

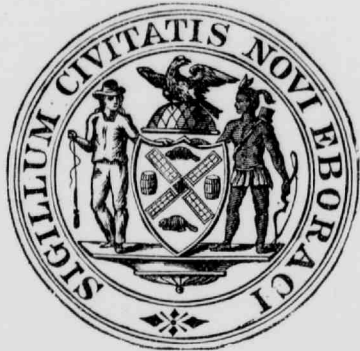
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Report for the Quarter ending September 30, 1891.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
OFFICE, BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS,
NEW YORK, December 30, 1891.

To the Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor of New York:

SIR—We have the honor to submit herewith the report of the operations and actions of this Department for the quarter ending September 30, 1891:

BUREAU OF CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT.

Number and Character of Alarms, Manner of Receipt and Cause.

ALARMS.	MANNER OF RECEIPT.					CAUSE.													Total.
	From Department Street Alarm Boxes.	Special Department Telegraph Signals.	Verbally.	Automatic Telegraph.	Total.	Accidents.	Cry of "Fire."	Error.	Exhibition of Department.	Explosions.	Fire outside of City.	Heat and Disarrangement of Automatic Telegraph.	Ignorance.	Malicious Mischief.	Not Ascertained.	Reflection from Stoves, etc.	Reflection of Distant Fire.	Smoke, etc., issuing from Premises.	
Unnecessary.....	15	1	1	7	24	3	1	..	..	..	..	6	3	5	4	..	..	..	24
Indication of Fire..	24	..	14	..	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	37	38
Fires.....	467	3	434	..	904	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	904	904
Total.....	506	4	449	7	966	3	1	..	2	..	6	3	5	4	1	..	37	904	966

73 alarms were communicated by attaches of this Department, of which 73 proved to be for fires.
323 " " " Police " 312 " "
58 " " " District key-holders, " 79 " "
78 " " " Citizen " 75 " "
404 " " " all other means, " 365 " "
966 " " " all the various means, " 904 " "

Statistics of Fires.

	JULY.	AUGUST.	SEPTEMBER.	QUARTER.
In buildings—				
Confined to point of starting	362	234	244	840
Confined to building	16	12	6	34
Extended to other buildings.....	3	2	6	11
Total in buildings	381	248	256	885
In vessels .....	..	..	2	2
In places other than buildings and vessels	9	1	7	17
Total.....	390	249	265	904
Extinguished—				
Without engine stream	288	182	197	667
With one engine stream	6	45	47	132
With two or three engine streams.....	32	14	16	62
With more than three engine streams	10	8	5	23
Total	390	249	265	904
Extent of damage to buildings and vessels—				
Built mainly of brick, stone or iron:				
Slight	45	30	30	105
Considerable	19	8	9	36
Destroyed .....	..	2	2	4
Total.....	64	40	41	145

	JULY.	AUGUST.	SEPTEMBER.	QUARTER.
Built mainly of wood:				
Slight	10	3	4	17
Considerable	6	2	4	12
Destroyed .....	..	2	..	2
Total	16	7	8	31
Total buildings and vessels damaged.....	80	47	49	176
To which the damage was—				
Slight	55	33	34	122
Considerable	25	10	13	48
Destroyed .....	..	4	2	6
Number of fires resulting in damage to contents only; build- ings or vessels not damaged	129	51	53	233
Number of fires resulting in nominal damages (less than \$10) to either structures or contents.....	116	85	103	304

Number of Fires occurring each Day of the Week, and during the Different Hours and Periods of the Day, by Months.

	JULY.	AUGUST.	SEPTEMBER.	QUARTER.
Monday.....	40	34	40	114
Tuesday	34	41	51	126
Wednesday.....	50	29	52	131
Thursday	53	37	32	122
Friday	38	29	24	91
Saturday.....	109	39	43	191
Sunday.....	66	40	23	129
Between the hours of—				
12 midnight and 1 a. m.....	15	8	11	34
1 a. m. and 2 a. m.....	10	10	4	24
2 a. m. and 3 a. m.....	12	11	11	34
3 a. m. and 4 a. m.....	9	6	6	21
4 a. m. and 5 a. m.....	5	3	8	16
5 a. m. and 6 a. m.....	4	7	3	14
6 a. m. and 7 a. m.....	4	1	5	10
7 a. m. and 8 a. m.....	12	3	3	18
8 a. m. and 9 a. m.....	6	6	12	24
9 a. m. and 10 a. m.....	15	11	18	44
10 a. m. and 11 a. m.....	14	11	14	39
11 a. m. and 12 m.....	18	10	9	37
12 m. and 1 p. m.....	12	11	9	32
1 p. m. and 2 p. m.....	20	4	12	36
2 p. m. and 3 p. m.....	24	15	15	54
3 p. m. and 4 p. m.....	15	8	9	32
4 p. m. and 5 p. m.....	17	12	9	38
5 p. m. and 6 p. m.....	12	9	10	31
6 p. m. and 7 p. m.....	19	9	28	56
7 p. m. and 8 p. m.....	25	20	24	75
8 p. m. and 9 p. m.....	47	21	16	84
9 p. m. and 10 p. m.....	37	15	12	64
10 p. m. and 11 p. m.....	19	16	10	45
11 p. m. and 12 midnight.....	19	16	7	42
Between 6 a. m. and 6 p. m.....	169	101	125	395
Between 6 p. m. and 6 a. m.....	221	148	140	509
Total each month.....	390	249	265	904

Casualties.

The number of human lives lost and persons injured at fires, and in responding to alarms for fires, are reported as follows:

	MEMBERS OF THE DEPARTMENT.	OTHERS.		TOTAL.
		BEFORE ARRIVAL OF DEPARTMENT.	AFTER ARRIVAL OF DEPARTMENT.	
Killed or fatally injured at fires.....	1	66	..	67
" responding to alarms.....	..	..	..	..
Injured at fires.....	33	32	..	65
" responding to alarms	15	..	..	15
Aggregate.....	49	98	..	147

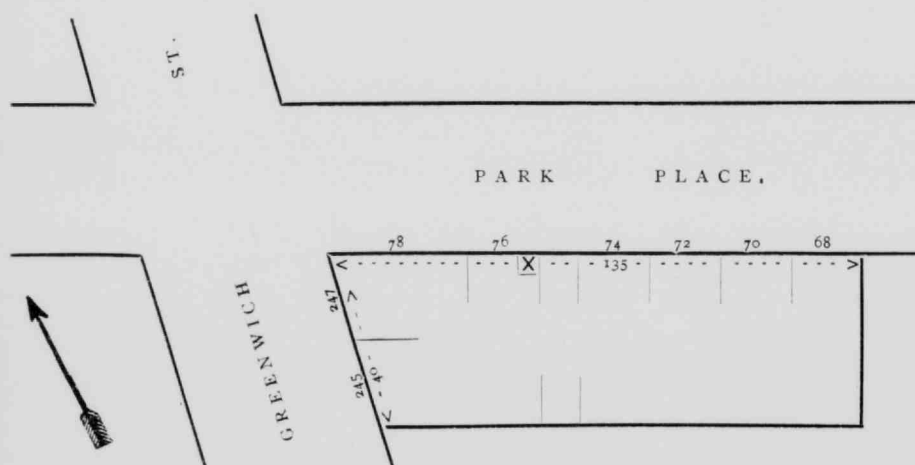
Notable Fires.

July 7.—8.09 P.M. Nos. 168 to 178 Jane street, corner of Thirteenth avenue. A three and four story brick building, 150 by 100 feet, occupied as the New York Print Works. The fire originated on the second floor and had extended throughout the entire building (before the arrival of the force), which was considerably damaged. It required the services of twelve engine, four hook and ladder companies, two floating engines and a boat tender, and was under control in about two hours. The condition of the fire when the force arrived clearly showed that the employees had endeavored to extinguish it with the private appliances before sending out the alarm and several abandoned lines of hose were found on the different floors. The cause of the fire was steam-pipes igniting woodwork, and the loss was estimated at \$222,000.

July 8.—11.50 A. M. Sixth avenue, east side, extending from Forty-third to Forty-fourth streets. A four-story brick building, 100 by 200 feet, occupied by the Sixth Avenue Railroad Company as stables, storage for cars and feed, hay and straw. The fire originated on the fourth floor in the centre of the building among the hay and straw, and extended by door openings and stairways to the third floor, considerably damaging the building. It required the services of twenty-two engines and six hook and ladder companies, and was under control in about four hours. About 500 tons (5,000 bales) of hay and straw stored in the building, the greater part of which had to be removed from the building by the force before the fire could be extinguished. Several of the largest engines at work, which were connected to the 6-inch mains, could not obtain a sufficient supply of water. The cause of the fire was not ascertained, and the estimated loss was \$20,000.

August 20.—6.10 P. M. On the east bank of the Harlem river, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first street, used as a grand stand on the athletic grounds of the Young Men's Christian Association. The fire originated on the stand and extended to piles of lumber containing about 2,000,000 feet, to a five-story brick building, 125 by 85 feet, occupied as a manufactory of refrigerators, etc., to the two-story brick building, 35 by 40 feet, occupied as a stable and to the two-story frame building, 25 by 45 feet, occupied as a dwelling, all of which were destroyed. The fire required the services of nine engine, two hook and ladder companies, one fire boat, and was under control in about two hours. The location of the fire was so inaccessible for the apparatus, being surrounded by piles of lumber and at least one thousand feet distant from hydrants, as to make it necessary to stretch lines of hose by hand (as it was impossible for the tenders to reach the fire) for distances varying from one to two thousand feet, thus using in all 13,000 feet of hose. The water-mains in this locality are very small and so remote from the buildings where the fire occurred as to make the supply of water entirely inadequate. The fire originated from carelessness on part of spectators when smoking, and resulted in an estimated loss of \$177,481.

August 22.—12.30 P. M. Nos. 68 to 78 Park place. A five-story brick building, 140 ft by 40 feet, occupied for various business purposes, such as lithographing, dealer in gold leaf and manufacturer of bronze paints, restaurant, plumber, printers, bookbinders, type-foundry, publishers, etc. The fire originated in the part of the premises occupied by a dealer in bronze powder and manufacturer of liquid bronze of an explosive character (first floor and basement of No. 70 Park place), from an explosion of vapor of benzine, which caused the collapse of the building from No. 68 to No. 74 Park place (see diagram).



The services of twelve engines, four hook and ladder companies and one fire boat were required to extinguish the fire, which was under control in about three hours. A number of persons employed in the building, as well as some others who were in it or passing at the time of the explosion, were caught in the falling mass and killed or injured. As soon as practicable the work of extricating the injured and dead was begun by the fire extinguishing force, and a considerable force of laborers was employed to search the ruins, under the superintendence of the officers of the fire extinguishing force. The firemen aided in this work until it was completed. Many persons who were more or less injured were taken from the ruins, and sixty-three bodies were recovered. The Commissioners subsequently directed the following to be communicated to the uniformed force by the Chief of Department: "The Fire Commissioners desire to express their high appreciation of the alacrity and energy displayed by the uniformed force, under the efficient control of Deputy Chief Reilly, in the face of the most trying conditions, at the scene of the Park place disaster." The estimated loss was \$76,375.

August 23.—4.41 A. M. No. 341 Broadway and No. 88 Leonard street. A five-story brick L-shaped building, each front 25 feet wide and 150 feet deep, occupied by a toy and wooden-ware dealer. The fire originated in the sub-cellar and extended to the second floor by stairway and through rear windows, slightly damaging the building. The fire required the services of twenty-three engines, five hook and ladder companies and one water tower, and was under control in about six hours. During the progress of the fire Assistant Foreman James H. Shute, of Engine Company 27, while in command of that company, was overcome by heat and smoke while at work on the second floor of the Leonard street part of the building. He was carried out of the building by members of the Department, to the street, where he expired before the ambulance, which had been summoned, arrived. The cause of the fire was not ascertained, and the estimated loss was \$91,300.

September 8.—1.22. M. Nos. 63 and 64 South street. A six-story brick building, 40 by 100 feet, occupied as a storage warehouse. The fire originated on the fifth floor and extended to the fourth and sixth floors, considerably damaging the building. The fire required the services of eleven engines, four hook and ladder companies, two fire boats, one water-tower and one boat tender, and was under control in about six hours. The building was stored with various kinds of merchandise, such as teas, coffees, spices, mustard, tobacco, cigars, etc., and the smoke therefrom made it very difficult to reach the fire and extinguish it before it had extended by stairways and hoistways to the adjoining floors. It was caused by hot coals from furnace of hoisting engine falling on floor, and the estimated loss amounted to \$264,476.

September 15.—9.10 A. M. Nos. 126 to 136 Fulton street. A five-story brick building, 150 by 35 feet, occupied by a cleaner and repairer of clothing on the first floor, and as offices, etc., on the

upper floors. The fire originated on the second floor and extended by stairways, hoistways and through arches, etc., to the first, third, fourth and fifth floors, considerably damaging the building. No. 87 Nassau street, a four-story brick building, 25 by 75 feet, occupied by a furnishing goods dealer, was also connected to the above building and it extended to No. 85 Nassau street, a five-story brick building, 25 by 100 feet, occupied on the first floor as a saloon and the upper part by manufacturing jewelers, etc., considerably damaging the building. The heat from the fire scorched the window-frames and wood-work on the fronts of the buildings Nos. 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141 and 143 Fulton street and Nos. 86, 88 and 90 Nassau street, opposite. The fire required the services of twenty-five engines and eight hook and ladder companies, and was under control in about six hours. Engine Company No. 4 was the first company to arrive, but was unable to get first water on the fire, as it was compelled to change hydrants three times because of the scarcity of water in the street mains. All of the companies responding on the first and second alarms report a very poor supply of water. Two of the occupants transacting business in the buildings (John and Frederick Adefman, father and son), were burned to death, being unable to escape because of the rapidity with which the fire extended throughout the buildings. The debris was removed, and the two bodies were recovered, under direction of the officers of this Department. The building had many tenants, and when the fire broke out there was a large number of people in it. All except the two referred to, however, escaped, the building being well provided with fire escapes.

The cause of the fire was vapor of benzine igniting from heat of stove, and the estimated loss was \$218,888.

