

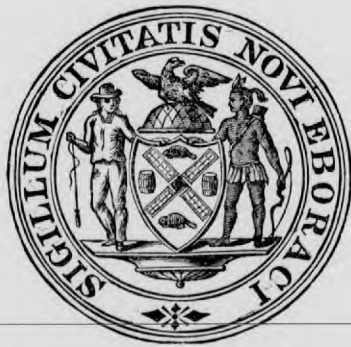
# THE CITY RECORD.

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### APPROVED PAPERS.

*Approved Papers for the week ending May 16, 1891.*

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed in front of No. 189 Bleecker street, on the northwest corner of Bleecker and Macdougall streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 11, 1891, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the agents or owners of building No. 77 South street, corner of Fletcher's alley, to erect iron stairways on the Fletcher street side, to connect with the second-story window, the work to be done at owner's expense and under the supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works and Building Department.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 11, 1891, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Reinig to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 2000 Westchester avenue, on the sidewalk, near the curb-line, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Mount Morris avenue, extending a distance about two hundred feet on Mount Morris avenue and about one hundred and fifty feet on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, and about one hundred feet on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, extending westerly from Mount Morris avenue, be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, except that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Seventh street, from Park to Fifth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating and intersecting streets and avenues where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That Croton-water pipes be laid in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from the Boulevard west to the end of the street, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That the two additional lamps placed in front of the Church of St. Charles Borromeo when located at One Hundred and Forty-first street, near Seventh avenue, be removed, and placed in front of said church at its present location in One Hundred and Forty-second street and Seventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Eighth to Manhattan avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, Central Park, West, and Manhattan avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That curb-stones be set and the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide in Brook avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Third avenue, and between Third avenue and Brook avenue, in the public place at their intersection, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street and avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That Edward A. Byrne be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 5, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the east side of Park avenue, between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, and on the north side of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, extending a distance about one hundred and fifteen feet east of Park avenue, be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 5, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1891.

Resolved, That the now unnamed street, sixty feet wide, at Kingsbridge, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, about six hundred and fifty feet north of Macomb street and extending easterly from Broadway to Bailey avenue, through lands of Messrs. Parsons, Shradly and Denison, shall hereafter be known and designated as Parsons street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 12, 1891, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 54 Charlton street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 12, 1891, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed in front of No. 564½ Broome street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 12, 1891, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the roadway of Fifty-eighth street, from a line about three hundred and sixty feet west of Eleventh avenue to the Hudson river, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that the present crosswalks within that space be relaid, using the present bridge-stones where not worn or broken so as to be unfit for use, and using new bridge-stones in place of defective stones, under the provisions of chapter 449, Laws of 1889, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 12, 1891, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.



Resolved, That the roadway of Fifty-eighth street, from Eleventh avenue to a line about three hundred and sixty feet westerly, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 28, 1891.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 12, 1891, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the resolution appointing Gus. Thomson a Commissioner of Deeds be corrected so as to read James C. A. Thomson.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 12, 1891.

Resolved, That William Henry Folsom, who was recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, be corrected so as to read William Henry Folsom.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 12, 1891.

Resolved, That permission be and the same hereby is given to John T. Farley to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp on the sidewalk near the curb-line in front of the Nevada Apartment House, No. 205 Western Boulevard, provided the lamp be lighted every night during the hours and for the full time that the public lamps maintained by the City are kept lighting, and also provided that the work shall be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; this permission shall continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 5, 1891.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1891.

Resolved, That the width of the sidewalks on both sides of Mott avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Railroad avenue, East, be and is hereby established at ten feet, and that all existing rights and privileges of property-owners to the use of any portion of the sidewalks for stoops and areas be and the same are hereby revoked and annulled.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 12, 1891.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 14, 1891, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk, Common Council.

## BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,  
ROOM NO. 10, STEWART BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, May 15, 1891.

