painted ceiling and brick walls of General Kitchen, two coats of paint; painted and glazed the Green-house; painted walls and ceiling of Staff bed-rooms, also whitened ceiling of another room for member of Staff; painted the roofs of the two Gate-houses; painted iron porch of Main building; painted and repaired a part of the Kitchen roof to stop leaks; painted guards around steam-pipes in Retreats 1, 2 and 3; also glazed 550 lights of glass throughout the Asylum.

Respectfully submitted,

E. C. DENT, Medical Superintendent.

INSANE ASYLUM, B. I., January 8, 1890.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, WARD'S ISLAND, }
NEW YORK, January 7, 1890. }

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President, etc.:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit the following particulars of work performed by inmates of this asylum during the quarter ending December 31, 1889:

Printing Bureau—For Infant's Hospital, Randall's Island—400 diet blanks, 80 rules for wards, 2,000 census reports, 1,000 laundry lists, 500 meat requisitions, 500 admission cards, 400 ferry-ticket receipts, 200 death notices, 500 history blanks, and 300 programmes of entertainment. For Randall's Island Hospital—3,000 history blanks, 1 box of document envelopes (headed), 1 box of letter envelopes (headed), 4,000 extra diet blanks. For Bellevue Hospital—3,000 census returns, 10,000 assorted passes, 5,000 history blanks, 200 copies of notices to orderlies, 2,500 ambulance history blanks, 200 cards (rules and regulations), 200 "no smoking" cards, 2,000 note heads, 2,000 letter heads. For Central Office—460 copies of specifications and contracts for building, plumbing, etc., throughout the department; 200 copies of rules and regulations, 1,000 card passes, 1 ream letter-heads, 20 "no smoking" cards, 1,000 complimentary passes, 1,000 appointment and discharge blanks, and 500 application blanks for training school. For General Drug Department—300 cards (table), 500 monthly liquor reports, 25,000 prescription blanks, 5,000 red labels, 4,000 strip labels, 5,000 receipt blanks, 3,000 number cards, 23,000 class cards (assorted colors), 100,000 cough-mixture labels, and 18,000 prescription blanks. For Homeopathic Hospital—3 boxes letter envelopes (headed), 1 box document envelopes (headed), 2,000 laundry lists, 2 reams note heads, 2,000 discharge passes, 2,000 census returns, 500 provision orders, and 100 envelopes (headed). For Insane Asylum, Central Islip—50 notice cards, 1,000 census blanks, 1,000 labor reports, 1,000 census reports. For Superintendent of Out-door Poor—2,000 monthly passes, 500 cards (visitor's pass), 28,000 steamboat, hospital, asylum and prison passes; 1,000 affidavit blanks, 2 boxes letter envelopes (headed), 1,000 abandonment blanks, 4,000 medical certificates, 500 bastardy blanks, 1 ream coal blanks, 200 postal cards (printed), and 2,500 coal cards. For General Storekeeper—10 boxes letter envelopes (headed), 3 reams letter heads, 5 reams note heads. For Purchasing Agent—530 copies specifications for provisions, hardware, drugs, etc., and 50 blanks (proposals for flour). For Almshouse—400 cards (rules for orderlies and inmates), 1/2 ream note heads, 1/2 ream letter heads, and 3 reams extra diet blanks. For Insane Asylum, Ward's Island—1,000 pamphlets (composition and presswork, 36 pages, "Church Psalms and Hymns"), 1,000 blanks (State Commission-in-Lunacy), 2 boxes document envelopes (headed), 1/2 ream letter heads, 1,000 census blanks, 1,000 labor reports, 1,000 visitor's ward passes, 5,000 medical census slips, 250 document envelopes (addressed). For Charity Hospital—500 letter heads, 1,000 daily report blanks, 500 money order blanks, and 100 postal cards (printed). For Insane Asylum, Hart's Island—1 ream note heads, 1 box letter envelopes (headed), 400 burial notices, 500 admission and discharge blanks. For Insane Asylum, Blackwell's Island—2 reams note heads, 3,000 ward passes, 300 blanks (Commission-in-Lunacy). For City Prison—2,500 transfer blanks.

Carpenter—New work: For new ferry-house, 2 panel doors, 1 margin light sash door, 1 clothes closet, 1 store closet; made cornice moulding, 1 walnut water-closet seat, 2 brackets and 1 "No Smoking" sign; placed new picture moulding in 7 rooms of Attendants' home, 2 shelves in Medical Superintendent's apartments, 3 dozen sledge hammer handles, 2 new shafts for coal carts, new frame and rafters, door and door frame; altering 19 sashes for same for green house; sheeting end and back of coal shed with hemlock boards, new water-closet seat for dock, work bench and drawer, 90 feet of new base and moulding; wainscoting bath-tub wash-basin with white pine, 900 feet of wainscoting and 88 feet of flooring in new ferry-house; 1,000 feet of rafters, sheeting and tar felt laid on roof of stable, 1 pine chest, 1 drawing board, 20 new stop beads, 4 oak cart rungs; refitted front and back doors of Attendants' home, 2 boxes for glass; fitting and hanging 7 pairs of sash; laying new floor in room off main hall, and 2 flower stands. Attended to repairs throughout main asylum, branch and annex.

Painter—Attended to general repairs to painting and glazing throughout main asylum, branch and annex.

Plasterer—Attended to general masonry and plastering repairs throughout main asylum, branch and annex.

Laundry—Number of pieces washed for patients, 251,035; number of pieces washed for attendants, 14,445; number of pieces washed for Workhouse help, 482.

Bakery—324,306 pounds white, 19,417 pounds graham, 5,835 pounds rye, 11,735 pounds ginger bread, and 10,265 pounds of domestic cake.

Mat and broom maker—61 coir, 47 rush, 149 spittoon, 4 rag, and 15 brush mats, 1 set of quilts, 539 brooms, 13 waste paper and 16 wood baskets; 28 mattresses remade and repaired; 10 hair mattresses repaired, and 1 bolster repaired.

Shoemaker—32 pairs of new shoes, 2 pairs of new slippers, and 1,011 pairs of shoes repaired.

Tailor—New work: 293 jackets, 208 pants, 431 vests, 427 caps. Repairs: 113 jackets, 535 pants, 196 vests, 55 caps; 25 spreads hemmed, 8 table cloths hemmed; 6 suits of clothes cut and made, overcoat cut and made for messenger, 7 attendants' blouses trimmed, and 174 spreads hemmed.

Tinsmith—Attended to the general repairs to tin work, etc., etc.

Out-door Improvements—Making, cleaning and repairing roads and foot-walks about grounds, grading, removing earth, ashes, etc., breaking stones for repaired roads; attended to farm and gardens; unloaded barges of ice and coal, and carted same to Asylum and Homeopathic Hospital; removed swill from the institutions; carted goods from dock and attended to other general work about stable, farm, grounds, boiler-house, etc.

Yours, with respect,

G. F. M. BOND, Acting Medical Superintendent,

Per W. O. MACY.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE,
HART'S ISLAND, December 31, 1889.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following report for the quarter ending this date.

Respectfully,

ANDREW EGAN, Medical Superintendent.

	MEN.	WOMEN.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining September 30.....	200	949	1,149	167	982
Died.....	1	13	14	1	13
Discharged.....	1	2	3	1	2
Admitted.....	198	934	1,132	165	967
Remaining December 1, 1889.....	200	950	1,150	167	983

LABOR REPORT.

Of the male patients, a daily average of 126 have been employed as follows: 19 in kitchen, 2 in engine room, 1 in carpenter shop, 18 in pavilions, 86 at unloading coal, brick and lumber from barges, removing freight from dock, clearing round new buildings, assisting mechanics, digging and covering in trenches, assisting at sea-wall, shoveling snow and clearing ground at the lower end of the Island.

