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## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, December 24, 1889, {  
1 o'clock P. M. }

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

PRESENT :

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President ;

ALDERMEN

James M. Fitzsimons,  
Vice-President,  
David Barry,  
Redmond J. Barry,  
James F. Butler,  
John Carlin,  
William Clancy,  
James A. Cowie,  
Patrick Divver,

Alexander J. Dowd,  
Cornelius Flynn,  
James Gilligan,  
Christian Goetz,  
George Gregory,  
Charles M. Hammond,  
Thomas M. Lynch,  
George B. Morris,

Andrew A. Noonan,  
Patrick N. Oakley,  
Edward J. Rapp,  
William P. Rinckhoff,  
Walton Storm,  
Richard J. Sullivan,  
William Tait,  
William H. Walker.

The minutes of the meetings of December 17 and 19, 1889, were read and approved.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance to regulate the sale of vegetables and fruits within the corporate limits of the City of New York, respectfully

REPORT :

That your Committee, impressed with the importance of the provisions of the ordinance, which contemplate an entire and radical change in the method of conducting one of the greatest branches of industry in this city, and one that affects the interest of the humble classes—the mechanic and laborer—more directly and to a greater extent than any other, determined to hold a public meeting at which the advocates and opponents of the measure would have an opportunity to give their views. Accordingly, after all the publicity possible had been given of the time, place and purposes of the meeting, your Committee met in the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, on Thursday, the 19th instant, at 2 P. M., and a large number of interested persons were present. In fact, the attendance was greater and more interest was manifested in the proceedings than at any meeting of any Committee of your Honorable Body held during the present year.

To the surprise of your Committee, the only advocates of the measure were representatives of the Retail Grocers' Union, while delegates representing the Long Island farmers, the Foreign Fruit Exchange, the Italian Chamber of Commerce, the importers of foreign fruits, the retail or private markets, the wholesale or public markets, the receivers of domestic vegetables and fruits, the Pennsylvania and other railroads, the Ocean Steamship Company, the Old Dominion Steamship Company, and other companies engaged in the transportation of fruits and vegetables, appeared and in the most earnest manner protested against the passage of the ordinance.

The memorials addressed to your Committee, by the "Receivers and dealers in green fruit and vegetables," in this city, and the "Produce commission men," contain facts and statistics that will, in the opinion of your Committee, convince the most skeptical, that the ordinance, if adopted, would be productive of incalculable evil to the great majority of our citizens, without the slightest benefit to any, not even to the members of the Retail Grocers' Union. The memorials accompany this report, and your Committee recommend that they be printed in the CITY RECORD in connection therewith, together with the personal letter addressed to the Committee by Hon. Robert B. Nooney, Ex-President of the Board of Aldermen, one of the best known and extensive retail dealers in fruits and vegetables in the city. These documents, supported by the oral statements of the opponents of the ordinance, clearly convinced your Committee, as they think they will your Honorable Body, that it would be not only injudicious and unwise, but absolutely injurious to the true interests of our city, to pass the ordinance, or attempt to enforce its provisions. It would unquestionably result in loss and damage to both producer and dealer, would be of no practical advantage to the consumer, and would so discriminate against the business of dealing in fruits and vegetables, as to drive it away from New York, to our rivals in neighboring cities. In fact, until the purchase and sale of fruit, both domestic and imported, is regulated by weight instead of measure, throughout the length and breadth of this country, it would be folly on the part of the City of New York to inaugurate a system of such questionable advisability, whose results would be so far reaching, and, outside the corporate limits of this city, beyond the control of the city authorities. Beyond question, it would be greatly to our detriment, and a proportionate advantage to our business rivals.

It is stated as the sole, or principal, reason for the proposed change, that the retail grocers are defrauded by a class of speculators in country produce at Gansevoort market. If this is the fact, a remedy can easily be applied, either by ordinance of the Common Council, or a proper regulation and control of the dishonest speculators, by the market authorities; and no doubt a representation of the grievance, to either authority, by the Grocers' Union, would at once lead to a corrective; but your Committee submit that it would be both unwise and unjust on the part of your Honorable Body to apply such a corrective in this particular case as would protect a single interest, at the expense of many others, and inflict great if not irreparable loss upon the people and business of this city. This the passage of the ordinance under consideration would be certain to do.

Your Committee therefore respectfully offer for your adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Committee on Law Department be and is hereby discharged from the further consideration of "An ordinance to regulate the sale of vegetables and fruits within the corporate limits of the City of New York," and that this report and accompanying papers, including the said ordinance, be placed on file.

WALTON STORM,  
GEORGE B. MORRIS,  
WILLIAM H. WALKER,  
ANDREW A. NOONAN,  
JAMES M. FITZSIMOMS, } Committee  
on  
Law Department.

Hon. Messrs. STORM, FITZSIMONS, WALKER, NOONAN, MORRIS, Law Committee of Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—We the undersigned, receivers and dealers in green fruit and vegetables in this city, respectfully call your attention to a bill now before you, entitled An ordinance to regulate the sale of fruit and vegetables by weight.

Knowing well that most disastrous results would follow should this act become a law has induced us to address you this memorial.

This bill originated with the Retail Grocers' Union of this city, but we believe does not express the wishes of even a majority of its members, and we are sure does not in any manner reflect public sentiment. A very large number of the leading retail grocers of this city do not belong to the Union and have no sympathy with the movement.

The chief grievance of the grocers appears to be, that they claim to have been defrauded by a

class of speculators about Gansevoort Market. The particular complaint is that they buy sprouts and spinach of these speculators who defraud them in measure. To put an end to this practice we believe to be the chief reason for asking for the passage of this measure.

We have no apology to make for any man in our line of trade who practices deception. We admit there may be room for reform in the business, as is the case with most lines of trade, but we protest against a measure which might possibly to some extent protect one class of merchants, but would bring tenfold greater losses upon very many other people.

Such would certainly be the effect of this bill.

The green fruit and vegetable business of this city is a peculiar business of itself. The exceedingly perishable nature of the property has made it imperative that it be moved with the utmost dispatch. To this end it has from time immemorial been the custom to sell the goods by the package, for by this method large quantities can be moved quickly.

As many as three hundred carloads of peaches have arrived in one night, and seventy-five to one hundred carloads of berries have arrived within a few hours after midnight. Twenty-five thousand barrels of potatoes sometimes arrive here in a single day, and twenty-five thousand boxes of vegetables sometimes arrive on a single steamer.

This is an immense volume of extremely perishable property to arrive in one day, and as the arrivals are daily the most expeditious methods of handling only will meet the emergency.

Even now, with all the facilities for moving a cargo of ten thousand barrels of potatoes, or twenty thousand boxes of vegetables, it requires from ten to fourteen hours to clear the dock. If this property must be weighed, it would require three or four times as long to move it.

Not only that, but the merchant would be compelled to employ so many men that the expense would ruin his business.

The advocates of the bill claim that the goods can be weighed at the point of shipment, but this is false, because all the early vegetables from the South have been from two to six days en route when landed here, and would lose greatly from evaporation.

The necessary delay under the weighing system would be ruinous to the property, and would therefore cause enormous losses to the shippers and owners.

In order that the grocer may get his supplies fresh every morning, custom long since fixed the midnight hour or soon after as the best time at which trains and boats should reach here with their cargoes of green fruit and vegetables.

If we were compelled to weigh the goods the delivery would be so delayed that the property would be stale when it reached the consumer. This would certainly imperil public health.

Such a condition of things would divert the business to other markets where no such embargo upon the property existed.

The commercial interests of this city would suffer enormously as a natural consequence. Lighter receipts would cause higher prices, and the poor, being the largest consumers of vegetables, would be the chief sufferers.

A change to the weight system as contemplated by this measure would open the door for an endless amount of fraud, compared with which the grocers' grievance is a mere bagatelle.

This would necessarily be true on account of the ever changing weight of the property, caused from evaporation.

Merchants would be continually harassed with litigation caused by discrepancy in weights. Unscrupulous persons would improve the opportunity to continually make discounts for short weight where none existed. Goods shipped out of town at night would show a shrinkage when received by the buyer next day.

Being compelled to handle the property at night-time mistakes in weighing would be continuous. Even if it were not at all times necessary to weigh the property the market weights would not be discernible in the night.

It is the custom of the trade to render account sales of the property within twenty-four hours after their receipt, or report their sale. This would place the merchant, under the weighing system, without any means of protecting himself, and as a matter of fact he would not know for how much his goods were sold until he had actually made his collection.

The promoters of this scheme seek to convey the impression that they are confused by the irregularity of vegetable packages. As a matter of fact all the vegetables from Florida, with the exception of cabbage, are shipped in a standard package.

The same is true of those shipped from Georgia.

In the State of Virginia there are two sizes used.

Ninety-five per cent. of the early potatoes from the entire South are shipped in a standard round-hoop flour barrel, the size of which every grocer well knows. In order to simplify matters still more, our trade offered to use its best endeavors to get a standard vegetable-box established for the entire country from New York to Florida.

This offer was declined by the Union.

It is estimated that the retail grocers of this city are interested in but one-eighth of the fruit and vegetables which reach this port. The buyers of seven-eighths of this property do not desire any change of system. Certainly their interests, the interest of the owners of the property, and the interests of the merchants who handle it are paramount to those of the one-eighth.

Finally the carriers' upon whose docks we are compelled to receive the property and handle it will absolutely refuse to allow us to use their docks for the purpose of weighing the property because it would make them largely useless for any other business.

We respectfully request that you withhold your approval of the measure for the reasons we have stated.

(Signed by 129 firms and individuals.)

Mr. Townsend, of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, said :

I am here by request of the Produce Commission men to illustrate to you gentlemen the procedure in transportation of "market stuff" from the growing centres of the South, to and including its delivery at New York.

When the market season begins in the sections of the country our line and its connections cover, temporary stations are opened at various places as it may convenience the grower. (Many of these platforms or stations are less than a mile apart). Sometimes a side track of considerable length is laid to enable the trucks to back up and load direct into cars. These platforms and sidings from which we may receive freight, I estimate, would number over one thousand. Their locations are, mainly, in the centre of a growing or garden truck section. In some parts of Eastern Virginia I have seen three railway stagings on one farm, the aim of the transportation interests, in locating the stoppages for freight trains, being to combine as slight handling, and as quick a movement, as consistent with the nature of the vegetable or fruit.

These platforms offer no convenience for weighing, as no railroad official is in charge, nor could they give the opportunity for weighing, as the time so consumed would naturally be to the detriment of the fruit; as it would necessarily have to be picked in advance of its present gathering to allow time enough to weigh it. Aside from this the station's surface is not large enough. When the season of gathering passes the platform is abandoned as stopping place.

The rate of freight on general merchandise from stations where weight under all conditions can be ascertained is per 100 lbs. In the matter of garden truck north-bound the railroad is aware of the impossibility of obtaining weight, and so constructs her tariff on a package rate basis.

Potatoes, cabbage, kale, spinach, etc., when packed in barrels, so much per barrel.

Cucumbers, beets, tomatoes, etc., when in boxes, so much per box.

Strawberries, peaches, etc., so much per crate.

The freight being perishable, the railroad insists on prepayment, which in New York is avoided by a previous arrangement between the railroad and the commission houses, they guaranteeing to pay to the railroad all freight moneys as billed against the consignments, and assuming all risks as to condition of freight upon delivery, being enabled to do this by reason of their ability to determine the freight cost in making their sales, the rate being a simple calculation of so much per package.

If the inquiry arises as to what the prospects are for weighing packages at a regularly equipped station, I should probably cite Norfolk, Virginia, as an example where we have a station platform probably one thousand feet long, that in the height of the market season, can just about handle the traffic that is delivered to it by steamboats and sailing vessels, so that the out-lying country farmers who deliver their "truck" by wagons are accommodated by loading direct into the car, as illustrated by the photograph (not taken for this occasion, but one I have had hanging in my office for some time).

Much of this garden truck is destined to other cities than New York—direct cars being run on special regular schedule trains to Baltimore, Philadelphia, Trenton, Newark, Boston and other Eastern cities whose merchants do not ask that weighing be done. Were New York to insist upon it there would be but one alternative on the part of the railroad. We could receive no freight for quick movement that would be destined to New York.

When goods are received at our Pier 27, North river (where in certain seasons we handle, of general truck, three hundred thousand packages per month, which confined to the working days, means an average of thirteen thousand packages per day, often reaching twenty thousand packages in a single day) with a dock capacity (on Pier 27) and facilities for handling this class of truck, we think not excelled, we are obliged, through the demand of the trade, to distribute these twenty

thousand packages among one hundred and fifty receivers (one hundred and fifty different stations on the dock), and when it is considered that there are, at times, in a single car, twenty or more consignee's freight, made up of barrels, boxes and crates of all conceivable shapes and sizes, to assort, and all these cars, which commence arriving about midnight, must have their contents assorted and in position to be ridden from the pier for early morning delivery; the question of weighing is an admitted impossibility. Weighing on our pier we positively state cannot be permitted.

At a recent meeting of the Trades it was my pleasure to favor with figures as to the time, cost and possibility of weighing on the dock, which were subsequently admitted by Mr. Callahan as argument positive that the weighing could not be done on delivery.

The weighing at point of shipment, of this immense traffic, is an equal impossibility. The railroad cannot and will not do it. Her experience has shown its impracticability.

MADISON MARKET,  
No. 361 FOURTH AVENUE, CORNER OF TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 18, 1889.

Alderman STORM, Chairman Committee on Law:

DEAR SIR—Fearing that I may be prevented from appearing before your Committee to-morrow, I wish to add my protest against the passage of any ordinance, the effect of which would be to compel all dealers in fruits and vegetables to sell by weight, instead of as at present by measure and package.

It is adding a burden to the trade that is unnecessary and expensive, the result of which also would be very detrimental to the trade in causing a great delay in the prosecution of the business as at present conducted.

Do you think it fair to add any burden to the wholesale and retail trade of our city that no other city insists upon, without any corresponding benefits?

It is putting in practice a theory that its advocates think would aid the honest dealer. But I am satisfied the experience of all dealers would demonstrate soon, that the evil they seek to cure by this change, would soon result in about the same condition as at present—by those who are tricky and of whom the honest dealer complains now.

Hoping that I may be able to be present to-morrow, I remain

Very truly,  
ROBERT B. NOONEY.

Alderman Rinckhoff moved that the report be laid over.

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

Which was decided in the negative on a division called by Alderman Storm, as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Goetz, Gregory, Hammond, Rinckhoff, and Taft—8.

Negative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Diver, Dowd, Flynn, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Storm, Sullivan, and Walker—15.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Committee on Ferries and Franchises, to whom was recommitted a second time the report of that Committee in favor of establishing the right to operate a ferry from foot of Thirteenth street, North river, New York, to Jersey City, New Jersey, respectfully

REPORT:

That it appears there exist important interests that oppose the establishment of the ferry from the foot of Thirteenth street, for the reason that it would be detrimental, if not destructive of them, and as the ferry will be as much an accommodation to the marketmen and others, if located immediately south of that street, your Committee have agreed to amend the resolution heretofore reported to your Honorable Body so that the terminus of the ferry will be at a point south of and at or near the foot of Thirteenth street, North river, instead of at a point at or near the foot of West Thirteenth street, North river.

The resolution as thus amended is herewith respectfully offered for your adoption.

Whereas, The public interests will be promoted by the establishment of a ferry between a point at or near the foot of West Thirteenth street, North river, and Jersey City, having a connection also with the City of Brooklyn, whereby the transportation of market supplies to West Washington Market will be greatly facilitated;

Resolved, That a ferry be and is hereby established to run between a point south of, and at or near the foot of West Thirteenth street, North river, and Jersey City, in the State of New Jersey, and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund are hereby authorized and empowered to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the franchise or right to run and operate such ferry, upon such terms and conditions, and such regulations as are required by law and the ordinances of the Common Council, and as may be prescribed by said Commissioners, for promoting the public interests.

REDMOND J. BARRY, } Committee  
THOMAS M. LYNCH, } on  
GEORGE GREGORY, } Ferries and Franchises.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 823.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed communication from Board of Health in favor of fencing vacant lot No. 1078 Madison avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, in the interest of the health of the neighborhood. They therefore recommend that the accompanying resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the vacant lot No. 1078 Madison avenue be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

CORNELIUS FLYNN, } Committee  
GEORGE B. MORRIS, } on  
WILLIAM P. RINCKHOFF, } Streets.  
RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, }

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was recommitted a former report in favor of granting the application of the Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company for permission to construct, maintain and operate a railway on the surface of the streets named in said petition, respectfully

REPORT:

That the report so recommitted was presented to your Honorable Body on the 5th instant, and was adopted, and was duly transmitted on the 6th instant to his Honor the Mayor for approval. At a meeting of your Honorable Body held on the 17th instant, a resolution was adopted requesting the Mayor to return the paper for further consideration or amendment. The request was granted, and the report was returned to the Board, who reconsidered its vote taken on the adoption of the report of the Committee on the 5th instant, and the paper was "laid over." At a meeting of your Honorable Body held on the 19th instant the report was recommitted to your Committee.

The return of the papers from the Mayor, and all the subsequent proceedings, were rendered necessary in order to remedy or remove an objection made by his Honor the Mayor, who insists, and with great force maintains, that a double track is not permissible in Waverley place, from Christopher to Bank street, as the carriageway is but twenty-two feet wide, and that two cars passing each other would effectually debar the public from the free use of the street for the time being.

Your Committee fully agree with the reasons assigned by the Mayor, and believe that a proper regard for the rights of the public to the uses of the street, equally, at least with the railroad company, will render necessary an alteration in that portion of the resolution reported by the Committee, which provides for double tracks in Waverley place.

With a view, therefore, of meeting the objections of the Mayor, which are both reasonable and just, your Committee recommend that the first resolution in the series of resolutions granting permission to the Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate a railway on the surface of the streets named in its petition, be amended, by striking out the words "to Bank street," after the words "Waverley place," where they occur, the second time, and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "to Christopher street, with a double track; thence through and along Waverley place, from Christopher to Bank street, with a single track," so that the resolution, as amended, will provide for a single track only in Waverley place, from Christopher street to Bank street.

With the amendment above named, your Committee respectfully recommend the adoption of the resolutions reported by them and adopted by your Honorable Body December 5, 1889.