Owing to the absence of a quorum, no meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement was held this day.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., MAY 9, 1891.

Estimated Population, 1,673,648.

Death-rate, 28.37.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

	WEEK ENDING—													
	Feb. 7.	Feb. 14.	Feb. 21.	Feb. 28.	Mar. 7.	Mar. 14.	Mar. 21.	Mar. 28.	Apr. 4.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.
Diphtheria.....	121	106	113	119	105	94	92	82	101	82	108	82	67	95
Measles.....	447	462	367	384	421	425	495	354	386	342	327	396	390	325
Scarlet Fever....	153	178	185	147	158	155	159	177	225	208	200	181	184	199
Small-pox.....	...	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	2	...
Typhoid Fever...	11	12	9	6	12	9	14	11	8	9	7	14	5	10
Typhus Fever...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	1
Total.....	732	759	678	650	696	684	671	624	721	563	644	673	648	630

Marriages reported.....	271	Burial permits issued.....	910
Births.....	764	Transit permits issued.....	6
Deaths.....	910	Searches made.....	267
Still-births.....	78	Transcripts issued.....	202

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	Total.	† Total last year.	* Average 10 years.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Total, all causes.....	910	739	858.1	472	438	56	122	64	72	314	50	60	197	177	112
Diphtheria.....	24	22	39.8	12	12	...	7	11	18	4	1	1	...	...	...
Croup.....	11	17	18.9	6	5	...	1	2	4	7	3	...	1	...	...
Malarial Fevers.....	2	4	9.2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Measles.....	21	26	19.4	11	10	...	7	7	6	20	1	...	...	...	...
Scarlet Fever.....	23	8	33.8	7	16	...	2	7	11	20	3	...	...	...	...
Small-pox.....	...	...	3.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid Fever.....	4	3	4.4	1	3	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...
Typhus Fever.....	...	...	1.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough.....	9	8	11.5	3	6	1	5	2	1	9	...	...	...	...	...

\* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.

† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.

Police census, October, 1890, 1,710,715.

	Total.	† Total last year.	* Average 10 years.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	16	23	19.6	8	4	3	11	...	...	14	...	...	...	1	1
Phthisis.....	99	99	121.6	63	36	...	1	1	...	2	4	17	49	24	3
Other Tuberculous Diseases..	16	19	...	10	6	...	4	2	3	9	2	...	5	...	...
Diseases of Nervous System..	63	62	73.2	29	34	5	5	7	4	21	2	3	12	15	10
Heart Diseases.....	62	42	49.2	34	28	1	...	...	2	3	4	4	12	26	13
Bronchitis.....	33	39	41.9	22	11	...	11	5	6	22	1	...	1	5	4
Pneumonia.....	168	119	107.8	98	70	3	28	15	15	61	8	11	38	25	23
Other Diseases of Respira- tory Organs.....	25	10	...	10	15	...	2	1	2	5	...	3	4	7	6
Diseases of Digestive System.	38	32	...	17	21	3	10	4	...	17	3	1	8	7	2
Diseases of Urinary System..	55	53	...	29	26	...	2	1	4	7	1	2	16	18	9
Congenital Debility.....	59	40	...	26	33	37	22	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...
Old Age.....	9	5	...	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8
Suicide.....	12	4	6.1	11	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	3	...
Other violent deaths.....	47	32	31.5	26	21	1	1	1	1	4	9	8	15	8	7
All other causes.....	114	72	...	46	68	2	9	2	1	14	4	4	29	35	26

\* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.

† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.

‡ Including premature births, atrophy, inanition, marasmus, atelectasis, cyanosis and preternatural births.

Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Table.