Of the female patients, a daily average of 375 have been engaged in the following work: Housework, sewing and knitting, 320; in the laundry, 40; scrubbing offices, store, drug-store, employees' rooms, etc., 7; as help for medical staff and officers, 8.

127,152 pieces have been laundried during the quarter; 125,396 for this asylum and 1,756 for the medical staff at Ward's Island Asylum.

42,739 articles of clothing and bedding have been repaired and 5,949 made. Following is an itemized statement:

ARTICLES.	FOR HART'S ISLAND ASYLUM.		FOR WARD'S ISLAND ASYLUM.
	Made.	Repaired.	Repaired.
Aprons.....	272	780	....
Blankets.....	....	506	....
Bed-ticks.....	285	2,472	....
Chemises.....	1,201	5,223	....
Drawers.....	1,022	3,489	....
Dresses.....	510	6,425	....
Jackets.....	....	797	....
Hats.....	....	94	....
Hoods.....	....	1,106	....
Night-gowns.....	52	1,024	....
Petticoats.....	690	3,832	....
Pillow-cases.....	121	1,551	....
Pillow-ticks.....	126	1,684	....
Spreads.....	....	815	....
Sheets.....	288	2,038	....
Shirts.....	....	574	....
Socks.....	128	4,479	....
Stockings.....	556	4,356	....
Trousers.....	276	849	....
Tablecloths.....	....	33	....
Towels.....	23	548	....
Caps.....	156	64	....
Coats.....	193	....	....
Store bags.....	50	....	....
Total.....	5,949	42,739	....

The Engineer, Plumber, Tinsmith, Fireman and Assistants have pumped water to pavilions; repaired and cleaned out water-closet pipes, sinks and pipes, hot water-pipes, waste pipes from bathtubs, sewer-pipes; repaired and packed pumps; have been working on Pavilion 3, new water-closets and putting in iron pipe; put in pipe for electric light house; blew down, cleaned and put in hand plates in boilers; packed and put in new valves; put in pipe and made connections from cistern to pump; put water on for plasterers; made and put up 450 galvanized-iron gutters on pavilions, and 380 feet galvanized-iron 4-inch leaders with 24 four-inch elbows, and 50 feet of 5-inch leaders with 4-inch elbows; made and repaired ventilators; put on 1,800 feet tin roofing on Pavilion 6; made and put up 1,400 feet stove-pipe; put up 75 stoves and 54 elbows; put galvanized iron under 40 stoves; made 3 eight-inch swivel chimney tops for kitchen, and 11 twelve-gallon iron cans; kept all tinware, roofs of pavilions etc., in repair.

The Carpenter and Assistants have put new roof on Pavilion 6; made new benches for Pavilions 3, 4, 1 and 6; made new stoop for Pavilion D; repaired and put on locks; repaired stoops and made and put up storm-doors; repaired ceilings; made step-ladders; put up ventilators; made new meat wagon; made key and medicine closets; made mantel-piece for Medical Superintendent's new residence; hung sash; made two new coal boxes; repaired hand carts and bread and meat wagons; filed saws; put handles in hammers; kept doors, locks, blinds and all furniture throughout the institution in repair.

The Painter and Assistants have painted outside of Pavilion 4; have been washing walls and ceilings of Pavilions; been painting and decorating walls and ceiling of Pavilion 3 dining-room; been washing and hanging blinds of pavilions; building and removing scaffolding; been painting doors, windows; painting and cleaning window-lights; sand-papering and painting doors; cut in sashes; oiling banisters; painting blinds, all new woodwork and chimneys of Medical Superintendent's new residence; have put in glass where required and kept all paint-work in repair.

The Plasterer has been working on walls and ceilings of pavilions, and laying pipes.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, CENTRAL ISLIP,
LONG ISLAND, January 1, 1890.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President, etc.:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report of labor performed at this institution during the quarter ending December 31, 1889:

Bakery—Bread baked, 48,575 pounds; domestic cake baked, 1,300 pounds; ginger bread baked, 1,300 pounds.

Carpenters—1 dozen handles put in mattocks; 15 large dining-room tables cut in two and made up one-half their former length; Watchman's house made to fit inside the rustic house; 17 backs for lamps put up; 1 truck repaired; sideboards put on four farm wagons; house made to cover bell; posts put in to support roofs of four chicken-houses; blocks put under railings of piazzas at different pavilions; handles put in several axes, spades, shovels, rakes and hoes; 30 handles put in mop holders; 1 lounge settee made; 2 doors cut out in back of boiler-house; 3 clocks put up; 1 shed put up for blacksmith shop; 1 snow-plow made; shed put up at motor-

house; 1 coffin made; windows of all the cellars of different pavilions closed in; stops put on all the laundry windows; air shaft put in the boiler-house, also some flooring laid; trap-door put in the laundry; 26 settees put together; 14 panes of glass put in; 40 windows fixed so as to be freely moved up and down; 45 doors repaired to open and close properly; 2 "peel" blades made for bakery; 3 panel doors made, 1 for rustic house, two for green-house; 1 green-house put up; 1 gate made for garden fence; posts at laundry cut off, and holes bored for the lines to pass through; 8 padlocks put on different doors; 2 looking-glasses put up; 6 small tables repaired; 3 water-closets repaired, five seats put on; several locks fixed; 2 dozen keys fitted; 18 coat and hat hooks put up; working on new building for shops; one rustic house at front entrance to grounds, and one short piece of rustic fence have been completed, and another piece of rustic fence in front of lawn has been nearly finished; one new building for shops is nearly ready for use; 3 movable privies have been made.

Laundry—Washed: sheets, 4,655; shirts, 3,765; pillowcases, 4,561; socks, 3,594; roller towels, 5,028; pants, 1,029; coats, 715; aprons, 543; table cloths, 194; underwear, 608; caps, 348; blankets, 20; bed spreads, 117; vests, 357; bed ticks, 2; towels, 490; blouses, 10. Total, 26,096.

Tailor—Made 48 new pants, mended 986 socks, 536 pants, 385 coats, 132 vests, 513 shirts, 136 pillowcases, 94 towels, 232 sheets, 20 bed-spreads, 15 caps; 205 pea-jackets, buttons sewed on; mended 12 blouses; repaired 1 horse-blanket, 260 pieces underwear. Total, 3,575.

Blacksmith—81 mattocks sharpened; 16 new shoes put on horses; 6 furnace irons repaired; 1 furnace iron made; 3 chisels repaired; 1 chisel made; 3 wheelbarrows repaired; 2 steel punches made for carpenter; 2 bedsteads repaired; 1 connecting rod for trap under Ward 6 made; 1 hoof cleaner made; 1 ring and eye put in hames; 1 snow plow ironed complete; 1 hoe handle put on; 1 fire shovel made; 1 king bolt to wagon repaired, pin and washer for same; 2 pieces pipe fixed to order for engineer; 2 colters sharpened; 1 ring to ox yoke repaired; 1 link put in ox chain.

Painter—Store painted inside, western half, 3 dozen benches, greenhouse, 4 chicken houses, new shop; panes of glass put in for same, also various broken panes in pavilions replaced; "shell" for watchman's house; about 2 dozen settees shellacked and varnished; 3 privies painted, all hydrants and ventilating pipes, front brickwork of bakery, wooden backs or supports for clocks and lamps in various Wards.

Tinsmith—Kitchen utensils, dippers, lamps, etc., have been repaired in this Department.

Farm—10 acres of buckwheat have been ploughed under, and it is estimated that 18 acres of rye have been sowed; 20 acres of new ground broken, making a total of 60 acres ploughed and mostly harrowed; 80 acres additional have been "stubbled," or cleared of trees, brush and roots, ready for the plough; altogether we have about 250 acres cleared of trees, including above improvements; 246 tons of coal have been hauled from the railroad station, besides the usual freight and express matter.

Poultry Yard—567 eggs have been received from the poultry yard.

