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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending August 8, 1891:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$434,066 64
City Treasury.....	521,390 54
Total.....	\$955,457 18
<i>Bonds and Stock Issued.</i>	
Three and one-half per cent. Bonds.....	\$250,000 00
Three per cent. Stock.....	130,000 00
Total.....	\$380,000 00
<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Mayoralty—	
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$32 70
The Finance Department—	
Cleaning Markets.....	\$679 98
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	67 30
Salaries—Finance Department.....	69 00
	816 28
Aqueduct Commissioners—	
Additional Water Fund.....	7,520 66
The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	\$180 91
To Defray the Expenses of Proceedings in Street Openings.....	428 33
Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office.....	2 60
	611 84
The Department of Public Works—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$2,922 58
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	85 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	2,405 36
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	371 00
Croton Water Fund.....	669 57
Free Floating Baths.....	561 00
Fund for Viaduct from St. Nicholas Place to McComb's Dam	
Bridge.....	132 75
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	47,682 11
Laying Croton Pipes.....	1,764 03
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	3,058 55
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	287 30
Repaving (chapter 346, Laws of 1889).....	450 50
Repaving Streets and Avenues (chapter 476, Laws of 1875).....	8,158 85
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	5,432 20
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	6,170 13
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public	
Works.....	185 00
Retaining-walls in East Fifty-first Street and East Forty-second	
Street.....	24 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved, Maintenance of, and	
Sprinkling.....	1,169 74
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	2,805 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	4,320 79
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Num-	
bering Streets.....	45 00
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	1,328 17
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	2,442 19
	92,530 82
The Department of Public Parks—	
American Museum of Natural History.....	\$1,488 00
For Care and Maintenance of New Parks north of Harlem River.	
For Resurfacing the Roadway of Fifth Avenue, from Ninetieth to	
One Hundred and Tenth Street.....	53 30
Fourth Avenue Public Parks.....	53 23
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.	
Improving the Plaza at One Hundred and Tenth Street and	
Fifth Avenue.....	58 80
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	35,601 87
Morningside Park, Construction of.....	212 56
Morningside Park, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	275 55
Mount Morris Park, Construction of.....	73 19
Music—Central Park and the City Parks.....	850 00
Riverside Park and Avenue, For the Improvement and Main-	
tenance of.....	1,426 51
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	1,962 70
	43,957 55
The Department of Street Improvements—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth	
Wards—	
Bronx River Bridges.....	\$112 80
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	5,997 12
Final Maps and Profiles—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth	
Wards.....	689 23
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Twenty-third and	
Twenty-fourth Wards.....	37 75
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	513 70
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	2,931 13
Surveying, Laying-out, Maps, Plans, etc.—Twenty-third and	
Twenty-fourth Wards.....	2,671 57
	12,953 30
The Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Public Charities and Correction.....	44,683 29

The Health Department—	
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	\$89 08
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	92 25
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and	
Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother	
Island.....	584 58
	\$765 91
The Police Department—	
Police Station-houses—Rents.....	1,450 00
The Department of Street Cleaning—	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	34,428 22
The Fire Department—	
Fire Department Fund.....	17,304 38
The Department of Docks—	
Dock Fund.....	9,876 83
The Board of Education—	
College of the City of New York.....	\$2,152 00
Public Instruction.....	39,464 36
	41,616 36
The Board of Excise—	
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	4,058 77
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	\$2,651 26
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	5,744 84
	8,396 10
The Coroners—	
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	751 48
The Sheriff—	
Salaries—Sheriff's Office.....	\$28 10
Sheriff's Fees.....	3,510 42
	3,538 52
The Judiciary—	
Salaries—City Courts.....	\$2,185 73
Salaries—Judiciary.....	225 15
	2,410 88
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions—	
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	\$629 71
Foundling Asylum of the Sisters of Charity.....	22,106 64
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	4,495 36
Utica State Hospital.....	65 00
	27,296 71
Miscellaneous Purposes—	
Armories and Drill-rooms—For Wages of Armorers, Janitors,	
Engineers, etc.....	\$2,976 00
Armories and Drill-rooms—Rents.....	5,687 50
Armory Fund.....	181,605 97
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	7 20
Commissioners on Consolidation of Municipalities.....	145 00
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	2,337 49
Criminal Court-house Fund.....	108 00
Dog License Fund.....	56 00
For Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	1,271 50
Salaries—Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	450 00
For the Preservation of Public Records.....	330 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	9,758 50
Judgments.....	573 32
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	75 03
New York and Brooklyn Bridge Fund.....	130,000 00
Public Buildings, Twelfth Ward, Construction of.....	24 00
Rapid Transit Fund.....	3,003 21
Rents.....	26,966 66
Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands sold for Taxes and	
Assessments.....	45 24
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments	
(Salary of the Recorder).....	83 33
Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (Salary of the	
Recorder).....	83 33
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	361 92
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	54 23
	366,003 43
Total.....	\$721,004 03

## CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Aug. 3	Gertrude Knelles.....	\$177 95	For return of amount paid for tax sale certificate No. 1198, of 1889, for premises Ward No. 386rA, Eighteenth Ward.....	E. Grosse.
" 5	William J. Daly.....	296 00	For salary as an Inspector of Masonry on the New Aqueduct, between December, 1889, and February, 1890.....	P. Mitchell, T. C. Ennever.
" 5	Catharine Nihil.....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	
" 6	Betts, Atterbury, Hyde & Betts.....	5,000 00	For professional services and for disbursements in patent cases.....	Betts, A., H. & B.
" 6	Betts, Atterbury, Hyde & Betts.....	2,198 45	For professional services and for disbursements in patent cases.....	"
" 6	Lamont McLoughlin.....	3,016 50	For services as Clerk to Commissioners of Estimate in matter of opening a new park in Twelfth Ward.....	
" 7	Thomas Culkin.....	152 90	For damages to schooner "Robert Emmet," by tug "Dassori," on October 31, 1890, at foot of Rutgers street.....	G. W. Dease.
" 7	.....	.....	For wages of Laborers in the Department of Public Parks, as follows:	
	Andrew Doolan.....	82 72	From December 30, 1890, to February 24, 1891.....	E. Russell.
	Michael Hoey.....	82 72	From December 30, 1890, to February 24, 1891.....	"
	Thomas Allen.....	98 56	From December 30, 1890, to March 9, 1891.....	"
	James Byrnes.....	98 56	" 30, " 9, " ".....	"
	Patrick Dorsey.....	98 56	" 30, " 9, " ".....	"
	Andrew Stender.....	103 84	" 18, " 9, " ".....	"
	Patrick Murray.....	251 68	" 30, 1890, to June 16, 1891.....	"
	Daniel Kelly.....	251 68	" 30, " 16, " ".....	"
	James G. Long.....	251 68	" 30, " 16, " ".....	"
" 8	John Fleckner, Sr., guardian, etc.....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received by John Fleckner, Jr., an infant.....	Abbett & Schmitt.
" 8	John Fleckner, Sr.....	3,000 00	For damages for loss of services of his son, John Fleckner, Jr., on account of personal injuries received by him in front of premises occupied by Engine Company No. 13.....	"



CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 8, 1891.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
11424	July 28, 1891	Public Works (Special).....	John S. Dingwall.....	Alexander Clark.....	\$150 00	Fencing vacant lots on One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, between Fifth and Madison avenues..... Estimate	\$339 50
11425	" 9, "	Board of Education.....	Andrews Manufacturing Co. }	W. McCracken ..... } W. T. Bedell..... }	70 00	Furniture for Primary School No. 36, at Nos. 68 and 70 Monroe street, Seventh Ward..... Total	215 00
11426	" 9, "	" .....	" .....	W. McCracken ..... } W. T. Bedell..... }	75 00	Furniture for Primary School No. 24, at Nos. 29 and 31 Horatio street, Ninth Ward..... Total	210 00
11427	" 9, "	" .....	" .....	W. McCracken ..... } W. T. Bedell..... }	200 00	Furniture for Primary School No. 13, at Nos. 7, 9 and 11 Downing street, Ninth Ward..... Total	560 00
11428	" 9, "	" .....	" .....	W. McCracken..... } W. T. Bedell..... }	100 00	Furniture for Grammar School No. 3, at No. 488 Hudson street, Ninth Ward..... Total	235 00
11429	" 9, "	" .....	" .....	W. McCracken ..... } W. T. Bedell..... }	800 00	Furniture, Part II., for Primary School No. 46, on Johnson avenue or Kappock street, Spuyten Duyvil, Twenty-fourth Ward..... Total	2,595 00
11430	Aug. 3, "	Commissioner of Street Improve- ) ments, Twenty-third and ) Twenty-fourth Wards..... )	John Fox and Louis Lubcker }	Michael Vetter..... } John Kicnerer..... }	3,000 00	Sewer and appurtenances in German place, between Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, with branches in Rae street and in Carr street, between German place and St. Ann's avenue..... Estimate	4,221 85
11431	July 28, "	Street Cleaning.....	Thomas Lenane.....	Henry C. Willmann ..... } Martin L. Rickerson..... }	4,000 00	Furnishing 225,000 pounds hay, 40,000 pounds straw and 475,000 pounds No. 1 white oats..... Total	8,657 50
11432	" 7, "	Public Works..... (Repaving under section 321, Consolidation Act of 1882.)	Thomas Gearty.....	Thomas Smith..... } Timothy Dwyer..... }	2,000 00	Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement, with concrete founda- tion, Dover street, from Pearl to South street (so far as the same is not within the limits of grants of land under water)..... Estimate	5,528 50
11433	" 16, "	Public Works.....	William Kidney.....	Bernard Mahon..... } Alice Kidney..... }	1,000 00	Furnishing and delivering granite coping-stone on the Aqueduct, between Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, 100 feet west of Ninth avenue ..... Estimate	1,290 00
11434	" 21, "	" .....	Robert Hanna.....	Frederick Aldhaus..... } George W. Eggers..... }	25,000 00	Improvement of the old reservoir in Central Park..... Estimate	67,950 00
11435	" 22, "	Public Works..... (Repaving under section 321, Consolidation Act of 1882.)	James Pollock.....	John Peirce..... } Michael Larkin..... }	12,000 00	Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement, on present Telford foundation, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Pleasant to Fourth avenue and from Lenox to Seventh avenue..... Estimate	32,648 90
11436	" 30, "	Public Works.....	John Cornwell, Jr.....	Moses Mehrbach..... } Solomon Mehrbach..... }	10,000 00	Furnishing, delivering and laying twelve-inch cast-iron water pipe in One Hundred and Sixth street, between First avenue and Harlem river; across Harlem river to Ward's Island and across Ward's Island.. Estimate	17,663 00
11437	Aug. 1, "	" .....	William J. Reilly.....	Theodore F. Tone..... } Fred. W. Turner..... }	5,000 00	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue, and setting curb-stones and flag- ging..... Estimate	13,351 34
11438	" 3, "	" .....	William F. Cunningham....	Thomas Regan..... } William Lyman..... }	10,000 00	Alteration and improvement to sewer in Eighteenth street, between East river and Avenue A, connecting with outlet sewer to be built by Depart- ment of Docks; new sewer in Avenue C, between Sixteenth and Eight- eenth streets, and connections with existing sewers in Avenue B at Eight- eenth street, and in Seventeenth street at Avenue C..... Estimate	27,547 50
11439	" 3, "	" .....	John Slattery.....	Andrew J. Kerwin..... } Thomas F. Leamy..... }	1,000 00	Sewer in Sixty-fifth street, between property of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad and West End avenue..... Estimate	2,162 50
11440	" 3, "	" .....	" .....	Andrew J. Kerwin..... } Thomas F. Leamy..... }	1,000 00	Sewer in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Eighth avenue, connecting with present sewer east of Avenue St. Nicholas..... Estimate	1,856 00
11441	" 3, "	" .....	" .....	Andrew J. Kerwin..... } Thomas F. Leamy..... }	3,000 00	Sewer in One Hundred and Third street, between Harlem river and First avenue..... Estimate	5,124 00
11442	" 4, "	" .....	(Bond).....	William F. Cunningham.....	200 00	Receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Pleasant avenue.....	.....
11443	" 4, "	" .....	R. McLaughlin.....	John Cotter..... } Nicholas Cotter..... }	3,000 00	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and setting curb-stones and flag- ging..... Estimate	3,085 02