Zymotic.	Circulatory.	Genito-urinary.
Erysipelas, 5; Syphilis, 1; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 3; Influenza, 44; Puerperal Fever, 2.	Aneurism, 2; Embolism, 1; Senile Gangrene, 1.	Bright's Disease, 41; Nephritis, 7; Diseases of Bladder and Prostate Gland, 2; Uræmia, 3; Tubercular Tumor of Kidneys, 1; Movable Kidney, 1; Diseases of Uterus and Vagina, 1; Ovarian Disease, 1; Pelvic Cellulitis, 1; Pelvic Hematocoele, 1.
Parasitic.	Respiratory.	Locomotor.
Aphthæ, 1.	Laryngitis, 1; Congestion of Lungs, 2; Emphysema, 1; Hydrothorax, 2; Pleurisy, 3; Hemorrhage of Lungs, 2; Chronic Bronchitis, 10; Edema Pulmonum, 2.	Spinal Disease, 1; Arthritis, etc., 1; Psoriasis, 1.
Dietetic.	Digestive.	Integumentary.
Alcoholism, 8.	Gastro-Enteritis, 1; Gastritis, 8; Enteritis, 4; Cirrhosis, 5; Hepatitis, 1; Peritonitis, 5; Obstruction of Intestines, 1; Typhilitis, 1; Jaundice, 1; Ulcer of Stomach, 2; Stomatitis, 1; Ton-sillitis, 1; Dentition, 4; Ulcera-tion of Intestines, 2; Congestion of Liver, 1; Pharyngeal Abscess, 1; Pharyngitis, 1.	Ulcers, 1; Eczema, 1; Gangrene of Leg, 1.
Constitutional.	Nervous.	Accident.
Cancer, 19; Tubercular Meningitis, 9; Tuberculosis, etc., 5; Tubercular Peritonitis, 1; Tubercular Nephritis, 1; Diabetes, 4; Anæmia, 2; Rheumatism, 2; Purpura, 1.	Convulsions, 8; Meningitis, etc., 15; Apoplexy, 22; Paralysis, etc., 3; Insanity, 6; Softening of Brain, 1; Epilepsy, 4; Myelitis, etc., 2; Chronic Hydrocephalus, 2.	Poison, 2; fractures and contusions, 15; burns and scalds, 6; drown-ing, 7; suffocation, 2; surgical operations, 9; railroad, 2; chorea from injuries, 1.
		Other Causes.
		Otitis, 1; Lymphadenoma, 1; Mis-carriage, 2; Puerperal Convul-sions, 1; Placenta Prævia, 1; Foramen Ovale Open, 1; Con-genital Malformation, 1.
		Hemicide, 3.

Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology, and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 weeks.