WILLIAM P. RINCKHOFF, } Committee  
GEORGE B. MORRIS, } on  
DAVID BARRY, } Railroads.  
GEORGE GREGORY, }

Resolved, That the consent of the Common Council of the City of New York be and is hereby given to the Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company to the construction, maintenance, use and

operation, upon the conditions hereinafter named, and not otherwise, of a street railroad upon and through the streets and avenues in said city, mentioned and described in the petition of said company, as follows, to wit: Commencing upon East street, at or near the Grand Street Ferry, and running thence through, upon and along East street, with a double track, to Delancey slip or street; thence through, upon and along Delancey street, with a double track, to the Bowery; thence through, upon and across the Bowery to Spring street; thence through, upon and along Spring street, with a double track, to South Fifth avenue; thence through, upon and along South Fifth avenue, with a double track, to Fourth street; thence through, upon and along Fourth street, with a double track, to Macdougall street; thence through, upon and along Macdougall street, with a double track, to Waverley place; thence through, upon and along Waverley place to Christopher street, with a double track; thence through and along Waverley place, from Christopher to Bank street, with a single track; thence through, upon and along Bank street, with a double track, to Greenwich avenue; thence through, upon and along Greenwich avenue, with a double track, to Thirteenth and Horatio streets; thence through, upon and along Thirteenth street and Horatio street, with a single track to Eighth avenue; thence through, upon and across Eighth avenue to Thirteenth street; thence through, upon and along Thirteenth street, with a double track, to Thirteenth avenue; thence through, upon and along Thirteenth avenue, with a double track, to Fourteenth street, together with the necessary connections, turnouts, sidings, switches, turn-tables, and convenient stands for the working and accommodation of said railroad.

And be it further

Resolved, That the conditions upon which, and not otherwise, the said consent is hereby given, are as follows, to wit:

First—That the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, pertinent thereto, shall be complied with.

Second—That the right, franchise and privilege of using the said streets and avenues to construct, maintain, use and operate a street surface railroad upon the said streets and avenues, subject to all the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, and of chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886, shall be sold at public auction to the bidder, which shall be an incorporated railroad or railway company organized to construct, maintain and operate a street railroad in the City of New York, for which such consent is given, and which will agree to give the largest percentage per annum of its gross receipts, with adequate security, by a bond or undertaking in writing, and under seal, in such form, condition, amount and sureties as shall be required and approved by the Comptroller of the said city, for the fulfillment of the said agreement, and for the commencement and completion of such road according to the plan or plans, and on the route or routes fixed for its construction, within the time or times designated and prescribed therefor by the provisions of chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886.

Third—That in the construction of the said railroad and its equipment, the materials and work employed shall be of the best quality and character, and the said railroad shall be constructed with side-bearing rail, having the outer edge of bearing flush with pavement, with inside drop not exceeding one inch in depth; and that the cars thereon shall be run as frequently as the convenience of the public may require.

Fourth—That the bidder to which the aforesaid sale shall be made, and any person or corporation using the tracks or any part of the tracks, constructed or laid under or in pursuance of this consent, shall comply with all reasonable ordinances or regulations which the local authorities having charge of the aforesaid streets and avenues, or any of them, shall make as to the rate of speed, mode of use of tracks, and removal of ice and snow, and with any and all provisions of law applicable to any street surface railroad company organized under chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, and shall not charge any passenger more than five cents from or to any point on the route hereinabove described, nor from any point on said route or any route connecting with the route hereinabove described, to any point on said route or any route connecting with the route hereinabove described, but shall give transfer tickets to a passenger when necessary to secure, and which shall secure to him one continuous ride between such points for the single fare of five cents.

And the said bidder, as to the whole route hereinabove described, shall be absolutely and unqualifiedly bound, and any person or company using or operating a railroad upon the tracks, or any part of the tracks, constructed upon the said route under or by virtue of the consent hereby given or the sale had in pursuance thereof, as to the tracks so used by it or him, shall be jointly and severally bound with the said bidder absolutely and unqualifiedly to repair and keep in permanent repair the portion of said streets and avenues upon which the tracks shall be so constructed, between the tracks, the rails of the tracks and a space two feet in width outside of and adjoining the outside rails of the track or tracks, so long as such tracks so constructed shall continue to be used, and this obligation in respect to the repairing of the streets shall not be dependent upon the requirements of the local authorities, but is hereby made an absolute and unqualified obligation; and they shall in like manner and to a like extent be bound to and shall remove the snow from the same parts of the streets or avenue immediately after it shall have fallen, or as soon as possible thereafter, and not merely to clear the tracks and the space between them by removing the snow to the space intervening between the tracks and the curb-stones, but to remove the snow entirely from that portion of the streets or avenues made use of for the construction and operation of the railroad, so far as such snow may have fallen or ice may have been formed upon the said tracks, or upon the space between them, or the designated two feet of space upon each side of the outside of said tracks; the snow or ice so removed to be taken from the street and deposited at the nearest and most convenient place used by the city authorities for the deposit of snow removed by themselves.

Fifth—That the railroad to the construction or operation of which this consent is given shall be operated only by animal or horse power, and that no cars shall be operated by any person or company over the route hereinabove described, and under or by virtue of this consent, by any other than animal or horse power, unless the right so to do shall be acquired as provided by section 12 of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884.

Sixth—That any person or company who shall use or operate a railroad upon the tracks, or any part of the tracks, constructed upon the route hereinabove described under or by virtue of the consent hereby given, or the sale had in pursuance thereof, shall be subject to the same conditions, liabilities, obligations, duties and payments in respect to such use or operation by him or it, of or upon such tracks as the bidder to whom the sale shall be made under this consent would be subject were such use or operation made by such bidder, and in computing any percentage upon gross receipts that may thereby become payable, the amount thereof shall be computed upon a fare of five cents as having been received as part of the gross receipts from every passenger who shall ride upon any part of the route hereinabove described, and irrespective of the fact whether such passenger enters or leaves the car at any point upon the said route, and the bidder to whom such sale shall be made shall be jointly and severally liable with any such person or company for any default in any of such conditions, liabilities, obligations, duties and payments.

Seventh—That the percentage upon gross receipts payable under the bid at such sale, shall be made annually on the first day of November for the year ending on the next preceding thirtieth day of September.

Eighth—That the said Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company shall provide for the expense of publication of the aforesaid notice of sale before the said notice shall be published, and the company which at the said sale shall be the highest bidder shall at the time and place of sale reimburse the said Metropolitan Crosstown Railway Company for all expenses for printing and publishing, necessarily incurred by it upon the application and sale herein, under the provisions of said chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884 and of said chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886.

Ninth—This consent is given and the said sale shall be made upon the express understanding that the conditions herein stated do not relieve the said bidder, or any person or company operating a road upon any of the tracks constructed under this consent from any conditions, obligations, liabilities, payments or duties to which they might have been liable in the absence of such conditions.

Tenth—That if the bidder shall not furnish satisfactory security, the said Comptroller may cancel the bid and sell this consent and the license in the same manner as is provided by chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886.

Eleventh—That the said bidder shall, within thirty days after the sale at public auction, execute under its corporate seal, to be attested by its president or treasurer, and by virtue of a resolution of its board of directors, an instrument in writing, which shall be delivered to the Comptroller of the City of New York, and which shall contain and express the acceptance by the said bidder of this consent of the Common Council for the construction, maintenance, use and operation of the proposed railroad upon the streets and avenues above mentioned upon the terms and conditions upon which this consent is granted, and binding the said company to abide by, comply with, faithfully perform and keep the said terms and conditions.

And be it further

Resolved, That the sale at public auction of the right, franchise and privilege mentioned above shall be attended and conducted by the Comptroller of the City of New York, and shall be held at a place in the City of New York to be designated by the said Comptroller, and on the earliest practicable day to be designated by the said Comptroller, or at such time to which the same may be adjourned from the day specified in the notice so published, not exceeding twice, for a period not exceeding four weeks in the aggregate, and only after notice of the time, place and terms thereof, and of the route or routes to be sold, and of the conditions upon which this consent is given, shall have been published by the said Comptroller three times a week for at least three weeks, in two daily newspapers in said city, to be designated by his Honor the Mayor of said city (and if the bidder shall not furnish satisfactory security, the said Comptroller may cancel the bid and sell this consent and the license in the same manner as is provided by chapter 642 of the Laws of 1886).

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt the amendment reported by the Committee.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Vice-President Fitzsimons moved to further amend by adding the following additional condition:

Twelfth—That the said bidder shall, in addition to the percentage of the gross receipts of such bidder, required by section 8 of chapter 252 of Laws of 1884, pay into to the City Treasury the

additional percentage of 2 per cent. for the first five years that said road shall be operated, and thereafter 5 per cent., so that the whole amount paid into the City Treasury for the privileges granted shall at least be the sum of 5 per cent. for the first five years and thereafter 10 per cent. of the gross receipts of such bidder.

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

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with the adoption of the resolution with the amendment recommended by the Committee.

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Vice-President Fitzsimons, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—22.

Negative—Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen Noonan and Storm—3.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which provides for the regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Hudson river, on the grounds of the subjoined report of the Commissioner of Public Works thereon, viz.:

" \* \* The grade of this street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river, is \* \* from fifteen to eighteen feet in one hundred, and too steep for any practical use."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the bulkhead line of the Hudson river, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof; under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which provides for the regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between the Boulevard and the Hudson river, on the grounds of the subjoined report of the Commissioner of Public Works thereon, viz.:

"The grade on this portion of One Hundred and Fifty-third street is from fifteen to eighteen feet in one hundred, and is, therefore, too steep for practical use, and the street should not be graded until the grade is changed, as on its present grade it would be of no public or private benefit."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which directs the fencing of the vacant lot No. 21 East One Hundred and Eleventh street, on the grounds of the subjoined report of the Commissioner of Public Works, viz.:

"A brick house has been erected on this block, and the ordinance, therefore, would be of no effect."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That the vacant lot known as No. 21 East One Hundred and Eleventh street be fenced in under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which provides for the regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, on the ground that I am informed that this street is not yet legally opened, and therefore, until the city acquires title to them, no improvements can be made and the ordinances would be of no effect.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which provides for the regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west, on the ground that, as I am informed, the city has not yet acquired title to this street and the ordinance, therefore, could not be effective.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which provides for the paving of Ninety-fourth street, between First and Third avenues, with granite-blocks, on the ground that the resolution is premature. The Commissioner of Public Works reports that there are no water-mains between First and Third avenues, and no gas-mains between First and Second avenues. These works should be completed before the street is paved.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That Ninety-fourth street, from the crosswalk on the west side of First avenue to the crosswalk on the east side of Third avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which provides for the laying of a crosswalk on West street, about fifty feet north of West Tenth street, on the ground, that as the Commissioner of Public Works reports that there is now a crosswalk on West street, at the northerly side of Tenth street, and another about twenty-five feet farther north, the crosswalk proposed by the resolution is unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of three courses of bridge-stone, with a row of paving-blocks between each course, be laid across West street, at a distance of about fifty feet north of West Tenth street, as shown on the annexed diagram, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be charged to the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which provides for the regulating, grading, curbing, etc., of Burnside avenue, from Sedgwick avenue to Webster avenue, on the grounds of the subjoined report of the Department of Public Parks thereon, viz.:

"Burnside avenue crosses the old Croton Aqueduct on a grade that would require passing under the aqueduct, and information has been received from the Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Works that it would endanger the aqueduct to attempt to make this crossing at the established grade, and that it should not be done until the New Aqueduct is brought into use."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That Burnside avenue, from Sedgwick avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as laid down on the Commissioners' map, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and crosswalks of two courses of bridge-stone be laid at each intersecting and terminating avenue, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 10, 1889, which provides for the placing of an improved drinking-fountain at No. 307 Willis avenue, on the ground that, as the Commissioner of Public Works reports that there is now a drinking-hydrant on that block, only a few feet distant from the proposed location, the fountain provided for in the resolution is unnecessary.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be erected on the sidewalk, near the curb-line, in front of premises No. 307 Willis avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Gregory—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for amendment a resolution passed December 20, 1889, permitting John B. Martin to erect two lamps in front of Nos. 17 and 19 University place.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Carlin—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for amendment a resolution adopted December 17, for the naming of the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-second to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, as Bradhurst avenue.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

Resolved, That the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, extending from 142d to 145th street, shall hereafter be known and designated as "Bradhurst avenue."

On motion of Alderman Carlin, the vote by which the resolution was adopted was reconsidered.

Alderman Carlin then moved to strike out the figures "145" before the word "street," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "155."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman D. Barry—

Resolved, That John W. McKay be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Dowd—

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 11. of article I. of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, relating to "contracts for supplies and work for the Corporation."

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

Section 1. Section 11 of article I. of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880 is hereby amended by adding thereto, at the end thereof, the following: "and that no contractor or other person engaged in the work of paving, repaving or repairing any street or constructing or repairing any sewer therein, or performing any other work from the nature of which it is indispensable to occupy any portion of a sidewalk in any street, avenue or public place, by materials of any description, shall so occupy the sidewalks or any portion thereof for a greater distance than one thousand (1,000) feet at any one time, and that only such portion of any such sidewalk may be occupied as will leave unobstructed one-half thereof for the uses of the public," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

"Sec. 11. In all contracts for work for the corporation upon any public building or in any public street or place in the performance of which accidents or injuries may happen to the person or property of another a provision shall be inserted that the contractor shall place proper guards for the prevention of accidents, and shall put up and keep at nights suitable and sufficient lights during the performance of the work; and that he will indemnify the corporation for damages or costs to which they may be put by reason of injury to person or property of another resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, and that no contractor or other person engaged in the work of paving, repaving or repairing any street, or constructing or repairing any sewer therein, or performing any other work from the nature of which it is indispensable to occupy any portion of a sidewalk, in any street, avenue or public place, by materials of any description, shall so occupy the sidewalk or any portion thereof, for a greater distance than one thousand (1,000) feet at any one time, and that only such portion of any such sidewalk may be occupied as will leave unobstructed one-half thereof for the uses of the public."

Sec. 2. All ordinances and resolutions or part of ordinances or resolutions as are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York Port Society to place and keep an ordinary street lamp-post and lamp at or near the southeast corner of West and Charlton streets, with a transparency indicating the direction to the "Seamen's Reading Room," on the corner of Charlton and Washington streets, provided the lamp is kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the work be done and gas supplied at the expense of said society, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Gregory—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John B. Martin to place and keep two lamps on the sidewalk, near the curb-line, in front of his premises, Hotel Martin, Nos. 17 and 19 University place, the lamps to be kept lighted during the hours that the city lamps are lighted, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Hammond—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. & G. Stuhl to place and keep two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps inside the stoop-line, in front of their premises on Third avenue, southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, provided the lamps be

lighted every night during the hours and for the full time that the public lamps maintained by the city are kept lighted, the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

(G. O. 824.)

By the same--

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from the west crosswalk of Third avenue to the east crosswalk of Vanderbilt avenue, East, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting avenues where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 825.)

By the same--

Resolved, That the curb-stones be set, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, in Brook avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting streets and avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Lynch--

Resolved, That the resolution which became adopted December 12, 1889, providing for an improved iron drinking-fountain on the northwest corner of Broadway and Church street, Kingsbridge, be and is hereby amended by striking out the word "northwest," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "southwest," so that said fountain shall be located on the "southwest" instead of the "northwest" corner of Broadway and Church street, Kingsbridge.

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

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Corporation Attorney:

LAW DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BUREAU OF CORPORATION ATTORNEY, No. 49 BEEKMAN STREET, NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

To the Common Council of the City of New York:

In compliance with the ordinance of the Common Council, Revised Ordinances of 1880, page 49, section 17, I herewith transmit the annual statement of the Attorney to the Corporation of the City of New York, of the titles of all actions which he is authorized, section 8 of chapter 4, to prosecute on behalf of the Corporation, now pending and undetermined, with the state thereof and information in respect thereto.

Respectfully, LOUIS STECKLER, Attorney to the Corporation.

LAW DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY TO THE CORPORATION, No. 49 BEEKMAN STREET, NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

Annual statement of the Attorney to the Corporation of the City of New York of the titles of all actions which he is authorized by section 8, chapter 4 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, to prosecute on behalf of the Corporation now pending and undetermined, with the state thereof, and information in respect thereto, presented to the Common Council in pursuance of chapter 4, section 17 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880.

FIRST DISTRICT COURT.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York against--

- William Noe... To be tried December 27, 1889.
Charles J. Godfrey...
Kelly & Power...
Samuel J. Berry & Co...
Oscar Goerke...
Samuel Pettit...
Henry Scharkel...
C. M. Baruff & Co...
Rudolph Brehmer...
J. B. & P. B. Page...
Eugene M. Travis...
C. E. Winterton & Co...
Joseph F. Graham...
D. & S. Geizler...
Leaman & Kerr...
Thurber, Whyland & Co...
Austin, Nichols & Co...
T. H. Leggett & Co...
Thurber, Whyland & Co...
Austin, Nichols & Co...
F. H. Leggett & Co...
J. & W. Hills...
John Reuter...
Alfred A. Campbell...
Patrick Sexton...
Cornelius O'Brien...
John H. Husley...
Henry Stone...
C. M. Baruff & Co...
E. M. Travis & Co...
E. R. Valentine & Co...
Alexander Groves...
Geardes & Co...
Frank H. Lester...
James J. Philips & Co...
S. Howard Blackwell...
David H. Valentine...
C. E. Winterton & Co...
Nicholas Steingester...
R. & J. Levy...
Blohm & Hoppe...
Henry E. Schwitters...
Thurber, Whyland & Co...
Austin, Nichols & Co...
F. H. Leggett & Co...
Frederick Plander...
Louis Kuhl...
Jacob Spettel...
Hines & Mansfield...
Arno Reif...
John A. Rosenbaum...
William R. McLaughlin...
Thurber, Whyland & Co...
Austin, Nichols & Co...
F. H. Leggett & Co...
Herman Eitsen...
James Padula...
N. W. & F. Tausig...
Henry Woessner...

SECOND DISTRICT COURT.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York against--

- Martin Garvey... To be tried December 27, 1889.
Hong Wo...
William Ottman...
Edward J. Rowe...
Mary McPike...
Gay Wah...