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Charles L. Dana, M. D.....	\$400 00	Summons and complaint. For professional services rendered between November 6 and 10, 1890, at request of the District Attorney, making a medical examination of Alphonse Stephani, who was under indictment for murder in the first degree.	Booraem, H. & B.
" ..	Pierrepont Bartow...	1,483 54	Summons and complaint. For salary as an Assistant Draughtsman on the New Aqueduct, from August 15, 1889, to August 11, 1890.....	Kernan Bros. & Quinn.
Superior..	William Dix.....	1,771 00	Summons and complaint. For salary as Telegraph Lineman in the Fire Depart- ment, from February 13, 1889, to April 30, 1891.....	W. T. Cox. R. O'Byrne.
Supreme..	Henry McDonough..	25 84	Transcript of judgment.....	Stewart & Macklin.
U. S. Dist.	The Owl Transporta- tion Co. vs. The Mayor and another	1,700 98	Certified copy final decree.....	A. V. Campbell. R. J. Morrison.
Supreme..	John Merry and ano..	22,987 00	Summons and complaint. For damages for loss of business, etc., caused by the im- perfect condition of the pavement in front of Nos. 535-547 West Fifteenth street....	F. B. Chedsey.
Superior..	William F. Erving....	1,076 42	Transcript of judgment.....	T. J. McKee. Straley, H. & S.
Supreme..	Northern Gas-light Co. vs. The Mayor, etc., Otto H. Georgi and others.....	165 00	Notice of pendency of action and summons and complaint. To foreclose lien for materials furnished under contract of said Georgi for sewer, etc., in Burnside avenue, between Webster and Creston avenues...	.....
" ..	The People ex rel. B. W. Dinsmore vs. The Board of Esti- mate and Appor- tionment .....	.....	Copy affidavit and order to show cause why a mandamus should not issue requiring said Board to convene and audit and allow claim for advertising notices, etc., in the "Stockholder" .....	.....
" ..	George L. Green.....	103 84	Notice of entry of judgment.....	.....

Opening of Proposals.

August 5. The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the Department of Public Parks for regulating and grading for entrance at One Hundred and Sixth street and Central Park, West, and for driveway connecting same with the West Drive in Central Park.

Approval of Sureties.

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

August 5. For curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks on north side of Boston avenue, from Jefferson street to Tremont avenue; for laying crosswalk across Boston avenue at the southerly side of Bristow street, and for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue.  
Andrew Low, No. 263 Alexander avenue, Principal.  
John Cotter, No. 630 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, } Sureties.  
R. McLaughlin, No. 363 Brook avenue, }

Return of Proposals.

August 4. Proposal of Andrew Low, for regulating, etc., on One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and on Boston avenue, returned to Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for action on the proposed substitution of John Cotter as a surety thereon in the place of D. W. Moran, one of the original sureties.

August 6. Proposal of George W. Winant, for furnishing the Police Department with coal, returned to said Department for action on the proposed substitution of Joseph F. Baker as a surety thereon in the place of R. Fitzpatrick, one of the original sureties.

August 7. Proposal of the Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, for paving Sixteenth street, Sixty-third street and Madison avenue, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of Rudolph Oelsner as a surety thereon in the place of J. A. Kennell, one of the original sureties.

Appointed.

August 5. John W. Duncan, No. 207 First avenue; Frank Watson, No. 39 Watts street; Michael A. Dunn, No. 93 Third avenue, Sweepers in the Public Markets, with compensa-  
tion at rate of \$11 each per week, from August 6, 1891.

Removed.

August 6. Arthur Slevin, Cartman in the Public Markets, to take effect August 6, 1891.  
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending August 8, 1891.

Barometer.

DATE.	AUGUST.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	2	29.640	29.660	29.764	29.688	29.800	12 P.M.	29.610	4 A.M.
Monday,	3	29.900	29.926	29.950	29.925	29.958	12 P.M.	29.800	0 A.M.
Tuesday,	4	29.964	29.988	30.030	29.994	30.042	12 P.M.	29.940	3 A.M.
Wednesday,	5	30.068	30.082	30.078	30.076	30.100	11 A.M.	30.030	4 A.M.
Thursday,	6	30.072	30.074	30.060	30.069	30.098	10 A.M.	30.042	6 P.M.
Friday,	7	30.050	30.000	29.966	30.005	30.064	0 A.M.	29.940	12 P.M.
Saturday,	8	29.928	29.900	29.908	29.912	29.940	0 A.M.	29.884	5 P.M.

Mean for the week..... 29.953 inches.  
Maximum " at 11 A. M., August 5th..... 30.100 "  
Minimum " at 4 A. M., August 2d..... 29.610 "  
Range " ..... .490 "



In lots for filling-in, fertilizing, etc.—

At sea and behind bulkheads—		Loads.
41	dumpers at sea.....	18,485½
15	deck scows at sea.....	6,365
8	deck scows at Newark Bay.....	3,238
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		28,088½



**Bureau of the City Chamberlain.**

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

**Office of the City Paymaster.**

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

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

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

**Office of the Public Administrator.**

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

**Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.**

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

**Office of the Corporation Attorney**

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

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.****Central Office.**

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES F. MACLEAN, President; WILLIAM H. KIEP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBROUGH, 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 KENN, General Bookkeeper.  
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

**HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.**

Washington Building, No. 1 Broadway.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

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

**Headquarters.**

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

**Bureau of Chief of Department.**

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

**Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.**

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

**Bureau of Fire Marshal.**

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

**Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.**

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings

**Attorney to Department.**

WM. L. FINDLEY.

**Fire Alarm Telegraph.**

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

**Repair Shops.**

Nos. 108 and 120 West Third street.

JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**Hospital Stables.**

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

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

Battery, Pier A, North river.  
EDWIN A. POST, President; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

**Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.****DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

Stewart Building, Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HANS S. BEATTIE, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; GILBERT O. F. NICOLL, Chief Clerk.

**CORPORATION NOTICE.**

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

List 1529, No. 1. Receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of Ninety-sixth street and Boulevard.

List 1530, No. 2. Receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and Eighth street and Boulevard.

List 1531, No. 3. Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Ninety-eighth street and First avenue.

List 1532, No. 4. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Ludlow street, between Delancey and Broome streets.

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

No. 1. Blocks bounded by Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, Amsterdam avenue and Boulevard.

No. 2. West side of Boulevard, commencing half way between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, northerly to half way between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets.

No. 3. South side of Ninety-eighth street, from First avenue to the East river.

No. 4. Lots sides of Ludlow street, from Broome to Delancey street; east side of Orchard street, from Broome to Delancey street; and south side of Delancey street, from Ludlow to Orchard street.

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

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 14th day of September, 1891.

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, August 13, 1891.

**BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, and under authority of chapter 187, Laws of 1885, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and One Hundred and Eighty-ninth streets, between Amsterdam and Wadsworth avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of said City, more particularly described as follows:

**ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET.**

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 8,734 42-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 370 feet to the easterly line of Audubon avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly 170 feet to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Audubon avenue, distant 8,734 42-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 370 feet to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 350 feet to the westerly line of Audubon avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distance 3,734 42-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 300 feet to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 300 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

**ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET.**

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 8,904 25-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 370 feet to the easterly line of Audubon avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 370 feet to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Audubon avenue, distant 8,904 25-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 350 feet to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 350 feet to the westerly line of Audubon avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 8,904 25-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 300 feet, to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 300 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and One Hundred and Eighty-ninth streets to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam and Wadsworth avenues. And that such proposed action of the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen.

Dated New York, August 11, 1891.

V. E. LIVINGSTON,

Secretary.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 13, 1891.

**TO CONTRACTORS.****SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS**

Department with the following articles:

500,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.

100,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.

4,500 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,800 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., August 26, 1891, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of six thousand (6,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person 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 three hundred (300) 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 to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 11, 1891.

**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 Tuesday, August 25, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Avenue A and Summit east.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

No. 3. FOR EXTENSION OF SEWER IN FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, between Hudson river and Eleventh avenue, connecting with outlet built by the Department of Docks.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, between property of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad and Eleventh avenue.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN LEXINGTON AVENUE, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, between Boulevard and Claremont avenue, and in CLAREMONT AVENUE, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, between Manhattan avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF AMSTERDAM AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Fortieth street.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WASHINGTON STREET, from Bank street to Gansevoort street (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTH STREET, from Lewis street to the East river so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWENTIETH STREET, from Avenue A to East river so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from Avenue A to East river.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-NINTH STREET, from the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to the bulkhead line of the Hudson river so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Amsterdam to Eleventh avenue.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINETY-EIGHTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard.

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

No. 17. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET, from Eighth to Manhattan avenue.

No. 20. FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE OLD RESERVOIR IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 21. FOR LAYING CROSSWALKS ACROSS AVENUE A, at its intersection with the southerly side of Seventy-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets, AND THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET (crosswalk on the southerly side of Eightieth street already laid).

No. 22. FOR LAYING A CROSSWALK ACROSS LENOX AVENUE, at its intersection with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street.

No. 23. FOR LAYING A CROSSWALK ACROSS AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, at its intersection with the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

No. 24. FOR LAYING A CROSSWALK ACROSS NINTH AVENUE, from the southwest corner to the northeast corner of Manhattan street.

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, 9 and 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

**TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.**

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

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

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



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

THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works

### JURORS.

#### NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS IN REGARD TO CLAIMS FOR EX- EMPTION FROM JURY DUTY

ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
No. 280 BROADWAY, THIRD FLOOR,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1891.

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

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

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

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

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

BERNARD F. MARTIN,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR- ITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING ROOMS, PLUMBING, ETC., BELLEVUE 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 Correc-  
tion, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York,  
until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, August 14, 1891.  
The person or persons making any bid or  
estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope,  
indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairing Rooms, etc.,  
Bellevue," with his or their name or names, and the  
date of presentation, to the head of said Depart-  
ment, 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 Presi-  
dent 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 PRO-  
VIDED 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  
engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must  
have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the per-  
son 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.**

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 es-  
timate 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 offi-  
cer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly inter-  
ested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it  
relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid  
or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of  
the party or parties making the estimate that the several  
matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where  
more than one person is interested, it is requisite that  
the verification be made and subscribed by all the  
parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be received or considered un-  
less 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 De-  
partment 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 con-  
tract 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 pro-  
vide such proper security as has been heretofore stated  
to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as hav-  
ing abandoned it, and as in default to the Corpora-  
tion; and the contract will be readvertised and relet as  
provided by law.

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 3, 1891.

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

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1891.

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 claim-  
ants: 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.

### COMMISSIONER OF STREET IM- PROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY- THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS  
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,  
NEW YORK, August 10, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF  
the following-mentioned works, 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 by the Commissioner of Street Im-  
provements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth  
Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third Avenue, corner of  
One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M.,  
on Thursday, August 27, 1891, at which place and hour  
they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAG-  
GING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING  
CROSSWALKS ON BROOK AVENUE,  
between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street  
and Third Avenue, and between Third Avenue  
and Brook Avenue, in the public place at their  
intersection.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING,  
SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING  
THE SIDEWALKS, AND BUILDING  
AND ADJUSTING RECEIVING-BASIN  
IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEETH  
STREET, from Third Avenue to Franklin  
Avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING THE  
ROADWAY OF MORRIS AVENUE, from  
One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to One  
Hundred and Fifty-second street, WITH  
GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, AND  
LAYING CROSSWALKS AT INTER-  
SECTING AND TERMINATING  
STREETS AND AVENUES WHERE NOT  
ALREADY LAID.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING THE  
ROADWAY OF MORRIS AVENUE, from  
One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street to  
One Hundred and Fortieth street, WITH  
GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, AND  
LAYING CROSSWALKS AT THE TER-  
MINATING STREETS WHERE NOT  
ALREADY DONE.

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 con-  
tract 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 accom-  
panied 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 re-  
quired 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 con-  
taining the estimate, but must be handed to the officer  
or clerk of the Department who has charge of the es-  
timate-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 Street Improvements of the  
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards 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 other information desired, can be  
obtained at this office.

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

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-  
ing 487 Tons of White Ash Coal and 8 Tons  
of Ince Hall Cannel Coal, for the Health Department,  
will be received at the office of the Board of Health,  
in the City of New York, until 2:30 o'clock P. M. of  
the 25th day of August, 1891. The person or persons  
making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a  
sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for fur-  
nishing Coal for the Health Department," and with his  
or their name or names, and the date of its presen-  
tation, 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 Board  
and read.

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject all  
bids or estimates, as provided in section 64, chapter 410,  
Laws of 1882, 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 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.

The coal to be of good quality, and the quantity that  
will be required will be about Four Hundred and  
Eighty-seven (487) Tons of White Ash Coal, and Eight (8)  
Tons of Ince Hall Cannel Coal, to be well screened and  
in good order, each ton to be 2,240 pounds, in accor-  
dance with the specification attached to and which forms  
a part of the contract aforesaid.

