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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1889—ADJOURNED MEETING—12 M.

Present—Commissioner Hutchins (President), Borden, Robb, Gallup.

Mr. E. G. Marsh, representing the Comptroller, being present, and the meeting open to the public, the President, in the presence of the Comptroller's representative, and such of the parties making proposals as were present, opened the estimate box, and publicly opened and read all the estimates or proposals which were received on 18th instant, for the following work:

For Taking up, Adjusting and Resetting Granite Flagging and Relaying Granite-block Pavement with Asphaltic Joints on the Approaches to the Madison Avenue Bridge over the Harlem River.

NAMES OF BIDDERS.	GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT. 4x5 SQUARE YARDS.	GRANITE FLAG- GING RESET. 9x13 LINEAL FEET.	AMOUNT.
Emil Jacobi.....	\$0 72	\$1 97	\$2,262 21
Terence A. Smith.....	75	1 25	\$1,560 00
C. O'Grady.....	1 25	1 25	\$1,772 50
Wm. Kidney.....	98	1 50	\$1,906 00
F. Masterson.....	47	23c. per sq. foot.	Informal.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the contract for repairing the pavement of the approaches to the Madison Avenue Bridge be awarded to Terence A. Smith at \$1,560, he being the lowest bidder; that his proposal be sent to the Comptroller for approval of the sureties thereon, and when so approved that the President be authorized to sign the contract for and on behalf of the Department.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—3.

A communication was received from the Engineer of Construction, submitting specifications and form of contract for paving walks, platforms and esplanades in Morningside Park, with rock asphalt, concrete, and mortar of Portland cement.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the form of contract and specifications for paving walks, etc., in Morningside Park, this day received, be approved and ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—3.

The minutes of the meetings of June 5, 10, 12, 19 and 26, July 10 and 24, and August 5, 8, 14 and 21, were read and approved.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the contract, for which proposals were received on 18th instant, for constructing an outlet sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street be and the same is hereby awarded to Charles W. Collins at \$29,693.75, he being the lowest bidder; that his proposal be sent to the Comptroller for his approval of the sureties thereon, and when so approved that the President be authorized to sign the contract for and on behalf of the Department.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—3.

The President from the Auditing Committee presented the following report:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music at Battery Park, September 13.....	Music.....	\$165 00
Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music at Paradise Park, September 9.....	Music.....	110 00
Cappa, C. A., music in Central Park, September 7, 8, 14 and 15.....	Music.....	920 00
Clappe, A. A., music at Mount Morris Park, September 18.....	Music.....	160 00
Conterno, Luciano, music at East River Park, September 19.....	Music.....	170 00
McCullagh, P. H., Security for Repairs....	Paving Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.....	179 90
		\$1,704 90

RECAPITULATION.

Music.....	\$1,525 00
Street Improvement Fund, chapter 680, Laws of 1886.....	179 90

\$1,704 90

Amounting in the aggregate to the sum of one thousand seven hundred and four dollars and ninety cents.

NEW YORK, September 23, 1889.

ALBERT GALLUP, } Auditing Committee.
W. HUTCHINS, }

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately.

On motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—3.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, the Superintendent of Parks was directed to report as to the desirability of putting up signs or notices on the Central Park transverse roads indicating their direction and termini.

On motion, at 1.25 P. M. the Board adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1889—STATED MEETING, 11 A. M.

Present—Commissioner Hutchins (President), Borden, Robb, Gallup.

Hearings in the matters of the proposed widening of Union street and the extension of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street were postponed until the next meeting.

The minutes of the meetings of August 28 and September 11 were read and approved.

Messrs. George H. Stephens, E. M. Pritchard, J. H. Hildreth and W. J. Lathrop were heard in relation to a proposed change of grade of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

On motion, further consideration of the matter was laid over until October 23 next.

Commissioner Borden offered the following:

Whereas, It is publicly announced that an attempt will be made under certain contingencies to take a considerable portion of Central Park for the use of the proposed World's Fair in 1892; and, Whereas, This Board, by virtue of its office, is charged with the custody of the Public Parks, and is under the law responsible for the safe keeping, care and preservation of said Parks; therefore, Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board it is inexpedient that any part of Central Park should be used as a site for a World's Fair, and that this Board will use every legitimate means to prevent it.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Brigadier-General Louis Fitzgerald appeared and was heard in relation to the work on the new parade ground in Van Cortlandt Park.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the Engineer of Construction was instructed to prepare a report upon the laying out of the parade ground as indicated by General Fitzgerald, with an estimate of the cost, and submit the same to the Board at the earliest possible moment, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That no permits for the use of Van Cortlandt Park by any organization of the National Guard shall be granted except upon the application of the Commanding Officer of the First Brigade.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

The Board then proceeded to consider the evidence taken in the trials of Park Policemen.

John F. Murphy—Charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined fifteen days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Henry Herrlich—Charged with violation of rules and conduct unbecoming an officer, was found guilty as charged and fined fifteen days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Patrick F. Rooney—Charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Oscar Burbeau—Charged with disobedience of orders and insubordination, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

John Graham—Charged with being off post, violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Bernard Doyle—Charged with being off post, violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

James Gorman—Charged with gross violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Bernard Bray—Charged with being off post and violation of rules, was found guilty as charged and fined five days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

William Schneider—Charged with being off post and violation of rules, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

James F. McIntyre—Charged with being off post, violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Patrick Meehan—Charged with being late for roll-call, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

John J. Corrigan—Charged with being off post, gross violation of rules and conduct unbecoming an officer, was found guilty as charged and dismissed from the force by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

John J. O'Leary—Charged with sleeping on post, was found guilty as charged and fined five days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Henry Andereya—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Michael J. Shea—Charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged and cautioned by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Patrick J. Boylan—Charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Thomas Finnegan—Charged with being off post and violation of rules, was found guilty as charged and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Frank T. Baldwin—Charged with being off post.

On motion, charge dismissed.

Frank T. Baldwin—Charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Frank T. Baldwin—Charged with violation of rules.

On motion, charge dismissed.

Thomas J. McCarthy—Charged with being off post and neglecting to properly relieve, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

John F. Purcell—Charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote.

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Alfred C. Newell—Charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

George Edwards—Charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

James A. Kiernan—Charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Thomas H. Armsrong—Charged with not properly patrolling, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Robb, Gallup—4.

Commissioner Borden was then excused and retired from the meeting.

The following communications were received:

From the Clerk of Street Openings, advising of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, on 30th August, 1889, of the proceeding for opening East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Rider avenue to St. Ann's avenue; and also of the confirmation on 20th of September, 1889, of the proceeding for opening East One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue. Filed.

From the New York and Northern Railroad Company, in relation to sites for new depots in Van Cortlandt Park. Filed, with directions to acknowledge receipt and inform the Landscape Architect.

From the New York and Northern Railroad Company, in relating to the construction of foot-way approaches to the bridge over Harlem river at Eighth avenue, and inclosing a copy of an opinion of the counsel to said company respecting the company's obligations in the matter.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, the Secretary was directed to request the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation as to the rights and powers of this Department under the agreement entered into with the West Side and Yonkers Railway Company.

From John H. Tolles, W. W. Gage and others, asking permission to erect two projecting windows on each of two houses to be erected on Central Park, West, fifty feet south of One Hundred and Seventh street, as shown on an accompanying diagram.

Commissioner Robb offered the following:

Resolved, That the consent of this Department be and the same is hereby given to the erection of projections by John H. Tolles on the buildings on the west side of Central Park, West, fifty feet south from One Hundred and Seventh street, the same not to project more than fifteen inches beyond the house-line in accordance with plans submitted.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From the Chairman of the Building Committee of the Trustees of the American Museum of Natural History, asking the approval of the Department of the use of the lecture hall of the new building during the coming season, the contractor having given his consent.

On motion of Commissioner Robb, the request of the Trustees was granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From Theodore Weston, Architect, submitting specifications for erecting a studio over the central corridor in the south court of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the specifications for erecting a studio this day received be approved and ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From Theodore Weston, Architect, recommending that orders be issued for work in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, as follows:

To the North American Iron Works, for twelve iron standards for exhibition purposes, at an expense of \$990.

To W. H. Rand, for painting sheathed walls and other work with fire-proof paint, at an expense of \$550.91.

On motion, the recommendation of the Architect was approved and the orders were directed to be issued by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From the Director of the Menagerie, asking permission to exchange two fawns for one pair of black swans.

On motion, the exchange recommended was authorized.

From the Captain of Police, submitting a list of articles and supplies required for the Police force for the remainder of the year.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be respectfully requested to transfer the sum of three thousand dollars from the appropriation made for Police salaries for the year 1889, for which it will not be required, to the appropriation for Police uniforms and supplies for the same year, which is insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From the Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph, asking permission to lay a three-inch cable-pipe across the Park at Fourth avenue and Sixty-eighth street, for the purpose of extending subway cables to the railroad tunnel. Granted.

From A. H. Gallahue, asking permission to hold a mass meeting at Paradise Park on the evening of September 26. Granted.

From the Property Clerk, submitting a statement of an auction sale of buildings, fences, etc., held on the 26th, 27th and 28th of August. Filed.

From the Topographical Engineer:

1st. Submitting an amended map of Undercliff avenue in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

On motion, said map was ordered placed on exhibition for ten days.