Water Consumption.

	Gallons.
By the land engines, including water drawn from the rivers.....	11,539,750
By the floating engines, entirely drawn from the rivers.....	5,831,500
Total	17,371,250

BUREAU OF FIRE MARSHAL.

Losses and Insurance.

	JULY.	AUGUST.	SEPTEMBER.	QUARTER.
Estimated loss, insured and uninsured—				
On buildings and vessels.....	\$182,885 00	\$121,409 00	\$93,141 00	\$397,435 00
On contents	393,473 00	355,757 00	301,649 00	1,250,579 00
Total.....	\$576,058 00	\$477,166 00	\$594,790 00	\$1,648,014 00
Estimated insurance—				
On buildings and vessels.....	\$4,455,382 00	\$3,765,530 00	\$3,800,418 00	\$12,021,150 00
On contents.....	2,341,898 00	1,169,140 00	2,528,756 00	6,039,794
Total.	\$6,797,280 00	\$4,934,490 00	\$6,329,174 00	\$18,060,944 00
Estimated uninsured loss—				
On buildings and vessels.....	\$10,491 00	\$21,435 00	\$3,197 00	\$35,123 00
On contents	38,455 00	61,322 00	41,286 00	141,063 00
Total.....	\$48,946 00	\$82,757 00	\$44,483 00	\$176,186 00
Average loss per fire.....	\$1,477 07	\$1,916 33	\$2,252 99	\$1,825 04

Extent of Loss at Fires.

	JULY.	AUGUST.	SEP- TEMBER.	QUARTER.	PERCENTAGE TO WHOLE NUMBER OF FIRES.	LOSS LESS THAN—
Nominal or less than \$10 ...	126	86	105	317	.35	
Between \$10 and 50 ...	128	63	86	277	.30	\$50 at 594 fires.
" 50 " 100 ...	32	27	17	76	.08	100 at 670 "
" 100 " 1,000 ...	65	52	35	152	.16	1,000 at 822 "
" 1,000 " 5,000 ...	30	13	15	58	.06	5,000 at 880 "
" 5,000 " 10,000 ...	2	3	2	7	...	10,000 at 887 "
" 10,000 " 20,000 ...	3	1	1	5	...	20,000 at 892 "
" 20,000 " 30,000 ...	1	..	..	1	...	30,000 at 893 "
" 30,000 " 40,000 ...	..	..	1	1	...	40,000 at 894 "
" 40,000 " 50,000 ...	1	..	..	1	...	50,000 at 895 "
" 50,000 " 60,000 ...	..	1	..	1	...	60,000 at 896 "
" 60,000 " 80,000 ...	..	1	..	1	...	80,000 at 897 "
" 80,000 " 100,000 ...	..	1	..	1	...	100,000 at 898 "
" 100,000 " 125,000 ...	1	..	..	1	...	125,000 at 899 "
" 150,000 " 200,000 ...	..	1	..	1	...	200,000 at 900 "
" 200,000 " 225,000 ...	1	..	1	2	...	225,000 at 902 "
" 250,000 " 300,000	1	1	...	300,000 at 903 "
Total.....	390	249	264	903	...	

Origin and Cause of Fires.

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ORIGIN.	CAUSE.							PREMISES WHEREIN FIRE ORIGINATED OCCUPIED AS—													Aggregate Loss to Structures and Contents		
	Accidental.	Carelessness.	Defective Buildings and Construction.	Mischiefousness.	Maliciousness.	Incendiarism.	Not ascertained.	Total.	Dwellings.	Mercantile Establishments.	Manufactories and Workshops.	Offices.	Restaurants and Saloons.	Storehouses.	Stables.	Places of Amusement and Recreation.	Religious and Educational Institutions.	Lumber, Coal and Wood Yards.	Piers, Docks, etc.	Vessels.		Miscellaneous.	Total.
Soot in flues and fireplaces igniting woodwork.....	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	\$20
Sparks from stoves, chimneys, stove-pipes, etc., igniting woodwork, clothing, etc....	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	6	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	4,100
Stoves, boilers, furnaces, stove and heater pipes igniting bedding, clothing, woodwork, etc.....	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	8	6	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	5,365
Stoves, furnaces and grates, hot coals falling from.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	35
Total number of fires..	8	26	4	..	..	..	..	38	31	1	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	38	
Total loss.....	\$4,200	\$6,380	\$82	..	..	..	..	\$10,662	\$4,597	\$5,175	\$870	..	\$20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$10,662
In Illuminating.																							
Electric-lights, sparks from..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	3	5	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	12	\$3,353
Gas escaping and igniting....	8	10	..	..	..	..	..	18	10	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	18	2,597
Gas-lights, candles, lamps, etc., igniting merchandise in stores, show-windows, and bedding, straw, woodwork, rubbish, etc.....	5	85	..	..	..	..	..	90	73	12	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	90	24,834
Lamps, kerosene oil, breaking	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
Lamps, kerosene oil, exploding.....	54	..	..	..	..	..	..	54	52	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	54	9,897
Lamps, kerosene oil, falling..	13	5	..	..	..	..	..	18	17	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	2,606
Lamps, kerosene oil, upsetting	12	4	..	..	..	..	..	16	14	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	10,919
Lamps, kerosene oil, taking fire.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5
Matches, lighted tapers, etc., igniting clothing, woodwork, rubbish, etc.....	5	39	..	..	..	..	..	44	33	6	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	44	5,179
Total number of fires..	111	143	..	1	..	..	..	255	205	28	7	1	3	..	4	3	..	..	..	..	4	255	
Total loss.....	\$28,976	\$33,414	..	\$3	..	..	..	\$62,393	\$31,101	\$24,193	\$291	\$3,100	\$25	..	\$3,612	\$10	..	..	..	..	\$61	..	\$62,393
In Manufacturing and Other Business.																							
Alcohol, tar, gum, oils, paints, varnish, etc., igniting on stoves, furnaces, over gas-lights, etc.....	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	10	1	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	10	\$5,450
Chemicals, explosion of.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	50
Chimneys, flues, etc., heat from, igniting woodwork..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	10
Electricity applied to machinery.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	46,000
Foul chimneys.....	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Friction of machinery.....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1,580
Gas stoves, gas-lights, igniting wood-work, paper, merchandise, etc.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2,725
Gasoline, explosion of.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	185
Hams, meats, etc., in ovens and smoke-houses, igniting.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	150
Hot metals igniting wood-work, merchandise, etc....	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1,560
Kerosene oil stoves bursting, taking fire, etc.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	55
Naphtha, and benzine vapor igniting	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	295,263
Sparks from chimneys, forges, furnaces, engines, steamships, locomotives, etc., igniting roofs, shavings, woodwork, etc.....	20	6	..	..	..	..	..	26	2	8	8	..	4	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	26	15,953
Steam-pipes igniting merchandise.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	222,300
Spontaneous combustion of oily rags, chemicals, etc..	1	13	..	..	..	..	..	14	1	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	1,200
Stoves, boilers, furnaces, ovens, etc., igniting merchandise, shavings, etc....	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	7	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	7	2,975
Stoves, furnaces, etc., hot coals falling from.....	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	8	2	..	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	264,821
Vitriol, acids, spirits, etc., carbonyls of, breaking, or vapor igniting.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	573	573
Total number of fires..	59	31	1	..	..	..	..	91	10	13	48	..	9	1	2	..	..	..	..	2	6	91	
Total loss	\$848,950	\$11,890	\$10	..	..	..	..	\$860,850	\$185	\$371	\$590,475	..	\$970	\$264,476	\$3,000	..	..	..	..	\$700	\$673	..	860,850
Miscellaneous.																							
Benzine vapor igniting.....	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	4	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	\$2,640
Beam built into flue igniting .	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	85
Bonfires .....	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	50	50
Cigars, pipes, etc., smoking of	..	101	..	..	1	..	..	102	41	22	11	5	12	..	5	1	..	2	..	3	102	230,757	
Defective flues and chimneys	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5
Fat, glue, varnish, etc., taking fire on stoves, etc.....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	2
Firecrackers.....	..	52	..	17	..	..	..	69	19	27	3	2	12	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	69	11,599

ORIGIN.	CAUSE.								PREMISES WHEREIN FIRE ORIGINATED OCCUPIED AS—													Aggregate Loss to Structures and Contents.		
	Accidental.	Carelessness.	Defective Buildings and Construction.	Mischievousness.	Maliciousness.	Incendiarism.	Not ascertained.	Total.	Dwellings.	Mercantile Establishments.	Manufactories and Workshops.	Offices.	Restaurants and Saloons.	Storehouses.	Stables.	Places of Amusement and Recreation.	Religious and Educational Institutions.	Lumber, Coal and Wood Yards.	Piers, Docks, etc.	Vessels.	Miscellaneous.		Total.	
Fireworks, rockets, etc.....	1 \$10	25 \$740	..	1	..	..	..	27 \$750	16 \$600	7 \$140	1	..	..	..	..	..	1 \$10	1	..	..	1	27	\$750
Foul chimneys.....	..	22 \$40	..	..	..	..	..	22 \$40	22 \$40	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	40
Gas stoves, gas-lights, etc....	2 \$3,285	3 \$1,390	..	..	..	..	..	5 \$4,675	4 \$2,665	..	1 \$2,010	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	4,675
Hot ashes igniting woodwork	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Kerosene oil stove igniting woodwork.....	..	2 \$100	..	..	..	..	..	2 \$100	2 \$100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	100
Kerosene oil falling on stove, oil igniting.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Kerosene oil stoves exploding	1 \$22	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 \$22	1 \$22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	22
Kerosene oil stoves upsetting, falling, etc.....	8 \$325	4 \$219	..	..	..	..	..	12 \$544	12 \$544	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	544
Kerosene oil stoves taking fire.....	38 \$3,249	..	..	..	..	..	..	38 \$3,249	35 \$2,649	1 \$250	2 \$350	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	38	3,249
Lightning igniting building ..	1 \$200	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 \$200	..	..	1 \$200	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	200
Lighted paper setting fire to window curtain.....	..	1 \$12	..	..	..	..	..	1 \$12	1 \$12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	12
Matches, children playing with.....	..	..	..	17 \$1,249	..	..	..	17 \$1,249	17 \$1,249	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	1,249
Matches gnawed by rats and mice.....	..	12 \$26,190	..	..	..	..	..	12 \$26,190	3 \$1,145	4 \$18,425	3 \$6,535	..	2 \$85	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	26,190
Matches igniting awnings, straw, rubbish, woodwork, etc.....	9 \$3,956	60 \$45,384	..	9 \$290	6 \$17	5 \$2,150	..	89 \$51,797	62 \$17,932	8 \$25,287	9 \$8,102	..	1 \$25	..	4 \$366	..	1 \$30	..	..	..	4 \$55	89	51,797
Not ascertained.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	72 \$359,565	72 \$359,565	46 \$34,575	8 \$94,670	11 \$185,480	1 \$200	3 \$11,175	..	2 \$33,450	..	1 \$15	..	..	..	..	72	359,565
Rekindling of previous fire..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Rubbish, etc., igniting.....	..	1 \$20	..	..	..	..	..	1 \$20	..	..	1 \$20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	20
Soot ignited in fire-places and flues.....	..	6 \$615	..	..	..	..	..	6 \$615	5 \$610	1 \$5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	615
Sparks from previous fire....	1 \$18,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 \$18,500	..	..	1 \$18,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	18,500
Sparks from chimneys, stoves, etc.....	2 \$375	3 \$315	..	..	..	..	..	5 \$890	3 \$160	..	1 \$505	..	1 \$225	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	890
Spark from a toy pistol.....	1 \$110	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 \$110	1 \$110	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	110
Spontaneous combustion of oily rubbish, etc.....	..	3 \$50	..	..	..	..	..	3 \$50	2 \$59	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	50
Sparks from adjacent fire....	2 \$30	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 \$30	1 \$30	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	30
Stoves, stove-pipes, etc., heat from igniting woodwork, etc.....	1 \$5	6 \$128	..	..	..	..	..	7 \$133	5 \$128	1	..	..	1 \$5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	133
Stoves, furnaces, etc., hot coals falling from.....	2 \$215	1 \$15	..	..	..	..	..	3 \$230	3 \$230	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	230
Total number of fires	76	308	2	49	7	5	72	519	311	79	47	8	36	1	13	1	4	1	3	..	15	519	..	
Total loss.....	\$30,349	\$309,738	\$85	\$12,130	\$92	\$2,150	\$359,565	\$714,109	\$71,450	\$150,707	\$227,882	\$33,110	\$18,045	\$75	\$34,648	\$177,481	\$305	..	\$300	..	\$106	..	\$714,109	
RECAPITULATION.																								
In Heating.....	No. of fires.. 8	26	4	..	..	..	..	38	31	1	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	38	..
	Loss.....	\$4,200	\$6,380	\$82	..	..	..	\$10,662	\$4,597	\$5,175	\$870	..	\$20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$10,662
In Illuminating.....	No. of fires.. 111	143	..	1	..	..	..	255	205	28	7	1	3	..	4	3	..	..	..	..	4	255	..
	Loss.....	\$28,976	\$33,414	..	\$3	..	..	\$62,393	\$31,101	\$24,193	\$291	\$3,100	\$25	..	\$3,612	\$10	..	..	..	..	\$61	..	\$62,393
In Manufactur- ing, etc.....	No. of fires.. 59	31	1	..	..	..	..	91	10	13	48	..	9	1	2	..	..	..	..	2	6	91	..
	Loss.....	\$848,950	\$11,890	\$10	..	..	..	\$860,850	\$185	\$371	\$590,475	..	\$970	\$264,476	\$3,000	..	..	..	..	\$700	\$673	..	\$860,850
In Miscellaneous	No. of fires.. 76	308	2	49	7	5	72	519	311	79	47	8	36	1	13	1	4	1	3	..	15	519	..	
	Loss.....	\$30,349	\$309,738	\$85	\$12,130	\$92	\$2,150	\$359,565	\$714,109	\$71,450	\$150,707	\$227,882	\$33,110	\$18,045	\$75	\$34,648	\$177,481	\$305	..	\$300	..	\$106	..	\$714,109
Aggregate	No. of fires.. 254	508	7	50	7	5	72	903	557	121	104	9	52	2	19	4	4	1	3	2	25	903	..	
	Loss.....	\$912,475	\$361,422	\$177	\$12,133	\$92	\$2,150	\$359,565	\$1,648,014	\$107,333	\$180,446	\$819,518	\$36,210	\$19,060	\$264,551	\$41,260	\$177,491	\$305	..	\$300	\$700	\$840	..	\$1,648,014

Origin of Fires by Districts and Months.