WEEK ENDING.	Feb. 14.	Feb. 21.	Feb. 28.	Mar. 7.	Mar. 14.	Mar. 21.	Mar. 28.	Apr. 4.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.
Total deaths.....	755	751	797	735	813	840	895	1,100	1,216	1,347	1,208	961	910
Annual death-rate.....	23.70	23.56	24.99	23.03	25.46	26.29	28.00	34.39	38.00	42.07	37.70	29.98	28.37
Diphtheria.....	34	30	40	33	31	29	16	31	30	38	28	12	24
Croup.....	13	14	11	15	23	14	13	13	14	12	8	11	11
Malarial Fevers.....	2	1	1	2	5	3	3	3	3	2	...	4	2
Measles.....	19	18	10	15	15	16	12	22	18	23	20	14	21
Scarlet Fever.....	26	30	33	24	25	21	28	25	35	37	49	37	23
Small-pox.....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Typhoid Fever.....	5	3	2	1	6	1	3	8	2	2	4	3	4
Typhus Fever.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough.....	8	9	7	10	5	13	11	13	20	11	8	3	9
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	14	14	15	10	11	21	7	19	28	20	7	17	16
Diarrhoeal Diseases (under 5 years.....)	12	12	11	7	9	17	5	10	20	16	5	14	14
Phthisis.....	90	95	103	104	119	102	124	137	128	127	106	114	99
Bronchitis.....	37	29	30	25	44	45	47	60	83	94	86	52	33
Pneumonia.....	120	106	138	110	99	136	179	225	289	296	272	176	168
Other Diseases of Res-piratory Organs.....	18	24	13	15	23	20	23	36	37	37	30	24	25
Violent Deaths.....	30	32	36	28	29	30	22	31	19	41	45	47	59
Under one year.....	168	153	167	149	166	185	162	219	227	281	263	202	178
Under five years.....	306	289	320	291	324	327	300	375	400	484	435	353	314
Five to sixty-five.....	379	377	393	372	388	442	425	571	623	626	559	474	484
Sixty-five years and over	70	85	84	72	101	71	100	154	193	237	194	134	112
In Public Institutions...	133	134	173	162	191	187	195	257	240	272	273	212	235
Inquest Cases.....	88	74	91	83	92	90	79	106	92	120	111	100	128
Mean barometer.....	30.044	29.933	29.898	30.070	29.933	30.002	29.915	29.772	30.061	29.992	29.789	29.787	29.891
Mean humidity.....	65	69	65	57	59	61	61	66	66	77	71	60	74
Inches of rain.....	.52	1.17	1.05	.52	1.89	.70	.43	.93	.69	.34	.49	...	.56
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....	34.0	39.7	37.7	26.4	38.3	34.6	42.0	40.7	38.9	55.5	57.3	57.1	50.2
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	43°	59°	57°	39°	51°	48°	58°	57°	50°	76°	80°	78°	82°
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	21°	17°	22°	9°	23°	19°	27°	31°	29°	44°	39°	36°	31°



*Infectious and Contagious Diseases.*

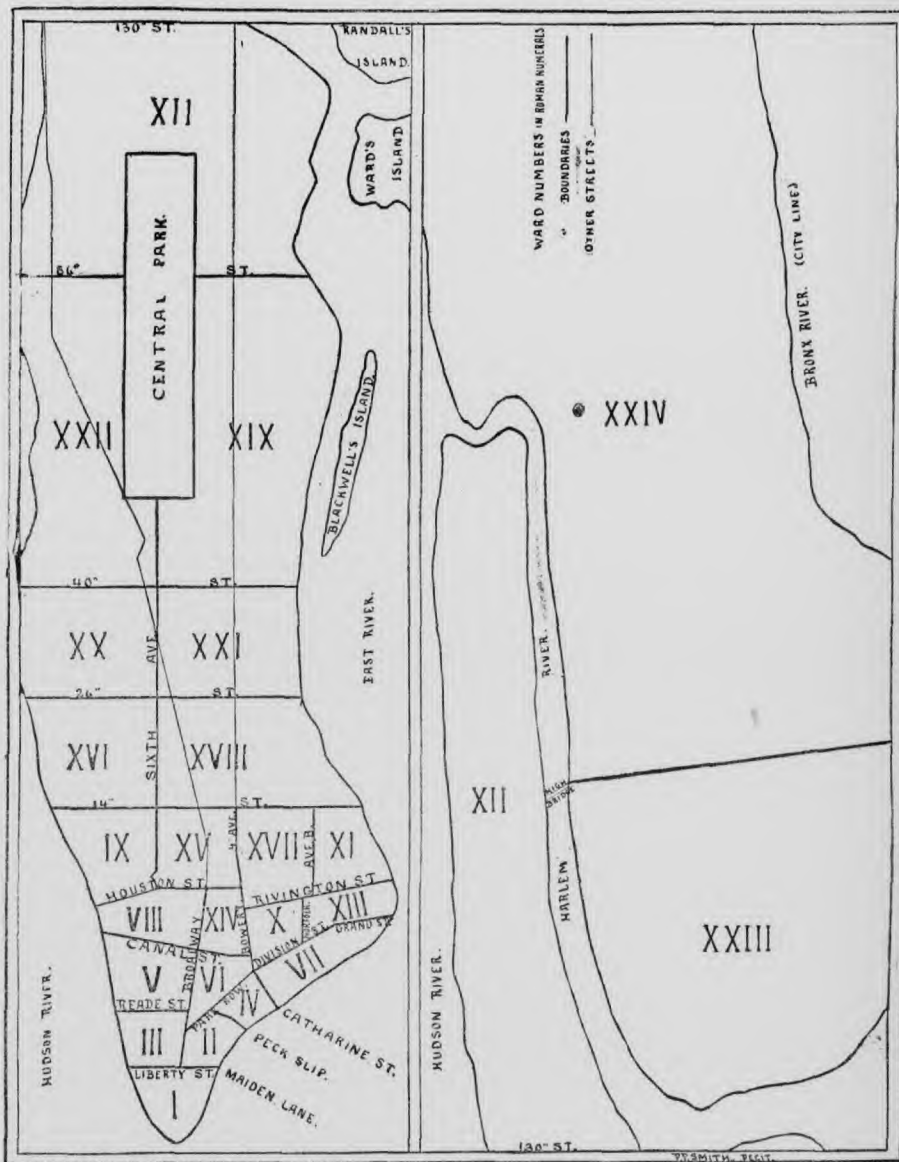
Infectious and Contagious Diseases.		
Total number of cases visited	652	
“ premises visited by disinfectors	781	
“ rooms disinfected	2,183	
“ other places disinfected	26	
“ persons removed to hospital	1,307	
“ primary vaccinations	1,729	
“ re-vaccinations	400	
“ certificates of vaccination issued	5,400	
“ points of vaccine virus collected	25	
“ capillary tubes of vaccine virus filled	744	
“ cattle examined by veterinarian		
“ glandered horses destroyed		