2d. Reporting upon petitions for opening Undercliff avenue, from the Twenty-third Ward line to Sedgwick avenue, and recommending that the said avenue be opened its entire length.

Approved, and ordered communicated to the Board of Street Opening and Improvement.

3d. Recommending that Railroad avenue, West, from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, be changed from second to first class, as requested by the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, this Board does hereby alter, amend and revise the maps or plans heretofore adopted by it by authority of law, and change the class of Railroad avenue, West, from second to first class, from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, as shown on a map or plan entitled "Map or plan showing change of classification of Railroad avenue, West, from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York," dated New York, October 30, 1888, and signed S. F. Chalfin, Topographical Engineer, Department of Public Parks, and does hereby approve and adopt said map or plan, the same being deemed of the proper extent in order to show such alteration, amendment and revision; and that the President of this Board be and he is hereby designated and directed to cause three similar maps or plans to be made, to be certified to by him, and to cause the same to be filed as provided by chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From the Engineer of Construction:

1st. Submitting an estimate of the cost of completing the construction of Morningside Park, and recommending that the amount of work to be done under the contracts for constructing basins and inlets and for constructing steps, etc., be increased by an amount not exceeding 25 per cent. of the amount called for by the contracts.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, the quantities of work called for in said contracts were increased by an amount not exceeding 25 per cent., as recommended by the Engineer, and in accordance with the terms of the contracts, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

2d. Submitting specifications and estimates for constructing a cellar at the Casino in Central Park in accordance with plans prepared by the Superintendent of Parks.

Commissioner Robb offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for constructing cellar at the Casino Refreshment House in Central Park be approved, and that the sum of \$2,250 for such work be allowed William H. Radford, licensee, and applied on account of his license fee upon his filing with the Department the proper vouchers showing such expenditure.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

3d. Reporting in relation to laying blue-stone pavement opposite stoops of houses in Seventy-second street, between Eighth avenue and the Boulevard.

On motion, the Engineer of Construction and Landscape Architect were directed to confer with representatives of the property-owners and report to the Board.

4th. Recommending that the quantity of work called for in the contract for paving the esplanade and walks in City Hall Park be increased so as to include other walks which were not included in the estimate and which are now in need of repair.

On motion, said recommendation was approved, and the quantity of work was authorized to be increased by an amount not to exceed twenty-five per cent. of the quantity called for by the contract, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Submitting plans and specifications for regulating, grading, etc., Gerard avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Jerome avenue.

Commissioner Robb offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for regulating, grading, etc., Gerard avenue, this day received, be approved, and the specifications ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

2d. Submitting plans and specifications for constructing a sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, and in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, etc.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for constructing a sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, etc., this day submitted, be approved, and the specifications ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

3. Submitting plans and specifications for a sewer, etc., in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Brook avenue and the east side of St. Ann's avenue.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for constructing a sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, etc., this day received, be approved, and the specifications ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

4th. Requesting that all petitions of property-owners for modifications of the plan for depressing the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad be referred to Engineers Chalfin and Kellogg, together with himself, for any report that may be required. Approved.

5th. Reporting favorably upon an application of William Jones, F. S. Allen and Fordham Morris for permission to build a drain in Riverview Terrace, so as to connect with the present drain in Dock street.

On motion, said application was granted upon the conditions recommended by the Engineer by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

6th. Reporting favorably upon applications of J. J. and William Astor, for permission to fill in their lands adjacent to the Harlem river, extending from a point north of One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Cromwell's Creek. Approved.

7th. Recommending that the work under the contract for regulating and grading Brook avenue, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to a point four hundred and eighty-seven feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, be resumed and completed. Approved.

From the Superintendent of Parks, reporting in relation to an offer of the Beethoven Maennerchor Society to sing at one of the Central Park concerts. Filed.

The Secretary presented a statement of moneys received and deposited in the City Treasury, which was ordered entered upon the minutes, as follows:

Statement and Return of Moneys made to Comptroller during August, 1889.

LICENSES.		
Aug. 5. Isidor Isaac (carroussel).....	\$69 50	
" 5. Isidor Isaac (goat carriages).....	15 35	
" 7. Dennis F. Cray.....	38 54	
" 7. Carl H. Schultz.....	40 25	
" 7. Oscar H. Riker.....	22 06	
" 8. John Lucas.....	10 05	
" 15. P. A. Bernard.....	206 55	
" 19. A. H. Dolliver.....	250 00	
" 20. William Keeler.....	200 00	
" 20. Mrs. John P. Ryan.....	400 00	
" 28. Fifth Avenue Transportation Company.....	550 00	
" 28. P. McCann.....	382 23	
	<hr/>	\$2,184 53
POUND.		
Aug. 14. Property Clerk (receipts, July).....	18 00	
GRASS.		
Aug. 14. Property Clerk (receipts, July).....	80 00	
RENTS.		
Aug. 1. F. DeR. Wissman, rent July, Furman place, Pelham Park.....	100 00	
PERMITS.		
Aug. 1. Charles Neuendorff.....	\$10 00	
" 1. C. Startman.....	10 00	
" 2. August Witt.....	10 00	
" 5. Elizabeth Price.....	10 00	
" 6. C. Reuhl.....	10 00	
" 6. James Coffee.....	10 00	
" 6. Decker & Berry.....	40 00	
" 8. Fred Pfuhl.....	10 00	
" 8. C. Reuhl.....	10 00	
" 14. Alexander McKenna.....	10 00	
" 14. Charles Zimmerman.....	10 00	
" 14. James Morris.....	60 00	
" 14. Estate of G. Huck.....	10 00	
" 16. Wheelock Piano Company.....	10 00	
" 16. Mrs. Wilson.....	10 00	
" 19. Henry M. Geis.....	10 00	
" 20. Augustus Gareiss.....	10 00	
" 27. William E. Dodge.....	10 00	
" 27. John J. Hunt.....	20 00	
" 27. Brown & Leviness.....	10 00	
" 27. Charles Van Riper.....	10 00	
" 28. William Picken.....	10 00	
" 28. George Arbogast.....	30 00	
" 28. M. Mundy.....	10 00	
" 28. M. O'Neill.....	10 00	
" 28. Jonas Hering.....	10 00	
" 28. Franz Litter.....	10 00	
" 28. Mr. Yeninger.....	10 00	
" 28. William Doherty.....	10 00	
" 28. And. Kleeman.....	10 00	
" 28. Albert J. Murat.....	10 00	
" 30. William Picken.....	50 00	
	<hr/>	470 00
SPECIAL FUND REPAVING.		
Aug. 5. Daniel Malone.....	\$4 00	
" 6. Decker & Berry.....	40 00	
" 8. L. W. Armstrong.....	16 00	
" 15. F. Ehrhart.....	6 00	
" 20. Charles J. Todd.....	10 00	
" 28. Paul G. Decker.....	6 00	
" 28. James Nugent.....	13 50	
" 28. James Nugent.....	13 50	
	<hr/>	109 00
	<hr/>	\$2,961 53

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he hereby is requested to provide, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 575 of the Laws of 1887, and in the manner described in said act, the further sum of fifty thousand dollars for the improvement of Morningside Park.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the Engineer of Construction be directed to prepare and submit specifications and form of contract for constructing foundation walls around Mount Morris Park.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

The President laid before the Board an agreement duly executed with the New York and Harlem Railroad Company for the depression of the tracks, and changing the grades of that portion of the Port Morris branch of said railroad, extending from East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the junction with the main line at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

Which was ordered printed as a document of the Board. (See Document No. 113).

From the Captain of Police, reporting upon the probatory service of persons employed as Park Policemen.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That William H. Schultz, James McKeagney, Jackson E. Glynn, Patrick McMeany, John Maher, Thomas Shea, Patrick Faney, James O'Neill, Francis Coyle, Stephen F. Haughey and Michael Madden be and they hereby are appointed Park Policemen.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending the employment of additional men on the roadways in the new parks.

On motion, the employment of ten Laborers and two teams on the new parade ground and the same number on each Van Cortlandt and Pelham Parks was authorized by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending the employment of two Masons.

On motion, the employment of two Masons was authorized by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

From the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, recommending that the pay of James Reilly, a Laborer, be increased to \$2 per day.
On motion, the pay of James Reilly was ordered fixed at \$2 per day.
The President reported the following appointments and restorations made by him :

Appointed.

- 10 Laborers in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
- 1 Mason in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
- 1 Draughtsman under Engineer of Construction.
- 1 Axeman under Engineer of Construction.

Restored.

- 1 Double team in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
- 1 Laborer in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
- 6 Laborers on the Parks.
- 1 Driver on the Parks.
- 1 Bridge Tender.

On motion, the action of the President was approved.

Commissioner Robb offered the following :

Resolved, That the designation of Clinton H. Smith be and hereby is changed from Clerk to Assistant Secretary.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

The President, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following report :

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval :

Dwyer, Thomas, Estimate No. 1, for mason work, etc., basement.....	Metropolitan Museum of Art..	\$13,464 00
Levy, A., repairing skylights.....	"	196 50
Weston, Theodore, commission for services..	"	673 20
Weston, Theodore, commission for services..	"	9 82
		<u>\$14,343 52</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	\$14,343 52
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Amounting to the sum of fourteen thousand three hundred and forty-three dollars and fifty-two cents.

NEW YORK, September 25, 1889.

W. HUTCHINS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately,

On motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.