The number of days labor performed is as follows:

Tailors.....	720
Carpenters.....	238
Painters.....	45
Masons.....	50
Gardeners.....	1,251
Bakers.....	232
Clerks.....	97
Cooks.....	647
Waiters.....	264
Laundrymen.....	1,111
Firemen.....	406
Farmers.....	9,413
Out-door Improvement.....	2,682
Drivers and Stablemen.....	468
Coal.....	271
Wards and Dining-rooms.....	4,885
Blacksmiths.....	21
Barbers.....	19
Tinsmiths.....	11
Sawing wood.....	50
Filling beds.....	47
Total.....	22,928

Very respectfully,

HERMAN C. EVARTS, Physician in Charge.

BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BAKERY,
January 1, 1890.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to make the following report of flour consumed and labor performed during the quarter ending December 31, 1889:

Flour made into bread.....	Barrels. 4,497
Flour distributed to institutions.....	2,406
Total.....	6,903

Quantity of bread made and distributed to institutions:

October.....	Pounds. 369,261
November.....	375,609
December.....	372,198
Total.....	1,117,068

Average number of men employed..... 60

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY ROMAND, Master Baker.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

A meeting of the Board of Docks of the City of New York, held at the office of the Board, Pier "A," Battery place, Thursday, January 16, 1890.

Present—Commissioner Matthews.

" " Cram.

Absent—President Post.

In the absence of the President, and upon motion of Commissioner Matthews, Commissioner Cram was called upon to act as President pro tem.

The minutes of the last meetings held Thursday, January 9 and Friday, January 10, 1890, were read and adopted.

The Messrs. Henderson Brothers, agents of the Anchor Line of steamships, appeared before the Board and submitted an offer of \$25,000 per annum for the lease of Pier, new 57, North river, on condition that they could have access to said pier, and stated to the Board that unless they can secure this pier they would be compelled to withdraw their steamers from the City of New York and move to Brooklyn.

Commissioner Cram moved that the Counsel to the Corporation be notified that this Department has received from the Anchor Line a proposition to pay \$25,000 per annum for the lease of Pier, new 57, North river, provided they have access thereto; and as it is obviously the interest of the city to keep the said steamship company from leaving, and as this pier is not producing more than \$11 a day at the outside, this Department desires his opinion:

1st. As to whether it is safe for the Department to enter into any negotiations or execute a lease with the Anchor Line; and

2d. In case it is not safe to enter into a lease in view of the proceedings in the court to condemn, whether it is not possible for the Corporation Counsel to obtain some modification of the injunction preventing access to the said pier, or such a modification of the injunction as will enable the lessee, in case a lease is executed, to drive on and off the pier with trucks.

The motion of Commissioner Cram, together with his recommendation, was thereupon adopted.

From Counsel to the Corporation—Transmitting in duplicate lease of Pier, new 24, North river, to Homer Ramsdell, executed by the lessee and his sureties, approved as to form, and advising that the Department should execute, in accordance with the decision of Judge Barrett, the said lease.

Commissioner Matthews offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the officers of this Board be and they are hereby authorized to execute said lease in the form as approved by the Counsel to the Corporation.

From Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller—Approving sureties of Fearon & Jenks on Contract No. 320, for repairing pier at foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river.

GENTLEMEN—In reply to your application of the 8th instant, I beg leave to advise you, that at a meeting of the Board of Docks held this day permission was granted you to extend platform north of Seventy-ninth street, East river, out to ten feet depth of water, or to about the established bulkhead and pierhead line of 1857, provided, however, that the outer edge of the platform is kept so far

inshore that a boat using it will not interfere with the boat using the Department pier or bulkhead at the foot of East Seventy-ninth street; and also provided, that a definite plan for this platform shall be first submitted to and approved by this Board before the work proceeds. Permission is also hereby granted to extend supply-pipe thereat, provided it is kept at least ten feet below mean low water. All the above work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

It is also hereby provided that the above platform and pipe extensions are to be and remain only during the will and pleasure of this Board, and that before any work is done for which permit is hereby granted that you will agree, in writing, to pay proper compensation for the use of the City's property occupied, the rate to be fixed by the Treasurer of this Department.

Yours, respectfully,

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8007, that plans, specifications and form of contract for building a pier at the foot of Thirty-eighth street, East river, was submitted to the Board August 22, 1888, under a partial report on this order, and the pier was built under Contract No. 281. The bulkhead-platform one hundred feet south of Thirty-eighth street has not been built, and plans for construction have not been made, because the City brought suit to recover possession of certain portions of the water-front held by private parties.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4205, that the subject matter of this order was reported upon in report to the Board, dated May 6, 1885, filed May 13, 1885.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8254, that he had directed and superintended the improvements in the ferry slips foot of Whitehall street, East river.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8440, that he had superintended the erection of ferry-house and structures foot of Whitehall street, East river.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8768, that the contractors have stopped the work of filling foot of Seventy-second street, East river, and removed the greater portion of the filling which had been deposited thereat.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8869, that the necessary borings from the southerly side of East Twenty-fourth street to the northerly side of East Twenty-fifth street, East river, were made under Treasurer's Order No. 13720.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8870, that test piles have been driven and necessary borings have been made under Treasurer's Order No. 13721, from the southerly side of East Ninety-fourth street to the northerly side of East Ninety-fifth street, East river.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8871, that the test piles have been driven and necessary borings have been made under Treasurer's Order No. 13722, from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventh street to northerly side of East One Hundred and Tenth street.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9593, that a platform about fifty-six feet only has been erected at the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Long Island Sound, by the Central Gas-light Company, who do not intend to do any further work at present.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9612, that he had directed and superintended the laying of a ten-inch iron pipe from a point on the west side of West street, about one hundred feet more or less south of Fulton street to Pier, old 20, North river, thence under said pier to the end thereof.

20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9627, that he had directed and superintended the repairing of the pavement on bulkhead between Piers, old 27 and 28, North river.

21st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9648, that the old timber on Pier, old 58, North river, has been removed by unknown parties.

22d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9774, that he had directed and superintended the driving of five spring piles at Pier 25, East river.

23d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9685, that he had directed and superintended repairing pier foot of Twenty-second street, North river.

24th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9702, that he had directed and superintended the making of temporary repairs to bulkhead foot of Thirty-second street, East river.

25th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9719, that the subject matter of this order is covered in report of November 26, 1889.

26th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9728, that he had supervised work of dredging on south side of bulkhead at West Ninety-sixth street.

27th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9729, that he had directed and superintended rebuilding ferry bridges and racks at the north slip at Pier 15, North river.

28th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9731, that he had directed and superintended driving and chocking of five white oak fender piles, and fastening braces on the easterly side of Pier, old 36, East river.

29th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9736, that he had supervised the placing of a small crib near the northwesterly corner of the Bloomingdale Boat Club house, between One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, North river.

30th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9739, that he had directed and superintended the piercing of bulkhead at Fifty-second street, North river, for the purpose of making a sewer thereat.

31st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9759, that he had directed and superintended the repairing of the sheathing on deck of Pier 19, North river.

32d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9762, that he had directed and superintended the repairing of the sheathing on deck of north side of Pier, old 23, North river.

33d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9770, that he had repaired deck of westerly half of Pier 12, East river (City's portion).

34th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 9771, that he had repaired several holes in the deck and sheathing on deck of the westerly half (City's) of Pier 19, East river.

On motion of Commissioner Cram, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to prepare plans, specifications and form of contract for building pier on the new plan, foot of Forty-first street, North river.

On motion of Commissioner Cram, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to report to the Board why the plans, specifications and form of contract for the building of Pier, new 58, North river, are not ready.

An Executive session of the Board was then convened.

On motion of Commissioner Cram, the salary of Webster H. Gilon, stenographer and typewriter, was increased to one hundred dollars per month, to take effect February 1, 1890, and the application of Mr. Gilon for an increase in salary was taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file.