First District—Part of City lying South of Chambers Street.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				Loss.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	2	..	2	4	9	..	13	4	15	..	19	\$2,515	\$12,980	\$15,495
August.....	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	6	..	..	6	2	6	..	8	5	12	..	17	31,685	60,320	92,005
September.....	2	..	..	2	..	3	..	3	..	5	1	6	2	4	..	6	4	12	1	17	67,890	423,344	491,234
Total.....	2	..	..	2	3	7	..	10	6	7	1	14	8	19	..	27	13	39	1	53	\$102,090	\$496,644	\$598,734

Second District—Part of City lying between Chambers and Houston Streets, West of West Broadway and South Fifth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	4	..	3	..	5	4	6	1	11	7	10	1	18	\$2,790	\$6,212	\$9,002
August.....	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	6	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	7	9	4	..	13	111	1,036	1,147
September.....	1	2	..	3	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	5	4	..	9	565	700	1,265
Total.....	1	2	..	3	10	4	..	14	..	3	..	3	10	9	1	20	21	18	1	40	\$3,456	\$7,948	\$11,414

Third District—Part of City lying between Chambers and Houston Streets, West Broadway and South Fifth Avenue, and Crosby, Elm and Centre Streets.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	2	5	..	7	2	5	..	7	\$940	\$5,170	\$6,110
August.....	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	5,800	88,250	94,050
September.....	1	..	1	..	4	..	4	..	5	..	5	800	4,085	4,885
Total.....	1	..	1	2	12	..	14	2	13	..	15	\$7,540	\$97,505	\$105,045

Fourth District—Part of City lying between Chambers and Houston Streets, East of Crosby, Elm and Centre Streets.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	..	..	..	..	22	1	..	23	1	7	..	8	46	17	5	68	69	25	5	99	\$10,026	\$52,701	\$62,727
August.....	..	..	..	..	18	2	..	20	1	3	..	4	45	4	1	50	64	9	1	74	3,361	5,602	8,963
September.....	5	1	..	6	20	1	..	21	1	3	1	5	32	7	..	39	58	12	1	71	6,594	6,736	13,330
Total.....	5	1	..	6	60	4	..	64	3	13	1	17	123	28	6	157	191	46	7	244	\$19,981	\$65,039	\$85,020

Fifth District—Part of City lying between Houston and Twenty-third Streets.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	..	..	..	..	11	5	..	16	2	5	..	7	23	22	1	46	36	32	1	69	\$126,924	\$250,279	\$377,203
August.....	..	..	..	..	13	2	..	15	..	..	..	..	14	9	..	23	27	11	..	38	19,794	53,369	73,163
September.....	5	3	..	8	10	..	..	10	..	9	1	10	12	8	..	20	27	20	1	48	2,667	12,010	14,677
Total.....	5	3	..	8	34	7	..	41	2	14	1	17	49	39	1	89	90	63	2	155	\$149,385	\$315,658	\$465,043

Sixth District—Part of City lying between Twenty-third and Fifty-ninth Streets.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	..	..	..	..	12	7	1	20	..	7	3	10	31	32	..	63	43	46	4	93	\$24,938	\$25,568	\$50,506
August.....	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	19	2	1	..	3	14	6	..	20	35	7	..	42	3,547	5,699	9,246
September.....	6	..	..	6	24	4	1	29	1	4	..	5	9	6	1	16	40	14	2	56	4,699	30,549	35,248
Total.....	6	..	..	6	55	11	2	68	3	12	3	18	54	44	1	99	118	67	6	191	\$33,184	\$61,816	\$95,000

Seventh District—Part of City lying between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Tenth Streets, West of Fifth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	3	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	4	6	1	1	8	\$95	\$210	\$305
August.....	1	1	..	2	..	1	..	1	4	..	..	4	5	2	..	7	365	587	952
September.....	3	..	..	3	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	3	1	1	5	320	293	613
Total.....	7	2	..	9	..	2	1	3	7	..	1	8	14	4	2	20	\$780	\$1,090	\$1,870

Eighth District—Part of City lying between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Tenth Streets, East of Fifth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	12	6	..	18	14	8	..	22	\$1,030	\$1,670	\$2,700
August.....	..	..	..	..	7	1	..	8	1	3	..	4	13	1	..	14	21	5	..	26	6,000	6,014	12,014
September.....	4	1	..	5	5	1	..	6	..	2	..	2	4	1	..	5	13	5	..	18	4,560	6,943	11,503
Total.....	4	1	..	5	14	2	..	16	1	7	..	8	29	8	..	37	48	18	..	66	\$11,590	\$14,627	\$26,217

Ninth District—Part of City lying between One Hundred and Tenth Street and Harlem River, West of Eighth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	2	..	2	1	5	..	6	1	7	..	8	..	\$4,705	\$5,040	\$10,645
August.....	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	2	..	4	..	4	205	1,025	1,230
September.....	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	25	.....	25
Total.....	1	1	..	2	..	4	..	4	1	7	1	9	2	12	1	15	\$4,935	\$6,965	\$11,900

Tenth District—Part of City lying between One Hundred and Tenth Street and Harlem River, East of Eighth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	7	..	1	1	2	7	11	1	19	13	13	2	28	\$3,797	\$28,323	\$32,120
August.....	..	..	..	..	5	2	..	7	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	5	8	4	..	12	1,251	3,589	4,850
September.....	5	..	..	5	5	3	1	9	..	1	..	1	4	2	..	6	14	6	1	21	4,451	16,188	20,639
Total.....	5	..	..	5	16	6	1	23	..	2	1	3	14	15	1	30	35	23	3	61	\$9,509	\$48,100	\$57,609

Eleventh District—Part of City lying between Harlem and East Rivers, Kingsbridge Road, etc., and Bronx River.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	6	8	1	15	7	10	1	18	\$5,100	\$3,720	\$8,820
August.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	1	..	..	1	7	3	..	10	10	3	..	13	49,280	130,266	179,546
September.....	3	..	..	3	2	..	1	3	..	2	..	2	1	..	2	3	6	2	3	11	570	801	1,371
Total.....	3	..	..	3	5	2	1	8	1	2	..	3	14	11	3	28	23	15	4	42	\$54,950	\$134,787	\$189,737

Twelfth District—Part of City lying North of Spuyten Duyvil Creek and Kingsbridge Road, etc.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	\$25	\$400	\$425
August.....
September.....
Total.....	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	\$25	\$400	\$425

Thirteenth District—Governor's, Bedloe's, Ellis', Blackwell's, Ward's, Randall's and North Brother Islands.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
July.....
August.....
September.....
Total.....

Recapitulation.

DISTRICTS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
First.....	2	..	..	2	3	7	..	10	6	7	1	14	8	19	..	27	13	39	1	53	\$102,090	\$496,644	\$598,734
Second.....	1	2	..	3	10	4	..	14	..	3	..	3	10	9	1	20	21	18	1	40	3,466	7,948	11,414
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	12	..	14	2	13	..	15	7,540	97,505	105,045
Fourth.....	5	1	..	6	60	4	..	64	3	13	1	17	123	28	6	157	191	46	7	244	19,981	65,039	85,020
Fifth.....	5	3	..	8	34	7	..	41	2	14	1	17	49	39	1	89	90	63	2	155	149,385	315,658	465,043
Sixth.....	6	..	..	6	55	11	2	68	3	12	3	18	54	44	1	99	115	67	6	191	33,184	61,816	95,000
Seventh.....	..	..	..	..	7	2	..	9	..	2	1	3	7	..	1	8	14	4	2	20	780	1,090	1,870
Eighth.....	4	1	..	5	14	2	..	16	1	7	..	8	59	8	..	37	48	18	..	66	11,590	14,627	26,217
Ninth.....	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	..	4	..	4	1	7	1	9	2	12	1	15	4,935	6,965	11,900
Tenth.....	5	..	..	5	16	6	1	23	..	2	1	3	14	15	1	30	35	23	3	61	9,509	48,100	57,609
Eleventh.....	3	..	..	3	5	2	1	8	1	2	..	3	14	11	3	28	23	15	4	42	54,950	134,787	189,737
Twelfth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	25	400	425
Thirteenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	31	7	..	38	205	46	4	255	16	67	8	91	311	193	15	519	557	319	27	903	\$597,435	\$1,250,579	\$1,648,014

BUREAU OF COMBUSTIBLES.

Operations under the Laws Regulating the Storage of Combustibles and Explosive Materials, etc.

COMPLAINTS OF VIOLATIONS, ETC.	Pending June 30, 1891.	Received since.	Total to be disposed of.	DISPOSITION.						Now pending.
				Complied on Notice.	Unfounded.	Penalties Collected.	Penalties Remitted.	Prosecution Recommended.	Total.	
Selling kerosene oil without license.....	37	203	240	182	13	..	..	23	218	22
Chimney fires.....	18	36	54	..	..	22	18	1	41	13
Hoistways found open after conclusion of business...	6	2	8	..	..	..	3	..	3	5
Fire-hydrants obstructed.....	1	24	25	18	..	..	..	..	18	7
Combustible material in excessive quantity.....	6	4	10	..	3	..	..	..	3	7
Kerosene or naphtha, etc., in excessive quantity...	2	4	6	5	1	..	..	..	6	..
Fireworks, chemicals, matches, etc., kept without permit.....	2	1	3	..	2	..	..	..	2	1
Powder, etc., improperly stored, transported, etc....	2	1	3	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
Chimneys, flues, heating apparatus, etc., unsafe....	3	5	8	4	3	..	..	..	7	1
Hay, straw, cotton, rags, and other vegetable fibre stored in excessive quantity.....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Total.....	79	280	359	209	23	22	21	24	299	60

Special surveys made to determine the fitness of premises for the storage of combustibles or explosive material..... 385
 Samples of kerosene oil collected and tested..... 1,543

Money received for Licenses and Permits Issued, Penalties Collected, Sale of Explosives, etc., Seized, etc.

For 986 kerosene oil licenses issued, at \$10.....	\$9,860 00
For 4 powder licenses issued, at \$5.....	20 00
For 136 special permits issued, at \$2.....	272 00
For 2 wholesale fireworks permits issued, at \$20.....	40 00
For 223 retail fireworks permits issued, at \$5.....	1,115 00
For 4 kindling fire in street permits issued, at 50 cents.....	2 00
For 20 permits to use and keep explosives in hand magazines, at \$10.....	200 00

Total for licenses and permits..... \$11,509 00
 For 22 penalties for chimney fires, at \$5..... \$110 00
 For auction sale of seized cartridges..... 3 83

Total for penalties..... 113 83

Total received and turned-over to the Relief Fund..... \$11,622 83

REPORT OF BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

Plans and Specifications for Alterations to Buildings Filed and Acted Upon.

CLASSIFICATION.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Approved.	Amended and Approved.	Disapproved.	Now Pending.	Total.	ESTIMATED COST.
Dwelling-houses.....	12	140	152	51	81	12	6	152	\$1,66,064 00
Flats.....	1	18	19	4	13	1	1	19	146,350 00
Tenement-houses.....	5	81	86	42	31	4	9	86	109,515 00
Hotels and boarding-houses.....	1	13	14	4	9	1	..	14	270,260 00
Stores.....	..	33	33	12	15	2	4	33	247,411 00
Office buildings.....	1	14	15	2	9	1	3	15	56,456 00
Manufactories and workshops.....	6	72	78	22	38	9	9	78	446,475 00
School-houses.....	..	3	3	..	3	..	..	3	18,900 00
Churches.....	1	6	7	1	3	2	1	7	28,900 00
Public buildings.....	4	21	25	11	12	2	..	25	129,380 00
Stables.....	2	25	27	10	15	..	2	27	40,205 00
Frame buildings.....	4	84	88	35	37	9	7	88	87,415 00
Totals.....	37	510	547	194	266	43	44	547	\$1,847,931 00

Plans and Specifications for New Buildings Filed and Acted Upon.

CLASSIFICATION.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Approved.	Amended and Approved.	Disapproved.	Now Pending.	Total.	ESTIMATED COST.
Dwelling-houses—Estimated cost over \$50,000.....	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	\$16,000 00
Dwelling-houses—Estimated cost between \$20,000 and \$50,000.....	10	40	50	11	34	5	..	50	849,000 00
Dwelling-houses—Estimated cost less than \$20,000.....	5	107	112	36	45	1	30	112	1,343,300 00
Flats—Estimated cost over \$15,000.....	3	114	117	57	42	9	9	117	2,594,500 00
Tenement-houses—Estimated cost less than \$15,000.....	..	9	9	7	1	..	1	9	114,000 00
Hotels and boarding-houses.....	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	345,000 00
Stores—Estimated cost over \$30,000.....	1	11	12	2	10	..	..	12	790,000 00
Stores—Estimated cost between \$15,000 and \$30,000.....	1	6	7	1	6	..	..	7	107,500 00
Stores—Estimated cost less than \$15,000.....	1	12	13	3	8	..	2	13	65,550 00
Office buildings.....	1	5	6	2	2	..	2	6	642,000 00
Manufactories and workshops.....	1	23	24	4	19	..	1	24	708,850 00
School-houses.....	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	15,000 00
Churches.....	..	5	5	2	1	2	..	5	190,000 00
Public buildings—Municipal.....	..	4	4	2	2	..	..	4	115,442 00
Public buildings—Places of amusement, etc....	1	1	2	..	2	..	..	2	750,000 00
Stables.....	1	17	18	6	10	..	2	18	275,300 00
Frame dwellings in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	3	121	124	69	35	..	20	124	396,150 00
Other frame structures.....	1	73	74	31	27	11	5	74	50,113 00
Totals.....	29	553	582	234	248	28	72	582	\$9,502,705 00

Number of applications for permits for New Buildings and Alterations..... 814

Complaints Received and Investigated.