On motion, at 1.50 P. M., the executive session arose, and the Board adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1889.—STATED MEETING, 11 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Hutchins (President) and Gallup.

The President announced that the opening of proposals, which had been received, would be postponed to the 14th instant at 11 A. M.

No quorum being present the Board adjourned.

Reconvened at 11.35 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Hutchins (President), Robb and Gallup.

The President, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following reports :

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval :

Abeel Brothers, iron and steel.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$12 55
	Bronx River Bridges, etc.....	7 29
	Sewers and Drains, etc.....	2 95
		<u>\$22 79</u>
Abeel Brothers, iron and steel.....	Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of..	23 19
Abeel Brothers, iron.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	45 11
American District Telegraph Co. messenger services during July, August and September.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	2 88
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairs to roadway Washington Square.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	625 00
Barron, James S. & Co., brooms.....	Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of..	1 38
	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$28 87
	Police—Supplies.....	2 75
	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance.....	1 38
		<u>33 00</u>
Brandes Manufacturing Co., repairs to faucet, etc.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$2 00
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	46 00
		<u>48 00</u>
Brown, Martin B., binding assessment lists. Regulating, etc., St. Ann's avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Clifton street.....		12 50
Brown & Fleming, Estimate No. 2, gravel.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$3,266 43
	Riverside Park and avenue, etc.....	1,564 80
		<u>4,831 23</u>
Coffin, Paul C., steel shovels, etc.....	Parade Ground on Van Cortlandt Park.....	68 88
Coffin, Paul C., saws, rasps, etc.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$56 35
	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance.....	9 95
		<u>66 30</u>
Colgate & Co., soap.....	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	5 90
Colwell Lead Co., lead pipes, etc.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$2 10
	Police—Supplies.....	3 50
	Zoological Department.....	20 92
	New Parks—Care and Maintenance.....	7 78
		<u>34 30</u>
Consolidated Gas Co., Gas, September.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$39 12
	Police—Supplies.....	76 87
	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance.....	8 88
		<u>124 87</u>
Crimmins, T. E., Telford stone.....	Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of..	210 00
Crombie, George T.—lumber.....	Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of..	36 24

Crombie, George T.—lumber.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$298 61
	Police—Supplies.....	23 70
	New Parks—Care and Maintenance.....	28 06
		<u>\$350 37</u>
Decker, Thompson W. & Sons, milk, August.....	Zoological Department.....	14 88
Dickinson Brothers & King, Portland cement.....	Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of..	26 50
Doak, George F., payment on acceptance broken stone, etc.....	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	10,332 51
Dunham, Thomas C., colors, etc.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	132 38
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	7 57
	New Parks—Care and Maintenance.....	106 81
		<u>246 76</u>
Ellwanger & Barry, plants.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance, 1888.....	29 00
Fiske, J. W., settee legs.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	175 00
French, S. A., shields and wreaths.....	Police—Supplies.....	60 50
Haggerty, J. Henry, machine oil.....	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance.....	25 75
Hazard Powder Co., blasting powder.....	New Parks north of Harlem river—Care and Maintenance.....	2 29
Higginum Mfg. Corporation, rakes and cultivator.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	32 26
Hurst & Treanor, blue stone.....	Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of..	6 88
Hyslop, John, ventilating shafts for Arsenal Building.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	410 00
Jones, Charles, security for repairs.....	Sewer 169th street, from Webster to Third avenue, etc....	1,432 30
Jones, Charles, security for repairs, Section 3.....	Sewer Webster avenue, between 165th and 184th streets.....	2,149 36
Knickerbocker Ice Co., ice.....	Zoological Department.....	23 25
McCullagh, Francis, Estimate No. 1.....	Paving 135th street, from Willis avenue to Brown place.....	3,782 80
McKesson & Robbins, horse salve.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	1 65
McKim, John, & Son, garden mould.....	Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of..	336 00
Motley, Thornton N., nails, etc.....	New Parks—Care and Maintenance.....	72 20
Mott (J. L.) Iron Works, walk boxes and manholes frames and covers.....	Central Park, Construction of—Landscape Improvement, etc.....	88 90
Mulhern, P., grass sods.....	Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of..	517 50
Mutual District Messenger Co., messenger services during January, February, March, April, May, June and July.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	9 40
National Iron Co., iron, etc.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—Tompkins Square.....	754 19
Neddo, Frank, grass sods.....	Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of..	112 50
New (T), Mfg. Co., roofing paper.....	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	12 60
N. Y. Mutual Gas Light Co., gas, Sept.....	Labor Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	38 25
O'Donnell & Treanor, coal.....	Labor Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$69 50
	Riverside Park and avenue, etc.....	75
	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance.....	2 00
	Bronx River Bridges, etc.....	2 00
	New Parks—Care and Maintenance.....	75
		<u>75 00</u>
Otis & Gorsline, vitrified drain pipe.....	Central Park, Construction of—Landscape Improvement north of 102d street, etc....	539 75
Otis & Gorsline.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$25 50
	Sewers and Drains, etc.....	5 44
		<u>30 94</u>
Patterson Bros., bolts, etc.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$39 18
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	19 50
		<u>58 68</u>
Regan, John, Estimate No. 1, plumbing basement.....	Metropolitan Museum of Art..	4,417 60
Riegelman, J., coal.....	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance.....	95 00
Robitzek, G. & Bros., coal.....	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	118 75
Rogers, Jno. J., and Jas. Leeson, security for repairs.....	Regulating, etc., Sedgwick avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Van Cortlandt avenue.....	657 55
		46 50
Scott, D., fish, August.....	Zoological Department.....	6,850 00
Seward, Jas. A. Co., payment on acceptance, furniture art schools.....	Metropolitan Museum of Art..	3 40
Smith, Clifford E., wagon materials.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	\$249 54
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	10 85
		<u>260 39</u>
Steele & Condict, iron wheels for Third Avenue Bridge.....	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance.....	194 58
Stern, B. & Son, uniforms.....	Police—Supplies.....	300 50
Sturtevant, E. D., water lilies.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	90 00
Taber & Co., plants.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	28 00
Taber & Co., plants.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	332 50
Thorburn, Jas. M. & Co., pansy seed.....	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.....	10 00

Thorburn, Jas. M. & Co., grass seed	Morningside Park—Improve- ment and Construction of.	\$40 01
Weston, Theodore, commission for services. Metropolitan Museum of Art.		220 88
Weston, Theodore, commission for services. Metropolitan Museum of Art.		342 50
Willson, Adams & Co., lumber	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance.	\$481 12
	Sewers, Drains, etc.	192 98
Young, Charles C., bread, August.	Zoological Department.	674 10
		83 70
		\$42,705 50

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—Care and Maintenance, etc., Seventy-second street, etc.	\$25 50
Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance.	6,481 20
Labor, Maintenance, etc.—Tompkins Square.	754 19
Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance, 1888.	29 00
Zoological Department.	189 25
Police—Supplies.	467 82
Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance.	337 54
Riverside Park and Avenue, Improvement and Maintenance of.	1,505 55
Maintenance, 23d and 24th Wards.	10,507 68
Bronx River Bridges, etc.	9 29
Sewers and Drains, etc.	201 37
Surveys, Maps and Plans.	46 00
New Parks north of Harlem River—Care and Maintenance.	217 89
Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of.	1,310 20
Central Park, Construction of—Permanent Landscape Improvement north of One Hundred and Second street.	628 65
Metropolitan Museum of Art.	11,830 98
Street Improvement Fund, chapter 680, Laws of 1886.	8,034 51
Parade Ground in Van Cortlandt Park.	68 88
	\$42,705 50

Amounting in the aggregate to the sum of forty-two thousand seven hundred and five dollars and fifty cents.
NEW YORK, October 9, 1889.

A. GALLUP,
J. HAMPDEN ROBB, } Auditing Committee.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately,
On motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:
Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Robb, Gallup—3.
The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Hanna, Robert & Co., Estimate No. 1. retaining wall, walk and drainage.	Riverside Park—Construction of	\$7,000 00
McCullagh, Francis, payment on acceptance.	Paving 135th street, from Willis avenue to Brown place.	1,390 97

For Constructing Outlet Sewer and Appurtenances in Bungay Street, etc.