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, against--

- John W. Ritchie... To be tried December 27, 1889.
David Bohem...
W. Ottmann & Co...
Lane & McLaughlin...
Jordan & Moriarty...
Henry Seib...
David Burke...
Benjamin Davis...
Sam Lee...
Michael Daly...
Julius Robertson...
Michael Stapleton...
M. Klesius...
Edward G. Byrnes...
William Ottermann...
Jacob Cohen...
Simon P. Flannery...
Louis Silverstone...
Paul Salvin...
M. L. & B. M. Sampter...
M. J. & G. Goldstein...
Max Jacobs...
Harris Cohen...
Paul Salvin...
Abraham Lyon...
Louis Silverstone...
Peter Bennett...
Solomon Fineberg...
Morrello & Co...
Morris Goodman...
Joseph Isola...
Rudolph Gruhn...
Dominick Ehrlers...
Jacob Cohen...
Maria Feleno...
Bernard Nees...
Bernard Abrams...
J. & N. Caro...
Isidor French...
A. C. & W. Carfoot...
Louis Rubin...
Paul Kaminsky...
Jacob Cohen...
W. & J. Bemak...
Rudolph Gruhn...
Dominick Ehrlers...
Henry Rottger, Jr...
Jacob Cohen...
M. J. & G. Goldstein...
Bernard Abrams...
Henry C. Kelly...
Simon P. Flannery...
Henry Rottger, Jr...
Dominick Ehrlers...
Max Jacobs...
Abraham Lyon...
Harris Cohen...
Isaac Burke...
Paul Salvin...
Levi Michael...
R. S. Gould Co...
A. & E. Steinhart...
Patrick Noonan...
Theobald B. Bennell...
M. L. & B. M. Sampter...
Bernard Abrams...
M. J. & G. Goldstein...
Thomas J. Johnston...
Bernard Nees...
Harris Selden...
Max Jacobs...
Abraham Lyon...
Harris Cohen...
Isaac Burke...
Samuel Goldstein...
Bernard Greenberg...
Samuel Williams...
Paul Salvin...
Vincenzo De Vito...
Antonio Nardo...
Francisco Conti...
Vincenzo Rosati...
Arsenio Benedetta...
Antonio Nardo...
Denis Shea...
Joel B. Kaufman...
John Callahan...
Hiram L. Crakon...
Jacob Glasheim...
David Yesky...
B. Lautenschlaeger...
John P. Pape...
James Carpo...
Frank Mariano...
Edward Heiman...
Bernard J. McCann...
James Bogan...
Joseph Fowler...
Edward Himandinger...
Charles B. Rouss...
M. & J. P. Freeman...
F. Sullivan & Co...
Louis Goepel...
Peter Beigs...
Andrew Jann...
Joseph Ortalano...
Michael Lapp...
Simon Shipori...
Joseph Christallh...
August Lowenberger...
Denis Shea...
Casperfield & Co...
Vincenzo Ferrara...

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York against--

- Louis Cohen... To be tried January 9, 1890.
N. A. & W. Carstens...
Francis Schaaf...
Jacob Behrman...
Dennis Hallahan...
Edward Joyce...
Marvin Briggs...
Philip Lesser...
Lizzie Givitz...
Abraham Sheingait...
Louis Friedman...
J. & D. Israel...
William Lane...
John J. McCaul...

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, against—

Barnett Cohen	.....	To be tried January 9, 1890.
Jacob Reiser	.....	" " " "
Meyer Goldberg	.....	" " " "
Nathan Spiegel	.....	" " " "
Isaac Raphael	.....	" " " "
Thomas Lyons	.....	" " " "
Jacob Cohen & Co.	.....	" " " "
Semche Simon	.....	" " " "
Henry M. Greenberg	.....	" " " "
Michael Meehan	.....	" " " "
Philip Balsam	.....	" " " "
William Lane	.....	" " " "
Luke Doyle	.....	" " " "
William J. Riordan	.....	" " " "
Louis Sharfman	.....	" " " "
Isaac Cohen	.....	" " " "
Ernst Ploetzky	.....	" " " "
Jennie Kerster	.....	" " " "
Hing Wah	.....	" " " "
Vincent Luzzi	.....	" " " "
Morris Kosven	.....	" " " "
August Graf	.....	" " " "
Wolf Rosenberg	.....	" " " "
Max Bernstein	.....	" " " "
J. & J. Baar	.....	" " " "
William Farrell	.....	" " " "
Bernard Zolty	.....	" " " "
Hugh White	.....	" " " "
John Leonard	.....	" " " "
Joseph Spero	.....	" " " "
August C. Erdman	.....	" " " "
I. M. Rosinsky & Co.	.....	" " " "
Richman & Co.	.....	" " " "
Louis C. Malkin	.....	" " " "
J. and S. Mann	.....	" " " "
Abraham Sheingut	.....	" " " "
Amelia Barnett	.....	" " " "
H. & C. Meyer	.....	" " " "
George H. Rothermel	.....	" " " "
Oscar Willenski	.....	" " " "
Jacob Segall	.....	" " " "
Harris Sa nilson	.....	" " " "
M. Harris Mayer	.....	" " " "
Morris Robinson	.....	" " " "
Michael Shlanowsky	.....	" " " "
William Burritt	.....	" " " "
Robert E. Smith	.....	" " " "
Isaac Wolpert	.....	" " " "
Pasquale De Gaetano	.....	" " " "
M. J. & D. F. Mahoney	.....	" " " "
Isaac Rubenstein	.....	" " " "
Goldberg & Co.	.....	" " " "
Isidor Platt	.....	" " " "
Yee Lee	.....	" " " "
John Heany	.....	" " " "
Joseph Sulkint	.....	" " " "
Isaac Alderman	.....	" " " "
Jacob Vollner	.....	" " " "
Aaron Zwerdling	.....	" " " "
Richard Carroll	.....	" " " "
Nathan Friedman	.....	" " " "
Lutye & Grim	.....	" " " "
Edward Joyce	.....	" " " "
George Slezefsky	.....	" " " "
Abraham Mussell	.....	" " " "
Joseph Bianchi	.....	" " " "
Joseph Weiner	.....	" " " "
Joseph Cavenato	.....	" " " "
J. & R. Adler	.....	" " " "
Reuben Goldsmith	.....	" " " "
Richard Carroll	.....	" " " "
C. & W. Lane	.....	" " " "
Rosa Frankel	.....	" " " "
George Slezefsky	.....	" " " "
J. Fisher & Co.	.....	" " " "
Samuel Hertz	.....	" " " "
Harry Levy	.....	" " " "
John Appell	.....	" " " "
John Koleszar	.....	" " " "
Bernhard M. Goldonsky	.....	" " " "
Leopold Kaliman	.....	" " " "
Simon Morganstern	.....	" " " "
Bernhard Brodowsky	.....	" " " "
Sampson Tewkowitz	.....	" " " "
Charles Inteman	.....	" " " "
Jacob Schneider	.....	" " " "
John W. Sullivan	.....	" " " "
William H. Schmol	.....	" " " "
Moses Cohen	.....	" " " "
Henry Strauss	.....	" " " "
David Gans	.....	" " " "
Simon Ellinger	.....	" " " "
Adolph Schwarzbaum	.....	" " " "
Joseph Zweigel	.....	" " " "
Samson Lewkowitz	.....	" " " "
Simon Strauss	.....	" " " "
Jacob Fishlowitz	.....	" " " "
Frederick Molle	.....	" " " "
Henry Becker	.....	" " " "
Frank Stock	.....	" " " "
Samuel Hass	.....	" " " "
Rosa Meyer	.....	" " " "
Abraham Reass	.....	" " " "
Henry M. E. Oest	.....	" " " "
Adolph Kirchhof	.....	" " " "
Julia Gebhardt	.....	" " " "
Julius Rottenberg	.....	" " " "
Louis Hanken	.....	" " " "
Max Lowenthal	.....	" " " "
Henry Winkle	.....	" " " "
James S. Anderson	.....	" " " "
Frederick Gibbs	.....	" " " "
John Cante	.....	" " " "
George Ilerts	.....	" " " "
Elias Wolf	.....	" " " "
Isidor Hollander	.....	" " " "
Max Doncker	.....	" " " "
Jacob Block	.....	" " " "
Louis Pepper	.....	" " " "
Jacob Johns	.....	" " " "
Samuel Stern	.....	" " " "
August Ruff	.....	" " " "
Simon J. Israel	.....	" " " "
Patrick McLaughlin	.....	" " " "
Emil Adler	.....	" " " "
Lucian Wolf	.....	" " " "
Menke Scheuer	.....	" " " "
Samuel Ganz	.....	" " " "
William C. Doscher	.....	" " " "
John Schlemmer	.....	" " " "

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, against—

Henry Vogel	.....	To be tried January 9, 1890.
John M. Canda	.....	" " " "
Haisting & Co.	.....	" " " "
George Richard	.....	" " " "
Simon Miller	.....	" " " "
Michael Horn	.....	" " " "
Max Lowenthal	.....	" " " "
William Soll	.....	" " " "
George Ross	.....	" " " "
Peter Marquart	.....	" " " "
John Neely	.....	" " " "
Edward Brede	.....	" " " "
John C. Meinert	.....	" " " "
Henry Timmerman	.....	" " " "
Samuel Rinaldo	.....	" " " "

EIGHTH DISTRICT COURT.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York against—

Harry C. Miner & Co	.....	To be tried January 6, 1890.
F. F. Proctor & Co.	.....	" " " "
F. F. Proctor & Co.	.....	" " " "
Albert Bernhard	.....	" " " "
G. & E. Karsch	.....	" " " "
Charles H. Hammersley	.....	" " " "
Henry Cowan	.....	" " " "
Max Balt	.....	" " " "
Frederick Hartmann	.....	" " " "
John Early	.....	" " " "
Morris Marks	.....	" " " "
Michael Dooley	.....	" " " "
Robert Strachan	.....	" " " "
James J. McGrotty	.....	" " " "
Louis Warshor	.....	" " " "
Edward Herbert	.....	" " " "
Thomas E. Wren	.....	" " " "
John R. Graham, Jr	.....	" " " "
Henry Heather	.....	" " " "
Denis Sweeney	.....	" " " "
Louis Hauck	.....	" " " "
Henry Conlan	.....	" " " "
Charles E. Dornbush	.....	" " " "
L. Baumann & Co.	.....	" " " "
Mary Grobburge	.....	" " " "
Patrick J. Lyach	.....	" " " "
George Beck	.....	" " " "
David Lohmann	.....	" " " "
George F. Nebels	.....	" " " "
John Dougherty	.....	" " " "
George P. Morris	.....	" " " "
Patrick Keating	.....	" " " "
John Radd	.....	" " " "
John E. Ackerman	.....	" " " "
Louis Cohan	.....	" " " "
Van Gertal Electric Street Car Co.	.....	" " " "
Louis Hauck	.....	" " " "
William Cashman	.....	" " " "
George F. Brein	.....	" " " "
Charles T. Wills	.....	" " " "
J. Schneider & Co	.....	" " " "
Henrietta Jacobs	.....	" " " "
Morris Heft	.....	" " " "
Morris Manges	.....	" " " "
Marcus We se	.....	" " " "
Peter Smith	.....	" " " "
Henry Polye	.....	" " " "
Edward Keller	.....	" " " "
Thomas Hoehn	.....	" " " "
John Van Bremen	.....	" " " "
Harris Lasher	.....	" " " "
Michael A. O'Hara	.....	" " " "
Henry Gattel	.....	" " " "
August Webber	.....	" " " "
Abraham Pakschun	.....	" " " "

NINTH DISTRICT COURT.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York against—

Patrick Hogan	.....	To be tried December 27, 1889.
Martin Breden	.....	" " " "
Thomas Manning	.....	" " " "
Thomas J. Mullen & Co.	.....	" " " "
John F. Hanley	.....	" " " "
Charles Mierisch	.....	" " " "
Joseph Vandewater	.....	" " " "
James H. Butler	.....	" " " "
Michael Mooney	.....	" " " "
Fillipo Donnaumma	.....	" " " "
Moses Bachrach	.....	" " " "
Henry Wolters	.....	" " " "
Charles Kunger	.....	" " " "
Frederick Bauman	.....	" " " "
Peter McCormack	.....	" " " "
William Saul	.....	" " " "
James Butler	.....	" " " "
Isley, Doubleday & Co	.....	" " " "
William Hatfield	.....	" " " "
Charles Mierisch	.....	" " " "
Frederick Heiner	.....	" " " "
Frederick Horner	.....	" " " "
John F. Hanley	.....	" " " "
Joseph Vandewater	.....	" " " "
Thomas Manning	.....	" " " "
Michael Mooney	.....	" " " "
Henry Reickers	.....	" " " "
Henry Eggers	.....	" " " "
Moses M. Moses	.....	" " " "
Peter McCormack	.....	" " " "
Robert Prior	.....	" " " "
Herman Kahn	.....	" " " "
Charles Kunger	.....	" " " "
Theodore Herschmann	.....	" " " "
Charles Schildwachter	.....	" " " "
Edward Callan	.....	" " " "
George F. Stricken	.....	" " " "
Moses Bachrach	.....	" " " "
Adam Romer	.....	" " " "
Hiram Crakon	.....	" " " "
Max Nissen	.....	" " " "
Frederick Realander	.....	" " " "
Henry Metz	.....	" " " "
Henry Wolters	.....	" " " "
Charles B. Schaidner	.....	" " " "
Patrick Hogan	.....	" " " "
Henry Ehler	.....	" " " "
John F. Egan	.....	" " " "
Fillipo Donnaumma	.....	" " " "
Moses N. Moses	.....	" " " "
Christian Rohessen	.....	" " " "
Frederick Bauman	.....	" " " "

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, against—  
 Henry Hener..... To be tried December 27, 1889.  
 Bernard McGuire.....  
 Maurice Stransky.....  
 James Butler.....  
 Charles Mierisch.....  
 Erwin Karl.....  
 Albert Griffith.....  
 John Vette.....  
 William Lang.....  
 John Hogan.....  
 Julia T. Morrow.....  
 Battista Cancemi.....  
 Joseph Mitchell.....  
 Joseph F. Winter.....  
 Hannah Huber.....  
 Ernst Hochheimer.....  
 William B. Rice.....  
 Dimock & Co.....  
 Sigmund Bleier.....  
 Frederick B. Dunkell.....  
 Duncan Black.....  
 James G. Patton.....  
 Henry W. Meyer.....  
 Henry E. Hinck.....  
 Michael Ganly.....  
 Frederick B. Dunkell.....  
 John L. Stroub.....  
 Raefele Basile.....  
 Joseph Murphy.....  
 Antonio Marianni.....  
 Frederick Heiners.....  
 August Ahrendt.....  
 Joseph Stepczynski.....  
 William Montaux.....  
 Anthony Casella.....  
 Herman Kramer.....  
 Joseph E. Mount.....  
 Zee Quang.....  
 Frank Veder.....  
 Charles F. Rehfield.....  
 William Menkens.....  
 Karl Linder.....  
 James Gilleland.....  
 John Schariter.....  
 James E. Zarr.....  
 James Bleakley.....  
 Nicholas Hellig.....  
 John Phelan.....  
 C. Angelo.....  
 Emanuel Sachs.....  
 Dennis D. Mahoney.....  
 Timothy J. O'Connell.....  
 William U. Robinson.....  
 Christian Anderson.....  
 Frederick Carl.....  
 John Brady.....

FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York against—  
 Whitfield W. Edwards..... To be tried December 27, 1889.  
 Whitfield W. Edwards.....

ELEVENTH DISTRICT COURT.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York against—  
 Peter C. Eckhardt..... To be tried January 3, 1890.  
 Louis Meyer.....  
 Henry Morris.....  
 Patrick O'Connor.....  
 Anton Spitzmeagl.....  
 John Brangan.....  
 Joseph Thomey.....  
 Theodore Westing.....  
 Gonraso Friend.....  
 Francis Crawford.....  
 S. McPartland & Co.....  
 M. J. & T. F. Casey.....  
 Peter Wagner.....  
 George A. Frick.....  
 John Lasserre.....  
 Robert Hill.....

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction of the City of New York, on behalf of Michael K. Burke, against William H. Burke.	Proceedings to compel William H. Burke, the son, to support his aged father under section 914 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.
The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction of the City of New York, on behalf of Mary Duffy, against William O'Conner.	Appeal from order of Justices Kilbreth and Patterson, convicting the defendant to be the father of a bastard child.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York  
 against  
 Augustus Twigg and William D. Twigg.  
 Action upon a bond to recover \$250 for the support of the defendant Augustus Twigg's wife.

Which was ordered to be printed in the CITY RECORD and placed on file.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, NO. 49 BEEKMAN STREET,  
 NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

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

Pursuant to the Revised Ordinances, the undersigned herewith transmits a statement showing the titles of all actions now pending and undetermined, with such other information in respect thereto as he deems necessary and proper.

Respectfully,

CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.

SUPREME COURT.

Richard J. Morrisson, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of John M. Rickens, deceased, against George H. Leavitt.	At issue.
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Titles of all actions pending against the Public Administrator on the 20th day of December, 1889.

COURT OF APPEALS.

In the matter of the judicial settlement of the accounts of Richard J. Morrisson, Public Administrator, etc., and administrator, etc., of Mary E. Feyh, deceased.	On appeal.
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William W. Gilbert against Charles E. Lydecker, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of Elizabeth Gilbert or Buck, deceased.	On appeal.
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SUPREME COURT.

Aaron A. De Graw against Richard J. Morrisson, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of Thomas O'Neil, deceased.	Action to foreclose lien.
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Homer A. Nelson against Richard J. Morrisson, Public Administrator, as administrator, etc., of William H. Rutzer, deceased.	
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Winnifred Dowling against Richard J. Morrisson, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of Bridget Gould, deceased.	
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William Pirsson against Charles E. Lydecker, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of John D. Kennedy, deceased.	
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Catharine M. Rickens against Charles E. Lydecker, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of John M. Rickens, deceased.	
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Mary E. Turnbull against Charles E. Lydecker, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of Mary E. Turnbull, deceased.	
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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Alice B. Morris and others against Charles E. Lydecker, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of Thomas Fitzsimmons, impleaded, etc.	
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Caroline Smith against Charles E. Lydecker, Public Administrator, etc., as administrator, etc., of Anna Justina Marquis, deceased.	
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Which was ordered to be printed in the CITY RECORD and placed on file.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 December 21, 1889.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council, from January 1 to December 31, 1889, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances :

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$6,500 00	\$492 22	\$6,007 78
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council. ....	200 00	104 85	95 15
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	68,188 17	6,911 83

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The President called up G. O. 580, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 321 of the New York Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to repave, with asphalt pavement on hydraulic cement concrete foundation, the roadway of Wall street, from Nassau street to Hanover street, the work to be done by contract, guaranteed for five years, and publicly let to the lowest responsible bidder, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Storm, and Walker—20.

The President called up G. O. 715, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That Seventy-third street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, be paved with asphalt pavement with concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Storm, and Walker—20.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 821, being a resolution, as follows: Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted on the west side of Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Storm, and Walker—20.