Total number of dead animals removed from streets .....	474
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*Executive Action.*

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances .....	549
" attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders .....	316
" civil actions begun .....	38
" arrests made .....	10
" judgments obtained in civil courts .....	9
" " criminal courts .....	5
" permits issued .....	165
" persons removed from overcrowded apartments .....	88

*Map of the City of New York, Showing Ward Lines.*



The 910 deaths represent a death-rate of 28.37, against 29.98 for the previous week and 23.92 for the corresponding week of 1890.

Contagious diseases show a slight decrease, the number of cases reported being 630, against 648 for the previous week. Diphtheria and scarlet fever increased and measles decreased, the reported cases being respectively 95, 199 and 325, against 67, 184 and 360 for last week. The notable increase of diphtheria was most marked between Division and Fourteenth streets, east of the Bowery, and Twenty-sixth and Eighty-sixth streets, west of Sixth avenue; the increase of scarlet fever was most noticeable in the former of these sections of the city. Measles showed a considerable increase between Division and Rivington streets, east of Norfolk, between Rivington and Fourteenth streets, between the Bowery and Avenue B and in the annexed district, decreasing elsewhere; the decrease being especially marked between Fortieth and Eighty-sixth streets, on the east side, where the number of cases reported is less than in any week since February 7.

By order of the Board,  
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## GAS COMMISSION.

*Abstract of the Proceedings of the Officers designated in Section 69 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.*

MARCH 26, 1891.

The officers designated in section 69 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, met in the office of the Mayor, at 12.30 o'clock P. M. of Thursday, March 26, 1891.

All were present, viz. :

Hon. Hugh J. Grant, Mayor; Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller; Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works.

The minutes of the meeting of January 23, 1891, were read and approved.

The Commissioner of Public Works submitted a form of proposed contract for furnishing the gas and lighting and maintaining the public gas-lamps, and, on motion of the Comptroller, the same was approved.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the term of the contracts for lighting the public gas-lamps which is to begin on May 1, 1891, be fixed at eight months, commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, April 15, 1891, be designated as the time and

*Inspection of Foods, Chemical Analyses, etc.*

Total number of inspections of milk.....	1,803
“ specimens examined.....	2,026
“ quarts of milk destroyed.....	.....
“ inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods.....	884
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	7,075
“ inspections of meat and fish.....	1,334
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	31,135
“ analyses of milk and other foods.....	13
“ experimental analyses.....	.....