ITEMS.	QUANTITIES.	1		2		3		4		5		6		7		8	
		B. C. MURRAY.		WM. E. DEAN.		ALSTON GERRY & CO.		JOHN CURRAN & CO.		DEL GENOVESE & TOWLE.		BERNARD MAHON.		ED. DUFFY.		JOSEPH MOORE.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1. Sewer, Class I., linear feet.	825	\$16 75	\$13,818 75	\$17 00	\$13,950 00	\$40 00	\$33,000 00	\$25 00	\$20,625 00	\$19 00	\$15,675 00	\$26 00	\$21,450 00	\$19 75	\$16,293 75	\$25 00	\$20,625 00
2. " II, "	2,340	15 50	36,270 00	14 00	32,760 00	13 00	30,420 00	11 00	25,740 00	12 45	29,133 00	23 00	53,820 00	10 75	25,155 00	15 00	35,100 00
3. " III, "	3,940	7 45	29,153 00	7 25	28,565 00	6 00	23,640 00	6 00	23,640 00	6 58	25,925 20	10 00	39,400 00	5 95	23,443 00	10 00	39,400 00
4. " IV, "	4,300	2 25	9,675 00	1 95	8,385 00	2 00	8,600 00	3 00	12,900 00	1 68	7,224 00	3 00	12,900 00	2 35	10,105 00	3 00	12,900 00
5. Manholes and inlets complete.	91	40 00	3,640 00	45 00	4,095 00	10 00	910 00	45 00	4,095 00	40 00	3,640 00	50 00	4,550 00	45 00	4,095 00	50 00	4,550 00
6. Spurs for house connections.	1,100	50	550 00	60	660 00	30	330 00	80	880 00	30	330 00	60	660 00	35	385 00	50	550 00
7. Receiving-basins complete.	38	130 00	4,940 00	160 00	6,080 00	40 00	1,520 00	115 00	4,370 00	125 00	4,750 00	140 00	5,320 00	135 00	5,130 00	200 00	7,600 00
8. Linear feet of piles.	50,000	18	9,000 00	25	12,500 00	8	4,000 00	14½	7,250 00	18	9,000 00	15	7,500 00	15	7,500 00	30	15,000 00
9. Feet (B. M.) timber for foundation.	150,000	18 00	4,200 00	26 00	3,900 00	25 00	3,750 00	24 00	3,600 00	21 00	3,150 00	30 00	4,500 00	30 00	4,500 00	22 00	3,300 00
10. Cubic yards of concrete in place.	50	4 50	225 00	4 00	200 00	5 00	250 00	5 50	275 00	6 00	300 00	5 00	250 00	2 25	112 50	1 00	50 00
11. " broken stone in place.	100	2 25	225 00	2 00	200 00	3 00	300 00	2 00	200 00	10	10 00	2 00	200 00	2 25	225 00	1 00	100 00
12. " rubble masonry.	50	4 25	212 50	6 00	300 00	5 00	250 00	2 75	137 50	6 00	300 00	5 00	250 00	2 25	112 50	3 00	150 00
13. " rock excavation.	14,000	2 75	38,500 00	4 00	56,000 00	2 45	34,300 00	2 37	33,180 00	3 50	49,000 00	3 75	52,500 00	3 65	51,100 00	3 00	42,000 00
14. Time for completion, 800 days, at \$4.																	
Totals.			\$150,609 25		\$184,170 00		\$141,270 00		\$136,892 50		\$148,137 20		\$203,300 00		\$148,156 75		\$181,325 00

For Constructing a Sewer and Branches with Appurtenances in Burnside Avenue, between Webster Avenue and Creston Avenue.

ITEMS.	QUANTITIES.	1		2		3		4		5	
		ADAM VORNDRAN.		DEL GENOVESE & TOWLE.		P. V. MURRAY.		M. J. LEAHY.		JOS. MOORE.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1. Linear feet of brick sewer, egg-shaped, 3 feet 4 inches by 4 feet 4 inches	691	\$5 05	\$4,180 55	\$8 00	\$5,528 00	\$8 60	\$5,942 60	\$7 50	\$5,182 50	\$6 50	\$4,491 50
2. Linear feet of brick sewer, egg-shaped, 26 inches by 35 inches	913	5 00	4,565 00	5 50	5,021 50	6 10	5,569 30	6 50	5,934 50	5 50	5,021 50
3. Linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer.	247	2 75	679 25	2 50	617 50	2 75	679 25	2 00	494 00	3 50	864 50
4. Linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer.	16	2 35	37 60	2 50	40 00	2 15	34 40	2 00	32 00	3 00	48 00
5. Linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer.	460	1 87	860 20	2 50	1,150 00	2 01	924 60	2 00	920 00	3 00	1,380 00
6. Spurs for house connections.	214	45	96 30	30	64 20	1 00	214 00	10	21 40	1 00	214 00
7. Manholes complete.	22	50 00	1,100 00	50 00	1,100 00	48 00	1,056 00	40 00	880 00	45 00	990 00
8. Receiving-basins complete.	5	165 00	825 00	175 00	875 00	135 00	675 00	100 00	500 00	200 00	1,000 00
9. Cubic yards of rock.	1,750	3 87	6,772 50	3 70	6,475 00	3 05	5,337 50	2 75	4,812 50	3 50	6,125 00
10. Cubic yards of rubble masonry.	150	2 25	337 50	6 00	900 00	4 20	630 00	1 50	225 00	3 00	450 00
11. Cubic yards of concrete.	10	3 50	35 00	7 00	70 00	4 25	42 50	1 00	10 00	4 00	40 00
12. Feet (B. M.) of lumber.	2,000	19 00	38 00	38 00	76 00	26 00	52 00	15 00	30 00	25 00	50 00
13. Time for completion, at \$4 per day.	175		700 00	200	800 00	150	600 00	80	320 00	150	600 00
Totals.			\$20,226 90		\$22,717 20		\$21,757 15		\$19,361 90		\$21,274 50

For Constructing a Sewer and Branches with Appurtenances in Burnside Avenue, between Webster Avenue and Creston Avenue.

ITEMS.	QUANTITIES.	6		7		8		9		10	
		J. W. O'GRADY.		MONTGOMERY & PEASE.		J. P. & J. H. KERRIGAN.		TERENCE A. SMITH.		J. CURRAN & CO.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1. Linear feet of brick sewer, egg-shaped, 3 feet 4 inches by 4 feet 4 inches.	691	\$6 40	\$4,422 40	\$7 00	\$4,837 00	\$7 00	\$4,837 00	\$8 65	\$5,977 15	\$6 35	\$4,387 85
2. Linear feet of brick sewer, egg-shaped, 26 inches by 36 inches	913	4 60	4,199 80	5 50	5,021 50	4 25	3,880 25	6 00	5,478 00	4 85	4,428 05
3. Linear feet of 16-inch pipe sewer	247	3 00	741 00	2 20	543 40	2 50	617 50	3 00	741 00	2 75	679 25
4. Linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer	16	2 50	40 00	2 20	35 20	2 00	32 00	3 00	48 00	2 10	33 60
5. Linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer	460	2 25	1,035 00	2 00	920 00	2 00	920 00	3 00	1,380 00	2 10	966 00
6. Spurs for house connections	214	30	64 20	30	64 20	25	53 50	25	53 50	90	192 60
7. Manholes complete	22	40 00	880 00	50 00	1,100 00	47 00	1,034 00	60 00	1,320 00	47 00	1,034 00
8. Receiving basins complete	5	115 00	575 00	140 00	700 00	125 00	625 00	140 00	700 00	120 00	600 00
9. Cubic yards of rock	1,750	3 20	5,600 00	3 00	5,250 00	3 50	6,125 00	3 75	6,562 50	3 95	6,912 50
10. Cubic yards of rubble masonry	150	3 00	450 00	5 00	750 00	2 00	300 00	5 00	750 00	4 00	600 00
11. Cubic yards of concrete	10	6 00	60 00	3 50	35 00	1 00	10 00	5 00	50 00	4 00	40 00
12. Feet (B. M.) of lumber	2,000	20 00	40 00	15 50	31 00	20 00	40 00	10 00	20 00	25 00	50 00
13. Time for completion, at \$4 per day	100	Days.	400 00	Days.	800 00	Days.	600 00	Days.	700 00	Days.	300 00
Totals			\$18,507 40		20,087 30		\$19,074 25		\$23,780 15		\$20,223 85

For Constructing a Sewer and Appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-seventh Street, between Willis Avenue and Brook Avenue.

ITEMS.	QUANTITIES.	1		2		3		4		5	
		J. W. O'GRADY.		A. VONDRAN.		DEL GENOVESE & TOWLE.		M. LIPPS.		BENJ. CARR, JR.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1. Linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer	855	\$1 90	\$1,624 50	\$1 75	\$1,496 25	\$2 00	\$1,710 00	\$1 25	\$1,068 75	\$2 27	\$1,940 85
2. Spurs for house connections	119	75	89 25	75	89 25	50	59 50	60	71 40	30	35 70
3. Manholes complete	8	60 00	480 00	50 00	400 00	50 00	400 00	50 00	400 00	50 00	400 00
4. Cubic yards of rubble masonry	70	6 00	420 00	3 50	245 00	3 00	210 00	3 90	273 00	5 00	350 00
5. Cubic yards of concrete	5	6 00	30 00	3 60	18 00	10 00	50 00	4 00	20 00	5 00	25 00
Feet (B. M.) of lumber	3,000	20 00	60 00	20 00	60 00	19 00	57 00	20 00	60 00	25 00	75 00
7. Time for completion, at \$4 per day	20	Days.	80 00	Days.	60 00	Days.	200 00	Days.	60 00	Days.	100 00
Totals			\$2,783 75		\$2,368 50		\$2,686 50		\$1,953 15		\$2,916 55

For Constructing a Sewer and Appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-seventh Street, between Willis Avenue and Brook Avenue.