Alderman Rapp called up G. O. 819, being a resolution, as follows: Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and boulevard lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the entrance to Grammar School No. 13, Nos. 237 and 239 East Houston street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Storm, and Walker—20.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 815, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the carriageway of Ninety-second street, from West End avenue to the Boulevard, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that a crosswalk of three courses of bridge-stone, with a row of granite paving stones between each course, be laid within the lines of the sidewalks of the said Boulevard and the Eleventh avenue, at or near the intersections of said Ninety-second street, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Storm, and Walker—20.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 816, being a resolution, as follows: Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between St. Nicholas and Eighth avenues, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Storm, and Walker—20.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 349, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That Ninetieth street, from West End avenue, to Riverside Drive, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Storm, and Walker—20.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 334, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Eighth avenue to Manhattan avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone be laid at the abutting avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote: Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Gregory, Hammond, Lynch, Morris, Noonan, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Storm, and Walker—19.

On motion of Alderman Carlin the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was again laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman D. Barry moved that the Board do now adjourn. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative. And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, December 31, 1889, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, ) MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, ) FRIDAY, December 20, 1889—11 o'clock A. M. . )

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment. Present—The following members, viz.: Hugh J. Grant, the Mayor; Theodore W. Myers, the Comptroller; Michael Coleman, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments. Absent—John H. V. Arnold, the President of the Board of Aldermen. The minutes of the meeting held December 19, 1889, were read and approved.

The Comptroller called up and offered the following preamble and resolution, referred to the Counsel to the Corporation at meeting of August 21, 1889:

Whereas, At a General Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, held in the City of New York on the 21st day of June, 1889, an order was entered "in the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks for and in behalf of the Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain lands in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, and in the County of Westchester, for public parks and parkways, under chapter 522, Laws of 1884, allowing the following bills, viz.:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Franklin Bartlett \$6,000 00; Martin B. Brown 706 69; James Stroud 2,136 00; James B. Francis 559 69; W. E. Worthen 500 00; Hall J. How 500 00; J. R. Scott 76 00; Total \$10,478 38.

—and further ordering "that the Comptroller of the City of New York raise the amount necessary to pay these bills by the sale of bonds as provided for in the tenth section of chapter 522 of the Laws of 1884, and ordering and directing him to pay the said bills for necessary expenses from the proceeds of said bonds"; and

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held March 29, 1889, "the Comptroller was authorized and directed to issue from time to time as may be required, within his discretion, and at the rate of two and one-half per centum per annum, Consolidated Stock of the City of New York as provided by sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 to the amount required for the payment of the damages awarded by the Commissioners of Estimate, and the expenses, disbursements and charges in the proceedings for laying out public places, parks and parkways in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, etc.;" now, therefore,

Resolved, That pursuant to said resolution, adopted by this Board on March 29, 1889, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue stock for payment of the above bills, to the amount of ten thousand four hundred and seventy-eight dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$10,478.38), and to pay the amounts of the bills for such expenses from the proceeds of said stock to the persons to whom the same is due, respectively.

Which were adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3. Franklin Bartlett appeared before the Board and made a statement in relation to the same.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars be and the same hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works entitled "Repaving Streets and Avenues (chapter 476, Laws of 1875; section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882)," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1889 entitled "Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues, including Rents for Corporation Yards," for which it is required.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

On motion, the Board proceeded to the consideration of the Final Estimate for the year 1890. The estimate for the Fire Department was taken up and considered. H. D. Purroy, President of the Fire Department, appeared before the Board and made a statement in explanation thereof.

The Comptroller moved that when this Board adjourns, it do so to meet on Monday, December 23, 1889, at eleven o'clock A. M. Which was agreed to.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

M. COLEMAN, Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS IN THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS, ) COOPER UNION, ) NEW YORK, December 23, 1889. }

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

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

By the Department of Charities and Correction—

- As Attendants on the Insane, on probation: December 7. G. W. Mundell, Norah Byrnes, Bridget Regan. December 9. Michael J. Lucy, John O'Donnell. December 10. Elizabeth Duggan, Mary McCarthy. December 10. John W. Whitehead. December 12. Richard Berry, Edward Fitzgerald. December 13. Ellen Tierney, Joanna Haugh.

By the Police Department—

As Patrolman, the following were appointed on probation:

- October 29. P. J. O'Leary; character certified to by Thomas Kearin, No. 255 West Thirtieth street; D. B. Hussey, No. 516 West Fiftieth street; Daniel Lynch, No. 233 West Eighteenth street; Maurice J. Sullivan, No. 68 Seventh avenue; Peter Gerety, No. 507 West Fifty-second street. October 26. A. S. Theaume; character certified to by Rev. F. Tetrean, No. 159 East Seventy-fifth street; Henri Beauchamp, No. 175 East Seventy-seventh street; C. G. Secuyer, No. 1338 Third avenue; Leon B. Lyonnais, No. 357 East Seventy-eighth street; Dr. G. Michon, No. 182 East Seventy-sixth street. October 21. A. M. McDowell; character certified to by Henry A. Schultz, No. 866 First avenue; F. Meyer, No. 757 Seventh avenue; S. J. Slawson, No. 74 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; G. L. Cohn, No. 2145 Seventh avenue; Loton Horton, No. 1282 Tenth avenue. October 26. William F. Boyle; character certified to by James Higgins, No. 214 East Twenty-first street; James E. Sullivan, No. 2393 Third avenue; J. A. Cantor, No. 140 East One Hundred and Fourth street; Walton Storm, No. 49 West Fifty-seventh street; James T. Nevin, No. 817 Seventh avenue; J. B. Nicholson, No. 778 Seventh avenue. October 21. Edmund Powers; character certified to by J. B. Underhill, No. 842 East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; J. J. McDonough, No. 257 East Eighty-sixth street; I. H. Scholes, No. 281 First avenue; Edward Foley, No. 441 East Sixteenth street; Thomas Copley, No. 361 East Nineteenth street. October 29. Patrick Lenihan; character certified to by John Cullman, No. 233 West Eighteenth street; Thomas Reddy, No. 525 West Twenty-fifth street; Michael Moore, No. 522 West Fifty-first street; D. B. Hussey, No. 516 West Fiftieth street; Daniel Moore, No. 522 West Fifty-first street; Patrick Perry, No. 231 West Eighteenth street; Thomas Nostrand, No. 186 Tenth street. November 12. Joseph Toye; character certified to by D. F. Quinn, No. 336 West Twenty-fifth street; W. M. Merrill, No. 548 West Twenty-fifth street; James Jackson, No. 446 Twenty-fifth street; J. H. Newman, No. 503 West Twenty-second street; Joseph McFarland, No. 345 West Twenty-fourth street. October 29. James Hayes; character certified to by Martin Butler, No. 405 East Twenty-ninth street; Christ. Posterd, No. 243 West Twenty-sixth street; Jacob A. Stroh, No. 383 Sixth avenue; Frank Brady, No. 229 West Twenty-fifth street; Hugh Hanley, No. 570 West Thirty-fourth street. October 26. Joseph W. Kenny; character certified to by Charles E. Dennison, No. 42 South Washington Square; Henry Mehrtens, No. 110 Varick street; William Bulger, No. 1 King street; E. L. Brockmeir, No. 126 Varick street; Daniel Schoen, No. 136 Varick street. October 21. Patrick T. Grady; character certified to by J. W. Barry, No. 403 1/2 Third avenue; Matthew Ellis, No. 573 Third avenue; A. Markert, No. 150 East Thirty-ninth street; Thomas F. Mullen, No. 565 Third avenue; Michael Martin, No. 407 Third avenue. November 1. Abram C. Hulse; character certified to by Joseph Elsworth, foot West Tenth Tenth street; Edward Shannon, No. 333 East Thirtieth street; H. E. Smith, No. 321 West Eleventh street; E. L. Overton, No. 202 East Fortieth street; George W. Hamlyn, No. 269 West Tenth street. October 21. C. F. Casey; character certified to by J. J. Wellbrock, No. 65 Gouverneur street; W. W. Bolander, Pier 50, East river; Alexander Robertson, No. 560 Grand street; C. J. Sullivan, No. 362 Cherry street; Timothy Dillon, No. 366 Cherry street. October 21. E. E. Griffenhagen; character certified to by E. S. Leeds, No. 564 Seventh avenue; Mortimer Sullivan, No. 258 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Anthony Mott, No. 200 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; J. S. Powers, No. 328 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; F. E. Manihart, No. 258 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. October 29. Walter Clarke; character certified to by Thos Coonan, No. 590 Greenwich street; G. H. Tinsdale, No. 60 Carmine street; James McGinley, No. 86 Sullivan street; J. G. Little, No. 21 Bedford street; M. C. Murphy, No. 441 Washington street. October 26. John F. Carlin; character certified to by John Benjamin, No. 11 East Thirty-third street; William Drennen, No. 619 Sixth avenue; Joseph J. Mackey, No. 509 Seventh avenue; James Farmer, No. 103 West Thirtieth street; John McManus, No. 111 West Thirtieth street. October 21. Thomas F. McConnell; character certified to by Solomon Cohen, No. 418 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street; S. A. Wood, No. 332 East Eighty-third street; John R. Caldwell, No. 67 Perry street; George B. Taylor, No. 203 East Thirteenth street; Peter White, No. 326 West Forty-sixth street. November 29. Robert A. Johnston; character certified to by T. B. Chase, No. 113 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street; Thomas Lenane, No. 323 West Fiftieth street; James McLean, No. 372 West Twenty-ninth street; H. C. Smith, No. 573 West Thirty-fourth street; John Loftus, No. 401 West Forty-third street. October 26. Michael L. Kear; character certified to by Anthony Deering, No. 518 West Forty-third street; G. A. Minich, No. 328 West Forty-sixth street; Duncan Kelly, No. 521 West Forty-third street; James Halligan, No. 503 West Forty-third street; Charles F. Bonhack, No. 527 West Forty-third street. October 29. Eugene L. Hickey; character certified to by John Gleason, No. 303 1/2 East Thirty-third street; William Monaghan, No. 110 East One Hundred and Twentieth street; C. F. Gaffney, No. 221 East Twenty-fifth street; E. D. McCarthy, No. 1625 Avenue B; Thomas Brady, No. 150 East Thirty-second street. October 21. Bernard Gaffney; character certified to by Felix Boylan, No. 130 West Fifty-second street; A. M. Steel, No. 798 Seventh avenue; J. P. McDonald, No. 793 Seventh avenue; Thomas E. Lyons, No. 793 Seventh avenue; Patrick B. Baker, No. 355 West Fifty-fourth street. October 29. John L. Harvey; character certified to by John Ross, No. 107 Reade street; John Forbes, No. 1393 First avenue; John W. Warner, No. 107 East Seventy-second street; Mathews Friedberg, No. 441 West Thirty-seventh street; Henry K. Keller, No. 472 Ninth avenue. October 26. William McEvoy; character certified to by H. T. Dakin, No. 282 Washington street; Lawrence J. Ryan, No. 64 Bowery; John Conner, No. 109 Mulberry street; T. J. Dunn, No. 207 Canal street; H. J. Barker, No. 168 Centre street. November 1. William F. Cain; character certified to by James Duffy, No. 161 East Ninety-fourth street; C. P. Cort, No. 5 East Eighty-third street; E. H. Dinan, No. 161 Madison street; T. J. Carey, No. 200 Madison street; James Wilson, No. 37 Catharine street. October 29. Solomon Cohen; character certified to by J. H. Knauer, No. 30 Spring street; B. J. McCann, No. 218 Bowery; M. B. Feeney, No. 248 Mott street; G. W. Judd, No. 145 West street; G. W. Martin, No. 144 West street. October 26. C. J. Nicholas; character certified to by Hugh Donnell, No. 340 East Sixty-sixth street; Frank Parker, No. 1248 Second avenue; Philip Monahan, No. 347 East Eighty-fifth street; E. E. Hoffman, No. 904 Lexington avenue; F. Schillinger, No. 1071 Third avenue.

October 21. David J. Mallen; character certified to by Albert Ulse, No. 43 Third avenue; Isaac Stiegerwald, No. 223 First avenue; John Albert, Jr., No. 225 First avenue; J. Berlinger, No. 231 First avenue; Michael Hayes, No. 354 East Thirteenth street.

October 21. A. W. Hussey, character certified to by Max Goldwater, No. 486 Grand street; Bernard Magen, No. 476 Grand street; Nathan Magen, No. 376 Grand street; Edward Gottschalk, No. 433 Grand street; Louis Stein, No. 460 Grand street.

October 20. Joseph O'Donohue; character certified to by A. Markert, Jr., No. 159 East Thirtieth street; H. C. Overlin, No. 363 Lexington avenue; T. F. Mullen, No. 236 East Thirty-sixth street; Fred. L. Beck, No. 612 Third avenue; Aaron Cohn, No. 609 Third avenue.

October 26. William J. Ennis; character certified to by William Meister, No. 427 Ninth avenue; John O'Gara, No. 404 West Thirty-fourth street; Hugo Kuenster, No. 297 Tenth avenue; James Connolly, No. 433 West Thirty-third street; George D. Turner, No. 402 West Twenty-ninth street.

November 12. Lawrence L. Harpret; character certified to by M. H. Fargo, No. 102 Cannon street; Jacob Hay, No. 09 Cannon street; George Christ, No. 87 Cannon street; F. S. Garrard, No. 134 Cannon street; Morris Hyman, No. 99 Cannon street.

October 26. E. P. McCann; character certified to by F. J. Roth, No. 420 Eleventh avenue; P. Fitzpatrick, No. 428 Eleventh avenue; M. J. Dougherty, No. 552 West Thirty-seventh street; Anton Hochreiter, No. 424 Eleventh avenue; James Billings, No. 550 West Thirty-sixth street.

November 12. John Dowling; character certified to by Benjamin Staper, No. 68 Catherine street; Emil Schulz, No. 67 Oliver street; Henry Jaeger, No. 58 Oliver street; Patrick Howard, No. 7 Monroe street; Michael Daly, No. 88 Catherine street.

October 26. John F. O'Connor; character certified to by Michael Halpin, No. 219 Carroll street, Brooklyn; Daniel Mooney, No. 29 State street; S. S. Joyce, No. 118 Cedar street; Mrs. J. Wolf, No. 126 Greenwich street; Bernard Meyer, No. 169 Greenwich street.

October 20. William Allan; character certified to by George Bietell, No. 2254 Third avenue; Robert Blair, No. 2309 Third avenue; Michael J. Butler, No. 503 East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; William G. Knox, No. 2318 Third avenue; David Henry, No. 332 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street.

October 21. Alfred F. Hooper; character certified to by J. H. Berlan, No. 21 Charles street; G. A. Hedden, No. 21 Barrow street; H. H. Hawkey, No. 86 Grove street; William McGloine, No. 347 West Fifty-third street; Charles A. Cragin, No. 246 Waverley place.

November 19. Patrick Hart; character certified to by C. D. Uffelman, No. 12 Lawrence street; M. J. McLaughlin, No. 255 West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; W. E. McDonald, No. 222 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street; F. L. Stahl, No. 388 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; James W. Phelan, No. 2011 Seventh avenue.

October 26. John McCrea; character certified to by P. F. O'Neill, No. 185 Franklin street; P. T. Dowdall, No. 52 West Broadway; John Ford, No. 62 West Broadway; P. J. McCann, No. 74 Beach street; J. C. Scully, No. 154 Duane street.

October 21. John Maynard; character certified to by George Hall, No. 181 Forsyth street; Simon Hatch, No. 56 East Seventy-fifth street; Thomas Cunningham, One Hundred and Thirtieth street and Hamilton place; James Hemon, No. 149 East Forty-second street; Walter Murray, No. 166 West Sixty-fourth street.

October 20. Adolph Oppenheim; character certified to by Jacob Halefinger, No. 444 West Thirty-eighth street; Frederick Helbig, No. 535 Eighth avenue; G. W. Harris, No. 403 West Thirty-fifth street; Louis Hassengrath, No. 421 Tenth avenue; Philip Leins, No. 400 West Thirty-eighth street; Sigmund Hecht, No. 457 West Fiftieth street.

October 20. John J. Brennan; character certified to by D. D. Hopkins, No. 216 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; G. B. Brown, No. 62 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; Joseph Murphy, No. 2341 Fourth avenue; C. O. Hubbell, No. 2027 Fifth avenue; Jacob Vaughn, No. 56 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

November 19. John J. O'Connor; character certified to by J. A. Macneiven, No. 47 Seventh street; D. H. Kersey, No. 315 Sixth street; Hugh Cummings, No. 91 Eighth street; George Little, No. 57 Seventh street; M. J. McCormick, No. 47 Seventh street.

October 21. James A. Buckley; character certified to by F. A. Frison, No. 246 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Walter Scott, No. 384 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Frederick W. Turner, No. 91 Lawrence street; M. J. McLaughlin, No. 255 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Edward Glennen, One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Ninth avenue.

November 12. Thomas F. O'Rourke; character certified to by E. J. Kelly, No. 17 Bond street; S. Simon, No. 222 East Thirteenth street; Louis Hirsch, No. 37 Third avenue; F. McElroy, Fourteenth street and University place; John Hayes, No. 108 East Eleventh street.

October 20. Morris Schwartz; character certified to by Marcus Weil, No. 321 East Houston street; Adolph Metzger, No. 336 East Houston street; Henry Ehrmann, No. 28 Clinton street; Henry Weiss, No. 403 East Fifty-second street; Isaac Meshner, No. 319 East Houston street.

October 21. D. J. Mahoney; character certified to by John Frazer, No. 2 Broome street; Moses Baumgarten, No. 119 Henry street; Benjamin Berkowitz, No. 77 Catharine street; John Manning, No. 223 Madison street; Walter S. Doe, No. 49 Catharine street.

October 21. Daniel J. Farrell; character certified to by Dennis Shields, No. 330 West street; C. M. Callahan, No. 116 King street; A. L. Horder, No. 316 Hudson street; Edward Finn, No. 314 Hudson street; Edward J. Donohue, No. 301 Hudson street.

October 26. Adam G. Arneith; character certified to by F. K. Keller, No. 123 West Forty-seventh street; J. P. Moses, No. 374 West Thirty-fifth street; Adolph Rupp, No. 406 West Thirty-fourth street; Philip Windecker, No. 330 West Thirty-eighth street; I. J. Siskind, No. 347 West Thirty-fifth street.

November 19. Edward McGowan; character certified to by John Schlitz, No. 968 Ninth avenue; H. T. Jones, No. 798 Ninth avenue; Hugh Teiman, No. 420 West Fifty-fifth street; William Scully, No. 427 West Fifty-fourth street; J. J. Carroll, No. 151 West Sixty-second street.

November 20. Patrick Sheehan; character certified to by L. A. Luddy, No. 26 Madison street; T. S. Clarke, No. 63 New Chambers street; F. J. O'Connor, No. 50 Roosevelt street; J. S. Dempsey, No. 62 Roosevelt street; P. C. Murphy, No. 49 Madison street.