Commissioner Cram moved that the salaries of Winfield S. Lasher and Andrew McC. Parker, Assistant Engineers, be and they are hereby increased to two hundred dollars per month, to take effect February 1, 1890. Which, on motion of Commissioner Matthews, was laid on the table until the next meeting.

Charles Guidet appeared before the Board and renewed his application for permission to store paving blocks on the new-made land between Franklin and North Moore streets, North river, from February 15 to May 15, 1890, and agreeing to pay for the privilege the sum of one hundred dollars.

On motion of Commissioner Cram, this matter was referred to the President for examination and report.

On motion of Commissioner Cram, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to build a pile-driver, the work to be done by the force under his control.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, reported that he had received the following estimates for furnishing the Department with 11 coils of Manila rope and about 27,096 feet, B. M., creosoted yellow pine or spruce timber:

Eleven Coils Manila Rope.

James S. Barron & Co.	13 cents per pound, less 1 per cent.
H. A. Rogers	13 1/4 " "
Alexander Pollock	13 1/4 " "
William Wall's Son	14 1/2 " " net.

About 27,096 Feet, B. M., Creosoted Yellow Pine or Spruce Timber.

Lamb & Bell, Agents, the Carolina Oil and Creosote Co.	\$39 00 per M.
B. T. Burchard, Chief Engineer and Superintendent Creosote Lumber and Oil Co., Fernandina, Fla.	40 00 "
Lehigh Valley Creosoting Co.—	
Georgia yellow pine, in about sixty days	50 00 "
Georgia yellow pine, in about twenty days	65 00 "
North Carolina yellow pine, in about forty days	50 00 "
Eppinger & Russell	52 50 "

The action of Commissioner Matthews in awarding the order for furnishing the same to James S. Barron & Co. and Lamb & Bell, respectively, was approved.

The following requisitions were passed:

Register No.	For What.	Estimated cost,
8011.	1 barrel kerosene oil	\$7 00
8012.	10,000 feet 3-inch spruce, per M.	21 00
8013.	6 dozen lamp globes, and 6 dozen lamp wicks.	12 00
8014.	About 16,668 feet yellow pine timber.	520 40
8015.	1 municipal flag for "Launch."	5 00
8016.	Spruce joists, plank, etc.	65 00
8017.	Repairs to floating property.	120 00
8018.	One new "Y" level.	125 00
8019.	Test iron.	20 00
8020.	Test iron.	20 00
8021.	Test iron.	57 00

8022.	1 lot yellow pine timber	Estimated cost,	\$58 00
8023.	2 dozen pick-axes and handles, 1 pair Chicago double-acting hinges	"	26 75
8024.	Rackarock and exploders.	"	40 00
8025.	Two tons forge coal.	"	10 00
8026.	54 white oak piles, per lineal foot.	"	24
Requisition No.	What For.		
456.	Stationery		
457.	1 desk and office chair.		

On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 18, 1890.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending January 11, 1890:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents	\$12,700 95
For penalties on water rents	118 95
For tapping Croton pipes	250 00
For sewer permits	587 12
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund	514 00
For redemption of obstructions seized	10 25
For vault permits	2,782 65
Total	\$16,963 92

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending January 11, 1890, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Jan. 6	2 P.M.	73.	29.80	{ Consolidated, Branch 2.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.77	5.00	120.0	22.78	22.78
" 7	4 P.M.	76.	30.01	"	"	.78	5.00	120.0	21.96	21.96
" 8	2.30 P.M.	78	29.55	"	"	.78	5.00	118.2	21.18	20.56
" 9	5 P.M.	76.	30.00	"	"	.77	5.00	120.0	20.74	20.74
" 10	2 P.M.	67.	29.93	"	"	.75	5.00	114.0	20.52	19.49
" 11	4.30 P.M.	70.	30.15	"	"	.76	5.00	114.0	21.18	20.12
									Average.	20.99
Jan. 6	2.30 P.M.	73.	29.80	{ Consolidated, Branch 1.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.84	5.00	124.2	21.42	22.17
" 7	3.30 P.M.	76.	30.01	"	"	.82	5.00	120.0	23.06	23.06
" 8	3 P.M.	78	29.55	"	"	.85	5.00	118.2	22.26	21.93
" 9	4.30 P.M.	76	30.00	"	"	.85	5.00	121.2	22.84	23.07
" 10	2.30 P.M.	67	29.93	"	"	.85	5.00	118.2	23.04	22.63
" 11	4 P.M.	70.	30.15	"	"	.86	5.00	120.0	23.46	23.46
									Average.	22.73
Jan. 6	10 A.M.	73.	29.94	{ Consolidated, Branch 4.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.69	5.00	116.4	25.80	25.03
" 7	9.30 A.M.	69.	30.09	"	"	.69	5.00	121.8	23.62	23.97
" 8	10 A.M.	70	29.88	"	"	.68	5.00	121.2	25.90	26.16
" 9	9.30 A.M.	69.	30.09	"	"	.69	5.00	120.0	25.52	25.52
" 10	9 A.M.	67.	29.90	"	"	.69	5.00	115.2	26.08	25.04
" 11	10.30 A.M.	63.	30.36	"	"	.69	5.00	125.4	23.22	24.25
									Average.	25.00
Jan. 6	9.30 A.M.	73	29.94	{ Consolidated, Branch 6.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.70	5.00	117.6	25.90	25.38
" 7	10 A.M.	69	30.09	"	"	.72	5.00	122.4	27.90	28.46
" 8	9.30 A.M.	70	29.88	"	"	.67	5.00	120.0	26.20	27.20
" 9	10 A.M.	69.	30.09	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	25.56	25.55
" 10	9.30 A.M.	67.	29.90	"	"	.70	5.00	118.8	25.44	25.19
" 11	10 A.M.	63	30.36	"	"	.70	5.00	125.4	25.50	26.65
									Average.	26.24
Jan. 6	3 P.M.	73.	29.80	{ Consolidated, Branch 3.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.87	5.00	122.4	28.14	28.70
" 7	3 P.M.	76.	30.01	"	"	.87	5.00	121.2	27.92	28.20
" 8	3.30 P.M.	78.	29.55	"	"	.87	5.00	126.0	26.02	27.32
" 9	4 P.M.	75.	30.00	"	"	.87	5.00	117.6	28.82	28.24
" 10	3 P.M.	67.	29.93	"	"	.88	5.00	120.0	27.86	27.86
" 11	3.30 P.M.	70.	30.15	"	"	.88	5.00	125.4	26.76	27.96
									Average.	27.04
Jan. 6	3.30 P.M.	73	29.80	N. Y. Mutual	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.93	5.00	120.0	30.84	30.84
" 7	2.30 P.M.	76.	30.01	"	"	.93	5.00	120.0	30.14	30.14
" 8	4 P.M.	78	29.55	"	"	.93	5.00	114.0	30.34	28.82
" 9	3.30 P.M.	76	30.00	"	"	.92	5.00	125.4	28.05	29.32
" 10	4 P.M.	67.	29.93	"	"	.94	5.00	120.0	28.60	23.60
" 11	3 P.M.	70.	30.15	"	"	.94	5.00	119.4	28.42	28.28
									Average.	29.33
Jan. 6	4 P.M.	73	29.80	Equitable	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.91	5.00	117.0	31.70	30.91
" 7	2 P.M.	76.	30.01	"	"	.92	5.00	115.2	33.12	31.80
" 8	4.30 P.M.	78.	29.55	"	"	.91	5.00	117.0	30.68	29.91
" 9	3 P.M.	76.	30.00	"	"	.93	5.00	120.0	30.88	30.88
" 10	5 P.M.	67.	29.93	"	"	.92	5.00	125.4	26.68	27.88
" 11	2.30 P.M.	70.	30.15	"	"	.91	5.00	114.6	30.82	29.43
									Average.	30.13

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

Public Lamps.

2 new lamps lighted.
83 old lamps relighted.
2 lamps discontinued.
10 lamp-posts removed.
173 lamp-posts reset.
5 lamp-posts straightened.
11 columns refitted.
36 columns relaid.