ITEMS.	QUANTITIES.	6		7		8		9		10	
		JOS. MOORE.		P. V. MURRAY.		MONTGOMERY & PEASE.		J. S. LESLIE.		J. H. & J. P. KERRIGAN.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1. Linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer	855	\$3 00	\$2,565 00	\$2 00	\$1,795 50	\$2 10	\$1,795 50	\$2 25	\$1,923 75	\$1 90	\$1,624 50
2. Spurs for house connections	119	1 00	119 00	1 19	141 61	30	35 70	45	53 55	25	29 75
3. Manholes complete	8	40 00	320 00	49 00	392 00	45 00	360 00	50 00	400 00	45 00	360 00
4. Cubic yards of rubble masonry	70	2 00	140 00	4 50	315 00	5 00	350 00	2 00	140 00	3 50	245 00
5. Cubic yards of concrete	5	3 00	15 00	4 25	21 25	4 50	22 50	6 00	30 00	1 00	5 00
6. Feet (B. M.) of lumber	3,000	Days	80 00	\$25 written \$75 figures Days	75 00	30 00	90 00	20 00	60 00	20 00	60 00
7. Time for completion, at \$4 per day	20	Days	80 00	Days	116 00	Days	120 00	Days	80 00	Days	120 00
Totals			\$3,239 00		\$2,856 36		\$2,773 70		\$2,687 30		\$2,444 25

For regulating, grading and paving with gravel pavement, with Telford and Macadam foundation and trap-rock gutters, the roadway of the avenue bounding the Morningside Park on the westerly side, from the northerly curb line of One Crossred and Tenth street to the easterly curb-line of Tenth avenue, setting curb stones, laying crosswalks, flagging the westerly sidewalks, where not already done, and alteration of receiving-basins.

NAME OF BIDDERS.	GRAVEL AND TRAP-ROCK PAVEMENT, ETC., 15,500 SQUARE YARDS.	BRIDGE-STONES, ETC., 4,400 SQUARE FEET.	CURB-STONES, ETC., 3,600 LINEAL FEET.	FLAGGING, ETC., 250 SQUARE FEET.	ALTERATIONS OF EIGHT RECEIVING BASINS.	TIME, NO. OF DAYS AT \$3.50 PER DAY.	AMOUNT.
James Slattery	\$1 85	\$0 80	\$0 85	\$0 22	\$50 00	100	\$36,060 00
Joseph Moore	2 50	45	1 00	24	70 00	100	45,300 00
Bernard Mahon	1 40	50	1 25	25	100 00	100	29,612 50
George F. Doak	1 47	47	80	27	50 00	90	28,515 50
Moran & Figliuolo	1 63	77	.88	25	120 00	125	33,281 00

The President, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following report :
The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval.

Dean, William E., security for repairs	Sewer Vanderbilt avenue, between 165th and 170th streets, etc.	\$979 59
Higginum Mfg. Corporation, scythes, etc.	Parade ground in Van Cortlandt Park	4 41
Hodgman Rubber Co., rubber boots	Sewers and drains, etc.	\$41 50
	Sprinkling—23d and 24th Wards	22 50
		64 00
Jackman, P. C., mould	Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of	206 75
Jones, Charles, Estimate F, Sec. 4	Sewer Webster avenue, between 165th and 184th streets	3,393 25
Jones, Charles, assignee of Thos. J. Gillis	Sewer from Railroad avenue, East, near 153d street to and across H. R. R. property, etc.	6,995 56

Mason, F. H. D., petty disbursements	Labor, Maint., etc.—General Maintenance	\$174 44
	New Parks—Care and Maintenance	142 34
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards	27 20
	Zoological Department	42 28
	Police—Supplies	33 30
	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance	2 00
		421 65
Mason, F. H. D., petty disbursements	Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of	28 51
Moore, Joseph, Estimate No. 1	Paving 149th street, between Third and Robbins avenues	5,635 00
Moran, P. J., and Julius Figliuolo, Estimate No. 5, construction approaches, etc.	Central Park—Construction of Approaches to Museum of Art	8,323 00
Morgan, J. Pierpont, Treasurer, salaries and wages, September	Maintenance Museums	2,151 13
Willson, Adams & Co., lumber	Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance	\$289 12
	Bronx River Bridges, etc.	145 40
	Sewers and drains, etc.	104 87
		539 39
Young, William, grass sods	Morningside Park, Improvement and Construction of	393 75
		\$29,135 99

RECAPITULATION.		
Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance		\$174 44
Zoological Department		42 28
Police—Supplies		33 30
Harlem River Bridges, etc.—Maintenance		291 12
Sewers and Drains, etc.		146 37
Maintenance—Museums		2,151 13
Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards		27 29
Bronx River Bridges, etc.		145 40
New Parks north of Harlem River—Care and Maintenance		142 34

Sprinkling—23d and 24th Wards.....	\$22 50
Parade Grounds in Van Cortlandt Park.....	4 41
Morningside Park—Improvement and Construction of.....	629 01
Central Park—Construction of Approaches to Museum of Art	8,323 00
Local Improvement Fund (chapter 420, Laws 1886).....	3,393 25
Street Improvement Fund (chapter 680, Laws 1886).....	13,610 15
	<u>\$29,135 99</u>

Amounting in the aggregate to the sum of twenty-nine thousand one hundred and thirty-five dollars and ninety-nine cents.

W. HUTCHINS, { Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

NEW YORK, October 14, 1889.

The above mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately.

On motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

On motion, at 11.45 A. M., the Board adjourned to meet on Wednesday, 16 instant, at 12 M.
CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1889—ADJOURNED MEETING, 12 M.

Present—Commissioners Hutchins, (President), Borden Gallup.

On motion, the reading of minutes of previous meetings was dispensed with.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That contracts for which proposals were received on the 9th inst. be awarded as follows:

For constructing sewers in Bungay and other streets, to John Curran & Co., at \$136,892.50.

For constructing sewer in Burnside avenue, to James W. O'Grady, at \$18,507.40.

For constructing a sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, to Martin Lipps, at \$1,953.15.

For regulating, paving, etc., Morningside avenue, to George F. Doak, at \$28,515.50.

—they being the lowest bidders; that their proposals be sent to the Comptroller for his approval of the sureties thereon, and, when approved, that the President be authorized to sign the contracts for and on behalf of the Department.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

Dr. James Bathgate appeared and requested that a fence be erected between his property and Crotona Park.

An affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record, stating that the following notice had been published as required by law, was received and placed on file:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, }
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, }
September 3, 1889. }

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the City of New York, will, on the 25th day of September, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the proposed extension of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Washington avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, East, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the dimensions of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street by extending the lines thereof from Washington avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, East, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

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

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

Lamont McLaughlin appeared and was heard in favor of the proposed extension.

Commissioner Borden offered the following:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, this Board does hereby alter, amend and revise the maps or plans heretofore adopted by it by authority of law, and change the dimensions of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street by extending it of the uniform width of fifty feet from Washington avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, East, as shown on a map or plan entitled "Map or plan showing the extension of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Washington avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York," dated New York, August 8, 1889, and signed S. F. Chalfin, Topographical Engineer, D. P. E., and does hereby approve and adopt said map or plan, the same being deemed of the proper extent in order to show such alteration, amendment and revision; and that the President of this Board be and he is hereby designated and directed to cause three similar maps or plans to be made, to be certified to by him, and to cause the same to be filed as provided by chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

The following communications were received:

From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting copies of the following ordinances and resolutions:

Ordinance to regulate and grade One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue.

Ordinance to regulate and grade One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Railroad avenue, East, and Morris avenue.

Ordinance to regulate and grade One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Vanderbilt avenue to Franklin avenue.

Ordinance to pave with trap blocks One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Willis avenue.

Ordinance to regulate, grade, etc., One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Third avenue to Morris avenue.

Ordinance to regulate, grade, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Rider avenue to Morris avenue.

Ordinance to regulate, grade, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Willis avenue to St. Ann's avenue.

Ordinance to regulate, grade, etc., One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Third avenue to Brook Avenue.

Resolution amending a resolution and ordinance approved May 6, 1889, providing for flagging the sidewalks on the east side of Boston avenue, from Jefferson street to Bristow street.

All of which were referred to the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

From the West End Association, requesting that a railway be constructed in Transverse Road No. 3, through Central Park. Filed.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to advise this Board upon the proper construction of section 1 of chapter 407 of the Laws of 1888, being an act relative to railways in the Transverse roads in Central Park in the City of New York, and especially concerning the words "to construct railways in and about the roads in said park, known as the Transverse roads, and to contract, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, with any persons or corporations for the construction, equipment or running of the same," as to whether this department has the right to construct railways in said park with any persons whatsoever; whether such persons shall equip and run the same or not; or whether it is incumbent upon this Board to contract only with such persons or corporations as shall agree to the construction, equipment and running thereof.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

From the Clerk of Street Openings, advising the Department of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, on 14th instant, of the proceeding for opening East One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Rider avenue to St. Ann's avenue. Filed.

From the Secretary of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, relative to closing the Museum building to clean and arrange the new collections. Filed.

From the Johnson Company, requesting that the bid of its president, A. J. Moxham, made May 15, 1889, for constructing railway tracks in Transverse road No. 3, be rejected.

On motion of Commissioner Gallup, all the bids or proposals received on 15th of May last for constructing railway tracks in Transverse road No. 3 through Central Park, were rejected by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

From the Topographical Engineer:

1st. Reporting upon a petition for the extension of Walton avenue, from Cheever place to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and submitting a map showing such proposed extension.

On motion, said map was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised.

2d. Submitting a map on plan showing proposed changes in the street system in a part of the "Central District," Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, lying between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Sheridan avenue, Elliot street, Jerome avenue, East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Tremont avenue and Webster avenue with the proposed grades of the several streets to be revised.

On motion, said map was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised.

3d. Submitting a map showing a proposed change in the lines of Ryer avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, as petitioned for by Charles H. Allen and others.