NATURE.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Unfounded.	Remedied on Verbal Notice.	Notices to be Issued.	Total.	Now Pending.
Defective flues.....	3	11	14	7	1	2	10	4
Defective construction and materials.....	8	12	20	5	1	5	11	9
Defective leaders.....	39	65	104	20	17	30	67	37
Erecting and altering without permit.....	1	21	22	12	1	8	21	1
Frame structures erected and removed without permit.	2	42	44	16	1	22	39	5
Front iron shutters which cannot be opened from the outside.....	7	..	7	..	..	..	..	7
Hoistway openings not guarded.....	1	1	2	..	..	1	1	1
Insufficient means of escape, fire-escapes out of repair, etc.....	184	184	368	71	44	71	186	184
No iron shutters.....	..	2	2	1	..	1	2	..
Stairway openings floored over.....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Unsafe buildings.....	28	440	468	160	13	211	384	84
Unsafe freight elevators.....	..	3	3	2	..	..	2	1
Weight that floors will sustain not posted.....	..	3	3	..	..	3	3	..
Totals.....	274	784	1,058	294	78	354	726	332

Petitions for Modification of the Law.

	APPROVED.	DISAPPROVED.	TOTAL.
New buildings.....	49	17	66
Alterations.....	34	14	48
Iron shutters.....	3	2	5
Totals.....	86	33	119

Inspection of Passenger Elevators.

Number inspected.....	490
Found to be in good order and fit for use.....	480
Found not in compliance with the law.....	10

Disposition of Cases found not in Compliance with Law.

NATURE.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Law complied with.	Now Pending.	Forwarded for Prosecution.
Defective cylinders.....	1	..	1	1	..	..
Defective guide rails, posts and gibs.....	1	..	1	1	..	..
Doors and door-locks out of repair.....	1	..	1	..	1	..
Fronts of cars unprotected.....	17	3	20	14	6	2
Generally unsafe.....	..	1	1	..	1	1
New ropes required.....	6	4	10	8	2	2
Ran by persons under 18 years of age.....	1	2	3	2	1	..
Safety attachments out of order.....	1	..	1	1	..	..
Totals.....	28	10	38	27	11	5

Violations of Law and Unsafe Buildings.

NATURE.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total for Disposition.	Removed before Action by Courts.	Removed on Order of Courts.	Dismissed by Courts.	Discontinued.	Total Final Disposition.	Now Pending.	Forwarded for Prosecution.
Defective construction, materials, etc.....	153	151	304	104	..	..	12	116	188	104
Erecting, altering or removing without permit, or after disapproval.....	301	177	478	144	1	..	14	159	319	149
Insufficient means of escape, fire-escapes, aisles obstructed, etc.....	744	165	909	253	..	..	40	293	616	179
Totals.....	1,198	493	1,691	501	1	..	66	568	1,123	432

Notices Issued.

To place fire-escapes on buildings.....	229
To remove violations of law.....	385
To repair passenger elevators.....	12
To remove unsafe buildings.....	571
Of disapproval of plans.....	82
Totals.....	1,279

Proceedings of Board of Examiners.

Number of meetings held.....	13
Number of cases acted upon.....	119
Number of applicants for appointment as Inspectors examined.....	1
Not qualified.....	1

New buildings commenced.....	564
New buildings completed.....	575
Alterations commenced.....	479
Alterations completed.....	590

ATTORNEY TO THE DEPARTMENT.

Violations of Law Relating to Combustibles, etc.

NATURE OF VIOLATIONS.	FOR DISPOSITION.			DISPOSED OF.							Now Pending.
	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF LITIGATION.		AFTER COMMENCEMENT OF LITIGATION.					
				Recalled—Violations removed.	Recalled for other Reasons.	Violations removed before Trial.	Judgment for Department.	Penalty Paid and Discontinued.	Dismissed.	Total.	
Selling kerosene oil without license.....	19	44	63	..	17	..	..	..	..	17	46
Chimney fires.....	2	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Hoistways open after conclusion of business..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Combustible materials in excessive quantity..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	22	46	68	..	17	..	..	..	..	17	51

Violations of Law Relating to Buildings.

NATURE OF VIOLATIONS.	FOR DISPOSITION.			DISPOSED OF							Now Pending.
	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF LITIGATION.		AFTER COMMENCEMENT OF LITIGATION.					
				Recalled—Violations Removed.	Recalled for other Reasons.	Violations removed before Trial.	Violations removed after Judgment.	Dismissed by Court.	Dismissed for irregularity or insufficiency of Papers.	Total.	
Defective construction, materials, etc.....	163	104	267	69	7	8	..	..	1	85	182
Erecting, altering or removing without permit or after disapproval.....	258	149	407	97	9	14	2	..	..	122	268
Insufficient means of escape, fire-escapes, aisles obstructed, etc.....	480	179	659	108	20	21	1	..	1	151	500
Unsafe buildings	31	18	49	..	..	11	1	..	5	17	32
Defective elevators.....	4	5	9	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	7
Total	936	455	1,391	276	36	54	4	..	7	377	1,014

Miscellaneous Business.

NATURE.	PENDING LAST REPORT.	RECEIVED.	TOTAL.	DISPOSED OF.	NOW PENDING.
Opinions required.....	..	2	2	2	..

Cases Against the Department.

NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	Pending, June 30.	Received.	NATURE OF ACTION.	DISPOSED OF.	Pending, September 30.
The People ex rel. Timothy Sullivan No. 1.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. Timothy Sullivan No. 3.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. John Davis.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. William J. O'Connor.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. Joseph Keegan.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. John Gillespie.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. Patrick H. Breen.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. John Brady.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. John J. Finigan.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. John S. Cleary.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. George J. Maguire.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. William A. Lines.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. James Bohan.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. John Ward.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. William E. McDonald.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. Samuel P. Lynch.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. John Connors.....	1	..	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. Peter F. McDermott.....	..	1	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
The People ex rel. William T. Cahill.....	..	1	Certiorari to review removal.....	..	1
Thomas O'Connor.....	1	..	Damages for personal injuries.....	..	1
Mary E. Pinckney, administratrix.....	1	..	Damages for personal injuries.....	..	1
James O'Brien.....	1	..	Damages for personal injuries.....	..	1
Totals.....	20	2	..	..	22

Money Received.

Violations of building laws—	
Unsafe case No. 594 of 1887—Survey fee.....	\$25 00
Unsafe case No. 689 of 1890—Survey fee.....	25 00
Unsafe case No. 438 of 1890—Survey fee.....	25 00
Paid to the Comptroller as required by law.....	\$75 00

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

First alarms from—	
Street boxes.....	503
Special building boxes.....	3
Police Headquarters.....	1
Automatic Signal Telegraph Company.....	7
Thermostatic Signal Company.....	1
Totals.....	515
Second alarms.....	31
Third alarms.....	16
Fourth alarms.....	3
Fifth alarms.....	1
Simultaneous calls.....	1
Special calls for—	
Companies.....	71
Insurance patrol.....	16
Ambulances.....	56
Totals.....	195
Total alarms and calls.....	710

Messages transmitted.....	2,414
“ received.....	2,336
Total messages.....	4,750

Notice of companies leaving quarters on verbal alarms.....	333
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APPARATUS.

Purchased.

2 steam fire-engines, 6 four-wheeled hose tenders, 1 extension hook and ladder truck, 1 fuel and supply wagon.
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Rebuilt.

1 hook and ladder truck.

Repair Shop Work.

Extensive repairs—14 to steam fire-engines, 4 to hose tenders, 3 to hook and ladder trucks, 1 to water tower.

Ordinary repairs—51 to steam fire-engines, 32 to hose tenders, 10 to hose wagons, 22 to hook and ladder trucks, 4 to floating engines, 3 to water towers, 42 to various wagons.

Painting—17 engines, 15 tenders, 8 hook and ladder trucks, 6 battalion wagons, and 43 various wheels.

Issues—26,650 feet of hose, 10 controlling nozzles, 7 cellar pipes, 4 suction, 4 sets double harness, 6 sets of scaling ladders, 2 sets of sliding poles, 6 iron rams and 12 axes, and a large amount of various parts of harness.
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Outside of business hours the Wrecking Force repaired and placed in service 23 engines, 5 hose tenders, 2 hose wagons, 16 hook and ladder trucks, 1 water tower and 3 battalion wagons.

REPAIRS TO BUILDINGS.

Repairs in the way of carpenter, calking, iron and mason work, plumbing, etc., were made to various houses of the Department, aggregating in all about forty-eight different jobs of work.
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HORSES.

Number of horses on hand at last report.....	384
Purchased since.....	11
Totals.....	395
Died.....	3
Sold.....	5
On hand.....	387

<i>On Probation.</i>	
At close of last quarter	10
Received since	25
Accepted	11
Rejected	14
	25
Remaining on probation	10

Very respectfully,
HENRY D. PURROY,
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
Fire Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Approved Papers for the Week ending March 26, 1892.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Arthur Watling to place and keep one ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 64½ University place, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes; 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 8, 1892.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 21, 1892, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Whereas, A resolution, adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 4, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M., calls for the engrossing and presentation of resolutions adopted that day, eulogistic of Francis J. Twomey, the veteran ex-Clerk of this Board, for his fidelity to duty during thirty-five years continuous service in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council; therefore be it

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be and it is hereby set aside to pay for the suitable engrossing and framing of the said resolutions to Francis J. Twomey, said amount to be paid from the appropriation for "City Contingencies"; and that a Special Committee of three, of which the President shall be Chairman, be appointed for the purpose of carrying out this resolution.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 21, 1892, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Department of Public Charities and Correction be and it is hereby authorized to contract without public letting or advertising with the Metropolitan Telegraph and Telephone Company for the year 1892, in accordance with the provisions of section 64, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, at a price not to exceed nine thousand dollars.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 21, 1892, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor, March 21, 1892.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the north side of Thirty-fifth street, from Eleventh avenue to the North or Hudson river, be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor, March 21, 1892.

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on the south side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from St. Nicholas to Convent avenue, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor, March 21, 1892.

Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on the north side of Thirty-fourth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, section 321, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor, March 21, 1892.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curbing are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor, March 21, 1892.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Edgecombe avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, be flagged four feet wide, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor, March 21, 1892.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the east side of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor, March 21, 1892.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk, Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 5, 1892.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending February 27, 1892:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$16,740 12
For penalties, water rents.....	108 15
For tapping Croton pipes.....	169 50
For sewer permits.....	619 24
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	987 00
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	118 50
For vault permits.....	1,715 13
Total.....	\$20,457 64

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the Week ending February 27, 1892, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as delivered to burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Feb. 23	4 30 P.M.	72.	30.47	{ Consolidated, } Branch 1..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.72	5.00	121.2	21.00	21.21
" 24	3 30 P.M.	72.	30.41	"	"	.78	5.00	119.0	20.20	20.04
" 25	5 P.M.	76	30.24	"	"	.79	5.00	120.0	21.38	21.38
" 26	3 P.M.	73.	30.22	"	"	.80	5.00	119.4	22.20	22.09
" 27	5 30 P.M.	72.	30.54	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	21.46	21.46
									Average.	21.23
Feb. 23	5 P.M.	72.	30.47	{ Consolidated, } Branch 2..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.70	5.00	120.0	20.8	20.18
" 24	3 P.M.	72.	30.41	"	"	.71	5.00	114.5	20.54	19.60
" 25	4 30 P.M.	76.	30.24	"	"	.70	5.00	118.8	20.8	20.8
" 26	3 30 P.M.	73.	30.22	"	"	.67	5.00	120.0	19.48	19.48
" 27	6 P.M.	72.	30.54	"	"	.66	5.00	116.7	19.72	19.18
									Average.	19.70
Feb. 23	3 P.M.	72.	30.47	{ Consolidated, } Branch 3..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.81	5.00	121.8	25.80	27.20
" 24	4 P.M.	72.	30.41	"	"	.82	5.00	119.5	28.02	27.92
" 25	4 P.M.	76	30.24	"	"	.82	5.00	120.0	23.08	28.08
" 26	4 P.M.	73.	30.22	"	"	.82	5.00	120.6	27.64	27.78
" 27	5 P.M.	72.	30.54	"	"	.79	5.00	121.2	26.92	27.19
									Average.	27.63
Feb. 23	5 30 P.M.	74	30.54	{ Consolidated, } Branch 4..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.61	5.00	120.0	19.40	19.40
" 24	6 30 P.M.	72	30.45	"	"	.61	5.00	117.6	22.08	21.64
" 25	7 P.M.	70.	30.26	"	"	.60	5.00	118.2	20.16	19.86
" 26	5 30 P.M.	72.	30.30	"	"	.60	5.00	118.1	19.00	18.70
" 27	12 30 P.M.	72.	30.63	"	"	.60	5.00	117.0	21.60	21.06
									Average.	20.13
Feb. 23	6 P.M.	74.	30.54	{ Consolidated, } Branch 6..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.67	5.00	122.4	22.80	23.26
" 24	6 P.M.	72.	30.45	"	"	.68	5.00	122.4	23.68	24.16
" 25	6 30 P.M.	70.	30.26	"	"	.67	5.00	122.4	22.76	23.21
" 26	6 00 P.M.	72	30.30	"	"	.66	5.00	120.0	23.04	23.04
" 27	12 M.	72.	30.63	"	"	.69	5.00	118.2	23.30	22.95
									Average.	23.32
Feb. 23	3 30 P.M.	72.	30.47	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.86	5.00	121.2	29.00	29.29
" 24	5 P.M.	72.	30.41	"	"	.86	5.00	120.0	29.48	29.48
" 25	3 30 P.M.	76.	30.24	"	"	.86	5.00	121.8	28.96	29.39
" 26	5 P.M.	73.	30.22	"	"	.85	5.00	120.0	29.08	29.08
" 27	4 P.M.	72.	30.54	"	"	.86	5.00	123.0	28.96	29.68
									Average.	29.38
Feb. 23	4 P.M.	72.	30.47	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.82	5.00	122.4	29.20	29.78
" 24	4 30 P.M.	72.	30.41	"	"	.83	5.00	114.5	31.22	29.78
" 25	3 P.M.	76.	30.24	"	"	.83	5.00	120.0	30.46	30.46
" 26	4 30 P.M.	73.	30.22	"	"	.83	5.00	116.7	30.58	29.74
" 27	5 P.M.	72.	30.54	"	"	.82	5.00	118.8	30.20	29.90
									Average.	29.93
Feb. 23	6 30 P.M.	74.	30.54	Standard.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.78	5.00	120.0	25.66	25.66
" 24	5 30 P.M.	72.	30.45	"	"	.77	5.00	120.5	26.68	26.78
" 25	6 P.M.	70.	30.26	"	"	.77	5.00	120.0	26.84	25.84
" 26	6 30 P.M.	72.	30.30	"	"	.77	5.00	121.0	27.12	27.34
" 27	11 30 A.M.	72.	30.63	"	"	.78	5.00	125.5	23.56	24.64
									Average.	26.25

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

Public Lamps.