Permits Issued.

56 permits to tap Croton pipes.
34 permits to open streets.
21 permits to make sewer connections.
20 permits to repair sewer connections.
102 permits to place building material on streets.
22 permits—special.
6 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

163 obstructions removed from the various streets and avenues.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

73 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
2,710 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
50 lineal feet of sewer relieved.
10 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
4 lineal feet of curb reset.
2 manhole heads reset.
1 basin-head reset.
4 basins repaired.
1 manhole repaired.
1 new manhole head and cover put on.
3 new manhole covers put on.
2 new basin covers put on.
14 square yards of pavement relaid.
17 square feet of brickwork built.
17 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
212 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending January 11, 1890.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TRAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	30	90	4	6
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	..	..	..
Laying Croton Pipes.....	3	8	2	..
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	56	161	..	18
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	2	38	10	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	6	47	..	20
Repairs and Renewals of Pavement.....	47	61	1	14
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	14	15	11	..
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	4	25	8	..
Totals.....	168	445	35	58
Increase over previous week.....	..	2	9	10
Decrease from previous week.....	11	..	..	..

Assessment Lists Made.

DATE.	NATURE OF WORK.	LOCATION OF WORK.	AMOUNT.
1889.			
Jan. 3	Sewer.....	In South street, between Peck Slip and Fulton street.	\$13,083 32
" 4	Paving with asphalt pavement.....	One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Lenox to Mount Morris avenue.....	5,389 32
" 8	Flagging, etc.....	South side Seventy-seventh street, from First to Second avenue.....	488 67
" 8	Laying a crosswalk.....	Across Seventh avenue, at north and south sides One Hundred and Thirty-first street.....	412 92
" 8	Paving with asphalt pavement.....	Eighty-second street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.....	8,624 68
" 10	Paving with granite-block pavement.....	Ninetieth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive..	7,111 79
" 10	Paving with granite-block pavement.....	Ninety-eighth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue....	7,491 86

Appointments.

William J. Van Houtten, Measurer, at \$1,000 per annum.
Patrick Keane, Measurer, at \$1,000 per annum.
Frank F. Bergen, Engineer, at \$900 per annum.

Promotions.

Charles H. Upperman, Clerk, at \$1,000 per annum.
Thomas Sperling, Clerk, at \$1,000 per annum.

Resigned.

Richard Leybold, Clerk.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$63,428.31.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**Mayor's Office.**

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

City Library.

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

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

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

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

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

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

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

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LOUIS STECKLER, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**Central Office.**

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**Central Office.**

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturdays, 12 M.

Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.

Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
EDWIN A. POST, President; 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, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. 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. 33.
Equity Term, Room No. 30.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 37, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 22, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

NOTICE.

- Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
- Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
- Examinations will be held from time to time as the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.
- All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
- The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:
 - Schedule A shall include all deputies of officers and commissioners duly authorized to act for their principals, and all persons necessarily occupying a strictly confidential position.
 - Schedule B shall include clerks, copyists, recorders, bookkeepers and others rendering clerical services, except type-writers and stenographers.
 - Schedule C shall include Policemen, both in the Police Department and Department of Parks, and the uniformed force in the Fire Department, and Doormen in the Police Department.
 - Schedule D shall include all persons for whose duty special expert knowledge is required not included in Schedule E.
 - Schedule E shall include physicians, chemists, nurses, orderlies and attendants in the city hospitals and asylums, surgeons in the Police Department and the Department of Public Parks, and medical officers in the Fire Department.
 - Schedule F shall include stenographers, type-writers and all persons not included in the foregoing schedules, except laborers or day workmen.
 - Schedule G shall include all persons employed as laborers or day workmen.
- Positions falling within Schedules A and G are exempt from Civil Service examination.

G. K. ACKERMAN,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

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, 1891, until the first day of May, 1891.

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.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING AN earth and masonry dam for Reservoir "M," on the Titicaca river, near Purdy's Station, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, with gate-house and other appurtenances, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on February 5, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, January 27, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required in building the Boilers for the New Floating Engine for this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, February 12, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within ninety (90) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at thirty (30) dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, January 23, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:

- 500,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
- 100,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.
- 3,500 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.
- 1,500 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, February 5, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

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

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and bran.

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

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

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

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

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No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of one hundred and seventy-five (\$175) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

CORPORATION NOTICE

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

- List 3095, No. 1. Paving Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.
- List 3097, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to the Riverside Drive.
- List 3150, No. 3. Sewer in Ninety-fourth street, between First and Second avenues.
- List 3151, No. 4. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets.
- List 3152, No. 5. Sewer in Front street, between Fletcher street and Burling slip.
- List 3157, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurring southwest corner of Third avenue and Twenty-first street.
- List 3158, No. 7. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurring west side of Park avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, and on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue.
- List 3159, No. 8. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurring south side of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Madison to Park avenue.
- List 3165, No. 9. Paving Thirty-seventh street, from a point 100 feet east of First avenue to the bulkhead line of East river.
- List 3167, No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue, west.
- List 3166, No. 11. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurring, north side of Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.
- List 3172, No. 12. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurring west side of Park avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-fifth street.
- List 3188, No. 13. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurring east side of the Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
- List 3139, No. 14. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Ninety-fourth street, from First to Second avenue.
- List 3133, No. 15. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging First avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to the Harlem river.
- List 3153, No. 16. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, First and Second avenues.
- List 3154, No. 17. Laying a crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-third street, at its easterly intersection with Lenox avenue.
- List 3156, No. 18. Laying a crosswalk across Lenox avenue, at the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

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

- No. 1. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 2. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
- No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from First to Second avenue.
- No. 4. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-seventh to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.
- No. 5. Both sides of Front street, from Fletcher street to Burling slip.
- No. 6. Southwest corner of Third avenue and Twenty-first street.
- No. 7. West side of Park avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, and north side of Fifty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue.
- No. 8. South side of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Park to Madison avenue.
- No. 9. Both sides of Thirty-seventh street, commencing at a point about 100 feet easterly from First avenue, and extending easterly about 81 feet.
- No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue, west.
- No. 11. North side of Fifty-seventh street, extending easterly from the east side of Seventh avenue about 105 feet.
- No. 12. West side of Park avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-fifth street.
- No. 13. East side of the Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
- No. 14. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from First to Second avenue.
- No. 15. Both sides of First avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 16. Block bounded by Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, First and Second avenues.
- No. 17. To the extent of half the block from the easterly intersection of Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
- No. 18. To the extent of half the block from the southerly intersection of Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation, on the 26th day of February, 1890.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 25, 1890.

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

- List 3125, No. 1. Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Seventy-second street and West End avenue.
- List 3137, No. 2. Sewer in Sixty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
- List 3138, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
- List 3139, No. 4. Sewer in Ninth avenue, west side, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets.
- List 3140, No. 5. Sewer in "Twenty-eighth" street, between Riverside and West End avenues.
- List 3141, No. 6. Sewers in Eighty-fifth street, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.
- List 3142, No. 7. Sewer in Ninety-second street, between West End avenue and Boulevard.
- List 3143, No. 8. Alterations and improvements to sewer in Fifty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
- List 3144, No. 9. Sewer in One Hundred and Second street, between the Harlem river and First avenue.
- List 3145, No. 10. Sewer in One Hundred and Seventh street, between Manhattan and Eighth avenues.
- List 3146, No. 11. Extension of sewer in Grand street, between Goerck and Lewis streets.
- List 3147, No. 12. Sewer in Ninety-seventh street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.
- List 3148, No. 13. Sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.
- List 3149, No. 14. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Twenty-second street, between Ninth and Eleventh avenues.