On motion, said map was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised.

From the Topographical Engineer, the Engineer of Construction, and Engineer in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Reporting upon a petition to change the grade of Vanderbilt avenue, East, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh streets, and recommending that no action be taken thereon for the reason that the petitioners do not represent sufficient of the property interest affected to warrant a change.

On motion, said recommendation was approved.

2d. Reporting in relation to a proposed change of grade of Railroad avenue, East, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, and submitting a map showing such change.

On motion, the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation was requested as to whether the proposed change can be properly made under chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

3d. Reporting in relation to a petition of the Board of Trustees of the Tremont M. E. Church for a bridge over the New York and Harlem Railroad at East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, and recommending that the lines of said street be changed as shown on an accompanying map or plan.

On motion, said map was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Submitting plans and specifications for regulating, grading, etc., Third avenue, from the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards line to Pelham avenue.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for regulating, grading, etc., Third avenue, this day received, be approved, and the specifications ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

2d. Submitting plans and specifications for regulating and paving One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Willis avenue, and for curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks on the east side of Boston avenue, from Jefferson street to Bristow street.

Commissioner Borden offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for regulating and paving One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and curbing, flagging, etc., the east side of Boston road, this day received, be approved, and the specifications ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

3d. Submitting a time statement on the work of regulating and paving One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Willis avenue to Brown place, showing a charge against the contractor for one-quarter day overtime. Approved.

4th. In relation to certain work required to be done on the bridge approaches in connection with the depression of the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad.

On motion, the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation as to whether such work should be done by the company or the Department was requested.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That during the absence of Commissioner Robb all orders for the purchase of supplies be signed by two Commissioners.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

From the Engineer of Construction and Landscape Architect, reporting in relation to the blue-stone flag pavement proposed to be placed opposite the stoops of the houses on Seventy-second street, between Eighth avenue and the Boulevard, and recommending that the work be done.

On motion, the recommendation was approved and the necessary specifications and form of contract were ordered prepared.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the Gas Commission be requested to replace the gas-lamps in the City Parks as speedily as possible.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Whereas, On January 10, 1888, the Counsel to the Corporation rendered an opinion to the effect that the Board of Electrical Control had no jurisdiction or power to regulate the use of electric lights within the public parks in the City of New York; and

Whereas, Section 688 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, provides that the Department of Public Parks shall control all public parks, and section 691 declares in substance that the Department of public parks shall have exclusive authority to regulate the lighting of the public parks,

Resolved, That all permits heretofore granted by this Board for the erection and maintenance of poles for electric light wires operated by the so-called "alternating" or "high tension" current be and the same hereby are revoked, until such wires are placed under ground.

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Parks be and he is hereby authorized, subject to the supervision of the President, to remove all poles and all wires used for electric lighting out of doors in any of the parks within the City of New York which are operated by means of the "high tension" or "alternating" electric current, as soon as advised by the Corporation Counsel that the pending injunctions are dissolved.

Resolved, further, That the Captain of Police be and he is hereby directed to assign to extra night duty a sufficient number of policemen to guard the parks wherein such wires shall be removed until proper arrangements can be made for lighting the same, and that the President be authorized to cause lamps to be placed in the parks forthwith whenever such poles and wires may be removed.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the foregoing preambles and resolutions were referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for his opinion.

From the Commissioners of Accounts, requesting a comparative statement of the classes and number of employees of this Department for the years 1880 to 1889, inclusive.

On motion of Commissioner Borden the Property Clerk was directed to furnish such information at once.

The President, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following report:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Bayne's 60th Regiment Band, music at Battery Park, September 27 and October 4. Music.....	\$340 00
Brown, Jno. S., Estimate No. 7.....Sewer Railroad avenue, East, between Harlem river and 158th street.....	11,788 91
Cady, J. C., & Co., commission for services American Museum of Natural History.....	873 86
Cappa, C. A., music in Central Park, September 22 and 29, and October 1 and 8. Music.....	685 00
Chalfin, S. F., petty disbursements.....Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	\$16 35
.....Surveying, Laying Out, etc.....	66 59
Contorno, Luciano, music at East River Park, September 26 and October 3.....	82 94
Eben, Felix I., music at Tompkins square, September 3, 17 and 24, and October 1 and 8.....	340 00
Eben, Felix I., music at Mt. Morris Park, October 2.....	850 00
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co., telephonic services, September.....	170 00
Smith, Jas. B., Estimate No. 5, enlargement of Museum.....American Museum of Natural History.....	333 33
	34,954 48
	<u>\$50,418 52</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Music	\$2,385 00
Telephonic Service	333 33
Surveys, Maps and Plans	16 35
Surveying, Laying Out, etc.	66 59
American Museum of Natural History	35,828 34
Street Improvement Fund, chapter 680, Laws 1886	11,788 91
	\$50,418 52

Amounting in the aggregate to the sum of fifty thousand four hundred and eighteen dollars and fifty-two cents.

NEW YORK, October 16, 1889.

W. HUTCHINS, }
A. GALLUP, } Auditing Committee.

The above mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately.
On motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hutchins, Borden, Gallup—3.

On motion, at 1.30 P. M., the Board adjourned.

CHARLES DEF. BURNS, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending October 5, 1889.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, October 11, 1889. }

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor :

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to October 5, 1889, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since September 30, 1889, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on October 5, 1889.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD CROKER, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with RICHARD CROKER, Chamberlain, during the week ending October 5, 1889. CR.

1889. Oct. 5	To Additional Water Fund.....			1889. Sept. 30	By Balance.....			1889. Oct. 5	By Balance.....		
	Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	\$11,800 03	\$36,403 16		Arrears of Taxes				Arrears of Taxes		\$1,469,362 84
	For Construction of Bridge over Harlem River	2,345 33			Interest on Taxes.....				Interest on Taxes.....		\$37,084 58
	Croton Water Fund	5,143 24			Fund for Street and Park Openings.....				Fund for Street and Park Openings.....		5,311 61
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account	22 04			Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....				Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....		5,610 05
	Dock Fund.....	31,543 35			Harlem River Improvement Fund				Harlem River Improvement Fund		14,517 54
	Dog License Fund.....	390 00			Interest on Assessments.....				Interest on Assessments.....		24 80
	Excise Licenses	15,702 92			Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....				Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....		1,187 55
	Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination	600 00			Fire Department—Bureau Building Fund.....				Fire Department—Bureau Building Fund.....		30 00
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	43,027 02			Licenses				Licenses		10 00
	Metropolitan Museum of Art, Completion of.....	13,464 00			Dog License Fund.....				Dog License Fund.....		1,318 75
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	101 61			Tapping Pipes				Tapping Pipes		48 00
	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	2,098 00			Water Meter Fund No. 2				Water Meter Fund No. 2		322 00
	Revenue Bonds of 1889.....	230,000 00			Restoring and Repaving				Restoring and Repaving		33 17
	School-house Fund	9,258 53			Intestate Estates.....				Intestate Estates.....		676 00
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	11,419 09			Commissions of Public Administrator				Commissions of Public Administrator		51 00
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	41 00			Theatre and Concert Licenses.....				Theatre and Concert Licenses.....		2,686 25
			397,216 18		Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers, Grammar and Primary Schools, 1889.....				Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers, Grammar and Primary Schools, 1889.....		559 55
	New Park Fund		99,534 45		County Clerk's Fees				County Clerk's Fees		2,800 00
	Advertising	1889.			Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....				Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....		2 90
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	591 50			Excise Licenses				Excise Licenses		3,431 98
	Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages	309 36			Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination				Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination		9 41
	Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	2,040 00			General Fund.....				General Fund.....		89,460 00
	Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs	1,852 00									117 11
	Bureau of Licenses	1,041 65									2,015 80
	Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines	105 00									149 35
	CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	521 10									41 82
	Civil Service of the City of New York.....	1,563 59									2 26
	Cleaning Markets	3,563 68									348 85
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Administration	7,842 81									526 12
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Final Disposition of Material										501 00
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Rents and Contingencies	1,407 00									193 77
	College of the City of New York.....	11 40									543 73
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	9,966 65									40 00
	Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	410 20									235 15
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	90 00									200,000 00
	Contingencies—Law Department.....	5,149 35									250,000 00
	Coroners—Salaries and Expenses	243 34									250,000 00
	Election Expenses.....	2,959 30									350,000 00
	Expenses of Detectives	500 00									
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	1,041 66									20,000 00
	Fire Department Fund—For Salaries	5,993 48									81,725 68
	Flagging Sidewalks, etc.	124,079 81									1,593 67
	Free Floating Baths.....	541 83									
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance	40 00									
	Health Fund—Contingent Expenses	31 55									
	Health Fund—Disinfection.....	412 10									
	Health Fund—Additional Disinfection	347 50									
	Health Fund—Salaries	700 00									
	Hospital Fund	18,572 84									
	Interest on the City Debt—Before January 1, 1889	246 70									
	Interest on the City Debt—After January 1, 1889	288,210 00									
	Interest on Revenue Bonds of 1888 and 1889	2,178 08									
	Judgments	1,797 95									
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	2,744 70									
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	12,630 22									
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—General	673 95									
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police	209 53									
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Tompkins Square	21,050 52									
	Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	337 50									
	Normal College.....	2,003 58									
	Police Fund.....	8,120 03									
	Police Fund—Salaries.....	355,822 39									
	Police Station-houses—Alterations	7,353 33									
	Preservation of the Public Records	2,500 00									
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	4,333 29									
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	284 00									
	Public Charities and Correction—Alterations, etc.	855 00									
	Public Charities and Correction—New Buildings	1,204 24									
	Public Charities and Correction—Salaries	278 79									
	Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	35,378 20									
	Public Charities and Correction—Transportation of Paupers, etc.	8,224 07									
	Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses of Ward Schools	175 00									
	Public Instruction—Buildings Contingent Fund.....	55 07									
	Public Instruction—Enforcement of the Act, etc.	143 23									
	Public Instruction—Gas.....	1,149 48									
	Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses of Board of Education.....	10 38									
	Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses of Ward Schools.....	322 96									
	Public Instruction—Salary of City Superintendent, etc.	237 34									
	Public Instruction—Salaries of Clerks to Boards of Trustees	2,935 05									
	Public Instruction—Salary of Counsel	25 80									
	Public Instruction—Salaries of Officers, etc.	250 00									
	Public Instruction—Supplies.....	3,440 64									
	Real Estate, Expenses of	5,784 18									
	Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues	120 00									
	Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	1,281 50									
	Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	4,216 90									
	Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	4,425 30									
	Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling	208 60									
	Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	1,334 25									
	Salaries—Chamberlain's Office	83 33									
	Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund	2,083 33									
	Salaries—City Courts.....	83 33									
	Salaries—Department of Public Works	54,022 48									
	Salaries—Engineer and Assistant Engineer, County Jail	27,515 70									
	Salaries—Finance Department	149 99									
	Salaries—Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	5,424 16									
	Salaries—Judiciary.....	325 00									
	Salaries—Law Department.....	77,297 48									
	Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	12,217 70									
	Salaries—Register's Office.....	833 33									
	Salaries—Secretary of Board of Street Openings.....	1,514 00									
	Salaries—Wardens and Keepers of County Jail.....	100 00									
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	833 31									
	State Taxes	7,471 80									
	Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets	540,449 20									
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	168 00									
	Supplies for Police.....	6,085 00									
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	6,758 03									
	Surveys, Maps and Plans	2,454 06									
		1,102 20									
	Balance		1,722,574 45								
			536,918 85								
			\$2,792,647 09								\$2,792,647 09