*Analysis of Croton Water, May 8, 1891.*

Result Expressed in Parts per 100,000.

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Appearance.....	Turbid.
Color.....	Yellowish brown.
Odor (at 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.189
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.311
Phosphates.....	None.
Nitrites.....	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites (method of Gladstone and Tribe)	0.0165
Free Ammonia.....	Trace.
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0160
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime	{ Before boiling..... 3.37
	{ After boiling..... 3.37
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	2.00
Mineral matter (non-volatile)—Lost Carbonic Acid not restored	6.50
Total solids (by evaporation at 230° Fahr.).....	8.50



the office of the Commissioner of Public Works as the place for opening the estimates or proposals for furnishing the gas to and lighting and maintaining the public lamps.

Which was adopted by the following vote :  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of Public Works.  
The Secretary was then directed to cause a sufficient number of blank forms of contracts and estimates to be printed, and an advertisement inviting estimates to be printed in the CITY RECORD for ten consecutive days.

On motion, the Board then adjourned until Wednesday, April 15, 1891.

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

APRIL 15, 1891.

An adjourned meeting of the officers designated in section 69 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 was held at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works at 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, April 15, 1891.

Present—The Commissioner of Public Works.  
There being no quorum present, the Estimate-box was sealed, and the meeting was adjourned until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, April 20, 1891.

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

APRIL 20, 1891.

The officers designated in section 69 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 met in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works at 12 o'clock M. of Monday, April 20, 1891.

All were present, viz :  
Hon. Hugh J. Grant, Mayor ; Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller ; Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works.

The minutes of the meetings of March 26 and April 15, 1891, were read and approved.

The Secretary presented an affidavit of W. J. K. Kenny, Supervisor of the CITY RECORD, that an advertisement inviting estimates or bids for lighting the gas-lamps on the streets, avenues and public places of the City of New York has been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days consecutively, commencing the 3d day of April, 1891.

Which was ordered on file.  
The Secretary stated that eight certified checks had been received from persons presenting estimates.

The Estimate-box was then opened and eight estimates or bids were found therein and publicly read, as follows :

The Consolidated Gas Company of New York—For furnishing illuminating gas (of not less than eighteen candle-power by photometric test, made according to the London standard, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture) for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp-irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, in the following described districts, to wit : All that part of the City of New York lying south of the Harlem river and Spuyten Duyvil Creek, including the southerly fixed span and draw-span of the Third avenue, Harlem Bridge, the southerly fixed span and draw-span of Madison Avenue Bridge, the southerly fixed span of Central Bridge, all of Highbridge and the new Washington Bridge over the Harlem, opposite One Hundred and Eighty-first street, for the sum of eleven dollars sixty-six and two-thirds cents. \$11 66 2/3  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of five dollars and fifty cents. 5 50  
For each stand-pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars and fifty cents. 2 50  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00

Consolidated Gas Company of New York,  
Signed by James W. Smith, President.

Sureties { Percy R. Pyne, No. 34 East Thirty-sixth street, New York.  
Samuel Sloan, No. 8 East Thirty-eighth street, New York.

The New York Mutual Gas-light Company—For furnishing illuminating gas (of not less than twenty-five candle-power, by photometric test, made according to the London standard, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp-irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, in the following described district, to wit : or as more particularly described in a schedule annexed to the bid, for the sum of eleven dollars and sixty-seven cents. \$11 67

For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each stand-pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00

The New York Mutual Gas-light Co.,  
By William C. Besson, Secretary.

Sureties { John P. Kennedy, No. 38 East Thirty-sixth street.  
Arthur Leary, No. 90 Fifth avenue.