Delivery to be made at the Willard Parker Hospital,  
near the foot of East Sixteenth street; offices of the  
Health Department, at No. 301 Mott street, No. 309  
Mulberry street, and No. 42 Bleeker street; Vaccine  
Laboratory, at No. 376 East Forty-fourth street, and  
Stable, at No. 128 Worth street, at the time required  
by the Board of Health; any changes in the time or  
place of delivery, however, may be made in writing  
by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated  
only, and bidders are notified that the Board of Health  
reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities  
by an amount not exceeding fifteen per cent. of the  
estimated quantities, and the contractor will be paid  
therefor only at the rate or price named in the contract,  
and that in case the above-named quantity shall not be  
required by the Department, no allowance will be made  
for any real or supposed damage or loss of profit.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be  
awarded will be required to give security for the per-  
formance of the contract by his or their bond, with two  
sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of **ONE  
THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (\$1,200) DOLLARS.**

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

Bidders will be required to furnish testimonials that  
they are engaged in the coal business in the City of  
New York, and have the plant necessary to carry out  
promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded,  
to the entire satisfaction of the Board of Health, and  
must furnish an undertaking for the faithful perform-  
ance of all the provisions thereof in the manner provided  
by law, executed by two householders or freeholders of  
the City of New York, each justifying in the penal sum  
of **ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (\$1,200) DOL-  
LARS**, and agreeing that if he shall omit or refuse to  
execute the said contract they will pay to the Corpora-  
tion any difference between the sum to which he would be  
entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation  
may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom  
the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting;  
the amount in each case to be calculated upon the es-  
timated 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 per-  
sons 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 contract, over and above all his debts of every  
nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety  
or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety  
in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond  
required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the  
security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of  
the City of New York.

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

No bid or estimate will be received or considered un-  
less accompanied by either a certified check upon one of  
the National or State banks of the City of New York,  
drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to  
the amount of five per centum of the amount of  
the security required for the faithful perform-  
ance 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 es-  
timate-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 exe-  
cute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount  
of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the form of con-  
tract and the specifications for particulars before mak-  
ing their estimate. Bidders will write out the amount  
of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in  
figures.

Payment for the Coal will be made by requisition on  
the Comptroller, and as more specifically and particu-  
larly is set forth in the contract form.

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

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

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

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 385.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING  
THE CRIB-BULKHEAD AT THE FOOT  
OF EAST FORTY-NINTH STREET, EAST  
RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND RE-  
moving the dumping-board at the foot of East Forty-  
ninth street, East River, and for preparing for and re-  
pairing the crib-bulkhead thereat, will be received by the  
Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department  
of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A,"  
foot of Battery place, North River, in the City of New  
York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1891,

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

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

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

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

1. New Cribwork complete, including all Longitudinal Logs, Timbers, Spikes, Caps, Stone-filling, Fen- ders, Mooring-posts, Backing- logs, Box-drains, etc., measured from the bottom of the front cap, but excluding the floor-logs longi- tudinal and tie-logs, about 10,000 cubic feet. Additional quantities not included in item 1.	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12".....	675
" " " 10" x 12".....	3,960
" " " 10" x 10".....	200
" " " 6" x 10".....	1,500
" " " 4" x 10".....	1,500
Total.....	7,935

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber are inclu-  
sive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps,  
etc., but are exclusive of waste.

3. White Pine, Norway Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles.....	48
(It is expected that these piles will have to be about 24 feet long.)	
4. Round Logs, furnished to the contractor.....	2,500 linear feet.
5. Excavation of Old Cribwork, etc., about.....	300 cubic yards.
6. Square Wrought-iron Galvanized Dock-spikes, about.....	727 pounds.
7. Cast-iron Pile-shoes, about.....	1,534 "
8. Oak Fender Piles, about 35 feet long.....	1
9. Labor and materials for relaying Old Pavement removed.....	
10. Back-filling, about.....	200 square yards.
11. Top Dressing, Gravel or Quarry Chips, about.....	30 cubic yards.
12. Labor resetting Old Curb.....	
13. Labor removing Old Dump, about.....	650 square feet.
14. Labor removing about 15 feet Brick Sewer.....	
15. Labor, Framing and Carpentry, etc.....	

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be com-  
menced within five days after the date of the contract,  
or of a notification of the Engineer-in-Chief of the  
Department of Docks, and all the work contracted for  
is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of  
December, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the  
contractor for each day that the contract may be  
unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof  
has expired are, by a clause in the contract, deter-  
mined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the old cribwork and  
the dumping-board to be removed under the con-  
tract, will be relinquished to the Contractor, and bidders  
must estimate the value of such material when consid-  
ering the price for which they will do the work under this  
contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for  
the whole of the work to be done in conformity with  
the approved form of agreement and the specifications  
therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested.  
This price is to cover all expenses of every kind in-



involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause in the performing of the work thereunder. Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing the work.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,  
J. S. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, August 4, 1891.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 391.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND EXTENDING AND WIDENING THE PIER AND WIDENING THE APPROACH AT THE FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND FOR REPAIRING THE EXISTING CRIB-BULKHEAD THEREAT.

ESTIMATES FOR EXTENDING AND WIDENING the pier, with its appurtenances, and widening the approach at the foot of West Twenty-first street, North river, and for repairing the existing crib-bulkhead at the foot of said street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1891, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

CLASS I.—CRIB-BULKHEAD.

1. New Cribwork complete, including all Timbers and Ironwork, Backing-logs, Earth and Stone Filling, Box-drains, Mooring-posts, etc., measured from the top of the old Facing-timbers left in place to the under side of the Deck-planking and from front of Facing-timber to rear of Cross-ties, about 8,800 cubic feet.

2. Excavation of Old Cribwork, etc., about 350 cubic yards.
3. Fender-piles, about 60 feet long 2
4. Back-filling and Grading.
5. Top Dressing, including relaying of Pavement, about 130 square yards.
6. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Jointing, Planing, Bolting, Spiking, Back-filling, etc., as set forth in the specifications.

CLASS II.—PIER AND APPROACH.  
Widening and Extending Pier—

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	35,663
" " " 12" x 12".....	126,781
" " " 10" x 12".....	4,192
" " " 10" x 10".....	900
" " " 8" x 12".....	1,207
" " " 8" x 10".....	576
" " " 8" x 12".....	1,377
" " " 8" x 10".....	1,862
" " " 8" x 10".....	90
" " " 8" x 8".....	504
" " " 7" x 14".....	580
" " " 7" x 12".....	3,818
" " " 6" x 12".....	2,598
" " " 5" x 12".....	3,251
" " " 5" x 11".....	9,039
" " " 5" x 10".....	30,089
" " " 5" x 8".....	2,040
" " " 4" x 10".....	10,240
" " " 2" x 4".....	5,544
Plank, 12".....	5,800
Total.....	239,641

Feet, B. M.,  
measured in  
the work.