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

- No. 1. South side of Seventy-second street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue.
- No. 2. Both sides of Sixty-third street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.
- No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.
- No. 4. West side of Ninth avenue, from Eighty-third to Eighty-fifth street; both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and south side of Eighty-fifth street, extending about 350 feet westerly from Ninth avenue.
- No. 5. Both sides of Seventy-eighth street, from Riverside to West End avenue.
- No. 6. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue.
- No. 7. Both sides of Ninety-second street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue.
- No. 8. Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, from Ninth to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Fifty-third to Fifty-fifth street; and west side of Ninth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street.
- No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from the Harlem river to First avenue.
- No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, from Manhattan to Eighth avenue, and east side of Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Sixth street to a point about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Seventh street.
- No. 11. North side of Grand street, from Goerck to Lewis street.
- No. 12. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue.
- No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road.
- No. 14. Both sides of Twenty-second street, from Eighth avenue to a point distant about 375 feet westerly, from Tenth avenue and west side of Tenth avenue, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation, on the 1st day of February, 1890.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.
10,200 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition
Thursday, February 6, 1890.

- 1,600 pounds Cheese.
- 100 barrels Crackers.
- 250 bushels Beans.
- 1,200 pounds Candles, 40-pound boxes, 16 ounces to the pound.
- 3,000 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include packing.
- 4,200 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
- 692 barrels good round White Potatoes, 172 pounds net per barrel.
- 50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
- 100 barrels prime Carrots, 150 pounds net per barrel.
- 100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.
- 1,600 heads prime good-sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels.
- 36 pieces prime quality city cured Bacon, about 6 pounds each.
- 50 prime quality city cured Smoked Hams, about 14 pounds each.
- 28 prime quality city cured Smoked Tongues, about 6 pounds each.
- 20 tubs prime quality kettle-rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.
- 300 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.
- 100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
- 500 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

HARDWARE, WOODENWARE, ETC.

- 100 Pick Handles.
- 5 kegs Horse Shoes, No. 5, F. & H.
- 6 dozen Garden Hoes.
- 3 dozen Curry Combs.
- 6 dozen Can Openers.
- 9 dozen Dirt Shovels.
- 3 dozen Coal Scoops.
- 2,000 Broom Handles, No. 1.
- 1 coil first quality Manila Bolt Rope, 6'.

LUMBER.

- 3,000 lineal feet first quality clear Maple, 3" x 2".
- 1,000 feet first quality clear Pine, 3/4" x 12", dressed both sides.
- 10 first quality clear White Wood Boards, 3/4" x 12".
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- 10 first quality clear White Wood Boards, 3/4" x 12".
- 18 first quality clear Spruce Plank, 1 1/4".
- 4 first quality clear Spruce Spars, 7" small end, 8" large end, 42' long.
- 6 first quality clear Spruce Spars, 4" small end, 5" large end, 22' long.
- 100 feet first quality clear White Oak 1 1/4".
- 300 feet first quality clear White Pine Ceiling Boards, 1 1/4", dressed, tongued and grooved, beaded both sides.
- 300 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 1/4", dressed.
- 300 feet first quality clear White Pine, 3/4", dressed both sides.
- 25 first quality clear White Pine Boards, 3/4" x 9 1/2", dressed, tongued and grooved.
- 25 feet first quality clear White Pine, 2" x 24" x 14", dressed.
- 25 pieces first quality clear White Pine, 2" x 22" x 14", dressed.
- 15 pieces first quality clear Georgia Yellow Pine, 4" x 4" x 14", dressed.
- 25 first quality Hemlock Joists, 3" x 4" x 13".
- 500 square feet first quality merchantable White Pine, 3/4" x 10' to 16', dressed.
- 500 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 1/4", dressed.

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, February 7, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, 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 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 provide such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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, 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, January 27, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,

CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,

EDWARD C. SHEEHY,

Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction

TO CONTRACTORS.

FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO WOODEN PAVILIONS A, B, C, D, AT THE N. Y. CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, N. Y.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock, Tuesday, February 4, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Wooden Pavilions, A, B, C, D, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, January 22, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,

EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,

Public Charities and Correction.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. Tuesday, February 4, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating a Pavilion on Hart's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, January 22, 1890.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 23, 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 Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—John O'Connell, aged 42 years; committed December 24, 1889. Had on when admitted blue overcoat, gray pants, black vest, cardigan jacket, red undershirt and drawers, felt hat.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Ann Scott (colored), aged 35 years; black hair and eyes. Transferred from Bellevue Hospital and had on Corporation clothing.

Catharine McLoughlin, aged 35 years; 5 feet 2 1/2 inches high; black hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted black hat, black saccie, skirt, petticoat, chemise.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Timothy Kelly, aged 68 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; gray hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted brown plaid coat, lavender pants, blue overalls, blue check shirt, gaiters.

Ann Fattou, aged 53 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; brown hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted broche shawl, blue and white calico skirt, calico waist, white muslin apron, canvas shoes, black straw bonnet.

Henry Caister, aged 60 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; black hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted black diagonal coat, black cloth jacket, check vest, brown striped pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

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, January 16, 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 Thirteenth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man, aged 37 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; light brown hair and moustache; brown eyes. Had on black overcoat, pepper and salt coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, blue and white striped undershirt, gray drawers, brown socks, blue check jumper, gaiters. Memorandum book, photographs and a card of August Busse, No. 1495 Fulton avenue, Brooklyn, found on his person.

Unknown man, from Pier 20, East river—Aged about 65 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair, moustache and beard. Had on black coat, vest and pants, white shirt, white cotton undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, white socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from Tenth Precinct Station-house—Aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair and moustache, mixed with gray; brown eyes. Had on black overcoat, black frock coat and vest, brown check pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Unknown man, from Twenty-first Precinct Station-house—Aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair; brown moustache, mixed with gray; brown eyes. Had on gray plaid coat, black cloth jacket, gray vest, brown jean pants, blue flannel shirt, white knit undershirt, gray and white cotton socks, gaiters, brown plush cap.

Unknown man from foot of Beach street, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; sandy hair and moustache; gray eyes. Had on gray jean jacket and pants, brown woolen undershirt, white woolen undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, brown woolen socks, laced shoes. Schooner and female tattooed on left forearm.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—William King, aged 32 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat, vest and pants, check jumper, colored shirt and drawers, black derby hat, shoes.

August Obriest, aged 44 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat, vest and pants, white shirt, black derby hat.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Rosanna Bohon, aged 60 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; gray hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted black merino skirt and waist; black diagonal saccie, black shawl, buttoned gaiters, black hood.

William Vance, aged 43 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black overcoat, brown and white striped coat, dark vest and pants, black derby hat, boots.

John Baird, aged 57 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black cloth jacket, black cardigan jacket, brown striped pants, gray tweed vest, striped tennis shirt, laced shoes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.
By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 25, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, February 12, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the contemplated revision of the street system in that part of the "Spuytens Duyn District" lying between the Spuyten Duyn Parkway, Riverdale avenue, street on northern line of W. C. Wetmore estate, Waldo street, and the southern line of J. R. Whiting estate, with the proposed grades of the several streets proposed to be revised within said bounds in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers Street,
January 23, 1890.

NOTICE.