October 26. Emil G. Leidel; character certified to by C. J. Kane, No. 421 East Seventy-eighth street; Lucius Schraidt, No. 528 East One Hundred and Twentieth street; Jacob Bauer, No. 441 East Eighty-fourth street; Diedrich Fink, No. 420 East Seventy-eighth street; George Maiz, No. 421 East Seventy-eighth street.

October 21. James Farley; character certified to by J. Fitzpatrick, No. 43 Great Jones street; F. C. Christie, No. 39 Spring street; Jacob Friedenthal, No. 221 Mott street; A. M. Van Roden, No. 30 Spring street; J. A. Mittnacht, No. 50 Spring street.

November 19. William H. Meyers; character certified to by W. E. McDonald, No. 222 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street; William H. Hunt, No. 2308 Eighth avenue; Henry Dexheimer, No. 2306 Eighth avenue; J. W. Lynch, No. 229 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street; T. P. Fowler, No. 200 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

October 20. John Fay; character certified to by S. S. Joyce, No. 118 Cedar street; John Mulvihill, No. 161 Washington street; John Flanagan, Pier 14, North river; P. J. Clabby, No. 124 Cedar street; William Houan, No. 147 Cedar street.

November 12. Denis Minogue; character certified to by Charles J. Charress, No. 892 Boulevard; T. F. T. One, Twelfth avenue and One Hundred and Thirtieth street; A. M. Vesler, Twelfth avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street; F. W. Turner, No. 91 Lawrence street; C. M. O'Leary, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Boulevard.

October 20. Leopold Michael; character certified to by Abraham Levy, No. 208 East Fifty-ninth street; Joseph Stein, No. 415 East Fifty-ninth street; Abraham Kleinman, No. 1095 Third avenue; Simon Obenfelder, No. 428 East Fifty-seventh street; Samuel Lewis, No. 230 East Fiftieth street.

October 26. Francis T. Waters; character certified to by J. W. Hudson, No. 56 Sixth avenue; M. J. Pendergast, No. 24 West Twenty-third street; Edward O'Reilly, No. 137 Waverley place; William M. Moran, No. 18 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street; Lawrence Mulry, No. 38 Bedford street.

November 1. George H. Helder; character certified to by H. C. King, No. 44 North Moore street; E. J. Bloom, No. 925 Fourth avenue; Charles Fitzpatrick, No. 456 Fourth avenue; Alexander Chubb, No. 1547 Fourth avenue; William J. Maguire, No. 114 East Thirty-second street.

December 16. Edward O'Neill; character certified to by James Keenan, No. 142 East Twenty-second street; J. J. O'Neill, No. 216 East One Hundred and Seventh street; B. Duffy, No. 508 West Thirty-fourth street; B. J. Rogers, No. 112 East Thirty-fifth street; T. K. Fletcher, No. 122 East Nineteenth street.

October 26. Richard J. Finn; character certified to by M. F. Loftus, No. 155 Cedar street; Henry Butzbach, No. 526 Greenwich street; Charles C. Hunt, No. 5 Charles street; G. Morris, No. 323 East Forty-second street; R. Smith, No. 338 East Thirteenth street.

October 21. Philip Heffernan; character certified to by J. P. Whelan, No. 426 Pearl street; Dennis Shea, No. 405 Pearl street; F. J. O'Connor, No. 50 Roosevelt street; J. P. Murray, No. 119 Worth street; Henry Grub, No. 179 Canal street.

November 19. Joseph T. Kesselmark; character certified to by James McCartney, No. 162 East Thirty-sixth street; Christian Branneck, No. 244 East Thirty-fifth street; Herman Clausen, No. 252 East Thirty-sixth street; John McDermott, No. 226 East Thirty-fifth street; J. J. Lindheimer, No. 237 East Thirty-third street.

October 21. James Keilt; character certified to by Charles Woods, No. 7 Oak street; James B. Mulry, No. 23 Rutgers street; D. F. Ring, No. 24 Cherry street; Fred. R. Usher, No. 1538 Broadway; James Keilt, No. 31 Oak street.

November 1. John T. Moran; character certified to by George Foster, No. 99 Pearl street; Thomas F. Moran, No. 230 Clinton street; James O'Connor, No. 50 Roosevelt street; Denis Shea, No. 365 Pearl street; John F. Keefe, No. 26 Oliver street.

November 12. Henry A. McDermott; character certified to by George Lawyer, No. 117 Mott street; S. C. Campbell, No. 168 West Twenty-third street; Boardman Burchard, No. 115 Worth street; James B. Mix, No. 133 West Ninety-second street; J. K. Farrell, No. 222 West Twenty-third street.

October 20. August Wiessner; character certified to by Julius Hausmann, No. 4 Fourth avenue; William C. Michaels, No. 82 East Fourth street; Anton Palmer, No. 127 East Fourth street; M. V. Anselmsen, No. 70 Second avenue; Thomas Clarke, No. 31 East Third street.

November 19. Charles J. Fahy; character certified to by F. B. Thurber, No. 49 West Twenty-fifth street; Terence Kenny, No. 387 Broome street; George Thom, No. 302 Broome street; J. L. LeGallez, No. 215 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; A. V. Ryder, No. 721 Broadway.

November 19. James T. Haddock; character certified to by John Norton, No. 50 King street; C. M. Havey, No. 360 West Forty-first street; Frank O'Kie, No. 114 Thompson street; James McGinty, No. 58 Vandewater street; John Loughlin, No. 50 Dominick street.

October 21. Robert N. Day; character certified to by Charles Welde, 77 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; T. F. Hayes, No. 47 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; A. J. White, No. 1937 Madison avenue; J. C. Munzinger, No. 113 West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; J. W. Oliver, No. 64 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

November 1. Edward A. Clonan; character certified to by P. F. McLaughlin, No. 109 Greenwich street; Henry Strauss, No. 23 Rector street; Lawrence O'Connor, No. 109 Washington street; Michael J. Duffy, No. 82 Greenwich street; Mrs. Joseph Wolf, No. 106 Greenwich street.

October 21. John Griffen; character certified to by D. F. Mullaney, No. 71 Charlton street; Patrick Curtis, No. 109 Charlton street; J. B. Hackett, No. 581 Greenwich street; Michael O'Brien, No. 559 Greenwich street; James Hanley, No. 629 Greenwich street.

December 6. George V. Reed; character certified to by Charles Blandy, No. 121 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street; Thomas Hardy, No. 585 Eighth avenue; S. J. Lucking, No. 1774 Tenth avenue; J. C. Martin, No. 1860 Tenth avenue; William Hardy, No. 343 Pleasant avenue.

October 26. John J. Magner; character certified to by Charles Foersch, No. 339 First avenue; R. Schreyer, No. 375 First avenue; E. C. Heerwagen, No. 302 East Twenty-first street; William Jaghstedsden, No. 310 Avenue A; John G. Schmidt, No. 338 First avenue.

October 26. Louis J. Dehm; character certified to by William Ennis, No. 1709 First avenue; J. A. Miller, No. 1714 First avenue; James O'Hara, No. 1702 First avenue; F. W. Burke, No. 355 East Eighty-eighth street; Robert Clarke, No. 339 East Eighty-eighth street.

October 26. James E. Ward; character certified to by R. A. Joyce, No. 1803 Washington avenue; A. W. Krauss, No. 1539 Third avenue; F. W. Adee, No. 45 Pine street; Thomas Banks, No. 204 Mott street; H. H. Chittenden, No. 137 Broadway.

October 26. Eugene Litchild; character certified to by A. S. Sanger, No. 50 East Sixty-third street; W. S. Corwin, No. 161 East Ninetieth street; Henry Schoenwald, No. 154 East Seventy-second street; Simon Fleisch, No. 125 East Sixty-third street; Joseph E. Steckler, No. 132 East Ninety-fourth street.

October 29. Hugh P. Cogan; character certified to by E. H. Dinan, No. 161 Madison street; Patrick Sexton, No. 147 Madison street; Patrick Courtney, No. 44 Market street; James Kilgrove, No. 48 Mott street; John Oehse, No. 181 Canal street.

November 26. Walter Wall; character certified to by J. J. Kehoe, No. 208 West Eighteenth street; H. W. Nordbrush, No. 103 Washington street; P. J. Cunneen, No. 116 Cedar street; Gerhard Postmann, No. 129 Washington street; S. S. Joyce, No. 118 Cedar street.

October 29. James Lawler; character certified to by William H. Leonard, No. 198 Bowery; Jere Byrnes, No. 3 Second avenue; W. G. Patton, No. 153 East Forty-fifth street; William Krapf, No. 166 Hester street; B. J. McCann, No. 218 Bowery.

October 21. John Foster; character certified to by Thomas Lyons, No. 6 Columbia street; David Guttentag, No. 82 Ridge street; Joseph Nelson, No. 192 Rivington street; Philip Dietz, No. 95 Ridge street; Peter Callan, No. 90 Ridge street.

October 26. Henry Rosenthal; character certified to by Gabriel Goldsmith, No. 411 East Houston street; Charles Cahn, No. 475 East Houston street; P. F. Ferrigan, No. 165 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street; J. S. Gans, No. 150 Water street; Raphael Tobias, No. 362 East Houston street.

December 16. Charles B. Stockmar; character certified to by A. C. Kumber, No. 105 East Houston street; George F. Peck, No. 226 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; C. F. O'Neill, No. 105 East Houston street; J. F. Costigan, No. 534 East Thirteenth street; Henry Koppermann, No. 519 East Thirteenth street.

October 29. Peter F. Costello; character certified to by James Cosgrove, No. 881 Tenth avenue; Roly Dunn, No. 1018 Tenth avenue; Michael Groh, No. 302 West Thirtieth street; J. W. Morris, No. 767 Eighth avenue; G. P. Morgan, No. 1524 Broadway.

November 19. Charles Hessen; character certified to by Hugh Brady, No. 55 East One Hundred and Tenth street; William H. Montgomery, No. 201 East One Hundred and Eleventh street; H. J. F. Hagan, No. 2118 Third avenue; Matthew McGrath, No. 308 East One Hundred and Eleventh street; M. W. Brooks, No. 179 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

October 26. William Wegman; character certified to by James E. Ruddy, No. 435 West Fifty-sixth street; John Schlitz, No. 869 Ninth avenue; V. Diefenthaler, No. 368 West Fifty-seventh street; Charles Hubner, No. 439 West Fifty-sixth street; James N. Morris, No. 767 Eighth avenue.

October 21. Jeremiah F. Blake; character certified to by E. C. Sheehy, No. 8 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Morris Jacoby, No. 1524 Second avenue; J. A. Lane, No. 427 East Eighty-eighth street; J. J. Frawley, No. 411 East Eighty-eighth street; James J. Jones, No. 430 East Eighty-ninth street.

November 1. Daniel Daly; character certified to by William F. Creed, No. 115 Montague street, Brooklyn; S. M. Fulton, No. 222 West Twenty-third street; A. D. Moulton, No. 112 Lexington avenue; M. C. Denneen, No. 149 West Thirty-sixth street; A. D. Knight, No. 102 Washington place.

November 19. John M. Benner; character certified to by Charles Buermann, No. 91 Columbia street; Joseph Dellert, No. 114 Eldridge street; Charles J. Rinsched, No. 159 First avenue; Jacob Miesel, No. 142 Rivington street; Louis Schmidt, No. 66 Clinton street.

October 26. Michael J. Gannon; character certified to by George Schlenker, No. 2026 Second avenue; William B. Davis, No. 1436 Lexington avenue; Alex. de Lackner, No. 1882 Third avenue; James Gribble, No. 352 East Eighty-seventh street; Matthew J. Fogerty, No. 74 East Ninety-second street.

October 21. John H. Mullen; character certified to by George W. Plunkitt, No. 442 West Fifty-first street; W. Mettenheimer, No. 797 Sixth avenue; A. Adelman, No. 625 Eighth avenue; William J. Ryan, No. 337 West Forty-first street; William Smith, No. 637 Eighth avenue.

October 21. James J. O'Neill; character certified to by Thomas Heffernan, No. 303 East Thirty-seventh street; Thomas J. Irwin, Thirty-sixth street and First avenue; Edward Elliott, No. 624 First avenue; J. S. Sills, No. 240 West Forty-fifth street; H. J. Sills, No. 240 West Forty-fifth street.

October 26. Michael J. Rooney; character certified to by Louis A. Buck, No. 239 Avenue A; Marx Taylor, No. 120 Avenue C; Thomas Daly, No. 242 Avenue C; Jacob Jester, No. 462 Third avenue; Charles T. Klopfer, No. 333 First avenue.

November 1. Christian Brihof; character certified to by M. L. Goetz, No. 2356 Second avenue; Fred Braender, No. 502 East Eighty-third street; John Danenhauer, No. 117 Leroy street; Henry Cordes, No. 145 East Ninetieth street; George Schreiner, No. 512 East Eighty-fourth street.

November 26. Frank J. Rohrig; character certified to by Edward Muller, No. 332 West Forty-eighth street; Isaac Aaron, No. 798 Eighth avenue; John Unger, No. 358 West Fiftieth street; Theodore Miller, No. 500 West Forty-eighth street; Charles O. Foster, No. 725 Ninth avenue.

October 26. Samuel F. Kenny; character certified to by Hugh Freel, No. 29 New Chambers street; Bernard Golden, No. 38 City Hall place; H. F. Behrmann, No. 31 New Chambers street; Paul J. Chappell, No. 56 Mott street; James Kilgore, No. 48 Mott street.

October 21. William Browne; character certified to by James J. Ryan, No. 133 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; Luther Church, First avenue and One Hundred and Second street; Henry Magure, No. 428 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street; David Barry, No. 350 East One Hundred and Twelfth street; John B. Sexton, No. 368 West Fifty-fifth street.

October 21. Edward Walsh; character certified to by Patrick Hagerty, No. 417 East Seventieth street; James Gallan, No. 114 East Eighty-eighth street; Manus O'Connor, No. 1540 First avenue; John Gould, No. 201 East Seventy-third street; C. J. Flynn, No. 1112 Third avenue.

October 26. Thomas J. Carney; character certified to by William A. Boyd, No. 31 West Fifty-third street; Michael Carmody, No. 49 Beekman street; Herman Stiefel, No. 750 Sixth street; Elias Sobel, No. 148 Henry street; Philip Sobel, No. 208 East East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

November 19. Everett K. Lewis; character certified to by R. B. Martine, No. 2017 Fifth avenue; M. Caffrey, No. 316 East Twenty-third street; P. W. Wilson, No. 6 Abington Square; William H. Mooney, No. 66 South street; William H. Mooney, Jr., No. 66 South street.

October 26. James F. Reynolds; character certified to by J. F. Byrnes, No. 187 East One Hundred and Eighth street; J. C. Munzinger, No. 15 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Charles Kavanagh, No. 112 East One Hundred and Sixth street; Daniel Shefflin, No. 112 East One Hundred and Sixth street; Michael Gent, No. 2060 Second avenue.

October 21. James J. Donnelly; character certified to by Isaiah Miller, No. 8 Morris street; H. D. Springhorn, No. 92 Greenwich street; Daniel Mooney, No. 95 Greenwich street; E. P. Turner, No. 30 State street; H. Mayrose, No. 124 Greenwich street.

November 12. Timothy M. Gray; character certified by William Eybel, No. 83 Lexington avenue; Jeremiah Heffernan, No. 341 First avenue; Patrick Sharkey, No. 321 Second avenue; E. C. Heerwagen, No. 302 East Twenty-first street; Robert Rosenthal, No. 505 East Thirteenth street.

November 1. John Britton; character certified to by G. W. Walling, No. 160 East One Hundred and Seventh street; Alexander Frazer, No. 22 West Thirty-sixth street; J. P. Mersereau, No. 143 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street; J. W. Boyle, No. 150 West Twelfth street; James A. Palmer, No. 230 East Fiftieth street.

November 1. Jay Taylor; character certified to by A. D. Hakes, No. 133 Eighth avenue; Peter Senzinger, No. 259 West Eighteenth street; F. Burns, No. 100 East Forty-ninth street; H. C. Newbury, No. 435 West Thirty-fourth street; M. B. Porterfield, Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue.

November 12. William J. McCarthy; character certified to by Adolph Powell, No. 346 East Forty-third street; Sigmund Cohn, No. 247 West Sixteenth street; John Fennell, No. 19 Avenue A; William P. Mitchell, No. 58 Seventh avenue; John D. Shea, No. 573 East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

November 19. Chester L. Scifard; character certified to by F. T. Smith, No. 309 West Fourteenth street; Samuel C. Ives, No. 744 Washington street; Thomas H. Horton, No. 833 Broadway; J. H. Thode, West Fourth street, corner Perry street; Thomas H. McLean, No. 101 West Fifty-second street.

October 29. Peter A. Prial; character certified to by George Hoppe, No. 636 Sixth avenue; W. Morton, No. 622 Sixth avenue; George Diercks, No. 405 West Thirty-sixth street; F. W. Saltzseider, No. 480 Sixth avenue; Ira Benedict, No. 60 West Thirty-eighth street.

October 21. John Hoar; character certified to by T. W. R. Flinn; No. 137 East Twenty-eighth street; T. F. Higgins, No. 543 East Thirteenth street; M. J. B. Messermer, No. 150 Second avenue; E. J. Messermer, No. 144 Second avenue; John Mahony, No. 824 Second avenue.

October 26. Michael Murphy; character certified to by M. C. Murphy, No. 441 Washington street; Herman Wilking, No. 272 West street; Louis Schlamm, No. 455 Canal street; William H. Berrigan, No. 584 Broome street; H. F. McCan, No. 2 Cannon street.

October 29. Bernard Cullen; character certified to by G. B. Shaw, No. 325 East Eighty-fourth street; Henry Faltermann, No. 402 East Seventy-sixth street; James McCarthy, No. 1427 Avenue A; Harry C. Hart, No. 437 East Eighty-fourth street; Bernard Mooney, No. 247 East Eighty-first street.

October 26. Michael R. Sheehan; character certified to by J. H. Hill, Twenty-third street and Broadway; C. W. Sanders, No. 53 East Fifty-third street; H. Schoonmaker, No. 21 Cortlandt street; J. B. Hayes, No. 115 Waverley place; J. E. Hill, No. 115 Waverley place.

November 12. Miles J. Forbes; character certified to by W. A. Hoe, No. 348 West Fifteenth street; John Kerrigan, No. 532 West Forty-sixth street; Frank Ferguson, No. 120 East Fifty-second street; W. P. Rinckhoff, No. 401 West Forty-sixth street; J. J. Ferguson, No. 650 Tenth avenue.