The Equitable Gas-light Company of New York City—For furnishing illuminating gas (of not less than 28 candle power by photometric test, made according to the London standard, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, in the following described district, to wit, as more particularly described in a schedule annexed to the bid, for the sum of eight dollars. \$8 00

For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each service pipe refitted, the sum of four dollars. 4 00  
For each stand-pipe refitted, the sum of four dollars. 4 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of ten dollars. 10 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of ten dollars. 10 00

Equitable Gas-light Co. of New York,  
by H. Keene, Vice-Prest.

Sureties { William H. Gebhard, Park Avenue Hotel, New York City.  
John Fox, 10 East Fiftieth street, New York City.

The Standard Gas-light Company of the City of New York—For furnishing illuminating gas (of not less than twenty-five candle-power, by photometric test, made according to the London standard, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, in the following described district, to wit : as more particularly described in a schedule annexed to the bid, for the sum of eight dollars and sixty-nine and five-ninths cents for the eight months ending December 31, 1891. \$8 69 5/9

For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of five dollars and fifty cents. 5 50  
For each stand-pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars and fifty cents. 2 50  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of ten dollars. 10 00  
For each new lamp fitted up the sum of ten dollars. 10 00

The Standard Gas Light Company of the City of New York,  
By O. P. Shaffer, Treasurer of above Company.

Sureties { W. C. Andrews, No. 173 Broadway.  
Lewis Coon, No. 173 Broadway.

The Central Gas-light Company of New York City—For furnishing illuminating gas (if not less than eighteen candle power, by photometric test, made according to the London standard, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp-irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, in the following-described district, to wit :

The Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, including the northerly span of the Third Avenue Bridge, the northerly span of the Madison Avenue Bridge, and the easterly span of Central Bridge, for the sum of eighteen dollars per lamp. \$18 00  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of three dollar and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each stand-pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars. 2 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00

The Central Gas-light Company of New York City,  
By William R. Beal, President.

Sureties { William R. Beal, No. 350 Alexander avenue.  
Silas D. Gifford, East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, near Third avenue.

The Northern Gas-light Company of New York City—For furnishing illuminating gas (of not less than eighteen candle-power, by photometric test, made according to the London standard, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp-irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, in the following described district, to wit :

In all that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward formerly known as the town of West Farms, for the sum of eighteen dollars and sixty-four cents. \$18 64  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars. 3 00  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each stand-pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars. 2 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00

Northern Gas-light Company of New York,  
By Charles W. Bathgate, President.

Sureties { Arthur Leary, No. 67 William street.  
James M. Cummings, No. 45 Duane street.

The Yonkers Gas-light Company—For furnishing illuminating gas (of not less than twenty-five candle power, by photometric test, made according to the London Standard, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp-irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, in the following described district, to wit :

In all that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, formerly constituting the town of Kingsbridge, except the section known as Woodlawn Heights, for the sum of eighteen dollars and sixty-six and two-thirds cents, being at the rate of twenty-eight dollars per lamp per year. \$18 66 2/3  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar. 1 00  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar. 1 00  
For each column refitted, the sum of one dollar. 1 00  
For each service pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents. 3 50  
For each stand pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars. 2 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. 1 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars. 8 00

The Yonkers Gas-light Company,  
By Thomas C. Cornell, President.

Sureties { Thomas C. Cornell, Yonkers, N. Y.  
Samuel D. Babcock, No. 636 Fifth avenue.

The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company—For furnishing naphtha lamps (of not less than eighteen candle-power, by photometric test, made according to the London standard, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture), for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp-irons and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, in the following described district, to wit :

In that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York known as Woodlawn Heights, for the sum of fourteen dollars and seventy-five cents per lamp for eight months. \$14 75  
For each lamp-post straightened, no charge.  
For each column releaded, no charge.  
For each column refitted, no charge.  
For each service pipe refitted, no charge.  
For each stand pipe refitted, no charge.  
For each lamp-post removed, no charge.  
For each lamp-post reset, no charge.  
For each new lamp fitted up, no charge.