- 1 old lamp relighted.
- 1 lamp discontinued.
- 1 lamp-post removed.
- 8 lamp-posts reset.
- 2 lamp-posts straightened.
- 5 columns refitted.
- 14 columns releaded.
- 7 service-pipes refitted.
- 5 stand-pipes refitted.

Permits Issued.

- 39 permits to tap Croton pipes.
26 permits to open streets.
13 permits to make sewer connections.
19 permits to repair sewer connections.
100 permits to place building material on streets.
18 permits—special.
15 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

- 115 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Repairs to Pavements.

- 322 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 5 receiving-basins relieved.
119 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
3,741 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
775 lineal feet new brick sewer examined.
14,250 lineal feet of sewer examined.
21 lineal feet of brick sewer repaired.
4 lineal feet brick culvert repaired.
3 lineal feet brick culvert built.
3 lineal feet new pipe-culvert laid.
1 new bulkhead built.
5 receiving-basins repaired.
1 manhole repaired.
3 new manhole covers put on.
2 new basin covers put on.
48 cubic feet of brickwork built.
25 square yards of pavement relaid.
7 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled.
6 cart loads of earth filling.
375 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending February 27, 1892.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	17	115	6	11
Laying Croton Pipes.....	1	13	3	"
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	67	132	"	22
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	1	23	4	"
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	"	"	"
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	25	54	"	29
Repairs and Renewal of Pavement	65	65	1	12
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	14	35	8	4
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	5	1	"
Totals.....	198	443	23	78
Increase over previous week	"	"	"	"
Decrease from previous week.....	"	"	"	"

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$69,055.26.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 22d day of March, 1892.
Present—Commissioners Martin, MacLean and Sheehan.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.
Board of Surgeons—On examination of Patrolman George P. McArdle, Thirtieth Precinct.
Contagious disease in family of Patrolman John Hooks, Fourteenth Precinct.
Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Christopher Rabbeitt, Thirty-first Precinct.
Death of Sergeant Andrew J. Thompson, Twenty-eighth Precinct, on 20th instant.
Report of Surgeon Nesbitt as to physical condition of Patrolman George Adams, Twenty-fourth Precinct, was referred to the Board of Surgeons for examination and report.
Report of the Superintendent, inclosing \$275, mask ball fees, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into Pension Fund.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

Louis Wagner, at Terrace Garden, March 29. Fee, \$25.

Adolph Mylius, at Wendel's Assembly Rooms, April 22. Fee, \$25.

Application of Annie McElroy for appointment as Matron was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Applications Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mrs. Smedick, for increase of pension.

Mary A. Maynard, for pension.

Communication from Richard S. Dey, complaining of violations of Excise law in the Thirtieth Precinct, was referred to the Superintendent for investigation and report.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to report whether Doormen and Matrons may be granted one day off in each month without detriment to the service.

Resolved, That the \$15 received from F. J. Hardman, M. D., complainant in charges against Patrolman Thomas S. Mahaffy, Fifteenth Precinct, be paid into the Police Pension Fund—All aye.

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted the following officers—All aye:
Patrolman Charles C. Repper, Nineteenth Precinct, from March 7 to 19, 1892.

Patrolman Thomas Moore, Twenty-seventh Precinct, from January 30 to March 16, 1892.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$780.10, to enable this Department to pay N. D. Bush, architect, for making detail drawings, specifications and superintending alterations of the following Station-houses, made in pursuance of chapter 90, Laws of 1891, being five per cent. on the cost of said alterations:

Eleventh Precinct	Cost, \$3,272 00	\$163 60
Thirteenth Precinct.....	" 1,429 00	71 45
Fifteenth Precinct.....	" 2,392 00	144 60
Nineteenth Precinct.....	" 2,714 00	135 70
Twenty-first Precinct.....	" 2,223 00	111 15
Twenty-ninth Precinct	" 3,072 00	153 60
		\$780 10

—and that the Treasurer be directed to pay the same on receipt of the money from the Comptroller—All aye.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$1,675 42, to enable this Department to pay the following bills, etc., for account of alterations and fitting up Station-houses and Prisons, in pursuance of chapter 90, Laws of 1891—All aye.

Order 850. Dec. 15, 1891, I. A. Hopper, Twenty-fifth Precinct.....	\$1,000 00
" 971. Jan. 22, 1892, H. M. Smith & Son, Eleventh Precinct.....	52 80
" 997. Feb. 1, " " Fifteenth Precinct.....	347 31
" 998. " 2, " " Nineteenth Precinct.....	110 03
" 4. Y. " 3, " " Twenty-first Precinct.....	48 08
" 26. Y. " 8, " " Twenty-first Precinct.....	98 12
Requisition. Feb. 28, 1892, J. L. Mott Iron Works, Thirteenth Precinct.....	19 08
	\$1,675 42

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:

Walter L. Perkins.
Patrick H. Breen.
Jean C. Fargo.

Louis Klenkel, Jr.
Andrew Heggarty.
Morris Jacobs.

Thomas Lancer.
Frank P. Schlamp.

Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman Charles Brown, Fifth Precinct, March 18, 1892.

" Bernard McConville, Sixteenth Precinct, March 18, 1892.

" Patrick Haughey, Twenty-second Precinct, March 18, 1892.

" James F. Hannon, Thirty-fifth Precinct, March 22, 1892.

Transfers, etc.

Roundsman John D. O'Brien, from Sixth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Patrolman Max Mangold, from Second Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.

" Orin Sims, from Thirty-first Precinct to Twentieth Precinct.

" Robert E. Drummond, from Fifteenth Precinct to Ninth Precinct.

" James Campbell, from Twenty-fifth Precinct to detail as Precinct Detective, temporarily.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Theodore Balke, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" John H. Cosgrove, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Harvey H. Ware, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James J. O'Neill, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Patrick L. Donovan, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Michael Linehan, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Thomas J. Carney, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Jacob G. Mohr, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Richard Flynn, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

" Charles R. Aikman, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Norman Sheldon, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Henry Harges, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" James J. Miller, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

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

" Charles E. Benjamin, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Harman C. Sturke, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Michael P. Gorman, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Michael Gargan, Eighth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, three days' pay.

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

" John H. Baker, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Frederick A. Kennedy, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Thomas J. Donovan, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Thomas Kavanagh, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Thomas Perry, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" William H. Sullivan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" George Baker, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Nicholas Klute, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Gustave Hinkelday, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John F. McCarthy, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" William H. Leonard, Twelfth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.

" Edward Corey, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" James J. Bleo, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" William Schmidt, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James Smith, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Peter J. Blanch, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John Kiernan, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

" John Kiernan, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" George Beller, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Patrick McGinley, Nineteenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one-half day's pay.

" Patrick Bradley, Nineteenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one-half day's pay.

" Robert J. Brown, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Samuel L. McGrane, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Sylvanus Ronk, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Michael H. Fitzgerald, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" John J. Munson, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John H. Tierney, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.

" Thomas P. McCarthy, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Edward H. Pearson, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Robert Johnson, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John Aiken, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Michael McCarthy, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Franklin C. Cooper, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Thomas Douglass, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Francis O'Neil, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.

" Leopold Michaels, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Edgar V. Campbell, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Patrick Green, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Martin F. Morrison, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" James Sloyan, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Robert A. Johnston, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Leander E. Terhune, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" George Langgoss, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" James F. Roke, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Edward Meckert, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Edward Meckert, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John Byrne, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" James Masters, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" James Corbley, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Thomas Lamb, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Richard Tobin, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Richard Tobin, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Thomas J. Donohue, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Robert H. Ellis, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James McMahon, No. 1, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John J. McKeown, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James Burns, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Dennis McMahon, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" George J. Kuhn, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Alphonse S. Rhaume, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John L. Pearse, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James A. Black, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" John P. Sheehy, Tenth District, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" John J. Roche, Twelfth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.

" William Rourke, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Patrick O'Donnell, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Joseph Gleason, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.

" John H. Wagler, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.

" William E. McEvoy, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John Heidebach, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John Stewart, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John D. Taylor, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Albert B. Grinnion, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John Murray, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Saunders J. Unkles, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" George Weigold, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Henry L. Bliss, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James Cosgrove, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Pierce K. Keresy, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" John W. Daly, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James F. Hannon, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Joseph Devlin, Thirty-sixth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, ten days' pay.

" John J. Tierney, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

" Michael Reagan, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

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

" James J. Reilly, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" James J. Doherty, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Michael McDonough, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" John J. Butler, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

" Edward Kelly, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Patrolman Patrick Mulligan, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Patrick Mulligan, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John J. McGreevy, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " James F. Burns, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Robert E. Drummond, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " Robert E. Drummond, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Robert E. Drummond, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " Richard S. Meany, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " William S. Stamford, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " Henry F. Hargrove, Twenty-seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, three days' pay.
 " Isaac Jacobs, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman James J. Sullivan, First Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " Patrick Shea, Third Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " Cornelius J. Sullivan, Fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.
 " John J. Lynch, Fourth Precinct, violation of rules.
 " Michael Burns, Eighteenth Precinct, violation of rules.
 " John Drennan, Eighteenth Precinct, violation of rules.
 " Marvin Woodin, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " Michael Kane, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " Ed. F. X. McDonald, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " Joseph Devlin, Thirty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, March 16, 1892, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 7734 to 7750, inclusive, and Nos. 7753 to 7765, inclusive, amounting to \$3,261.25; also of Vouchers Nos. 7766 to 7774, inclusive, being estimates for work done by contractors, amounting to \$24,850.39.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Construction or Executive Committee presented the following communication received from the Chief Engineer, and recommended that the same be spread in full on the minutes and filed:

NEW YORK, March 8, 1892.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—Since my last report, dated February 29, the flow of water through the tunnel into Bog Brook Reservoir and from Sodom Dam has continued the same, viz., at the approximate rate of 30,000,000 gallons and 20,000,000 gallons per twenty-four hours respectively.

The water surface in Sodom Reservoir is now at elevation 413.26 feet, and the water behind the Bog Brook Dams is at elevation 390.09, i. e., 21.09 feet above the top of the lower pipe.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the recommendation was approved.

The Committee also presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer, and recommended that the same be spread in full on the minutes and filed:

NEW YORK, March 15, 1892.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—Since my last report, dated March 8, the flow of water from the Brewster Reservoirs, including the river, has remained the same.

The water in Sodom Reservoir is at elevation 414.63, and in Bog Brook it has raised to elevation 393.12.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the recommendation was approved.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution: Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due School District No. 5, Town of Greenburgh, Westchester County, New York, amounting to ten dollars and sixty-two cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution: Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the accompanying bill of I. Terwilliger, being for lumber used as lining in sinking the test-pit at Cornell's site, amounting to sixty-three dollars and fifty-eight cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution: Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the accompanying bill of Walter Twigg for occupancy of house in Croton valley, near the Cornell's site, for storing of dynamite, instruments and tools, and for office purposes, and also for damage done to his garden and cultivated field for boring purposes, amounting to eighty dollars, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution: Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in reassigning Superintendents of Dam Construction Abner L. Crosby and Timothy Capper to duty at Bog Brook Dams on March 8 last, is hereby approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution: Resolved, That the resolution adopted on February 17 last, discharging R. C. Rathborne, Leveler, from the service of the Aqueduct Commission, is hereby reconsidered and rescinded, and his resignation, herewith presented, is hereby accepted, to take effect from June 14, 1890.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolutions: Resolved, That Julius C. Lulley be and hereby is appointed Secretary to the Aqueduct Commission at the annual salary of \$4,000, in place of John C. Sheehan, resigned.

Resolved, That Ernest A. Wolff be and hereby is appointed Auditor to the Aqueduct Commission, at an annual salary of \$2,500, in place of Julius C. Lulley, promoted to be Secretary.

The same were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Committee also presented the following resignation of Patrick H. Lydon:

NEW YORK, March 16, 1892.

To the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby resign my position as Inspector of Masonry on the New Aqueduct, the same to take effect as of April 23, 1890.

Respectfully yours,

PATRICK H. LYDON.

—and, in connection therewith, recommended the adoption of the following preambles and resolution:

Whereas, On the 23d day of April, 1890, Patrick H. Lydon, then a veteran and an Inspector of Masonry on the New Aqueduct, was discharged; and

Whereas, The said Patrick H. Lydon desires, for reasons personal to himself, that the resolution discharging him be rescinded, and that he be permitted to resign with the same force and effect; and

Whereas, The Aqueduct Commissioners are willing to grant the desire of the said Lydon to rescind the resolution and to permit a resignation with the same force and effect, upon condition that the said Lydon waives any and all claims to responsibility that might arise by reason of his being reinstated and by reason of his being a veteran; and

Whereas, The said Patrick H. Lydon has executed an instrument exonerating, discharging, releasing and quit-claiming unto the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and the Aqueduct Commissioners, any and all claim which he may have in law or otherwise growing out of the withdrawal and rescinding of the said resolution of April 23, 1890, for salary or otherwise, and by reason of being a veteran; therefore,

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Aqueduct Commissioners on April 23, 1890, discharging Patrick H. Lydon from the service of the Aqueduct Commissioners, is hereby rescinded; and his resignation, herewith presented, is hereby accepted to take effect as of said last mentioned date.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same were adopted.