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
EDWIN A. POST, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes
No. 53 Chambers street, Room 41, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY BISCHOFF, Jr., Attorney; SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner;
Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 34 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER MEAKIM, President; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. McCALL, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20.
SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Equity Term, Room No. 30.

Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.
Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, to A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, to A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.
PETER MITCHELL, Justice.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Pearl and Centre streets.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE B. DEANE, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

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

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues open to close of business.
SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to the close of business.
AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

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

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

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9.30 A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.

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

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITL, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY, DANIEL F. McMAHON, EDW. HOGAN, JOHN COCHRANE, CHARLES N. TAINOR.
GEORGE W. CREIGER, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
First District—Tombs, Centre street.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, November 1, 1889.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
a Buggy, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, November 15, 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

NOTICE.

1. Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
2. Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
3. Examinations will be held from time to time as the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.

4. All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
5. The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

G. K. ACKERMAN,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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 the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-sixth day of November, 1889, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-sixth day of November, 1889, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-seventh day of November, 1889.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the thirteenth day of December, 1889, 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, October 16, 1889.

GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, Chairman,
WILLIAM V. I. MERCER,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN
the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at No. 51 Chambers street.

J. S. COLEMAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 24, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the street system in that part of the "Sprayten Duyvil District," Twenty-fourth Ward, lying between Kappock street, Independence avenue, the Ewen Estate, and the first street east of Troy street, with the proposed grades of the several revised streets within said bounds, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721, Laws of 1887.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the contemplated change of the lines of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the proposed change consist in altering the lines and discontinuing and closing a portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from the west side of Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Webster avenue, and extending the street to Burnside avenue.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the proposed extension of Walton avenue and the grades proposed to be established for the same, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in extending Walton avenue, from Cheever place to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and changing, fixing and establishing the grades of said avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to Cheever place, in the Twenty-third Ward.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the street system in a part of the Central District, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, lying between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Sheridan avenue and Elliot street; Jerome avenue, East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Tremont and Webster avenues, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the location, width, course, windings, lines and grades of, and discontinuing and closing in whole, or in part, certain avenues, streets, roads and public places, readapting, extending and laying out others to take their places, and fixing and establishing the grades of the several revised streets, etc., in that part of the Central District, above described.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the lines of Ryer avenue between East One Hundred and Eighty-first and East One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, in the Twenty-third Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the location, course, lines and grades, discontinuing and closing a portion, and

fixing and establishing the grades of Ryer avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-first and East One Hundred and Eighty-second streets.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 19, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 13th day of November, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the width of Union street, from Lind avenue to Marcher avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in reducing Union street from 60 to 50 feet in width, discontinuing and closing a portion and changing and establishing the grades of said street, from Lind to Marcher avenue.

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

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

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 3071, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Ninth street, from First avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river, with trap blocks.

List 3083, No. 2. Crosswalk across the Bowery, from numbers 192 to 199.

List 3097, No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to the Riverside Drive.

List 3099, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

List 3102, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging north side of Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from First avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. West side of the Bowery, extending northerly from Spring street about 135 feet, and east side of Bowery, between Delancey and Rivington streets, upon Ward numbers 5 to 10, inclusive, in the Tenth Ward.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. North side of Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, upon lots known as Block 542, Ward numbers 1 and 2.

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 8th day of December, 1889.

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, November 7, 1889.

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

List 3084, No. 1. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Seventh avenue.

List 3085, No. 2. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Second street and Tenth avenue.

List 3086, No. 3. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Madison avenue.

List 3087, No. 4. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Fifty-fourth street and Second avenue.

List 3088, No. 5. Sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Edgecombe road.

List 3089, No. 6. Sewer in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets, connecting with present sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, east of Tenth avenue.

List 3090, No. 7. Sewer in Fourth avenue, west side, between Ninety-ninth and One Hundred and Third streets.

List 3091, No. 8. Sewer in Seventy-fifth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

List 3092, No. 9. Sewer in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard.

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

No. 1. East side of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

No. 2. North side of One Hundred and Second street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and east side of Tenth avenue, extending 101 feet north of One Hundred and Second street.

No. 3. North side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Park to Madison avenue.

No. 4. East side of Second avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street, and south side of Fifty-fifth street, extending easterly from Second avenue about 275 feet.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Edgecombe road.

No. 6. East side of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

No. 7. West side of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Third street.

No. 8. Both sides of Seventy-fifth street from Riverside to West End avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard; west side of Tenth avenue, from a point about 100 feet south of One Hundred and Ninth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, and south side of One Hundred and Tenth street, extending about 450 feet westerly from Tenth avenue.

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

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 11th day of November, 1889.

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, October 9, 1889.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, LEATHER AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.
7,866 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, November 14, 1889.

1,500 pounds Cheese.
1,500 pounds Dried Apples.
2,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.

300 pounds Cocoa.
6,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
500 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.

500 pounds Chicory.
1,000 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include packages.

3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
1,000 pounds Macaroni.
4,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.

1,500 pounds Prunes.
6,000 pounds Rice.
16,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

2,500 pounds Coffee Sugar.
1,600 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.
2,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.

2,200 pounds Oolong Tea.
1,200 gallons Syrup, in barrels.
75 bushels Beans.

50 barrels Crackers.
4,280 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
10 tubs prime quality kettle rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.

600 barrels good, sound, White Potatoes, 172 pounds net per barrel.
50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.
100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.

1,500 heads prime good sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels.
200 bales prime quality, long, bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed 3 lbs.; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

50 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare and weight same as on straw.
80 bags bran, 50 pounds net each.
50 bags coarse meal, 100 pounds net each.

50 bags fine meal, 100 pounds net each.
500 bushels oats, 32 pounds net each.

DRY GOODS, ETC.
6,000 yards Bandage Muslin.
100 pieces Oiled Muslin.

25 dozen Cotton Mops.
350 dozen pairs Men's Socks.
6 dozen Stove Brushes.
6 dozen No. 6 Paint Brushes.

10 dozen Dust Brushes.
LEATHER.

100 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each.
75 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.

75 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.
LUMBER.

5,000 feet first quality, extra clear White Pine, 1 1/2" x 12" to 16" x 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.
100 first quality sound Hemlock Joists, 3" x 4" x 13 feet.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, November 15, 1889.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-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 re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, November 2, 1889.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 26, 1889.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Friday, November 8, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following, viz.:

30,000 pounds Mixed Rags, ten per cent. more or less.
65,000 pounds Mixed Scrap Iron, ten per cent. more or less.

60 Iron-bound Barrels, ten per cent. more or less.
120 Syrup Barrels, ten per cent. more or less.

3,000 pounds Grease, ten per cent. more or less.
—to be delivered at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and to be paid for as follows:

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

R. E. CLEARY,
Storekeeper.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 30, 1889.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier A—Unknown woman, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair, gray eyes. Had on brown plaid skirt, dark petticoat, gray stockings.