November 12. John Mangin; character certified to by T. F. Tone, Twelfth avenue and One Hundred and Thirtieth street; J. J. Donnellon, No. 558 West One Hundred and Forty-first street; L. A. Rodenstein, One Hundred and Fifth-fifth street and St. Nicholas avenue; James Rogers, foot West One Hundred and Thirty-second street; John Murray, No. 2349 Tenth avenue.

November 12. Frederick Doeri; character certified to by John Zimmerman, No. 715 East Ninth street; Lawrence Keenan, No. 625 East Ninth street; James Locke, No. 725 East Ninth street; Henry Balsler, Jr., No. 606 East Ninth street; John Brasenauer, No. 609 East Ninth street.

October 26. James Hearn; character certified to by James Burke, No. 542 Tenth avenue; M. F. Casey, No. 564 Tenth avenue; J. W. Farmer, No. 442 West Forty-second street; M. F. Joyce, No. 554 Tenth avenue; Henry Kelly, No. 424 West Forty-second street.

October 29. Matthew Cooney; character certified to by M. T. Reilly, No. 258 Tenth avenue; William E. Powers, No. 263 Tenth avenue; Peter Hughes, No. 446 West Twenty-sixth street; Patrick Cleary, No. 446 West Twenty-sixth street; James Haughey, No. 446 West Twenty-sixth street.

October 26. Edward F. Sullivan; character certified to by John Hourigan, No. 335 East Thirty-first street; Matthew Clune, No. 395 Lexington avenue; Robert Dugan, No. 357 East Twentieth street; E. L. Paine, No. 53 West Thirty-third street; Peter A. Cassidy, No. 245 East Forty-ninth street.

November 12. Roger S. McCoy; character certified to by Michael Naughton, No. 409 East Twenty-second street; G. G. Bauzer, No. 339 East Twenty-second street; Henry Stiehl, No. 348 East Twenty-third street; James Slevin, No. 222 West Thirty-seventh street; Kaspar Muller, No. 381 First avenue.

October 26. Thomas Slattery; character certified to by William J. Merrill, No. 132 Chambers street; J. H. Moses & Co., No. 205 Washington street; J. S. Broman, No. 313 East Fourteenth street; Jacob Goldsmith, No. 37 East Sixty-third street; John W. Peck, Nos. 64 and 66 Broadway.

Very respectfully,  
G. K. ACKERMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following abstract of the transactions of this Department for the week ending December 8, 1889:

Streets Swept.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Miles. Rows include 'By Department forces' (1,035.824) and 'By contract, lower Broadway' (15.000), totaling 1,050.824.

Material Collected.

Table with 4 columns: Description, Ashes and Garbage, Street Sweepings, Total Loads. Rows include 'By Department forces' (21,367), 'By contract—Lower Broadway' (59), and 'On permit—Bureau of Markets' (367), totaling 26,232.

Final Disposition of Material.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Loads. Rows include 'At sea and behind bulkheads' (30,565) and 'In lots for fertilizing, filling-in, etc.' (2,500), totaling 33,065.

Appointments.

- James Leavy, Hostler at Stables.
John Casey, Hired Cart, Fourteenth Precinct.
John B. Frega, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.
John Bracken, Department Cart Driver.
Daniel Ryan, Department Cart Driver.
Thomas Brennan, Department Cart Driver.
Henry Drost, Hired Cart, Thirty-third Precinct.
Michael Leamy, Hired Cart, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
Terence Reilly, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
Tony Spanard, Laborer, Tenth Precinct.
James Slevin, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
Rocco Zaruolo, Laborer, Eleventh Precinct.
Nicholas Eichhorn, Department Cart Driver.
Peter McLinay, Laborer, Sixth Precinct.
Michael Mayer, Hired Cart, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
Charles Brennan, Hired Cart, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

\* Balance of material collected, 365 loads, remains on scows.

- Daniel McCarthy, Laborer, Seventh Precinct.
Andrew Weibert, Hired Cart, Thirty-third Precinct.
Richard Muller, Hired Cart, Sixth Precinct.
Francesco Perone, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
Thomas Burton, Laborer, Ninth Precinct.
Michele Casello, Laborer, Thirteenth Precinct.
Frank Fitz Allen, Department Cart Driver.
Carlo Ciani, Laborer, Fourteenth Precinct.
Domenico Alfano, Laborer, Fifth Precinct.
Anselino Zepoli, Laborer, Eleventh Precinct.
Vincenzo Dorrille, Laborer, Seventh Precinct.
James Maher, Department Cart Driver.
George Adelman, Department Cart Driver.
Thomas Cumiskey, Laborer, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
John T. McGowan, Laborer, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
Michael McDonnell, Laborer, Twenty-third Precinct.
John Metz, Laborer, Eighteenth Precinct.
Stanislau Lis, Laborer, Fourteenth Precinct.
Kazimierz R. Siczinsky, Laborer, Fourteenth Precinct.

Transfer.

Hugh Kane, Laborer, Twenty-second Precinct to Twentieth Precinct.

Resigned.

L. Martin, Hired Cart, Thirty-third Precinct.

Bills Audited

—and transmitted to Finance Department:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 'Schedule No. 85' items like 'Brown, M. B., stationery' (\$64.25) and 'Total' (\$1,853.76).

—chargeable to appropriation for 1889, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 'Contracts' (\$428.57), 'Sweeping' (255.61), 'Carting' (505.29), 'Final Disposition' (600.04), 'Rentals and Contingencies' (64.25), totaling \$1,853.76.

Schedule No. 86—

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 'Timmerman, J. H., City Paymaster, wages—Laborers, etc., last fifteen days of November' (\$11,530.58) and 'Total' (\$34,191.11).

—chargeable to appropriation for 1889, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 'Administration' (\$402.00), 'Sweeping' (12,070.52), 'Carting' (20,584.30), 'Final Disposition' (1,134.29), totaling \$34,191.11.

Schedule No. 87—

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Row: 'Timmerman, J. H., City Paymaster, pay-rolls, Foremen, Inspectors, etc., for the month of November' (\$6,165.50).

—chargeable to appropriation for 1889, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 'Administration' (\$4,671.50), 'Final Disposition' (1,494.00), totaling \$6,165.50.

Schedule No. 88—

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 'Early & Co., John, supplies' (\$487.65), 'Jones, Hamilton, newspapers' (8.90), 'Naughton, James, carriage hire' (32.00), 'Sangunitto, James, services as Watchman' (40.00), 'Shanley, B. M. & J. F., final disposition' (791.12), 'The Chapman-O'Neill Manufacturing Co., supplies' (205.50), 'The Barney Dumping-boat Co., hired scows' (940.00), totaling \$7,085.23.

—chargeable to appropriation for 1889, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 'Sweeping' (\$200.90), 'Carting' (8.80), 'Final Disposition' (6,812.07), 'Rentals and Contingencies' (54.46), totaling \$7,085.23.

Bids for Feed.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include 'J. Fitzpatrick, approved' (\$579.94), 'T. P. Huffman & Co.' (585.74), 'P. Lenane & Bro.' (588.84), 'J. E. Connolly' (610.51).

Public Moneys Collected

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Row: 'For trimming scows' (\$1,022.60).

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NOS. 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 26, 1889.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

Trials.

Fireman 3d grade Robert Johnson, Engine 6. Accused failed to appear, reported sick through counsel and requested adjournment. Medical officer instructed to visit accused and report. Adjourned to December 4.

Fireman 1st grade John S. Cleary, Engine 27, who was found guilty of "disobedience of orders," sentence suspended on 20th instant. Fined two days' pay, and in event of failure to fully comply to have further charges preferred against him.

Requisitions, etc. Expenditures Authorized.

Table listing various requisitions and expenditures with amounts in dollars and cents, such as 'Articles for issue to Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings' for \$534.00.

Referred.

Foreman in charge of Hospital and Training Stables— Two Horses for Engine 34. Back with directions to select. 600 00

Filed.

Foreman Hook and Ladder 14—Reporting leaks in roof of company quarters. Contractors directed to repair as required by the warranty in contract. Bookkeeper—Returning resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with report of unexpended balances for the year 1888, which had been communicated. Approved.

Communications, etc.

Referred.

Foreman Engine 51—Reporting rescue from drowning of John Cane, by Engineer of steamer William Purdy, Engine 51, and Department Lineman Edward Murray, with recommendation that names of the rescuers be placed on the Roll of Merit. To Chief of Department for further report. Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violation of law with recommendations. Recommendations approved. To the Attorney.

Samuel Eastman & Co.—Calling attention to new appliance for handling hose. To Chief of Department.

The President called up the question of the advisability of obtaining a new site for Repair Shops and practicing and testing grounds on the river front. To Commissioner Robbins for examination, report and recommendation.

Filed.

Commissioner Robbins—Returning petition of the Atlantic Ammunition Company and others, to make exception in rules requiring license and sureties for selling gunpowder, etc., with recommendations. Approved.

Chief of Department—Returning report of action of Fireman 3d grade Edward W. Filhardt, with opinion and recommendation that a separate record of honorable mention be kept of services performed outside the line of duty. Approved.

Theatre Detail at Harlem Opera House—Reporting a slight fire.

Medical Officer—Returning application of Clerk William H. Hart to be placed on the Life Insurance Fund, with recommendation to grant. Granted.

Civil Service Examining Board—Certifying names upon the eligible list for the position of firemen:

- List of names for firemen: Daniel Duggan, Charles L. Kraemer, Frederick S. Bieber, Thomas F. McCue, William Guerin, Martin R. McGowan, William J. Wieland, Bartholomew McDermott, Michael Hayden, John Martin, John E. Satchwell, James J. Butler, Thomas Mitchell, John P. Howe, John Dempsey, Patrick R. McCollum, John B. Heron, William H. Lorenze, Robert Oswald, George Gausmann, Thomas F. Burke, William E. Stanton, Cornelius Ward, Albert Nissen, George H. Smalley.

Laid Over.

United States Auxiliary Fire Alarm Co.—Relative to connecting certain patented devices with street alarm boxes. Adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, November 27, 1889.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

Communications.

Filed, etc.

Civil Service Examining Board—Certifying name of William J. Finley for position of Fire Record Clerk. Ordered that he be appointed Fire Record Clerk at a salary of \$1,500 per annum from the first proximo.

Bills Audited.

Schedule No. 64 of 1889.

Arctander Annie and Jacob Seibold—New houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies. \$5,836.86. Adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, 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 P. BARKER.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM H. RURODE, 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. ACE LOOMIS, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

No. 31 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. KERSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. SPORNS, 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. ARTEMAS S. CADY, 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. HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., 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. 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, FREDRICK 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, to 12 M.

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. 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; 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. JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; 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 MEAKIN, President; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M. W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. McGRATH, Examiner.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk. General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, JR., Clerk. Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.

Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.

Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. McCALL, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.

Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.

Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk. Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20. SAMUEL GOLDBERG Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

General Term, Room No. 35.

Special Term, Room No. 33.

Equity Term, Room No. 30.

Chambers, Room No. 33.

Part I., Room No. 34.

Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 37, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Justice; 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.

CITY COURT.

City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20. Part II., Room No. 21. Part III., Room No. 15. Part IV., Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

JOYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10 1/2 o'clock A.M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A.M., excepting Saturday.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street.

PETER MITCHELL, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street.

CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street.

GEORGE B. DEANE, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue.

ALFRED STECKLER, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

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

HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street.

SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.

AMBROSE MONELL, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.

JOHN JEROLAMAN, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street.

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street.

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

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 3068, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

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

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

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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 27th day of January, 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 26, 1889.

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 3120, No. 1. Sewer in Hamilton place, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets.

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

No. 1. East side of Hamilton place, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to a point distant about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Fortieth street; west side of Hamilton place, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Fortieth street; both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth, One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, from Tenth avenue to Hamilton place, and west side of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Fortieth 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 22d day of January, 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 21, 1889.

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 3090, No. 1. Sewer in Fourth avenue, west side, between Ninety-ninth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets.

List 3114, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling the sidewalks on the west side of Madison avenue, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, and on the south side of One Hundred and First street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

List 3118, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling south side of Eighty-fifth street, between Madison and Park avenues.

List 3121, No. 4. Extension of sewer in Front street, between Old Slip and Wall street.

List 3124, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

List 3125, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling the sidewalks on both sides of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Eleventh to One Hundred and Forty-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. West side of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Third streets, and both sides of Ninety-eighth, Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

No. 2. West side of Madison avenue, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, and on the south side of One Hundred and First street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

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

No. 4. Both sides of Front street, from Gouverneur lane to Wall street, and east side of Gouverneur lane, from Front to Water street.

No. 5. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

No. 6. Both sides of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Eleventh to One Hundred and Nineteenth street; east side, from One Hundred and Nineteenth street, extending 76 feet northerly; west side, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street; west side, from One Hundred and Twenty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; east side, from One Hundred and Thirtieth street, extending 100 feet northerly; west side, extending 100 feet southerly from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; west side, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; both sides, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, and One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-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 18th day of January, 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 17, 1889.

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 3109, No. 1. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Lenox avenue.

List 3110, No. 2. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Ninety-seventh street and Tenth avenue.

List 3117, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

List 3119, No. 4. Alterations and improvements to sewer in Tenth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets.

List 3113, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from First to Second avenue.

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. North side of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Lenox to Seventh avenue.

No. 2. North side of Ninety-seventh street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and east side of Tenth avenue, from Ninety-seventh to Ninety-eighth street.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from Seventy-seventh to Eighty-first streets; also both sides of Seventy-seventh, Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from First to Second avenue.

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 30th day of December, 1889.

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, November 30, 1889.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved land 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 streets, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3099, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

List 3106, No. 3. Paving the Southern Boulevard, from the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Willis avenue, with trap blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3108, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in Rider avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, with a branch in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Rider and Morris avenues.

List 3123, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Seventh street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

List 3129, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Ninety-second street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

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

and Tenth street to Manhattan street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of the Southern Boulevard, from the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue to a point half way between Willis avenue and Brown's place, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Commencing at the northerly corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Rider avenue; thence running northeasterly through the centre of the block to Third avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; thence northerly along the westerly side of Third avenue to One Hundred and Forty-third street; thence northerly and including both sides of Third avenue to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; thence westerly along One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to the westerly side of Morris avenue; thence southwesterly to the easterly side of Mott Haven Canal; thence southerly along the canal to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence easterly along One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the place of beginning.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 6. Both sides of Ninety-second street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 30th day of December, 1889.

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, November 29, 1889.

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 3094, No. 1. Paving West End avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3096, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Twelfth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

List 3100, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling west side of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets.

List 3101, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

List 3103, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling east side of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

List 3104, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling both sides of Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, from Second to Third avenue.

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 West End avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Twelfth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, extending easterly 387 feet 6 inches, and westerly 269 feet 7 inches from Twelfth avenue.

No. 3. West side of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Twelfth to One Hundred and Thirteenth street.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, excepting the lots situated on the north side of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, commencing 85 feet easterly from Lenox avenue, and extending 100 feet easterly.

No. 5. East side of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

No. 6. Both sides of Ninetieth street, from Second to Third avenue, and north side of Eighty-ninth street, extending 110 feet easterly from Third avenue.

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 24th day of December, 1889.

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, November 23, 1889.

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 3111, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging east side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street.

List 3112, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling north side of Sixty-second street, from Second to Third avenue.

List 3115, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling east side of Avenue A, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

List 3116, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling south side of Ninetieth street, from First to Second avenue.

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. East side of Fifth avenue, commencing at Sixty-fifth street and running northerly about 150 feet 5 inches.

No. 2. North side of Sixty-second street, commencing 105 feet westerly from Second avenue, and running westerly about 50 feet, upon lots known as Block 266, Ward Nos. 10 and 20.

No. 3. East side of Avenue A, commencing at Eighty-eighth street and extending southerly about 101 feet.

No. 4. South side of Ninetieth street, from First to Second avenue.

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 27th day of December, 1889.

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, November 26, 1889.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING), NEW YORK, December 2, 1889.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY of New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1889, to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1890, as provided by section 846 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1889, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1890, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the seventh day of October, 1889, on which day the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1889 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 843 of said act.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 26, 1889.

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 Rose street, from Third avenue to Bergen avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, November 15, 1889, and entered on the 21st day of November, 1889, 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 37, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 2 P.M., and all payments made thereon, on or before January 27, 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.

THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller.

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

Laying a crosswalk across Avenue A, at the southerly side of Eightieth street.

Laying a crosswalk 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 recurling 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 recurling Seventy-ninth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

Paving Manhattan avenue, from Morningside avenue, near One Hundred and Thirteenth 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 Thirteenth 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 recurling, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

Seventy-seventh street, south side, flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurling, 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.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, November 14, 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 January 28, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 4, 1889.

**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-second street, from Rider avenue to St. Ann's avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, October 14, 1889, and entered on the 28th day of October, 1889, 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 908 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 908 of 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 December 31, 1889, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
NO. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),  
NEW YORK, November 1, 1889.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Receiver of Taxes of the City of New York to all persons whose taxes for the year 1889 remain unpaid on the 1st day of November of said year, that unless the same shall be paid to him, at his office, on or before the 1st day of December of said year, he will charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such taxes, one per centum on the amount thereof, and charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January thereafter, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from October 7, 1889, the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants therefor were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, as provided by sections 843, 844 and 845 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

**REAL ESTATE RECORDS.**

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 6r volumes, full bound, price.....	\$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound.....	50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding.....	15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound.....	10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

**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.

J. S. COLEMAN,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

**THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Normal College Building, corner Sixty-ninth street and Fourth avenue, by the Executive Committee on Normal College, until Friday, December 27, 1889, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for supplying the books, stationery, etc., required during the year 1890. Samples of goods to be supplied must accompany each proposal and be marked with the bidder's name.

SAMUEL M. PURDY,  
Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN,  
Secretary.  
Dated New York, December 11, 1889.

**NEW AQUEDUCT.**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the eighteenth day of January, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners, and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the County of Westchester, and is laid out and indicated on two similar or duplicate maps filed, one in the office of the Register of Westchester County, at White Plains, in said county, and the other in the office of the Register of New York County, both filed in said offices on the 14th day of November, 1889, and each bearing the following certificate, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court made by Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, Justice, dated November 21, 1889, filed in Westchester County Clerk's Office, November 22, 1889.

"We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, of the State of New York, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further testify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in such section, this 23d day of October, 1889. Signed, Theo. W. Myers, Comptroller; Thos. F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works; James C. Duane, John J. Tucker, Francis M. Scott, Walter Howe, Commissioners."