2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10"..... 113,600
3. White Oak Timber, 10" x 12"..... 1,560

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber, in items 1, 2 and 3, are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles for Pier..... 511  
(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 75 feet in length to about 85 feet in length, to average about 80 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
5. White Oak Fender-piles, about 60 feet long..... 74  
7 1/2" x 26", 7 1/2" x 24", 7 1/2" x 22", 7 1/2" x 20", 7 1/2" x 18", 7 1/2" x 16", 7 1/2" x 14", 7 1/2" x 12", 7 1/2" x 10", 7 1/2" x 8", 7 1/2" x 6", 7 1/2" x 4", 7 1/2" square, and 7 1/2" x 8 1/2", 7 1/2" x 8 1/2" and 7 1/2" x 16" round, Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and 40d Nails, about 33,475 pounds.
7. Boiler-plate Armatures and Wrought-iron Strap-Bolts and Washers, about..... 14,053 "
8. 2", 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8" and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and 1 1/2" Lag-screws and Nuts, about..... 26,674 "
9. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/2", 1 1/4" and 1" Screw-bolts, about..... 8,982 "
10. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about..... 35,600 "
11. Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring.
12. Labor of every description for widening and extending Pier.

(b) Widening Approach—

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	4,732
" " " 12" x 12".....	22,721
" " " 10" x 12".....	954
" " " 5" x 10".....	4,187
" " " 4" x 10".....	37,806
" Plank, 12".....	3,400
" Timber, 2" x 4".....	1,666
Total.....	85,556

Feet, B. M.,  
measured in  
the work.

2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10"..... 44,000
- " " 4" x 5"..... 100

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

5. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles for Approach..... 96  
(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 70 feet in length to about 80 feet in length, to average about 75 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
4. White Oak Fender-piles, about 60 feet long.... 37  
7 1/2" x 26", 7 1/2" x 22", 7 1/2" x 20", 7 1/2" x 18", 7 1/2" x 16", 7 1/2" x 14", 7 1/2" x 12", 7 1/2" x 10", 7 1/2" x 8", 7 1/2" x 6", 7 1/2" square, and 7 1/2" x 8 1/2", 7 1/2" x 8 1/2" and 7 1/2" x 16" round, Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes and 40d. Nails, about..... 6,856 pounds.
6. 1 1/2", 1 1/4" and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts, Washers and Nuts, about..... 3,745 "
7. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/2" and 1" Screw Bolts, about..... 1,367 "
8. Cast-iron Mooring posts, about..... 3,200 "
9. Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring.
10. Labor of every description for widening Approach.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, or of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of December, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in each class, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work comprised in both classes, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,  
J. S. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, August 4, 1891.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 389.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT TIMBER BASIN, SOUTH OF WEST SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT TIMBER Basin, south of West Seventy-fifth street, on the North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1891, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

For Timber Basin, south of West Seventy-fifth street, North river. 25,000 cubic yards.

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

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal ex-

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 20th day of September, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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EDWIN A. POST,  
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JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated, New York, August 4, 1891.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 390.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT SUNDRY-NAMED PLACES ON THE NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT SUNDRY-named places on the North and East rivers will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1891, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.



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

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

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

ON THE NORTH RIVER.	
For Pier Old 54 (south side) .....	4,800 cubic yards.
ON THE EAST RIVER.	
For Pier 20 (east side) .....	10,000 cubic yards.
For Pier 21 (west side) .....	10,500 "
For Bulkhead, between Piers 20 and 21 .....	1,500 "
For Pier at foot East Twenty-sixth street (north side) .....	16,000 "
For area in front of Bulkhead-wall between East Twenty-sixth and East Twenty-eighth streets .....	55,000 "
For Pier at foot East Twenty-eighth street .....	37,000 "
Total .....	134,800 "

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

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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EDWIN A. POST,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, July 27, 1891.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
July 29, 1891.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to John street, from Brook avenue to Eagle avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, July 20, 1891, and entered on the 28th day of July, 1891, 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 September 28, 1891, 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.

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price .....

The same in 25 volumes, half bound .....

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding .....

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

### NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,  
COOPER UNION,  
NEW YORK, August 7, 1891.

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

Application blanks may be obtained at the office of the Secretary, Room No. 30, Cooper Union.

August 13. INSPECTOR OF WATER METERS.  
August 14. MAP CLERK, Department of Public Works.

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

### NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Schedule D shall include all persons for whose duty special expert knowledge is required not included in Schedule E.

Schedule E shall include physicians, chemists, nurses, orderlies and attendants in the city hospitals and asylums, surgeons in the Police Department and the Department of Public Parks, and medical officers in the Fire Department.

Schedule F shall include stenographers, type-writers and all persons not included in the foregoing schedules except laborers or day workmen.

Schedule G shall include all persons employed as laborers or day workmen.

Positions falling within Schedules A and G are exempt from Civil Service examination.

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer

## 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 ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge Road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of August, 1891, 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 One Hundred and Eightieth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 219 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 370 feet, to the easterly line of Audubon avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 370 feet, to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Audubon avenue, distant 219 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 350 feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 350 feet, to the westerly line of Audubon avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 219 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 300 feet, to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 300 feet, to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue, distant 219 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 195 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line, distance 61 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet; thence easterly, distance 207 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet, to the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, and in the office of the Department of Public Works.

Dated New York, July 29, 1891.  
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 DECATUR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Brookline street to Moshulu Parkway, 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 and 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 12th day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 12th day of September, 1891, 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 14th day of September, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly line of Moshulu Parkway; easterly by the westerly line of Webster avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between Brookline street and Kingsbridge road, and Marion avenue and Webster avenue; westerly by the easterly line of Marion 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 30th day of September, 1891, 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, July 29, 1891.  
WILLIAM F. STILLINGS, Chairman,  
GILBERT M. SPIER, Jr.,  
Commissioners.

MATHEW P. RYAN, 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 ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of August, 1891, 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 One Hundred and Eightieth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward, of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 170 feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 370 feet to the easterly line of Audubon avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 370 feet, to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Audubon avenue, distant 170 feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 350 feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 350 feet, to the westerly line of Audubon avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 170 feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 300 feet, to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northerly, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 300 feet, to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue, distant 170 feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 184 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said road, distance 60 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet; thence easterly, distance 192 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet, to the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation and in the office of the Department of Public Works.