Unknown woman, from 45 Allen street, aged about 55 years; 5 feet high; gray hair, brown eyes. Had on white chemise, brown waist, black jersey, brown plaid petticoat, calico dress with red dots, white apron, striped stockings, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from Twenty-first street and East river; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair and moustache. Had on double-breasted coat, blue serge coat, black vest, black pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, green cotton socks, gaiters, black derby hat.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Margaret Wilson, aged 50 years; 5 feet high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted spotted calico dress, black straw hat.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Mary Hogan, aged 20 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair, gray eyes. Had on when admitted black alpaca skirt and waist, gray sacking, gaiters, black straw hat.

Elizabeth Creighton, aged 65 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black skirt, waist and shawl, gaiters, black silk bonnet.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Rider avenue to St. Ann's avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, October 14, 1889, and entered on the 25th day of October, 1889, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer

authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before December 31, 1889, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,
Receiver of Taxes.

PROPOSALS FOR \$182,802.18 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Friday, the 8th day of November, 1889, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of an issue of One Hundred and Eighty-two Thousand Eight Hundred and Two Dollars and Eighteen Cents (\$182,802.18), Registered Stock denominated

CONSOLIDATED STOCK of the City of New York, and known as "School-house Bonds," the principal payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHT, with interest at the rate of THREE PER CENTUM per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 136, Laws of 1888, for the purchase of new school sites, for the erection of new school buildings, and for fitting up and furnishing the same for the use of the Common Schools of the City of New York.

Section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 provides that "the Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law"; and provided also, "that no proposals for stock shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

The proposals should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "School-house Bonds" of the Corporation of the City of New York, and each proposal should also be enclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 3, 1889.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, September 20, 1889, and entered on the 25th day of September, 1889, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before November 27, 1889, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 18, 1889.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to

East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Rider avenue to St. Ann's avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, August 30, 1889, and entered on the 7th day of September, 1889, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 908 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 908 of 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 Assessment 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 November 9, 1889, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a special meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, held in the Mayor's Office, on Friday, November 8, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which a public hearing will be given in the matter of the area of the proposed High Bridge Park.

Dated November 6, 1889.
V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

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, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out, opening and extending of College place and Greenwich street, from Chambers street to Dey street, under authority of chapter 410, Laws of 1887; the same is more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Chambers street, said point being 90 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Chambers street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 176 feet 3 inches, to the northerly line of Warren street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Warren street, distance 25 feet 1/4 inch, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 176 feet 3 inches, to the southerly line of Chambers street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Warren street, said point being 90 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Warren street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 175 feet 1 1/4 inches, to the northerly line of Murray street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 7 inches, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 175 feet 1 1/4 inches, to the southerly line of Warren street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet 7 1/2 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Murray street, said point being 80 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of Murray street and College place; thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of College place, distance 165 feet 4 1/4 inches, to the northerly line of Park place; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 1/2 inch, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 165 feet 4 1/4 inches, to the southerly line of Murray street; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet 7 1/2 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Park place, said point being 80 feet from the southeasterly corner of Park place and College place; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly line of College place, distance 158 feet 9 inches, to the northerly line of Barclay street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 1 1/4 inches, to the westerly line of College place; thence northerly along said line, distance 158 feet 9 inches, to the southerly line of Park place; thence westerly along said line, distance 25 feet 2 1/4 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Barclay street, said point being distant 193 feet 1 inch easterly from the southeasterly corner of Church street and Barclay street; thence southwesterly, distance 208 feet 9 inches, to the northerly line of Vesey street; thence westerly along the northerly line of said street, distance 78 feet 3 inches, to the easterly line of Greenwich street; thence northerly along said line, distance 26 feet 1 3/4 inches; thence easterly, distance 10 feet 3 1/2 inches; thence northeasterly and parallel to the first course given above, and distant 83 feet westerly therefrom, distance 183 feet 6 1/4 inches, to the southerly line of Barclay street; thence easterly along said line 81 feet 8 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Vesey street, said point being distant 454 feet 8 1/2 inches westerly from the southwesterly corner of Church street and Vesey street; thence southerly, distance 166 feet 7 inches to the northerly line of Fulton street; thence westerly along said line, distance 10 feet 7 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Greenwich street; thence northerly along said line, distance 175 feet 2 1/4 inches to the southerly line of Vesey street; thence easterly along said line 45 feet 1 inch to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of Fulton street, said point being distant 170 feet 6 inches easterly from the easterly line of Washington street; thence southerly, distance 133 feet 2 1/2 inches, to the northerly line of Dey street; thence easterly along the northerly line of said street, distance 58 feet 1 inch to the westerly line of Greenwich street; thence northerly along said line, distance 140 feet 4 inches, to the southerly line of Fulton street; thence westerly along said line, 10 feet 7 inches, to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated NEW YORK, October 29, 1889.
V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

JURORS.

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

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

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

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

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, if unpaid, will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents. All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors, are not exempt.

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 315.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND LAYING PAVEMENT ALONG THE CRIB-BULKHEAD BETWEEN WEST SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET AND WEST EIGHTIETH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND laying pavement along the crib-bulkhead from about the south line, extended, of West Seventy-sixth street to about 15 feet south of the south line, extended, of West Eightieth street, on the North river, except across West Seventy-ninth street, which will not be paved, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1889,

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

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

1. Earth excavation, about.....	80 cubic yards.
Feet, B. M., measured in the work.	
2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	20,770
" " 6" x 6".....	5,280
Total.....	26,057

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

NOTE.—What is known in the New York market as "merchantable" sawed yellow pine timber will be received under this contract, subject to the provisions of the specifications hereinafter contained.

- 3/8" x 22" and 3/4" x 12" square wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about 1,362 pounds.
4. Sand or "Cow Bay" gravel, about 410 cubic yards.
5. Paving to be laid, about 2,945 square yards.

NOTE.—The paving blocks therefor are to be furnished to the Contractor, at or near the premises, by the Department of Docks, as hereinafter specified.

6. Labor of all kinds, including all grading, spreading, leveling, ramming of earth, paving, sand or gravel, and paving blocks, moving of paving blocks, timber, etc., framing and carpentry, etc., as set forth in the specifications.

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. No extra compensation, beyond the

amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor per square yard of pavement laid, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the sixteenth day of December, 1889, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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, 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 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 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 and 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,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, October 24, 1889.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, October 24, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR COMBINED Stationary Hoisting Engines and Appurtenances required at Shaft No. 25, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on NOVEMBER 13, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 4, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS, 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. Monday, November 13, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LEXINGTON AVENUE, between Twenty-first and Thirty-second streets; between Forty-second and Fifty-ninth streets, and between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-ninth streets.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WALL STREET, from the westerly crosswalk at Nassau street to the easterly crosswalk at Hanover street, AND WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, from the easterly crosswalk at Broadway to the westerly crosswalk at Nassau street, and from the easterly crosswalk at Hanover street to the westerly crosswalk at Pearl street.

No. 3. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON THE PRESENT MACADAM PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF BROADWAY (OR BOULEVARD), from Fifty-ninth to Seventy-ninth street.

No. 4. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCKS ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MADISON AVENUE, from the south side of Thirty-third street to the north side of Thirty-sixth street, and from the south side of Forty-first street to the north side of Forty-second 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 and clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, October 29, 1889.

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. Monday, November 11, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER-PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

No. 2. FOR TAKING UP AND RELAYING THE PAVEMENT NOW IN FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, from First to Fourth avenue.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to

which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

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Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 1 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, October 28, 1889.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1889, THE Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at the Corporation Yards, situated at One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, foot of East Sixteenth street, and foot of Livingston street, East river, the sale to commence at the One Hundred and Nineteenth Street Yard, at 10.30 A. M., the following articles:

Wagons, Trucks, Carts, Stands, Booths, Telegraph-poles, Telegraph Wire, Copper and Electric-light Wire, Signs, Abandoned Furniture, Push Carts, Bill-boards, Canvas Signs, Boot-Black Stands, etc.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal by purchaser of articles purchased, otherwise he will forfeit the same together with all moneys paid therefor.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 26, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Monday, November 11, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

- No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, between the Boulevard and Riverside Drive.
- No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF PLEASANT AVENUE, from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Nineteenth 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 his deposit will be returned to him.

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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, October 14, 1889.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ACCORDING TO LAW TEN PER CENT ADDITIONAL WILL BE ADDED ON THE 1ST OF NOVEMBER NEXT ON ALL UNPAID CROTON WATER RATES.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 351 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

UNDER CHAPTER 420, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 AND 353, and as amended by chapter 559, Laws 1887, as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each.

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

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

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

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

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

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

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

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

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

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

Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
60	05	9 00
70	05	10 50
80	05	12 00
90	05	13 50
100	05	15 00
150	05	22 50
200	05	30 00
250	04½	37 75
300	04	45 00
350	03½	52 50
400	03½	60 00
500	03½	75 00
600	03½	90 00
700	03½	105 00
800	03½	120 00
900	03½	135 00
1,000	03½	150 00
1,500	03	180 00
2,000	02½	225 00
2,500	02½	270 00
3,000	02½	315 00
3,500	02½	360 00
4,000	02½	405 00
4,500	02½	450 00
5,000	02	500 00
5,500	02	550 00
6,000	02	600 00
6,500	02	650 00
7,000	02	700 00
7,500	02	750 00
8,000	02	800 00
8,500	02	850 00
9,000	02	900 00
9,500	02	950 00
10,000	02	1,000 00

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Fountains or jets in hotels, porter-houses, eating-saloons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

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

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted.

Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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