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected is required for the construction and maintenance of the dam and reservoir known as "Reservoir M," or "Titicus Reservoir," and the following is a statement of the boundaries of said dam and reservoir, and of the portion of the real estate to be acquired therefor under this proceeding:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land and real estate in the town of North Salem, County of Westchester and State of New York, which taken together constitute a tract of land particularly described and shown on said map and bounded by the following lines: Beginning at a stone monument marked "A. C." in the road from Golden's Bridge to Croton Falls and running thence north 31 degrees 49 minutes, east 410 and 10-10 feet; thence south 77 degrees 23 minutes east, 365 and 49-1-00 feet; thence south 87 degrees 53 minutes east, 163 and 70-100 feet; thence north 88 degrees 08 minutes east, 507 and 33-100 feet; thence south 82 degrees 27 minutes east, 612 and 89-100 feet; thence north 5 degrees 15 minutes east, 592 and 96-100 feet; thence north 88 degrees 15 minutes east, 200 and 36-100 feet; thence south 89 degrees 37 minutes east, 145 and 17-100 feet; thence north 56 degrees 53 minutes east, 160 and 9-100 feet; thence north 4 degrees 6 minutes east, 475 and 70-100 feet; thence south 68 degrees 12 minutes 30 seconds east, 779 and 37-100 feet; thence north 61 degrees 20 minutes east, 429 and 70-100 feet; thence north 82 degrees 25 minutes east, 866 and 90-100 feet; thence north 47 degrees 58 minutes east, 966 and 80-100 feet; thence north 82 degrees 54 minutes 30 seconds east, 1,282 and 90-100 feet; thence south 4 degrees 46 minutes 30 seconds west, 100 and 3-100 feet; thence south 4 degrees 32 minutes west, 226 and 24-100 feet; thence south 6 degrees 5 minutes west, 318 and 26-100 feet; thence south 3 degrees 44 minutes west, 653 and 89-100 feet; thence south 4 degrees 13 minutes west, 330 and 75-100 feet; thence south 86 degrees 20 minutes 30 seconds east, 466 and 13-100 feet; thence south 4 degrees 11 minutes west, 1,597 and 40-100 feet; thence south 35 degrees 09 minutes west, 819 and 60-100 feet; thence south 49 degrees 03 minutes east, 1,296 and 50-100 feet; thence south 48 degrees 24 minutes west, 1,031 feet; thence north 46 degrees 25 minutes west, 873 feet; thence south 81 degrees 29 minutes west, 878 and 40-100 feet; thence north 64 degrees 29 minutes west, 392 feet; thence north 50 degrees 34 minutes west, 255 feet; thence north 19 degrees 40 minutes west, 1,159 and 85-100 feet; thence north 53 degrees 31 minutes west, 730 and 33-100 feet; thence south 67 degrees 35 minutes west, 337 and 60-100 feet; thence south 73 degrees 54 minutes west, 768 and 43-100 feet; thence south 79 degrees 59 minutes west, 1,023 and 90-100 feet; thence north 47 degrees 31 minutes west, 905 and 9-100 feet; thence north 64 degrees 42 minutes west, 475 and 10-100 feet; thence north 53 degrees 59 minutes west, 1,882 feet, to the aforesaid stone monument set in the ground marked "A. C." being the place of beginning.

All the lands within the above boundaries are to be acquired in fee, and include all the parcels shown on said maps as Numbers 1 to 16, both inclusive. Reference is hereby made to the said similar maps filed as aforesaid in said offices of the Register of Westchester County and the Register of the City and County of New York for a more detailed description of the said real estate to be taken or affected, of which the boundaries are above stated.

Dated New York, December 3, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

Notice of application for confirmation of the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, Manhattan Island Section—Additional Lands—as to Parcels numbers seventy-four (74) and part of eighty-one (81), and as to damages to real estate contiguous thereto.

Public notice is hereby given, that I shall make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 28th day of December, 1889, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon

thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the confirmation of report as to Parcels Nos. seventy-four (74) and part of eighty-one (81), and real estate contiguous thereto, of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 7th day of June, 1889, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the same day.

Dated New York, November 29, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

**SUPREME COURT—NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the acts amendatory thereto. Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, in Westchester County, on the 4th day of January, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, all of whom shall reside in the County of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the acts amendatory thereto.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the City and County of New York, and is laid out and indicated on a map filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 23d day of October, 1889, and bearing the following certificate, to wit:

"Map No. 1, Department of Public Works. Property map of lands required for the construction of a blow-off at Shaft No. 24 on Section A of the New Croton Aqueduct, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, New York City. Note—Parcels A, B, C, D and E (colored pink) are to be taken in fee. In Parcels C and D said fee is taken subject to a perpetual right of way for railroad purposes. Scale, 50 feet = 1 inch. February, 1889. Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner, Department Public Works, G. W. Birdsall, Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works. The Aqueduct Commission. We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, and the acts amendatory thereto, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner described in said section this 21st day of August, 1889. Commissioners: Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner Public Works; J. C. Duane, John J. Tucker, Francis M. Scott, Walter Howe.

"State of New York, City and County of New York, ss.: On this 21st day of August, 1889, before me personally came Thomas F. Gilroy, James C. Duane, John J. Tucker, Francis M. Scott and Walter Howe, to me severally known, and known to me to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate and severally acknowledged that they executed the same. J. C. Lully, Notary Public, New York County (notarial seal), and of which the following is a statement of the external boundaries by courses and distances within which are included all the real estate required for the purpose of said New Aqueduct and shown upon said map, viz.:

All that certain parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, which point is distant 33 feet southerly at a right angle from the centre line of the New Croton Aqueduct, as shown on a certain map filed July 9, 1884, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York; thence north 56° 30' west, running parallel to said centre line and distant 33 feet therefrom, about 524,913 feet to the United States bulkhead-line on the easterly side of the Harlem river; thence north 35° 32' 30" east along said bulkhead-line about 66.05 feet to a point distant 33 feet northerly at right angles from said centre line; thence south 56° 30' east, running parallel to said centre line, and distant 33 feet therefrom, about 520,083 feet to the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue aforesaid; thence south 31° 21' west, 66.05 feet along the westerly line of said avenue to the point or place of beginning, containing .788 acres, more or less, and being designated as Parcels A, B, C, D and E, colored pink upon said map so filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, all of which parcels of land are to be taken in fee simple. In Parcels C and D said fee is to be taken subject to a perpetual right of way for railroad purposes.

Dated New York, October 29, 1889.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 17, 1889.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required in Building Two Fire Pumps for a 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. Monday, January 6, 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 C, Part 1," and the "General Clauses" and "Steam Trials" clauses of the specifications and to the drawings, all of which form part of these proposals.

The forms 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 one hundred and twenty-five (125) 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.

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 four thousand five hundred (4,500) 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 two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars. Such check or money must not be enclosed 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, December 17, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required in building Two Fire-pumps 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. Monday, January 6, 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 C, Part II," and the "General Clauses" and "Steam Trials" clauses of the specifications and to the drawings, all of which form part of these proposals.

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and twenty-five (125) 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.

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.

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HENRY D. PURROY,  
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ANTHONY EICKHOFF,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 17, 1889.

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. Monday, January 6, 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 one hundred and twenty-five (125) 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 enclosed 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.

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE and Apportionment, held December 18, 1889, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That this Board hereby designates and fixes Thursday, December 26, 1889, at eleven o'clock A. M., for a meeting to take up for consideration the Final Estimate for the year 1890, and that a notice thereof be published in the CITY RECORD, to allow the taxpayers of the City a hearing in regard thereto, as provided by section 129 of the Consolidated Act of 1882. CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, January 3, 1890, for Erecting a New School Building for Primary School No. 46 on Johnson Avenue or Kappock street, Spuyten Duyvil.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

ELMER A. ALLEN,  
LOUIS EICKWORT,  
JOSEPH J. MARRIN,  
JOHN E. EUSTIS,  
T. E. THOMSON,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, January 2, 1890, for New Furniture and Repairs to Furniture at Primary School No. 23, on One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, near Eighth Avenue.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,  
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until the same hour and at the same place as above mentioned, for supplying a Steam-heating Apparatus for the new building in course of erection for Primary School No. 43, on corner of Ogden Avenue and Orchard streets.

WILLIAM HOGG, Chairman,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

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

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

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

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

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Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.

DEPARTMENT OF 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. Friday, January 10, 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 1889.

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 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 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 enclosed 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, December 24, 1889.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHARLES S. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the following Hospital Supplies, viz:

- I.—ARTICLES TO BE DELIVERED IN INSTALLMENTS, AS MAY BE REQUIRED, DURING THE YEAR 1890.  
40.0 gallons, more or less, of two-stamp copper distilled Rye Whisky, to be delivered in lots as required during the year 1890. To be not less than three years old from date of warehouse entry stamp, with privilege of receiving deliveries direct from bonded warehouse on the order of the contractor. Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on distilled spirits during the year 1890, shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfulfilled at the time when the act making such alteration shall go into effect.

2,800 gallons, more or less, of pure medicinal Alcohol, of not less than 94 per cent. by volume of absolute alcohol, to be delivered in lots as required during 1890. The bidder to name a separate price for tax-paid, and for tax-free alcohol. Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on distilled spirits during the year 1890 shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfulfilled at the time when the act making such alteration shall go into effect.

160,000 yards, more or less, of Bleached Hospital Gauze, equal to sample, in 100-yard pieces, to be delivered in instalments as may be required.

7,000 pounds, more or less, of Absorbent Cotton, free from impurities, in one-pound rolls, equal to sample, to be delivered in fifty-pound boxes, and in such quantities at a time as may be required.

5,000 pounds, more or less, of Absorbent Lint, in one pound rolls, equal to sample, to be delivered in fifty pound boxes, and in such quantities at a time as may be required.

**II.—ARTICLES TO BE DELIVERED IN FULL AS SOON AFTER THE AWARD OF THE CONTRACT AS POSSIBLE.**

1,000 pounds pure, colorless medicinal Glycerin, of the standard of the United States Pharmacopœia, to be delivered in fifty-pound boxed cans.

4,500 pounds pure white medicinal Carbolic Acid, of the standard of the United States Pharmacopœia, to be delivered in one-pound flint-glass, unlettered bottles, properly labeled (with red-lettered label and "poison" label) and in boxes containing fifty pounds.

36 barrels pure, prime Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, in original imported packages.

1,200 pounds pure Castor Oil, American "crystal," in five-gallon boxed cans.

2,250 gross first quality, selected, long taper, Druggists' Corks, No. XX, free from lower grades, viz.: 350 gross No. 2; 450 gross No. 3; 400 gross No. 4; 350 gross No. 5; 350 gross No. 6; 200 gross No. 7; 150 gross No. 8.

All to be delivered in five-gross bags, properly marked.

—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, January 3, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Hospital Supplies," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

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

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said

Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

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

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING**

GROCERIES, ETC.

22,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, January 2, 1890.  
3,000 pounds Cheese.  
6,000 pounds Dried Apples.  
10,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.  
300 bushels Beans.  
100 barrels Crackers.  
1,200 pounds Cocoa.  
1,000 pounds Candles, 40-pound boxes, 16 ounces to the pound.

20,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.  
2,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.  
2,400 pounds Chicory.  
3,600 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include packages.

12,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.  
1,200 pounds Macaroni.  
16,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.  
125 bushels Dried Peas.  
800 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted.  
5,000 pounds Prunes.  
24,000 pounds Rice.  
400 bushels Rye.

364,000 pounds Brown Soap, all to be delivered within 60 days.  
64,000 pounds Brown Sugar.  
10,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
6,400 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.  
11,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.  
100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within 15 days.

1,600 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes.  
700 pounds Corn Starch, one pound packages.  
10,000 pounds Oolong Tea.  
13 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 per barrel.

3,000 gallons Syrup, in barrels.  
50 barrels first quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.  
1,200 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be perfectly cured, and to average not less than five pounds, to be delivered as required in boxes of four quintals each.

50 dozen Canned String Beans.  
50 dozen Canned Lima Beans.  
50 dozen Canned Corn.  
50 dozen Canned Peas.  
50 dozen Canned Peaches.  
50 dozen Canned Pears.  
50 dozen Canned Salmon.  
80 dozen Canned Tomatoes.  
50 dozen Chow Chow.  
12 dozen Gelatine.  
20 dozen Ghirkins.  
36 dozen Worcestershire Sauce.  
60 dozen Sea Foam.  
24 dozen Sapollo.

100 pieces prime quality city cured Bacon, about 6 pounds each.  
100 prime quality city cured Smoked Hams, about 14 pounds each.  
100 prime quality city cured Smoked Tongues, about 6 pounds each.  
20 tubs prime quality kettle-rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.

8,700 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.  
1,300 barrels good sound White Potatoes, 172 pound net per barrel.  
100 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.  
200 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.  
200 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.

3,200 heads prime good-sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels.  
300 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.  
100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.  
100 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.  
1,200 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net each.  
150 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.  
500 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare and weight same as on Hay.

40 dozen Bath Brick.  
70 dozen Shoe Blacking.  
100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each.

**CROCKERY.**

5 gross Handled Mugs.  
5 gross Chambers.  
2 gross Bed Pans.  
3 gross Spit Cups.  
1 gross Milk Pitchers.  
3 gross Tumblers.  
3 gross Male Urinals.  
10 gross Dinner Plates.  
5 gross Soup Plates.  
10 gross Bowls.  
1 gross Ewers.  
1 gross Basins.  
10 gross Cups.  
10 gross Saucers.  
1 gross Spittoons.  
1 gross Soap Dishes.  
3 gross Lantern Globes.  
1 gross Argand Chimneys.  
1 gross Lime Dishes.

**DRY GOODS.**

20 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound.  
1,000 yards Red Flannel.  
500 yards Table Linen.  
30,000 yards Bandage Muslin.  
5,000 yards Shroud Muslin.  
5,000 yards Bleached Muslin.  
5,000 yards Stillwater Muslin.  
100 pieces Oiled Muslin.  
500 dozen pairs Men's Socks.  
100 dozen pairs Boys' Socks.  
100 dozen pairs Women's Stockings.  
100 dozen pairs Girls' Stockings.  
100 pieces Crinoline, 12 yards each.  
50 dozen Handkerchiefs.

20 G. gross Brace Buttons.  
150 gross Coat Buttons.  
25 M. Sewing Needles, 4 No. 3, 8 No. 4, 8 No. 5 and 5 No. 6.  
12 gross Knitting Needles.  
200 packs Pins.  
200 gross Safety Pins, 80 No. 2, 120 No. 3.  
200 gross Cotton Shoe Laces.  
200 bunches Leather Laces.  
20 gross Fine Combs.  
20 gross Plantation Combs.  
100 pounds Coarse Twine.  
100 pounds Medium Twine.  
300 pounds Broom Twine.  
300 pounds Sail Twine.  
100 pounds Sash Cord.  
50 pounds Cotton Cord.  
300 pounds Curled Hair.  
100 dozen Cotton Mops.

**IRON AND TIN.**

10 bundles Common Sheet Iron, No. 22.  
5 bundles RG. Iron, 24 x 84.  
5 bundles RG. Iron, 26 x 84.  
10 bundles BF. Galvanized Iron, No. 24.  
3 bundles Hoop Iron, 3/4 inch.  
20 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin, 14 x 20.  
20 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin, 14 x 20.  
20 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin IX., 10 x 14.  
3 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin IX., 12 x 12.  
2 boxes first quality Roofing Tin.  
10 pigs first quality Block Tin.

**HARDWARE, ETC.**

12 dozen Scoop Shovels.  
12 dozen Flat Shovels.  
12 dozen Spades.  
5 kegs Horse Shoes, No. 4.  
30 coils bright Iron Wire, 5 each, Nos. 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14.  
25 stones bright Broom Wire, No. 18.  
10 gross Tinned Kettle Ears, 2 No. 3, 4 No. 6, 4 No. 8.  
12 dozen Taper Saw Files, 6 each 4 and 5.  
1 dozen Molasses Gates.  
2 dozen Water-cooler Faucets.  
6 dozen Glass Cutters.  
72 dozen each Knives and Forks.  
6 dozen Butchers' Knives.  
6 dozen Putty Knives.  
6 dozen Razors.  
25 gross Table Spoons.  
10 gross Tea Spoons.  
6 dozen Barber's Shears.  
12 dozen Scissors, "Seymour's," 8 inches.  
30 dozen Paper Carpet Tacks, 6 each, 2, 6, 8, 10 and 12 ounces.  
25 gross Women's Thimbles.  
100 dozen Spectacles.  
12 dozen Carpenter's Pencils.  
6 dozen Rules, 2 feet.  
12 gross Patent Peg Awls.  
2 dozen Heel Shaves.  
6 dozen Shoe Ink.  
6 dozen Shoe Knives.  
6 dozen Sand Stones.  
50 quires Sand Paper, 10 each, No. 1, 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2, 3.  
24 quires Emery Cloth, assorted.  
100 Sledge Hammer Handles.  
100 Striking Hammer Handles.  
100 Pickaxe Handles.

**WOODENWARE, ETC.**

10 coils best quality 5-thread Manila Rope.  
5 coils best quality 15-thread Manila Rope.  
1 coil best quality Manila Bolt Rope, 2 1/2".  
1 coil best quality Manila Bolt Rope, 3 1/2".  
12 dozen Washboards.  
100 gross Clothes Pins.  
24 dozen Mop Handles.  
30 gross Matches.  
10 gross Safety Matches.  
12 dozen Stove Brushes.  
24 dozen Dust Brushes.  
12 dozen Window Brushes.  
6 dozen 6" Paint Brushes.  
12 dozen Shoe Brushes.  
12 dozen Whitewash Brushes.  
24 dozen Hair Brushes.

**WHITE LEAD, LEATHER AND LIME.**

10,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from adulteration or any added impurities, and subject to analysis if necessary 50 roos, 50 50s, 100 25s.  
500 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each.  
300 sides first quality Waxed Kid Leather, to average about 11 feet.  
300 sides first quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.  
2,000 pounds Offal Leather.  
50 barrels best quality Rosendale Cement.  
50 barrels best quality Portland Cement.  
50 barrels best quality Common Lime.  
50 barrels best quality Whitewash Lime.  
50 barrels best quality Chloride of Lime, to contain not less than 32 per cent. of Chlorine.  
25 barrels Plaster Paris.

**LUMBER.**

50,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Board, 1" by 12 to 15" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
15,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Board, 3/4" by 12 to 15" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1" by 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/4" by 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/2" by 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 2" by 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.  
10,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine Shelving, 12 to 16" by 12 to 16 feet, dressed two sides.