Dated New York, July 29, 1891.  
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 ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of August, 1891, 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 One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 479 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 370 feet, to the easterly line of Audubon avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 370 feet, to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Audubon avenue, distant 479 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 350 feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 350 feet, to the westerly line of Audubon avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 479 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 300 feet, to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 300 feet, to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue, distant 479 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 248 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly, distance 61 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet; thence easterly, distance 260 $\frac{3}{4}$  feet, to the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation and in the office of the Department of Public Works.

Dated New York, July 29, 1891.  
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 and extension of a new avenue, to be known as ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, extending from Academy place, near One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street to Convent avenue, opposite One Hundred and Fortieth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 25th day of August, 1891, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extension of a new avenue to be known as St. Nicholas Terrace, extending from Academy place, near One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, to Convent avenue, opposite One Hundred and Fortieth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Academy place and distant three hundred and seventeen and sixty-seven one-hundredths (317 67-100) feet southerly from the intersection of said easterly line of Academy place with the south line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, measured along said easterly line of Academy place; thence in a northeasterly direction, curving to the right, radius one hundred and sixty-one (161) feet, distance one hundred and forty-one and sixteen one-hundredths (141 16-100) feet; thence in a northerly direction in a reversed curve to the left, radius two hundred and eighty and forty-six one-hundredths (280 46-100) feet, distance one hundred and seventy-one and eighty-nine one-hundredths (171 89-100) feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last-described curve, and parallel with Eighth avenue and distant five hundred and fifty-five (555) feet westerly therefrom, distance six hundred and thirty-nine and fifty-one-hundredths (639 51-100) feet; thence curving to the left in a northwesterly direction, radius two hundred and eighty-two and eighty-eight one-hundredths (282 88-100) feet, distance three hundred and fifty-two and eighty-one-hundredths (352 81-100) feet; thence still in a northwesterly direction and in a reversed curve to the right, radius one hundred and one and four one-hundredths (101 4-100) feet, distance fifty-four and ninety-four one-hundredths (54 94-100) feet; thence in a northerly direction, still curving to the right, radius six hundred and twenty (620) feet, distance four hundred and thirty-six and nine one-hundredths (436 9-100) feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last-described curve, and across One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, distance sixty (60) feet, to a point in the northerly line at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, said point being easterly and distant seven hundred and sixty (760) feet from Amsterdam avenue; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius seven hundred and ten (710) feet, distance three hundred and fifty-eight and thirty-five one-hundredths (358 35-100) feet; thence still in a northeasterly direction and in a reversed curve to the left, radius three hundred and sixty-four and sixty-three one-hundredths (364 63-100) feet, distance one hundred and eighty-four and four one-hundredths (184 4-100) feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last-described curve, and parallel with Convent avenue and distant four hundred and sixty-eight (468) feet easterly therefrom, distance four hundred and nine and eighty-three one-hundredths (409 83-100) feet; thence in a northwesterly direction curving to the left, radius two hundred and ten (210) feet, distance one hundred and sixty-four and ninety-four one-hundredths (164 94-100) feet; thence northwesterly and tangent to the last-described curve, distance two hundred and forty-six and sixty-five one-hundredths (246 65-100) feet; thence northwesterly and curving to the left, radius one hundred and sixty (160) feet, distance one hundred and twenty-five and sixty-six one-hundredths (125 66-100) feet, until the same intersects the north line of One Hundred and Fortieth street, if extended easterly; thence westerly along said north line, distance one hundred and eighteen and ninety-five one-hundredths (118 95-100) feet to the easterly line of Convent avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Convent avenue, distance sixty (60) feet, and at right angles to said avenue; thence easterly, distance one hundred and eighty-eight and ninety-five one-hundredths (188 95-100) feet; thence southeasterly, curving to the right, radius one hundred (100) feet, distance seventy-eight and fifty-four one-hundredths (78 54-100) feet; thence southeasterly and tangent to the last-described curve, distance two hundred and forty-six and sixty-five one-hundredths (246 65-100) feet; thence southeasterly, curving to the right, radius one hundred and fifty (150) feet, distance one hundred and seventeen and eighty-one one-hundredths (117 81-100) feet; thence southerly and tangent to the last-described curve, distance four hundred and nine and eighty-three one-hundredths (409 83-100) feet to a point marked "A" in the north line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, said mentioned curve being parallel with and distant four hundred and eight (408) feet easterly from Convent avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, distance twenty-seven (27) feet; thence southerly and parallel with Convent avenue, distance sixty (60) feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence westerly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, distance thirty-two and ninety-seven one-hundredths (32 97-100) feet to a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street marked "B"; thence curving to the right from the point marked "A," as located above, in a southwesterly direction and passing across One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and through the point marked "B," omitting that part now legally opened, as described above, radius three hundred and four and sixty-three one-hundredths (304 63-100) feet, distance ninety-three and thirty-seven one-hundredths (93 37-100) feet, as measured southwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence still in a southwesterly direction in a reversed curve to the left, radius seven hundred and seventy (770) feet, distance three hundred and eighty-eight and sixty-three one-hundredths (388 63-100) feet, to a point in the north line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, said point being distant seven hundred (700) feet from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly and tangent to the last-described curve and parallel to Amsterdam avenue, distance sixty (60) feet; thence in a southerly direction and curving to the left, radius six hundred and eighty (680) feet, distance four hundred and seventy-eight and twenty-nine one-hundredths (478 29-100) feet; thence in a southeasterly direction and curving to the left, radius one hundred and sixty-one and four one-hundredths (161 4-100) feet, distance eighty-seven and fifty-seven one-hundredths (87 57-100) feet; thence still in a southeasterly direction and in a reversed curve to the right, radius two hundred and twenty-two and eighty-eight one-hundredths (222 88-100) feet, distance two hundred and seventy-seven and ninety-seven one-hundredths (277 97-100) feet; thence southerly and tangent to the last-described curve and parallel with Amsterdam avenue, and distant one thousand and eighty-five (1,085) feet easterly therefrom, distance six hundred and thirty-nine and fifty one-hundredths (639 50-100) feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street; thence in a southwesterly direction and curving to the right, radius two hundred and twenty and forty-six one-hundredths (220 46-100) feet, distance one hundred and

sixty-eight and forty-three one-hundredths (168 43-100) feet to the easterly line of Academy place, and distant one hundred and sixty-six and eighty-three one-hundredths (166 83-100) feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, measured along the easterly line of Academy place; thence in a southeasterly direction and along the said easterly line distance one hundred and fifty and eighty-four one-hundredths (150 84-100) feet to the point or place of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation and in the office of the Department of Public Parks.