The Committee also presented the following resignation of E. P. Roberts, Assistant Engineer: SING SING, N. Y., March 16, 1892.

The Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—Being desirous of entering upon a business which will require all my time and attention, I would respectfully submit my resignation, to take effect this date.

Respectfully, etc.,

E. P. ROBERTS, Assistant Engineer.

—and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That in accepting the resignation of Mr. E. P. Roberts, the Aqueduct Commission deem it fitting to place on record its appreciation of the thorough and satisfactory manner in which he has performed the duties assigned to him.

On motion of Commissioner Cannon, the same was adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the minutes of meetings of February 17 and 24; also of March 2, 1892, were ordered approved.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

J. C. LULLEY, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 26, 1892.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, March 25, 1892.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, Mar. 19, 1892	18	\$46 00
Monday, " 21, "	49	616 25
Tuesday, " 22, "	52	613 50
Wednesday, " 23, "	48	55 75
Thursday, " 24, "	57	574 00
Friday, " 25, "	38	79 25
Totals.....	262	\$1,984 75

DANIEL ENGELHARD,
Mayor's Marshal.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. WILLIS HOLLY, 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.
MICHAEL T. DALY, CHARLES G. F. WAHLE.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
Address EDWARD P. BARKER, 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. Y. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, 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.

Office of Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. RYAN, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of City Hall

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER, Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN EVCK, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MARTIN, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

Plans and Specifications, 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.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.

HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION

Washington Building, No. 1 Broadway.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES G. WILSON, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

ALBERT GALLUP, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

EDWARD P. BARKER, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Stewart Building, Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; J. Joseph Scully, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

The Mayor, Chairman; E. P. BARKER, Secretary
CHARLES V. ADDE, Clerk
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 34 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.
JOHN J. GORMAN, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD F. MARTIN, 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.
WILLIAM J. MCKENNA, 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.
DE LAUNCEY NICOLL, District Attorney; EDWARD T. FLYNN, 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.

No. 124 Second avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZE, JOHN B. SHEA, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

New County Court-house, Court opens at 10:30 A. M.
RASTUS S. RANSOM, Surrogate; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens 10:30 A. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; WILLIAM J. MCKENNA, 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, AMERSE A. McCALL, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN LERSCHER, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Equity Term, Room No. 30.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

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.
JOSEPH F. DALY, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 21.
Part III., Room No. 15.
Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
IMON M. EHRLICH, Chief Justice; JOHN B. MCGOLDICK, Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Sixth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 12 o'clock A. M. on Friday, April 1, 1892, for erecting a New School Building on the site at Mulberry and Bayard streets.

JOHN F. WHELAN, Chairman,
ALEX. PATTON, Sr., Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Sixth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

The party submitting a proposal must include in his proposal the names of all sub-contractors, and no change will be permitted to be made in the sub-contractors named without the consent of the School Trustees and Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated New York, March 18, 1892.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
No. 146 GRAND STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, March 30, 1892, at 4 P. M., for supplying the Coal and Wood required for the Public Schools in the city for the ensuing year, say seventeen thousand (17,000) tons of coal, more or less, and one hundred (100) cords of oak and one thousand (1,000) cords of pine wood, more or less. The coal must be of the best quality of white ash—furnace, egg, stove and nut sizes—clean and in good order, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, from either of the following-named mines, viz.:

Honey-Frook Lehigh.
Hazelton Lehigh.
Plymouth white ash.
Or coal mined by the following companies, viz.:

Philadelphia and Reading.
Delaware and Hudson Canal Company.
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Co.
Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company.
Lehigh Valley Coal Company.
Pennsylvania Coal Company.

—and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

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

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.:

Twelve thousand five hundred (12,500) tons of furnace size.

Three thousand (3,000) tons of egg size.

Eight hundred (800) tons of stove size.

And seven hundred (700) tons of nut size.

The oak wood must be of the best quality; viz. the pine wood must be of the best quality Virginia, first growth and sound.

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

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

Proposals must state the price per cord for—

Oak wood, 16-inch lengths.

Oak wood, 18-inch lengths, split to stove size.

Oak wood, 12-inch lengths.

Oak wood, 12-inch lengths, split to stove size.

Pine wood, 17-inch lengths, split for kindling.

Pine wood, 13-inch lengths, stove size.

Pine wood, 13-inch lengths, split for kindling.

Pine wood, 9-inch lengths, split for kindling.

Pine wood, 6-inch lengths, split for kindling.

Said coal and wood will be inspected, and said coal weighed, under the supervision of the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education.

The contractor will be required to present with every bill for deliveries a bill of lading with each boat-load as partial evidence of the kind and quality of the coal claimed to have been delivered, and with all bills to present his affidavit stating the quantity and quality of coal delivered, where the same was weighed, and certifying the correctness of his claim.

The coal and wood must be delivered at the schools as follows: Two-thirds of the quantity of each between the fifteenth of May and the fifteenth of October, and the remainder as required by the Committee on Supplies; the contracts for supplying said coal and wood to be binding until the first day of May, eighteen hundred and ninety-three.

Two stipulated sureties, or bond by one of the Guarantee Companies, for the faithful performance of the contract, will be required, and each proposal must be accompanied by the signatures and residences of the proposer's sureties. No compensation above the contract price will be allowed for delivering said coal and wood at any of the schools, nor for putting or piling the same in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of said school buildings.

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

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

Any further information can be obtained from the Clerk of the Board of Education.

THADDEUS MARIARTY,
WILLIAM H. GRAY,
ISAAC A. HOPPER,
R. DUNCAN HARRIS,
JAMES W. McHARRON,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, March 15, 1892.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 18, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Thursday, March 31, 1892, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CUT STONE AT THE OLD RESERVOIR, CENTRAL PARK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE ALTERATIONS TO TWO OF THE BUILDINGS IN WEST WASHINGTON MARKET, ON BLOOMFIELD STREET, between West street and Thirteenth avenue.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING JANITORS' SUPPLIES FOR USE IN THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS, COURTS AND OFFICES IN CARE OF THE BUREAU OF REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON PRESENT MACADAM PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTH AVENUE, from Circle at One Hundred and Tenth street to One Hundred and Twentieth street; ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREET, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, and ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET, from Mount Morris to Lenox avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTH STREET, from Avenue B to C.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from Madison to Sixth avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ELDRIDGE STREET, from Division to Houston street.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LUDLOW STREET, from Division to Houston street.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF HOUSTON STREET, from Eldridge to Ludlow street, and FIFTH AVENUE, at intersection of Eighth street.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF HOUSTON STREET, from Bowery to Eldridge street and from Ludlow to Lewis street.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTH AVENUE, from Hudson to Thirteenth street.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LISPENARD STREET, from Broadway to West Broadway, and PARK PLACE, from Broadway to Greenwich street.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRD STREET, from Broadway to Sixth avenue.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINTH STREET, from Avenue D to the East river so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINETY-FIRST STREET, from First to Second avenue.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Madison to Park avenue.

No. 17. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET, from Twelfth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Broadway to Amsterdam avenue.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Kingsbridge road to Tenth avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 1, 10 and 15, No. 31 Chambers street. THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 16, 1892.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, MARCH 28, 1892, AT 11:30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, on the premises, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, the following, viz.:

8,000 OLD PAVING BLOCKS ON VACANT LOT SOUTHEAST CORNER FOURTH AVENUE AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the paving blocks on or before the 6th day of April, 1892, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor and the Department of Public Works will immediately thereafter remove the paving blocks at the expense of the purchaser.

The purchase money must be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, or the paving blocks will be resold.

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN,

Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 18, 1892.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1892, AT 10:30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at the Corporation Yard, foot of East Sixteenth street, the following, viz.:

A QUANTITY OF THEATRICAL SCENERY, DROP CURTAINS, ETC.; ALSO THEATRICAL PARAPHERNALIA, INCLUDING COSTUMES, PROPERTIES, AND QUANTITIES OF MUSIC AND FURNITURE.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the scenery, drop-curtains, etc., etc., within three days from date of sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor, and the same will be resold.

The purchase money must be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, or the scenery, etc., etc., will be resold.

THOS. F. GILROY,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1892.

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 STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 18, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Department of Street Cleaning with the following articles:

675,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Oat.
270,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.
70,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
1,600 pounds Coarse Salt.
1,500 pounds Rock Salt.
600 pounds Oil Meal.
200 pounds Oatmeal (coarse).

—will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the office of said Department, Room 189, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. March 30, 1892, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the Department Stables, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, and No. 614 West Fifty-second street, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

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

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. of Hay, Straw, Oats, Coarse Salt, Rock Salt, Oil Meal and Coarse Oatmeal.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the above shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said Commissioner of Street Cleaning, 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 Commissioner of Street Cleaning 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, that he is a householder or freeholder 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 sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000); 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 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 (\$200) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NOTICE.

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

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, March 17, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING Eight Hose Wagons to this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, March 30, 1892, 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 description of the apparatuses to be furnished bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

The form of the agreement (showing the manner of payment for the work), with specifications, 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 apparatuses are to be completed and delivered within one hundred (100) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the apparatuses 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.

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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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING BERGEN AVENUE, TWENTY-THIRD WARD, CONFIRMED BY THE SUPREME COURT, MARCH 9, 1892.

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 BERGEN AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court on March 9, 1892, and entered on the 11th day of March, 1892, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before May 11, 1892, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 24, 1892.

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Section 9

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY
AND EXAMINING BOARDS.NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARD,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, March 25, 1892.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
open competitive examinations for the positions
below mentioned will be held at this office on the dates
specified:

March 31. MECHANICAL ENGINEERS.
April 1. INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS.
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

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PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, March 17, 1892.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS,
will sell at public auction, at Pier "A," Battery
place, in the City of New York, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1892.

at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all
wharfage which may accrue for the use and occupation
by vessels of more than five tons burden, of the follow-
ing-named piers and bulkheads, together with the priv-
ilege of erecting and maintaining a shed on such piers or
bulkheads, where mentioned below, and occupying any
shed existing on any of such piers at the commence-
ment of the term; the said shed and each of them to
revert to and become the property of the Mayor, Alder-
men and Commonalty of the City of New York at the
expiration or sooner termination of the lease, to wit:

On the North River.

For the term of ten years from May 1, 1892, with priv-
ilege of renewal for a further term of ten years.

Lot 1. Pier, near 58, with privilege of erecting and
maintaining a shed upon said pier.

For the term of six years and six months from May 1,
1892.

Lot 2. Pier at West Eleventh street. The outer
about 100 feet on the southerly side; the end and the
whole of the northerly side of said pier, outside and
westerly of Thirteenth avenue. (It is expected that the
extension of this pier will be completed and ready for
use on or about May 15, 1892.)

For the term of five years from May 1, 1892.

Lot 3. Bulkhead, extending from the northerly side
of West Eleventh street, southerly a distance of 125
feet, with privilege of erecting and maintaining a shed
50 feet in width upon the said bulkhead.

Lot 4. Pier at Little West Twelfth street (Pier, old 59).
Lot 5. Pier at foot of West Thirtieth street, except
northerly side, used for dump of Department of Street
cleaning.

Lot 6. Pier foot of West Fortieth street, with privilege
of erecting and maintaining a shed upon the said pier.

Lot 7. Pier foot of West Fifty-second street.

Lot 8. Pier foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-
ninth street, except southerly side, used for dump of
Department of Street Cleaning.

Lot 9. Northerly side and end of the pier foot of West
One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

Lot 10. Pier foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-
third street.

Lot 11. Pier foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-
fourth street, except reservation for public bath during
summer season.

For the term of four years and eight months from 1st
September, 1892.

Lot 12. Pier foot of West Eighteenth street.

On the East River.

For the term of five years from 1st May, 1892.

Lot 13. Easterly half of Pier, old 18. This pier has
a shed upon it.

Lot 14. Easterly half of Pier, old 33, bulkhead and
platforms between Pier, old 33, and Pier, old 34, and
westerly half of Pier, old 34. These piers and bulkhead
platforms have sheds upon them.

Lot 15. Northerly half of Pier, old 56, bulkhead
between Pier, old 56, and Pier, old 57, ninety feet, and
southerly half of Pier, old 57.

Lot 16. Northerly half of Pier, old 58, and bulkhead
between Pier, old 58, and Pier, old 59, one hundred and
thirteen feet.

Lot 17. Bulkhead at foot of East Fourteenth street.

Lot 18. Pier at foot of East Thirty-first street.

Lot 19. Pier at foot of East Thirty-second street.

Lot 20. Bulkhead at foot of East Forty-ninth street.

Lot 21. Bulkhead at foot of East Fifty-third street.

Lot 22. Bulkhead at foot of East Fifty-fourth street.

Lot 23. Unimproved water front, between East Fifty-
fourth and East Fifty-fifth streets.

Lot 24. Bulkhead between East Sixty-third and East
Sixty-fourth streets.

Lot 25. Bulkhead platform between East Seventy-
eighth and East Seventy-ninth streets.

Lot 26. Bulkhead platform at foot of East Seventy-
ninth street, southerly of pier.

On the Harlem River.

For the term of five years from May 1, 1892.

Lot 27. Pier at foot of East One Hundred and Nine-
teenth street.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which
they may be at the commencement of the term of the
lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or
property are not in suitable and tenable condition at
the commencement of the term will be allowed by this
Department.

All repairs, maintaining or rebuilding required or
necessary to be done to or upon the premises, or any
part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the
lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of
the lessee or purchaser.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by
the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharfage
or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay
on account or by reason of the premises or any part
thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs,
rebuilding or dredging.

The upset price of the parcels or premises exposed or
offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at
the time of sale.

The Department will do all dredging whenever it shall
deem it necessary or advisable so to do.

The term for which leases are sold will commence at
the date mentioned in the advertisement, and the rents
accruing therefor will be payable from that date in
each case.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time
of the sale, to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fees,
to the Department of Docks, twenty-five per cent. (25%)
of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the
execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%)
will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing
under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to
the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to
execute the lease, with good and sufficient surety or
sureties, to be approved by the Department, within ten
days after being notified that the lease is prepared and
ready for execution at the office of the Department of
Docks, Pier "A," North River, Battery place.