HARLEM RIVER DRAW-BRIDGES.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC PARKS will, at their office, No. 49 and 51 Chambers street, on Friday, January 31, 1890, at eleven o'clock A. M., hear and consider all evidence and objections that may then and there be presented in relation to the adoption of rules and regulations for the operation of the draws of the bridges over the Harlem river, and providing for the closing thereof during certain designated hours of the day.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers Street,
New York, January 15, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, January 29, 1890:

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO COMPLETELY ERECT AND COMPLETELY FINISH, READY FOR OCCUPANCY, THE PROPOSED ENLARGEMENT OF THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY, IN THE MANHATTAN SQUARE, INCLUDING ALL THE NECESSARY ADDITIONAL BLASTING AND EXCAVATING, BLIND AND OTHER DRAINS, FOUNDATIONS, CONCRETING, BRICK WORK, RUBBLE STONE WORK, FILLING AND RAMMING OF TRENCHES, GRADING, SIDEWALKS, SODDING, DRIVES, MASON WORK, GRANITE AND OTHER STONE WORK, PLASTERING AND STUCCO WORK, FIRE-PROOFING, TILING, SLATE WORK, CAST-IRON, WROUGHT-IRON AND GALVANIZED-IRON AND WIRE WORK, COPPER AND OTHER METAL WORK, SKYLIGHTS, GLAZING, ROOFINGS, FLASHINGS, CRESTINGS, FINIALS, SNOW-GUARDS, GUTTERING AND CORNICING, LEADERS, SOIL, GAS, FIRE, VENTILATION, WATER AND OTHER PLUMBING PIPES, PLUMBING FIXTURES, TANKS AND ATTACHMENTS, HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS, PIPES, RADIATORS, STACKS, VALVES, BOILERS, ELECTRIC WIRES, DYNAMOS, ENGINES, PLUGS, CUT-OUTS AND SWITCHES, AND OTHER APPARATUS, CARPENTER WORK, HARDWARE, DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, DOORS, SASHES, SHADES, ELECTRO-PLATING, PAINTING, DECORATING AND POLISHING, STAIRS, STAIR PLATFORM AND BALUSTRADES, PATCHING, REPAIRING AND CLEANING, AND OTHER WORK, ALSO POINTING, REPAIRING, PATCHING, PAINTING, RETURNING, ALTERING, AND OTHER WORKS IN THE PRESENT BUILDING.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals ONE PRICE OR LUMP SUM for which they will execute the entire work, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation; all implements, tools, apparatus, utensils, machinery, power, scaffolding, moulds, models and appliances of every description necessary to complete, in every particular, the whole of the work as set forth in the plans and in the specifications, schedule and form of agreement, and including all foundations below the levels shown on plans necessary to carry same to solid rock.

The time allowed to complete all the work required on or in the present building will be NINETY DAYS. The time allowed to complete the whole work will be TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DAYS, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, will be fixed and liquidated at FIFTY DOLLARS per day.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the site of the proposed work, and its present condition and nature, by careful examination of the existing building, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the sufficiency of the Architect's schedule and plans, and shall not at any time after the submission of their bids, dispute or complain of such schedule and plans, or the specifications and directions explaining or interpreting them, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the location, extent, nature or amount of work to be done.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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.

N. B.—The price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute can be had at the office of the Secretary, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

WALDO HITCHINS,
M. C. D. BORDEN,
J. HAMPTON ROBB,
ALBERT GALLUP,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF THE NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 371, LAWS OF 1887.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Comptroller, Rooms Nos. 14 and 15, Finance Department, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until the 12th day of February, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by and in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or a majority of them, and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the Department of Public Works, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work shall be readvertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

N. B.—Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Bidders are required to state, in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the same purpose, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, or 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. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two or more 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, upon 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 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 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 the contract and stated in the proposals, 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 an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to the approval of the Comptroller after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

For the nature and extent of the work to be done bidders are referred to the specifications hereunto annexed, and the plans and drawings therein mentioned, which can be seen at the office of Thom, Wilson & Schaarschmidt, No. 1267 Broadway; said specifications, plans and drawings form part of these proposals.

The entire work is to be completed within 500 days after notice to commence work has been given by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at one hundred (\$100) dollars per day.

NOTE.—Bids will be received as follows:

1. Bids for the entire work as per combined specifications.

2. Bids for all works included in the specification of the Mason Work.

3. Bids for all works included in the specification of the Iron Work.

4. Bids for all works included in the specification of the Carpenter and Joiner Work.

5. Bids for all works included in the specification of the Plumbing, Drainage and Gas-fitting.

Bidders must state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the whole work on which they may bid, complete, which price is to cover the furnishing of all necessary materials and labor, and the performance of all the work set forth in the specification and form of agreement hereunto annexed, included within the portion for which the bid is made.

No estimate will be received or considered unless ac-

companied 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk 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 and give the proper security within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The amount of security required is twenty-five per cent. of the amount bid for the entire work or for any portion thereof, as hereinabove specified.

The right is reserved by the Commissioners to reject all bids if they shall deem it for the interests of the Corporation so to do.

Blank forms of estimates or proposals, and the form of agreement, including the specifications for the work, can be obtained on application at the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway.

NEW YORK, January 10, 1890.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor;
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder;
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller;
RICHARD CROKER, Chamberlain;
WALTON STORM, Chairman, Committee on Finance,
Board of Aldermen;

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before March 24, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before March 24, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 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:

Bowery, laying a crosswalk, from No. 192 to No. 199.

Fifty-seventh street flagging and reflagging, on the north side, east of Sixth avenue.

One Hundred and Ninth street paving, from First avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river, with trap-block pavement.

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

Edgecombe avenue regulating, grading, curbing and flagging from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, December 13, 1889, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 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 March 3, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF CROTON WATER STOCK, PAYABLE ON OR AFTER FEBRUARY 1, 1890.

THE HOLDERS OF CROTON WATER STOCK of the City of New York, payable on and after February 1, 1890, are hereby notified that said stock will be paid on presentation at the office of the Comptroller on that day, and that interest thereon will cease thereafter.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
Dated January 14, 1890.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before February 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

Sewer in West street, between Rector and Carlisle streets.

Laying a crosswalk across the Boulevard, at the northerly side of Eighty-fourth street.

Laying a crosswalk across Avenue A, at the southerly side of Eighty-fifth street.

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the northerly side of Eighty-second street.

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

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

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the southerly side of Seventy-fifth street.

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the southerly side of Seventy-ninth street.

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the northerly side of Eighty-third street.

Laying crosswalks across the Western Boulevard, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Sewer in Eldridge street, between Grand and Broome streets.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller.

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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 SIXTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Railroad avenue, East, to Washington avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

Dated NEW YORK, January 21, 1890.

EDWARD L. PARRIS, BERNARD REILLY, JR., ANDREW BLESSING, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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E. B. HART, EDWARD L. PARRIS, ADOLPH L. SANGER, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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Dated NEW YORK, January 21, 1890.

E. B. HART, EDWARD L. PARRIS, ADOLPH L. SANGER, 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 WENDOVER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Webster to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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Dated NEW YORK, January 21, 1890.

LEONARD J. LANGBEIN, Chairman, WILLIAM J. LACEY, HIRAM D. INGERSOLL, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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Dated NEW YORK, January 21, 1890.

LEONARD J. LANGBEIN, Chairman, WILLIAM J. LACEY, HIRAM D. INGERSOLL, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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Dated NEW YORK, January 21, 1890.

LEONARD J. LANGBEIN, Chairman, WILLIAM J. LACEY, HIRAM D. INGERSOLL, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Railroad avenue