Dated NEW YORK, July 29, 1891.  
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 ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Convent avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of August, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, 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 One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Convent avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the new avenue known as Convent avenue, distant southerly, as measured along the easterly line of said avenue, four hundred and sixty and twenty-three one-hundredths (460 23-100) feet from the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with said street and distant four hundred and fifty-nine and sixty-six one-hundredths (459 66-100) feet southerly therefrom, distance eight hundred and ten and ninety-one-hundredths (809 91-100) feet, passing through the new avenue to be known as St. Nicholas Terrace to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence southerly along said westerly line, distance forty and fifty-six one-hundredths (40 56-100) feet; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, distance four hundred and seventy-three and seventy-six one-hundredths (473 76-100) feet, to the easterly line of the new avenue to be known as St. Nicholas Terrace; thence southerly along said easterly line, distance twenty (20) feet; thence westerly and across the said new avenue and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to the easterly line of the new avenue to be known as Convent avenue, distance three hundred and sixty-two and fifty-seven one-hundredths (362 57-100) feet; thence northerly along said easterly line and in a curved line, radius three hundred and seventy-five (375) feet, distance sixty-two and ninety-two one-hundredths (62 92-100) feet, to the point or place of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation and in the office of the Department of Public Parks.

Dated NEW YORK, July 23, 1891.  
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 INTERVALE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to Wilkins place, 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 the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 15th day of August, 1891, 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 Intervale avenue, extending from the Southern Boulevard to Wilkins place, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Westchester avenue, distant 1,542.63 feet southwesterly from the intersection of southern line of Westchester avenue with the western line of Southern Boulevard;

1st. Thence southwesterly along the southern line of Westchester avenue for 121.54 feet;  
2d. Thence southerly, deflecting 55° 21' 45" to the left for 339.14 feet;  
3d. Thence southeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 855.68 feet, for 340.73 feet;  
4th. Thence southeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 965.69 feet;  
5th. Thence southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 120 feet, for 158.05 feet to the western line of the Southern Boulevard;  
6th. Thence northeasterly along the western line of the Southern Boulevard for 179.28 feet;  
7th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 66° 22' 18" to the left for 1,007.45 feet;  
8th. Thence northwesterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 521.28 feet, for 206.85 feet;  
9th. Thence northerly for 507.70 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, distant 708.17 feet westerly from the most eastern point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street;

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street for 100.00 feet;  
2d. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° 19' 47.7" to the left, for 453.88 feet;  
3d. Thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 765.8 feet, for 475.42 feet;  
4th. Thence southerly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 1,360.02 feet to the northern line of Westchester avenue.

5th. Thence northeasterly along the northern line of Westchester avenue for 121.54 feet;  
6th. Thence northerly, deflecting 55° 21' 44.6" to the left, for 1,200.94 feet;  
7th. Thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 665.8 feet, for 413.34 feet;  
8th. Thence northerly for 453.30 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, distant 763.91 feet westerly from the most eastern point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street;  
1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, for 100 feet;  
2d. Thence northerly, deflecting 89° 40' 12.3" to the right, for 872.54 feet;  
3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 22° 58' 10.8" to the left, for 776.59 feet;  
4th. Thence southerly, deflecting 149° 13' 26.7" to the right, for 105.43 feet;  
5th. Thence southerly, deflecting 30° 46' 33.3" to the right, for 628.99 feet;  
6th. Thence southerly for 893.44 feet to the point of beginning.

Intervale avenue is designated a street of the first class.

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, July 21, 1891.  
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 FOREST AVENUE, extending from the southerly side of Home street to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and 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, in said city, on or before the first day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said first day of September, 1891, 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 second day of September, 1891.

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 the point of intersection of the easterly side of Boston road and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets to the centre line of the blocks between Tinton and Union avenues; thence southerly along said centre line of the blocks between Tinton and Union avenues to the centre line of the blocks between Home and George streets; thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Home and George streets to the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Tinton avenues; thence southerly along the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Tinton avenues to the centre line of the blocks between George and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between George and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets to the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Jackson avenues; thence northerly along the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Jackson avenues to the centre line of the block between George and Home streets; thence westerly along the last mentioned centre line to the centre line of Jackson avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Jackson avenue to the easterly side of Boston road; thence northeasterly along the easterly side of Boston road to the point or place 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 September, 1891, 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, July 20, 1891.  
JAMES MITCHELL, Chairman,  
JOHN H. ROGAN,  
LEICESTER HOLME,  
Commissioners.

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 WOODRUFF STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Southern Boulevard to centre of Bronx river, 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 and 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 fifteenth day of August, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said fifteenth day of

August 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the seventeenth day of August, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Tremont avenue and Woodruff street prolonged easterly to the centre line of the Bronx river; easterly by the centre line of the Bronx river; southerly by a line parallel to Woodruff street and distant 400 feet therefrom; westerly by the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, 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 28th day of August, 1891, 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, July 3, 1891.  
JAMES MITCHELL, Chairman,  
JOHN A. DEADY,  
WILLIAM A. WOODHULL,  
Commissioners.

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

**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 and 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 11th day of August, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 11th day of August, 1891, 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 12th day of August, 1891.

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 the point of intersection of the centre line of the blocks between Boston road and Franklin avenue with the prolongation westerly of the centre line of the blocks between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence easterly along said centre line prolonged of the blocks between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to its intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Forrest and Tinton avenues; thence southerly along said centre line of the blocks between Forrest and Tinton avenues to the northerly side of Westchester avenue; thence southwesterly along said northerly side of Westchester avenue to its intersection with the prolongation northerly of the centre line of the blocks between Robbins and Concord avenues; thence southerly along said centre line prolonged of the blocks between Robbins and Concord avenues to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Eagle avenue and about ninety feet distant from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along the last mentioned line to the point of intersection of the northerly side of Westchester avenue with the centre line of the blocks between Eagle and St. Ann's avenues; thence northerly along said centre line of the blocks between Eagle avenue and St. Ann's and Third avenues to its point of intersection with the centre line of the block between Teasdale Place and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence easterly along the last mentioned centre line to its point of intersection with a line drawn parallel to Cauldwell avenue and distant about two hundred and forty feet from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along the last mentioned line to its point of intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Boston road and Franklin avenue; thence northeasterly along the said centre line between Boston road and Franklin avenue to the point or place 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 26th day of August, 1891, 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, July 1, 1891.  
EDWARD JACOBS, Chairman,  
ELLSWORTH L. STRYKER,  
CHARLES D. BURRILL,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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