The Department expressly reserves the right to resell
the lease or premises bid off, by those failing, refusing
or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions,
the party so failing, refusing or neglecting, to be liable
to the Corporation of the City of New York for any
deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly
in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions
of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department.

In all cases where it is mentioned in the advertise-

ment of sale, the purchaser shall be entitled to the
privilege of occupying any shed upon the pier or bulk-
head at the commencement of the term or that may
thereafter be permitted or licensed by the Department,
and to the rights attached to such permission or license,
but subject to the conditions thereof, such purchaser
being engaged in the business of steam transportation
and using and employing the same for the purpose of
regularly receiving and discharging cargo thereat.

Not less than two sureties, each to be a householder
or freeholder in the State of New York, to be approved
by the Board of Docks, will be required under each
lease to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and
severally with the lessee, in the sum of double the
annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the
covenants and conditions of the lease, the names and
addresses of the sureties to be submitted at the time of
sale.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will,
upon ten days' notice so to do, execute a lease with
sufficient surety as aforesaid, the printed form of which
may be seen and examined upon application to the
Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A,"
Battery place.

No person will be received as a lessee or surety who
is delinquent on any former lease from this Department
or the Corporation.

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in
arrears to this Department or the Corporation, upon
debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or other-
wise, upon any obligation to this Department or to the
Corporation of the City of New York.

The auctioneer's fees (\$25) on each lot or parcel
must be paid by the purchasers thereof respectively at
the time of sale.

Dated NEW YORK, March 17, 1892.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,

EDWIN A. POST,

JAMES J. PHELAN,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-
ITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, March 24, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED
FOR REMOVAL OF MORGUE, BELLE-
VEUE HOSPITAL.

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
Tuesday, April 5, 1892, until 10 o'clock A. M. The
person or persons making any bid or estimate shall
furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid
or Estimate for Removal of Morgue, Bellevue 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 Depart-
ment 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 Cor-
poration upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter,
as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Cor-
poration.

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 en-
gaged 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 **ONE
THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.**

A bidder for a contract must be known to be en-
gaged in and well prepared for the business, and must
have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the per-
son or persons to whom a 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, or such specific
sum as may be mentioned in the proposal.

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 with-
out 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 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 VERIFICA-
TION be made and subscribed by all the parties inter-
ested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-
ness 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 en-
titled 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 supplies by which the bids are
tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompa-
nied 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 Ordi-
nances of the City of New York, if the contract shall
be awarded to the person or persons for whom he con-
sents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency
of the security offered is 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
State or National banks of the City of New York,
drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money
to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the
security required for the faithful performance
of the contract. Such check or money must not be
inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate,
but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the
Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no
estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or
money has been examined by said officer or clerk and
found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of
the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons
making the same within three days after the contract
is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or
neglect, within five days after notice that the contract
has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the
amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to

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

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

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 deter-
mine.

The forms of the contracts, 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 their provisions carefully, as
the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist
upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

HENRY H. PORTER, President.

CHARLES F. 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 LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FUR-
nishing Lumber, in conformity with specifications,
will be received at the office of the Department of Public
Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the
City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday,
March 29, 1892, as follows:

12,450 feet clear, thoroughly seasoned, edged or ver-
tical grained Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring,
1 1/4" x 4", tongued and grooved and dressed
one side

3,000 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1" x 4",
dressed one side.

900 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1" x 4",
dressed both sides.

150 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 1/2" x 12",
dressed both sides.

200 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 1/4" x 12",
dressed both sides.

550 feet first quality clear White Pine, 3/8" x 12",
dressed one side.

225 feet first quality clear White Pine, 2" x 12",
dressed both sides.

150 feet first quality clear White Pine, 3/4" x 12",
dressed both sides.

75 pieces first quality spruce, 3" x 6" x 13',

275 pieces first quality spruce, 3" x 4" x 13',

300 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 1/2",
dressed both sides.

700 feet first quality clear White Pine, 7/8", dressed
both sides.

30 pieces first quality clear White Pine Partition
Boards, 7/8" x 4 1/2" x 13' tongued and
grooved, beaded and dressed both sides.

20 pieces first quality clear White Pine Boards
1" x 12" x 15', dressed one side.

117 bundles first quality Masons' Lath,
60 pieces first quality White Pine Roofing Boards
2 1/2", tongued and grooved and dressed.

All to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate
shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed,
"Bid or Estimate for Lumber," 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 con-
tract 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 en-
gaged 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 with-
out 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 inter-
ested therein, or in the supplies 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 VERIFICA-
TION be made and subscribed by all the parties inter-
ested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-
ness 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 en-
titled on its completion and that which the Corporation may
be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the con-
tract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the
amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated
amount of the supplies 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 free-
holder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount
of the security required for the completion of this con-
tract, 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 be-
come surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security
offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the
City of New York.

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, March 17, 1892.

HENRY H. PORTER, President.

CHARLES F. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner.

EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner.

Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, March 24, 1892.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from One Hundred
and Fifty-second street and Fourth avenue—Unknown
man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; light
brown hair, mixed with gray; red moustache, blue eyes.
Had on brown overcoat, blue and red plaid sack coat
and vest, black and blue ribbed pants, white shirt,
brown woolen undershirt and drawers, one elastic
gaiter on right foot, black woolen socks.

Unknown man from foot of Forty-fourth street, North
river, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; black
hair, beard and moustache, mixed with gray. Had on
black coat, black corset vest and pants, white cotton
undershirt, elastic gaiters, gray woolen socks.

Unknown woman, from Pier 28, East river, aged
about 21 years; 5 feet high; light brown hair. Had on
black sacque with double row of buttons, black satin
waist, white corsets, white muslin drawers, white mus-
lin chemise, with letters "A. F." worked on neck, and
letter "L." worked on skirt, brown and white cotton
stockings, button gaiters.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island
—Sarah Lewis, aged 42 years; 5 feet high; transferred
from Workhouse November 30, 1887, and had on velvet
wrap, cotton flannel petticoat.

At Ward's Island Hospital—James Hughes, aged 56
years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had
on when admitted black overcoat, black vest, dark
striped pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,

Secretary.

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 com-
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-
sessment for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 3747, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging north side
of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, extending a
distance about 125 feet west of Seventh avenue, and
west side of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and
Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh
street, and both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-
sixth

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 3725, No. 1. Paving Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Eighth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.
List 3776, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.
List 3794, No. 3. Sewer in Seventy-sixth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.
List 3796, No. 4. Laying crosswalks across Avenue A, at the southerly side of Seventy-fourth street, north side of Seventy-sixth street and south side of Eighty-fifth street.
List 3798, No. 5. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.
List 3801, No. 6. Paving Washington street, from Bank to Gansevoort street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.
List 3802, No. 7. Sewer in One Hundred and Second street, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.
List 3804, No. 8. Sewer in Sixty-fourth street, between property of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and Eleventh avenue.
List 3826, No. 9. Paving Fifty-fifth street, from Avenue A to the East river, with trap blocks.
List 3761, No. 10. Paving One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Third to St. Ann's avenue, with trap blocks.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of grounds, vacant lots, pieces or parcels of land situated on—
No. 1. Both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Eighth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue.
No. 4. To the extent of half the block, from Avenue A, at the intersections of the south side of Seventy-fourth street, north side of Seventy-sixth street and south side of Eighty-fifth street.
No. 5. To the extent of half the block from Seventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly intersections of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.
No. 6. Both sides of Washington street, from Bank to Gansevoort street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue.
No. 8. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to the property of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and west side of Eleventh avenue, extending about 100 feet 5 inches north of Sixty-fourth street.
No. 9. Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, from Avenue A to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Third to St. Ann's avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.
The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 25th day of April, 1892.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 23, 1892.

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 3725, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to sewers in Twentieth street, between Tenth avenue and North river.
List 3762, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Sixty-first or Clifton street, from St. Ann's to Cauldwell avenue, with granite blocks.
List 3768, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and paving with trap blocks, One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third to Courtlandt avenue.
List 3800, No. 4. Paving Fifth street, from Lewis street to East river, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces or parcels of land situated on—
No. 1. Blocks bounded by Nineteenth and Thirty-fourth streets, Ninth avenue and Hudson river; blocks bounded by Nineteenth and Thirty-sixth streets, Sixth and Ninth avenues; blocks bounded by Fifteenth and Thirty-first streets, Broadway and Sixth avenue; blocks bounded by Thirty-first and Forty-first streets, Fifth and Sixth avenues, including both sides of Sixth avenue, from Fifteenth to Forty-first street, and east side of Fifth avenue, from Thirty-fifth to Forty-first street, and block bounded by Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, Madison and Fifth avenues, including both sides of Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, between said avenues, and east side of Broadway, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets.
No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first or Clifton street, from St. Ann's to Cauldwell avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third to Courtlandt avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 4. Both sides of Fifth street, from Lewis street to East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Lewis 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 20th day of April, 1892.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 23, 1892.

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No. 1. Blocks bounded by Nineteenth and Thirty-fourth streets, Ninth avenue and Hudson river; blocks bounded by Nineteenth and Thirty-sixth streets, Sixth and Ninth avenues; blocks bounded by Fifteenth and Thirty-first streets, Broadway and Sixth avenue; blocks bounded by Thirty-first and Forty-first streets, Fifth and Sixth avenues, including both sides of Sixth avenue, from Fifteenth to Forty-first street, and east side of Fifth avenue, from Thirty-fifth to Forty-first street, and block bounded by Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, Madison and Fifth avenues, including both sides of Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, between said avenues, and east side of Broadway, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets.
No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first or Clifton street, from St. Ann's to Cauldwell avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third to Courtlandt avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 4. Both sides of Fifth street, from Lewis street to East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Lewis 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 20th day of April, 1892.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 19, 1892.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,
NEW YORK, January 11, 1892.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE New York City Consolidation Act of 1881, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal

Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1892, are open and will remain open for examination and correction until the thirtieth day of April 1892.

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

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturdays, when between 10 A. M. and 12 M., at this office, during the same period.

EDWARD P. BARKER,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
March 18, 1892.

AUCTION SALE.
THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at Public Auction, by George P. Morgan, auctioneer, on Tuesday, March 29, 1892,

AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
At the westerly side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets.

One lot old wrought iron (about 55 tons), consisting of girders and braces taken from Central Bridge.

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
At the Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

A quantity of police uniforms (condemned) in lots to suit purchasers, consisting of
103 Overcoats.
122 Body coats.
31 Blouses.
230 Trousers.
350 Helmets.

TERMS OF SALE.
The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale. Purchases to be removed immediately after sale.

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

COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
OFFICE OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York will, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, in said city, on Monday, March 28, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may be then and there offered in reference to a contemplated change and revision of maps in the Twenty-third Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, and of chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890, the general character and extent of the contemplated changes being a revision of the street system in that portion of said Ward bounded by Third avenue, Westchester avenue, Robbins avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Prospect avenue, Home street, Westchester avenue, the Bronx river, the Long Island Sound, Harlem Kills and the Harlem river.

A map or plan showing such contemplated change is now on exhibition in said office.

LOUIS J. HEINTZ,
Commissioner of Street Improvements,
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