500 first quality clear White Pine Boards, thoroughly seasoned, free from loose and black knots, 1" x 10" x 13 feet, tongued and grooved, dressed one side.  
100 Spruce Planks, 2 1/4", rough.  
100 Spruce Planks, 2", rough.  
500 Hemlock Joist, 3" x 4" by 13 feet.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.  
—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, January 3, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Leather, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

**PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house dock, Blackwell's Island (east side), 4,000 barrels extra Wheat Flour, in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels one-half of each quality, as follows, to be delivered in barrels only:

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, January 3, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1889.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
Commissioners Public Charities and Correction.

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

PROPOSALS FOR 2,000 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS ABOVE, will be received by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, December 31, 1889, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, for 2,000 tons Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds; to be well screened and delivered in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time, south of Eighty-fourth street, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in four thousand (\$4,000) dollars each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, December 17, 1889.  
HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
Commissioners Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1890.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING all the Meats required for the year 1890, to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City and County of New York, 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. on Saturday, December 28, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1890," 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.

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 furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000).

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

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

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.

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, December 14, 1889.  
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.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY FOR THE YEAR 1890.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Poultry for the year ending December 31, 1890, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Saturday December 28, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry for the year 1890," 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.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

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.

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.

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

Dated, NEW YORK, December 14, 1889.  
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.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED COW'S MILK, 1890.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Condensed Cow's Milk for the year, 1890, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, December 28, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Condensed Cow's Milk, 1890," 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.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) 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 shall 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 condensed cow's milk 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 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 National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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.

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.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department; and bidders are especially 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.

NEW YORK, December 14, 1889.  
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.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH COW'S MILK, 1890.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Fresh Cow's Milk for the year 1890, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, December 28, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Cow's Milk for Bellevue Hospital, etc., for the year 1890," 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 a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) 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 shall 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 Fresh Cow's Milk 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 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 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 be enclosed 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.

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, from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department; and bidders are especially 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, December 14, 1889. HENRY H. PORTER, President, CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH, ETC., FOR 1890.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING during the year ending December 31, 1890.

FRESH FISH, ETC.,

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, December 28, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc., for the year ending December 31, 1890," 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. 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 furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction. 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 TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) 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 shall 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 fresh fish, etc., 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 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 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 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.

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, from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department; and bidders are especially 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, December 14, 1889. HENRY H. PORTER, President, CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.

FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN ERECTING A HOSPITAL PAVILION FOR THE N. Y. CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, WARD'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, Tuesday, December 31, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Ward's Island Hospital," 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 TWENTY-FIVE (\$25,000) THOUSAND 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 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 enclosed 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, December 13, 1889. HENRY H. PORTER, President, CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner, EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner, Public Charities and Correction.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 320.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING CERTAIN parts of the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, East river, and for Repairing said Pier, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1890,

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work, is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description of materials and work, and Quantity/Price. Includes items like Yellow Pine Timber, Spruce Timber, White Oak Fender Piles, etc.

NOTE—The above quantities of timber, in items 1 and 2, are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

- 3. White Oak Fender Piles..... 17 (It is expected that these piles will have to be about 55 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
4. Resetting of White Oak Fender Piles..... 4
5. 7/8" x 27", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 16", 3/8" x 6", 3/8" x 10", 3/8" x 8", 3/8" x 7", 3/8" x 6", 3/8" x 5", 3/8" x 4" and 3/8" x 6" square Spike-pointed Dock Spikes, about..... 8,927 pounds.

- 6. 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about..... 18 "
- 7. Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring.
- 8. Labor of removing certain portions of the existing Pier at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, East river, and of removing all the old material from the premises.
- 9. Labor of every description required by the specification of this Contract.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination, of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities,

nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 10th day of April, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said pier, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST, JAMES MATTHEWS, J. SERGEANT CRAM, Commissioners of the Department of Docks. Dated New York, December 14, 1889.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January,

1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Lind avenue, extending from Devoc street to Sedgwick avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the western extremity of the southerly line of Lind avenue acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, on the 22d day of May, 1888.

1st. Thence easterly along said southerly line for 61.04 feet.

2d. Thence southerly, deflecting 125° to the right for 1,070.32 feet to the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue for 251.99 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 788.37 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Walnut avenue, extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant 1,222.78 feet from the intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; running thence

1st. Easterly along the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,613.85.

3d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly for 1,613.85 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant 1,170.60 feet easterly from the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; running thence

1st. Easterly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 805 feet.

3d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 60 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly 805 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Hampden street, extending from Sedgwick avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Jerome avenue, distant 1,846.47 feet from the intersection of the northerly line of Burnside avenue with the westerly line of Jerome avenue, measured along the westerly line of Jerome avenue.

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Jerome avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left for 834.06 feet;

3d. Thence westerly, deflecting 26° 4' 34" to the left for 141.14 feet;

4th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 35° 39' 14" to the right for 563.08 feet;

5th. Thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 182.50 feet, for 226.02 feet to a point of compound curve;

6th. Thence southwesterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 495 feet, for 27.69 feet to a point of reverse curve;

7th. Thence westerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 98.78 feet, for 86.57 feet to a point of compound curve;

8th. Thence northwesterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 100 feet, for 84.45 feet to a point of reverse curve;

9th. Thence northwesterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 235 feet, for 132.20 feet to a point of reverse curve;

10th. Thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 20 feet, for 39.58 feet to the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue;

11th. Thence southerly along the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue for 129.61 feet;

12th. Thence easterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 50 feet, for 39.34 feet to a point of compound curve;

13th. Thence southeasterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 175 feet, for 142.90 feet to a point of reverse curve;

14th. Thence southeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 160 feet, for 135.12 feet to a point of compound curve;

15th. Thence easterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 158.78 feet, for 139.14 feet to a point of reverse curve;

16th. Thence northeasterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 435 feet, for 41.66 feet to a point of compound curve;

17th. Thence easterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 122.50 feet, for 151.71;

18th. Thence southeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 582.38 feet;

19th. Thence easterly, deflecting 35° 39' 14" to the left for 138.70 feet;

20th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 54° 45' 06" to the left for 3.50 feet;

21st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 80° 49' 49" to the right for 826.66 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Cammann street, extending from Fordham road to Harlem River Terrace, 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, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, on the 14 day of September, 1888, said point of beginning being distant 55.09 feet, southerly from the northwesterly corner of said Sedgwick avenue, measured along the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue;

1st. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue for 54.21 feet to a point of compound curve;

2d. Thence northwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 14.87 feet for 38.78 feet to a point of compound curve;

3d. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 2,000 feet, for 345.53 feet;

4th. Thence southwesterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course for 122.73 feet;

5th. Thence westerly deflecting 51° 48' 35" to the right for 611.54 feet;

6th. Thence northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 5,845 feet, and of which a radial line, passing through its southern extremity, makes an angle of 33° 51' 40" with the westerly prolongation of the preceding course for 71.95 feet;

7th. Thence easterly, deflecting 33° 8' 21" to the left from the southeasterly prolongation of a radial line passing through the northern extremity of the preceding course for 54.70 feet;

8th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 51° 48' 35" to the left for 245.70 feet;

9th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 24° 54' 35" to the right for 163.92 feet;

10th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 9° 40' to the left for 97.91 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court

on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as George street, extending from the Boston road to Prospect 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Forest avenue, distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the westerly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Forest avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° 12' 47" to the left, for 603.03 feet, to the easterly line of the Boston road;

3d. Thence southerly along the easterly line of the Boston road for 24.63 feet;

4th. Thence easterly for 624.91 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Forest avenue distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Forest avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 13" to the right, for 269.93 feet, to the westerly line of Tinton avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Tinton avenue for 50 feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 269.97 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Tinton avenue, distant 573.72 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Tinton avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northerly on the easterly line of Tinton avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 27" to the right for 644.66;

3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° 13' 23" to the right for 50 feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 644.64 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Harlem River Terrace, extending from Cedar avenue to Fordham road, 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Forest avenue, distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the westerly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Forest avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° 12' 47" to the left, for 603.03 feet, to the easterly line of the Boston road;

3d. Thence southerly along the easterly line of the Boston road for 24.63 feet;

4th. Thence easterly for 624.91 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Forest avenue distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Forest avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 13" to the right, for 269.93 feet, to the westerly line of Tinton avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Tinton avenue for 50 feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 269.97 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Tinton avenue, distant 573.72 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Tinton avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northerly on the easterly line of Tinton avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 27" to the right for 644.66;

3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° 13' 23" to the right for 50 feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 644.64 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Cauldwell avenue, extending from the Boston road to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, and from Clifton street to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point situated 12,613.10 feet north of the eastern prolongation of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured at right angles with the same from a point 1,537.15 feet east of the intersection of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street with the eastern line of Tenth avenue;

1st. Thence northerly, on a line deflecting 4° 59' 22" to the left from a line parallel to Tenth avenue for 166.85 feet;

2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 21° 20' 20" to the right for 837.82 feet;

3d. Thence northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 5,795 feet for 267.57 feet;

4th. Thence northeasterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course for 288.98 feet;

5th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 80°, 48', 16" to the right for 50.65 feet;

6th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 99°, 11', 44" to the right for 297.07 feet;

7th. Thence southwesterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 5,845 feet, for 269.87 feet;

8th. Thence southwesterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course for 828.40 feet;

9th. Thence southerly, deflecting 21°, 20', 20" to the left, for 116.46 feet;

10th. Thence westerly, for 6,464 feet, to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, December 20, 1889.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of court on

that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Cedar avenue, extending from the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, opposite the junction of Burnside avenue and Sedgwick avenue, to Fordham road, 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, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Forest avenue, distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the westerly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Forest avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° 12' 47" to the left, for 603.03 feet, to the easterly line of the Boston road;

3d. Thence southerly along the easterly line of the Boston road for 24.63 feet;

4th. Thence easterly for 624.91 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Forest avenue distant 572.36 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Forest avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 47' 13" to the right, for 269.93 feet, to the westerly line of Tinton avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Tinton avenue for 50 feet;

that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title

PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point in the southeasterly line of Poston road, distant 424.34 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the southeasterly line of the Poston road with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;

1st. Thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of the Poston road for 121.12 feet;

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

Beginning at a point in the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant 280.07 feet easterly from the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly side of Southern Boulevard; running thence

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

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 LOCUST AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, situated 1,632.78 feet easterly from the intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; running thence

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant 1,589.60 feet easterly from the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; running thence

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

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, 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 one o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have 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.

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-EIGHTH 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of the 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 3d day of January, 1890, at 10 1/2 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, December 18, 1889. CHARLES H. LOVETT, JOHN REILLY, PETER L. MULLALY, Commissioners.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 3d day of January, 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, December 18, 1889. CHARLES H. LOVETT, JOHN REILLY, PETER L. MULLALY, Commissioners.

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:

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; easterly by the westerly side of 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.

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.

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 14, 1889. DENIS A. SPELLISSY, Chairman, FRANCIS REDEL, JOHN J. BRADY, Commissioners.

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.

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 streets, 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 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.

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 the lands required for the opening, widening and extension of COLLEGE PLACE and GREENWICH STREET, extending from Chambers street to Dey street, in the Third Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 10th day of January, 1890, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Chambers street, said point being 50 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Chambers street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 176 feet 3 inches, to the northerly line of Warren street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Warren street, distance 25 feet 1/4 inch, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 176 feet 3 inches, to the southerly line of Chambers street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Warren street, said point being 90 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Warren street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 175 feet 1 1/4 inches, to the northerly line of Murray street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 7 inches, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 175 feet 1 1/4 inches, to the southerly line of Warren street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet 7 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Murray street, said point being 80 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Murray street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 165 feet 4 1/2 inches, to the northerly line of Park place; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 1/2 inch, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 165 feet 4 1/2 inches, to the southerly line of Murray street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet 7 1/2 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Park place, said point being 80 feet from the southeasterly corner of Park place and College place; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly line of College place, distance 158 feet 9 inches, to the northerly line of Barclay street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 1 1/4 inches, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 158 feet 9 inches, to the southerly line of Park place; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet 1 1/4 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Barclay street, said point being distant 193 feet 1 inch easterly from the southeasterly corner of Greenwich street and Barclay street; thence southwesterly, distance 208 feet 9 inches, to the northerly line of Vesey street; thence westerly along the northerly line of said street distance 78 feet 3 inches, to the easterly line of Greenwich street; thence northerly along said line, distance 26 feet 1 1/4 inches; thence easterly, distance 10 feet 5 1/2 inches; thence northeasterly and parallel to the first course given above and distant 80 feet westerly therefrom, distance 18 feet 6 1/4 inches, to the southerly line of Barclay street; thence easterly along said line, 81 feet 8 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening and extension of BETHUNE STREET, between Greenwich street and Hudson street, in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 10th day of January, 1890, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extension of a certain street or avenue known as Bethune street, between Greenwich street and Hudson street, in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Hudson street, distant 99 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of Bank street; thence westerly, distance 125 feet, to a point on the easterly line of Greenwich street, said point being distant 136 feet 3 inches northerly from the northerly line of Bank street as measured along the easterly line of Greenwich street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Greenwich street, distance 50 feet 2 inches; thence easterly and parallel to the first course above mentioned, distance 129 feet 5 inches to the westerly line of Hudson street; thence southerly along said line, distance 50 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 50 feet wide between the lines of Greenwich and Hudson streets.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement in the office of the Department of Public Works and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Dated New York, December 12, 1889. WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation. No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

GENERAL TERM—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain lands in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, and in the County of Westchester, for public use, as and for public parks and parkways, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 522 of the Laws of 1884.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 522 of the Laws of 1884, and of all other statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a General Term of said court, to be held in and for the First Judicial Department, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, in the place of Luther R. Marsh, who has refused to act.

Dated New York, November 18, 1889. WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

FRANKLIN BARTLETT, Special Counsel.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested therein, and to all others whom it may concern:

That it is our intention to present our amended supplemental or amended report herein to the Supreme Court of the State of New York for confirmation, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of January, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; that an abstract of our amended estimate and assessment, together with our maps and all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our amended supplemental or amended report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 28th day of December, 1889; that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 28th day of December, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 28th day of December, 1889, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.; 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.:

First—Westerly by the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue; northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets; from the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue to the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road; easterly by the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road, and southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets; from the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line or side of Eleventh Avenue, excepting therefrom all the streets and avenues within the said area, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Second—Beginning at a point the northeasterly corner of One Hundred and Sixtieth street and Kingsbridge road; running thence easterly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, distance 90 feet; thence northerly, distance 55 feet 3 3/4 inches; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Sixtieth street, distance 95 feet 1 3/4 inches, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line, distance 55 feet 8 1/2 inches, to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Third—Beginning at a point the southeasterly corner of One Hundred and Sixtieth street and Kingsbridge road; running thence easterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, distance 112 feet 4 1/2 inches; thence southerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Sixtieth street, distance 100 feet; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Sixtieth street, distance 93 feet 8 1/2 inches, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line, distance 102 feet 8 1/2 inches, to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

JOHN WHALEN, J. DANA JONES, EDWARD HOGAN, Commissioners. Dated New York, December 3, 1889.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 26th day of December, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 26th day of December, 1889, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4.30 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 27th day of December, 1889.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of January, 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, November 9, 1889. CHARLES H. LOVETT, Chairman, JOHN REILLY, PETER L. MULLALY, 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-FIFTH 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 twenty-eighth day of December, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of December, 1889, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of December, 1889.

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-fifth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, the prolongation easterly of the centre line of the said blocks from the westerly side of Third avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel with the easterly side of Third avenue and distant about 78 feet easterly therefrom and a line drawn at right angles with the easterly side of Third avenue and connecting the two easterly limits of the area of assessment as hereinafter described; easterly by a line parallel with the easterly side of Third avenue and distant about 78 feet easterly therefrom, and extending from the northerly boundary line of the area of assessment southerly for about 84 feet and a line parallel with the easterly side of Third avenue, and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom, and extending from a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Third avenue and about 145 feet southerly from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to its intersection with the prolongation easterly from the westerly side of Third avenue of the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; southerly by said prolongation easterly from the westerly side of Third avenue of the centre line of the block, between East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; 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 10th day of January, 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.

Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the tenth day of January, 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, November 14, 1889. J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Chairman, MICHAEL J. McKENNA, THOMAS O'CALLAGHAN, Jr., 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-EIGHTH 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 26th day of December, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 26th day of December, 1889, 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 27th day of December, 1889.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; easterly by the westerly side of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and Third avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, 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 10th day of January, 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, November 9, 1889. CHARLES H. LOVETT, Chairman, JOHN REILLY, PETER L. MULLALY, Commissioners. CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 301 MOTT STREET, NEW YORK, December 14, 1889.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A SEA WALL ON NORTH BROTHER ISLAND.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING a sea wall on North Brother Island, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, No. 301 Mott street, until 2 o'clock P. M. of the 27th day of December, 1889, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed, "Estimate for building a Sea Wall on North Brother Island, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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 sum of THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said book 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 by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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

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

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, No. 301 Mott street, New York.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, December 17, 1889.

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 8, 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, CRETINGES, 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, REFURNISHING, 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 included 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-book, 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 HUTCHINS,  
M. C. D. BORDEN,  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
ALBERT GALLUP,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

QUARANTINE COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS,  
CREATED BY CHAPTER 270, LAWS OF 1888,  
NO. 71 BROADWAY, ROOM 101,  
NEW YORK, December 19, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE DISINFECTING Apparatus to be furnished and erected on Hoffman Island, also for Flushing Tanks, Plumbing work, etc., on Swinburn Island, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock A. M., Saturday, December 28, 1889, at which time and place they will be opened.

Bids for the work on the two Islands to be made separately.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and all desired information obtained at this office or at the office of Stephen D. Hatch, Architect, No. 115 Broadway.

Successful bidders will be required to furnish bondsmen in such amount as the Commissioners may determine.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids, if in the judgment of the Board it is deemed advisable.

CHAS. F. ALLEN,  
President.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

NOTICE.

- 1. Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.  
2. Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.  
3. Examinations will be held from time to time as the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.  
4. All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person

or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

G. K. ACKERMAN,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC 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 550, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 421 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

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

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

5th. Charges for so-called extra water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1881, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Table with columns: FRONT WIDTH, 1 Story, 2 Stories, 3 Stories, 4 Stories, 5 Stories. Rows list various front widths from 16 feet and under to 37 1/2 to 50 feet, with corresponding rates for each story type.

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:

BAKERIES.—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 bath-tub 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, LIVELY.—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, one dollar.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern fitted 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.

Table with columns: PER DAY, GALLONS, PER 100 GALLONS, RATE, PER ANNUM, AMOUNT. Rows list various consumption rates from 25 gallons per day to 10,000 gallons per day, with corresponding annual amounts.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 the 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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