of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, December 27, 1889.
JNO. P. REED, Chairman,
CHARLES H. LOVETT,
C. C. CLARKE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, December 16, 1889.
ROBT. E. DEYO, Chairman,
MOSES HERRMAN,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Highbridge road; easterly by the westerly line of Vanderbilt avenue, West; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Burnside avenue, and westerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue, excepting from the said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 14, 1889.
DENIS A. SPELLISSY, Chairman,
FRANCIS RIEDEL,
JOHN J. BRADY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 23d day of January, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 23d day of January, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and 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 24th day of January, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue; easterly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Third avenue, and extending from Brook avenue to the southerly boundary line as hereinafter described; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, and the prolongation of said line easterly to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Third avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Railroad avenue, East; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 12, 1889.
E. B. HART, Chairman,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
ADOLPH L. SANGER,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, December 13, 1889.
EDWARD L. PARRIS, Chairman,
BERNARD REILLY, Jr.,
ANDREW BLESSING,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of existing laws providing therefor, deem it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by closing and discontinuing so much of a certain park, square or public place known as High Bridge Park, in the Twelfth Ward of the said City of New York, whereof a map was filed on or about the 25th day of December, 1888, so that the same shall remain and be of the contents, dimensions and boundaries laid out by the "Commissioners of Central Park, under and pursuant to chapter 565 of the Laws of 1865, upon a map filed by the said Commissioners of Central Park, on August 6, 1868"; such proposed alterations consisting in the expunging, exclusion and discontinuing from the area of said public park, square or place, as laid out on said map or plan, all those pieces or parcels of land which are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distant 560 feet westerly of the western line of Eighth avenue; thence westerly along the northern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street for 29,109.130 feet to Edgemoor road; thence northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 100 feet, through the western extremity of the preceding course, forms an angle of 27° 00' 54" southerly with the prolongation of the preceding course, and is 550 feet, for 30 22-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 154 95-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 148 70-100 feet, for 125 12-100 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence northerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 100 feet, for 300 65-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 114 91-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 255 feet, for 214 98-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 500 06-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet, for 108 69-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 1,217 76-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 800 feet, for 425 68-100 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence northerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 500 feet, for 617 56-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 445 66-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 100 feet, for 87 46-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 108 08-100 feet; thence easterly and at right angle to the last-mentioned course, for 60 03-100 feet, to the curve in the easterly line of the road or public drive as laid out upon the map of the Commissioners of Central Park, under authority of chapter 561, Laws 1865, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and now closed and discontinued; thence southerly and in a curved line, radius 160 feet, distance 51 63-100 feet; thence southeasterly and tangent to the preceding course, distance 387 42-100 feet; thence in a curved line deflecting to the right, radius 510 feet, distance 192 80-100 feet, to a line parallel to and distant 4,000 50-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly and along said line for a distance of 531 47-100 feet more or less, to the westerly line of the exterior street or wharf, as laid out and established by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 31st day of August, 1837; thence southerly along said line 1,666 85-100 feet; thence southerly, to a point distant 350 feet westerly of the United States channel line, 400 feet; thence southeasterly, on a line parallel to the United States channel line, and distant 350 feet therefrom, for 839 28-100 feet; thence westerly, on a line parallel to West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, for 352 84-100 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 59° 57' 56" to the left, for 379 95-100 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 41° 16' 24" to the left, for 577 12-100 feet; thence southeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 300 feet, for 281 56-100 feet to the point of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Edgemoor road, said point being 300 80-100 feet southerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street produced easterly until it would meet the easterly line of Edgemoor road; thence northerly, along the easterly line of the Edgemoor road, distance 300 80-100 feet; thence westerly, at right angle, distance 10 feet, to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly, along the eastern line of Tenth avenue, for 1,518 08-100 feet, to the southerly line of the lands taken for the bridge across the Harlem river, at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly, along the southerly line of the lands taken for the bridge across the Harlem river, at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, for 632 88-100 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 85° 28' 33" to the right, for 833 91-100 feet; thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 2,700 feet, for 501 18-100 feet; thence southerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 21 87-100 feet; thence westerly and parallel with and distant 5,266 67-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, for a distance of 533 66-100 feet, more or less, to the easterly line of the road or public drive, as laid out upon the map of the Commissioners of the Central Park, under authority of chapter 565, Laws 1865, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, now closed and discontinued; thence deflecting 85° 50' to the left, for 25 50-100 feet; thence curving to the right, radius 350 feet, for 205 76-100 feet, to a point of reverse curve; thence southerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 269 28-100 feet, for 150 52-100 feet; thence southerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 104 91-100 feet; thence westerly for 64 75-100 feet to the point of place of beginning.

Also, beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Tenth avenue, with the northern line of the lands taken for the bridge across the Harlem river at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Tenth avenue, for 3,478 81-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 463 40-100 feet, for 417 31-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 162 7-100 feet; thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 300 feet, for 688 99-100 feet; thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 21 20-100 feet; thence southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet, for 361 57-100 feet, to a point of reverse curve; thence southerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 450 67-100 feet, for 77 92-100 feet; thence northerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius, drawn through the southern extremity of the preceding course, forms an angle of 30° 31' 38" northerly with the radius of the preceding course, drawn through the same point, and is 240 feet, for 119 75-100 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence northerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 573 76-100 feet, for 413 88-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 149 31-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 270 feet, for 180 98-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 149 98-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 760 feet, for 323 32-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 24 54-100 feet; thence northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 342 05-100 feet, for 235 21-100 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence northerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 235 79-100 feet for 157 08-100 feet; thence northerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 99 52-100 feet, to the

southerly line of Dyckman street; thence southeasterly, deflecting 125° 00' 46" to the right, for 1,037 74-100 feet; thence southeasterly, deflecting 21° 30' 03" to the right, for 1,221 58-100 feet; thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius, drawn through the southern extremity of the preceding course, forms an angle of 123° 55' 47" northerly with said course, and is 20,100 feet for 1,659 73-100 feet; thence southerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course for 221 45-100 feet; thence southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course and whose radius is 16,041 31-100 feet for 643 01-100 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence southerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 17,788 26-100 feet for 83 32-100 feet to the northern line of the lands taken for the bridge over the Harlem river at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly, along the northern line of said lands for 627 90-100 feet to the point of beginning.

And that said proposed action of the said Board has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of said city.

Dated, New York, January 22, 1890.
V. E. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

JURORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, January 14, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a Horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction on Tuesday, January 28, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth street.

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

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, January 23, 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, February 6, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN TWELFTH AVENUE, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, with alteration and improvement to sewer in Thirty-ninth street.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Edgemoor avenue, 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 his sureties for its faithful performance and

that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 8 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, January 23, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ICE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES IN CARE OF SAID DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1890.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH 3,470 GROSS TONS, 2,240 pounds to a ton, OF BEST WHITE ASH LEHIGH AND WILKES BARRE COAL, as per specification, and 30 TONS OF INCE HALL CANAL COAL.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MANHOLE HEADS AND COVERS, EXTRA MANHOLE COVERS AND BASIN COVERS.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BRICKS, CEMENT, SAND, TIMBER, SEWER-PIPE AND SPURS.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING JANITORS' SUPPLIES FOR USE IN THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS, COURTS AND OFFICES IN CARE OF THE BUREAU OF REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 6. FOR IMPROVEMENT OF THE OLD RESERVOIR IN CENTRAL PARK (excavating rock, etc.).

No. 7. FOR IMPROVEMENT OF THE OLD RESERVOIR IN CENTRAL PARK (excavating rock, etc.).

No. 8. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN NINTH, MORNINGSIDE, BAINBRIDGE, PELHAM AND RAILROAD AVENUES, IN NINETY-FIRST, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHTH, SHERWOOD, NEW AND TALMADGE STREETS.

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 Rooms 10, 15 and 8, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

UNDER CHAPTER 470, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 AND 353, and as amended by chapter 559, Laws 1887, as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet....	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet....	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet....	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet....	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet....	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet....	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 feet....	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwelling-houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family, one dollar per year shall be charged.

METERS will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows, to wit:

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

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

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

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

COWS.—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum.

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

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

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

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

HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART.—For each horse, one dollar per annum.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

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

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

It is provided by section 352, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law." * *

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter.

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet.

Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
60	05	7 50
70	05	9 00
80	05	10 50
90	05	12 00
100	05	13 50
150	05	20 25
200	05	27 00
250	04½	33 75
300	04	40 50
350	03½	47 25
400	03½	54 00
500	03½	67 50
600	03½	81 00
700	03½	94 50
800	03½	108 00
900	03½	121 50
1,000	03½	135 00
1,500	03	180 00
2,000	02½	225 00
2,500	02½	270 00
3,000	02½	315 00
4,000	02½	420 00
5,000	02½	525 00
6,000	02½	630 00
7,000	02	735 00
8,000	02	840 00
9,000	02	945 00
10,000	02	1,050 00

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

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

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted. Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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