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 HOME STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the Boston road to Intervale 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 22d day of April, 1892, 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 of a certain street or avenue, known as Home street, extending from the Boston road to Intervale 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.:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Boston road, distant 622.82 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of George street with the eastern line of Boston road.
1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Boston road for 65.44 feet.
2. Thence easterly, deflecting 66° 27' 42" to the right, for 326.42 feet to the western line of Forest avenue.
3. Thence southerly along the western line of Forest avenue for 60 feet.
4. Thence westerly for 352.55 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Forest avenue, distant 572.46 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of George street with the eastern line of Forest avenue.
1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Forest avenue for 60 feet.
2. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° 00' 25" to the eastern line of Forest avenue, for 269.94 feet to the western line of Tinton avenue.
3. Thence southerly along the western line of Tinton avenue for 60 feet.
4. Thence westerly for 269.94 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Tinton avenue, distant 571.59 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of George street with the eastern line of Tinton avenue.
1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Tinton avenue for 60 feet.
2. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° 00' 42" from the eastern line of Tinton avenue, for 273.76 feet.
3. Thence northerly, deflecting 37° 24' 49" to the left, for 62.71 feet.
4. Thence northerly, deflecting 11° 42' 17" to the right, for 356.58 feet.
5. Thence northerly, deflecting 0° 25' 26" to the left, for 111.40 feet.
6. Thence northerly, deflecting 1° 20' 05" to the left, for 611.58 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.
7. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street for 82.95 feet.
8. Thence southerly, deflecting 133° 40' 20" to the right, for 700.17 feet.
9. Thence southerly, deflecting 1° 48' 46" to the right, for 110.95 feet.
10. Thence southerly, deflecting 0° 33' 15" to the left, for 355.94 feet.
11. Thence southerly, deflecting 6° 34' 29" to the left, for 59.51 feet.
12. Thence westerly for 273.83 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."
Beginning at a point on the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, distant 873.90 feet westerly from the most easterly point of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.
1. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street for 16.12 feet.
2. Thence northerly, deflecting 133° 40' 20" to the right, for 23.20 feet.
3. Thence southerly for 16.78 feet to the point of beginning.
Home street, from Boston road to Intervale avenue, is a street of the first class and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, March 24, 1892.
WM. 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to MACOMB'S STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Broadway to Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of April, 1892, 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 of a certain street or avenue, known as Macomb's street, extending from Broadway to Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Broadway, distant 666.30 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of Riverside avenue with the easterly line of Broadway.
1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Broadway for 60.04 feet.
2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 87° 51' 24" to the right, for 636.97 feet.
3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 97° 10' 38" to the right, for 60.47 feet.
4th. Thence westerly for 681.66 feet to the point of beginning.
Macomb's street is a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, March 24, 1892.
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Bristow 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 western line of Bristow street, distant 210.74 feet southerly from the intersection of the western line of Bristow street with the southern line of Boston road.
1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Bristow street for 60 feet.
2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right for 298.47 feet.
3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 105° 54' 42" to the right for 62.71 feet.
4th. Thence easterly for 280.23 feet to the point of beginning.
East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Prospect avenue to Bristow street, is designated a street of the first class and is 60 feet wide.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Tinton avenue, distant 571.59 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of George street with the eastern line of Tinton avenue.
1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Tinton avenue for 60 feet.
2. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° 00' 25" to the eastern line of Forest avenue, for 269.94 feet to the western line of Tinton avenue.
3. Thence southerly along the western line of Tinton avenue for 60 feet.
4. Thence westerly for 269.94 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Tinton avenue, distant 571.59 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of George street with the eastern line of Tinton avenue.
1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Tinton avenue for 60 feet.
2. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° 00' 42" from the eastern line of Tinton avenue, for 273.76 feet.
3. Thence northerly, deflecting 37° 24' 49" to the left, for 62.71 feet.
4. Thence northerly, deflecting 11° 42' 17" to the right, for 356.58 feet.
5. Thence northerly, deflecting 0° 25' 26" to the left, for 111.40 feet.
6. Thence northerly, deflecting 1° 20' 05" to the left, for 611.58 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.
7. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street for 82.95 feet.
8. Thence southerly, deflecting 133° 40' 20" to the right, for 700.17 feet.
9. Thence southerly, deflecting 1° 48' 46" to the right, for 110.95 feet.
10. Thence southerly, deflecting 0° 33' 15" to the left, for 355.94 feet.
11. Thence southerly, deflecting 6° 34' 29" to the left, for 59.51 feet.
12. Thence westerly for 273.83 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."
Beginning at a point on the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, distant 873.90 feet westerly from the most easterly point of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.
1. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street for 16.12 feet.
2. Thence northerly, deflecting 133° 40' 20" to the right, for 23.20 feet.
3. Thence southerly for 16.78 feet to the point of beginning.
Home street, from Boston road to Intervale avenue, is a street of the first class and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, March 24, 1892.
WM. H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the office of the Council to the Corporation, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, March 9, 1892.
WM. 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to GROVE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third avenue to Brook 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 18th day of April, 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 18th day of April, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 19th day of April, 1892.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the thirtieth day of April, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 7, 1892.
NELSON SMITH, Chairman,
CHARLES BEARDSLEY,
WILLIAM J. LACEY,
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 ROBBINS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Kelly street to St. Mary's Park, 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 22d day of April, 1892, 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 of a certain street or avenue, known as Robbins avenue, extending from Kelly street to St. Mary's Park, 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 eastern line of Broadway, distant 666.30 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of Riverside avenue with the easterly line of Broadway.
1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Broadway for 60.04 feet.
2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 87° 51' 24" to the right, for 636.97 feet.
3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 97° 10' 38" to the right, for 60.47 feet.
4th. Thence westerly for 681.66 feet to the point of beginning.
Macomb's street is a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, March 24, 1892.
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Bristow 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 western line of Bristow street, distant 210.74 feet southerly from the intersection of the western line of Bristow street with the southern line of Boston road.
1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Bristow street for 60 feet.
2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right for 298.47 feet.
3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 105° 54' 42" to the right for 62.71 feet.
4th. Thence easterly for 280.23 feet to the point of beginning.
East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Prospect avenue to Bristow street, is designated a street of the first class and is 60 feet wide.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Tinton avenue, distant 571.59 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of George street with the eastern line of Tinton avenue.
1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Tinton avenue for 60 feet.
2. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° 00' 25" to the eastern line of Forest avenue, for 269.94 feet to the western line of Tinton avenue.
3. Thence southerly along the western line of Tinton avenue for 60 feet.
4. Thence westerly for 269.94 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Tinton avenue, distant 571.59 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of George street with the eastern line of Tinton avenue.
1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Tinton avenue for 60 feet.
2. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° 00' 42" from the eastern line of Tinton avenue, for 273.76 feet.
3. Thence northerly, deflecting 37° 24' 49" to the left, for 62.71 feet.
4. Thence northerly, deflecting 11° 42' 17" to the right, for 356.58 feet.
5. Thence northerly, deflecting 0° 25' 26" to the left, for 111.40 feet.
6. Thence northerly, deflecting 1° 20' 05" to the left, for 611.58 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.
7. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street for 82.95 feet.
8. Thence southerly, deflecting 133° 40' 20" to the right, for 700.17 feet.
9. Thence southerly, deflecting 1° 48' 46" to the right, for 110.95 feet.
10. Thence southerly, deflecting 0° 33' 15" to the left, for 355.94 feet.
11. Thence southerly, deflecting 6° 34' 29" to the left, for 59.51 feet.
12. Thence westerly

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 3), in said city, on or before the fourth day of April, 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said fourth day of April, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 1 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 fifth day of April, 1892.

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 Sedgwick avenue, and by a line drawn at a right angle to the southerly side of Sedgwick avenue; from the intersection of said southerly line of Sedgwick avenue with the easterly line of Undercliff avenue to the centre of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Andrews avenue; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Andrews avenue, Aqueduct avenue and Undercliff avenue; southerly by the boundary line between the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; westerly by Sedgwick avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Undercliff 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 twentieth day of April, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, February 18, 1892.
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST, Chairman,
WILMOT F. COX, William H. Barker, Commissioners,
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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 Monday, the 28th day of March, 1892, 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 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 of a certain street or avenue known as Jackson avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Clifton street, distant 175 feet westerly from the intersection of the western line of Forest avenue with the southern line of Clifton street.

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of Clifton street for 50 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 90° to the left for 1,833.90 feet to the northern line of Westchester avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the northern line of Westchester avenue for 87.10 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 1,762.69 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Clifton street, distant 175 feet westerly from the intersection of the western line of Forest avenue with the northern line of Clifton street.

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of Clifton street for 50 feet.

2d. Then northerly deflecting 90° to the right for 1,300 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

3d. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 50 feet.

4th. Thence southerly for 1,320 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, distant 175 feet westerly from the intersection of the western line of Forest avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 50 feet.

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90° to the right for 571.56 feet to the southern line of George street.

3d. Thence easterly along the southern line of George street for 50 feet.

4th. Thence southerly for 571.75 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Boston road, distant 84.19 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street with the eastern line of Boston road

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Boston road for 125.20 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 23° 32' 21" to the left for 866.43 feet to the northern line of George street.

3d. Thence easterly along the northern line of George street for 50 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 981.02 feet to the point of beginning.

Jackson avenue is designated a street of the first class and is fifty feet wide.

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

Dated NEW YORK, February 17, 1892.
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 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.

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. 51 Chambers street (Room 3), in said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of March, 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said twenty-eighth day of March, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 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-ninth day of March, 1892.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a line drawn parallel to Canal street, and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof, from the easterly line of West street to a point 100 feet east of the easterly line of Broadway; easterly by a line drawn parallel to Broadway and Whitehall street and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, from a point 100 feet north of Canal street to about the centre of Stone street; southerly by Stone street to Whitehall street, and by a line parallel to Bowling Green, and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom, from Whitehall street to State street; thence by a line parallel to the northerly side of Battery Park, and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom, from State street to the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of West street; westerly, by the easterly line of West street, from the Battery Park to a point 100 feet north of Canal street; excepting from said area all the land included within the lines of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps 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 twelfth day of April, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, February 16, 1892.
EUGENE L. BUSHE, Chairman,
JAMES G. JANEWAY, Thomas F. Hayes, Commissioners,
THOMAS F. HAYES,
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 27th day of March, 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 27th day of March, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 27th day of March, 1892.

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.: Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue, distant 530 feet northerly from the westerly tangent point of the curve joining the northerly line of Featherbed lane with the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue; thence easterly at a right angle to Aqueduct avenue 100 feet; thence by a line running south 70 degrees east for 250 feet; thence by a line parallel to the northerly line of Featherbed lane and distant about 285 feet northerly therefrom to the centre of McComb's road; thence southerly along the centre of McComb's road to the centre of the northwesterly line of the block bounded by McComb's road, a certain unnamed street, a certain unnamed street, and Featherbed lane; thence southeasterly along a curved line through the centre of the same block to another curved line parallel to Featherbed lane and distant about 120 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence easterly and northerly along last mentioned curved line continued as a centre line of the block lying north of Featherbed lane and west of Jerome avenue to the centre of the same block between Featherbed lane and a certain unnamed street its northern boundary; thence easterly to the westerly line of Jerome avenue at a point 900 feet north of the northerly line of Featherbed lane; thence southerly

along the westerly line of Jerome avenue to the centre of the block between Featherbed lane and Wolf place; thence westerly along the centre line of last mentioned block to the centre of Inwood avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of Inwood avenue to the centre of the block between Featherbed lane and McComb's road and Inwood avenue; thence by a line running north 76½ degrees west to the easterly line of McComb's road; thence by a line running south 78½ degrees west for 500 feet; thence by a line running north 66½ degrees west to the centre of Marcher avenue; thence southerly along the centre of Marcher avenue to the centre of the block between Featherbed lane and Boscobel avenue, Marcher avenue and a certain unnamed street; thence westerly by the centre line of the last-mentioned block to the centre of a certain unnamed street or avenue; thence northerly along the centre of said unnamed street or avenue to the centre of the block between Featherbed lane and a certain unnamed street; thence westerly by the centre line of the last-mentioned block to the centre of a certain unnamed street or avenue; thence southerly along the centre of said unnamed street to the centre of the block between Featherbed lane and Boscobel avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of last-mentioned block to the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue; thence northeasterly along the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue to the place or point of beginning, the northerly and southerly boundary lines of said area of assessment being as nearly as practicable half way between Featherbed lane and the nearest streets or avenues north and south of Featherbed lane; 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 fifteenth day of April, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, February 9, 1892.
LAMONT McLAUGHLIN, Chairman,
LOUIS CAMPORA, William H. Markston, Commissioners,
WILLIAM H. MARKSTON,
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to FREEMAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Union avenue to Southern Boulevard, 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. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the twenty-sixth day of March, 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said twenty-sixth day of March, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-seventh day of March, 1892.

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.: Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Union avenue midway between Ritter place and Freeman street; thence easterly along the centre line of the block between Ritter place and Freeman street, Union avenue and Prospect avenue, to the centre of Prospect avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Prospect avenue to the centre line of the blocks between Jennings street and Freeman street; thence easterly along last-mentioned centre line to the centre line of Bristow street; thence northerly along the centre line of Bristow street to a line parallel to Jennings street and distant 177 feet southerly therefrom; thence easterly along last-mentioned line to the centre line of Stebbins avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of Stebbins avenue to a line drawn at a right angle to the easterly line of Stebbins avenue, at a point 282 feet north of the intersection of said easterly line of Stebbins avenue with the northerly line of Freeman street; thence easterly by said perpendicular line to the easterly line of Stebbins avenue; thence easterly along a line drawn through the westerly line of Intervale avenue at a point 373 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street to the centre line of Intervale avenue; thence southerly along said centre line to a line parallel to Freeman street, and distant about 280 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly line of Wilkins place; thence southerly along the westerly line of Wilkins place and Southern Boulevard to the centre line of the block between Freeman street and Home street, Southern Boulevard and Simpson street; thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Freeman street and Home street to the centre line of Fox street; thence southerly along the centre line of Fox street to the centre line of the block between Home street, Intervale avenue and Fox street; thence westerly along last-mentioned centre line to the centre line of Intervale avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Intervale avenue to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Freeman street, Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue; thence westerly along last-mentioned centre line to the centre line of Stebbins avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Stebbins avenue to the centre line of the blocks between Freeman street and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, Stebbins avenue and Union avenue; thence southerly and westerly by last-mentioned centre line to the easterly line of Union avenue; thence northerly along said easterly line of Union avenue to the point of beginning; 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 fifteenth day of April, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, February 9, 1892.
JOHN B. PINE, Chairman,
WILLIAM H. TOWNLEY,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Docks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring all rights, terms, easements and privileges pertaining to those seventy-five feet of wharf or bulkhead on the westerly side of WEST STREET, next north of Harrison street, not now owned by the said corporation.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, lessees and persons interested in the wharf or bulkhead, or in the rights, terms, easements and privileges pertaining thereto, affected by this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern:

First—That we have completed our estimate and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in the wharf or bulkhead, or the rights, terms, easements and privileges pertaining thereto, affected by this proceeding, and having objections thereto, to file with us their said objections in writing, duly verified, at our office, No. 68 William street (third floor), in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of March, 1892; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 15th day of March, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate, together with the maps or diagrams showing the location of the wharf or bulkhead, the rights, terms, easements and privileges pertaining to which are to be taken in this proceeding, 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, and also deposited with the Commissioners of the Department of Docks, Pier "A," North river, in said city, there to remain until the 16th day of March, 1892.

Third—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 12th day of April, 1892, 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 CITY, February 10, 1892.
CHARLES COUDERT, Chairman,
LEMOUEL H. ARNOLD, Jr., John Connelly, Commissioners,
JOHN CONNELLY,
ROBERT L. WENSLEY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of TREMONT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Aqueduct avenue to Boston 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 said Department.

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 fifteenth day of March, 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said fifteenth day of March, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the sixteenth day of March, 1892.

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 an irregular line commencing at a point in the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue, distant 600 feet northerly from the northerly line of Tremont avenue, and running thence easterly to a point in the easterly line of Webster avenue, opposite the junction of Tremont and Burnside avenues, said line being parallel with and distant 600 feet northerly from the northerly line of Tremont avenue, except where the said line, if so drawn, would be less than 200 feet distant southerly from the southerly line of Burnside avenue, and in such places being coincident with a line parallel with and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of Burnside avenue, and a line parallel with and distant 600 feet northerly from the northerly line of Tremont avenue, and extending from Webster avenue to Boston road; easterly by the westerly line of Boston road; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 600 feet southerly from the southerly line of Tremont avenue and extending from Boston road to Aqueduct avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the first day of April, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, February 1, 1892.
JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
JOHN HALLORAN,
G. RADFORD KESLO, Commissioners,
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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