N. Y. & N. J. Globe Gas-light Company (Limited).  
By Martin Maloney, Vice-President.

Sureties { H. H. Rogers, No. 26 Broadway.  
William T. Wardwell, No. 26 Broadway.

The several bids were referred to the Secretary for tabulation and report.

On motion, the Board then adjourned.

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

APRIL 24, 1891.

The officers designated in section 69 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, met in the office of the Mayor, at 12:30 o'clock P.M. of Friday, April 24, 1891.

Present :  
Hon. Hugh J. Grant, Mayor ; Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller ; Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works.

The minutes of the meeting of April 20, 1891, were read and approved.

The Secretary presented the following report on the bids or estimates which were opened and read on April 20, 1891. Which was ordered on file.

The Secretary presented the following report :

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS,  
ROOM 11, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET.  
NEW YORK, April 21, 1891.

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor ; THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller ; THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works :

SIRS—In the matter of the several bids for lighting and maintaining the public gas lamps of this city, which was referred yesterday, I have to report as follows :

The Consolidated Gas Company bid for all the lamps on Manhattan Island at \$11.66 2/3 for each lamp, coming into competition with the New York Mutual, Equitable and Standard Companies, being one third of a cent lower than the bid of the New York Mutual Company, for the lighting, while for refitting service pipe the bid is \$5.50, and the Mutual bid is \$1.50 ; and for refitting stand pipes the bid is \$2.50, and the Mutual bid is \$3.50. The Consolidated and New York Mutual bids would stand as follows :

The Consolidated Gas Company, for lighting 216 lamps 8 months. \$11 66 2/3	\$2,520 00
The Consolidated Gas Company, for refitting 5 service pipes. . . . . 5 50	27 50
The Consolidated Gas Company, for refitting 3 stand pipes. . . . . 2 50	7 50
	\$2,555 00
The N. Y. Mutual Gas-light Co., for lighting 216 lamps 8 mos. . . \$11 67	\$2,520 72
The N. Y. Mutual Gas-light Co., for refitting 5 service pipes. . . . . 2 50	17 50
The N. Y. Mutual Gas-light Co., for refitting 3 stand pipes. . . . . 3 50	10 50
	\$2,548 72

—showing the Mutual Company to be the lower bidder by \$6.28.

The Consolidated Company was a higher bidder than the Equitable and Standard Companies.  
The New York Mutual Gas-light Company bid for certain lamps on the line of its mains in various parts of streets between Thirty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, at \$11.67 for each lamp, and it is now lighting 216 lamps ; being one-third of a cent higher than the Consolidated Company for the lighting ; and the total of this excess would be seventy-two cents on all the lamps for the eight months. Its bid, however, for refitting service pipes was \$2 less than the bid of the Consolidated Company, and for refitting stand pipes \$1 more than the Consolidated Company's bid. The comparison of the two bids is shown above, this company being a lower bidder than the Consolidated Company.

The Equitable Gas-light Company bid for all the lamps situated on the line of its mains at \$8 for each lamp, and it was the lower bidder for these lamps.

The Standard Gas-light Company bid for all the lamps on the line of its mains at \$8.66 2/3 for each lamp and it was the lowest bidder, excepting for such of the lamps as are on the line of the mains of the Equitable Gas-light Company.



The Central Gas-light Company bid for all the lamps in the Twenty-third Ward at \$18 for each lamp, and it was the only bidder for these lamps.

The Northern Gas-light Company bid for all the lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward formerly constituting the town of West Farms, at \$18.64 for each lamp, and it was the only bidder for these lamps.

The Yonkers Gas-light Company bid for all the lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward, formerly constituting the town of Kingsbridge, except the section known as Woodlawn Heights, where there are no gas mains, at \$18.66 $\frac{2}{3}$  for each lamp, and it was the only bidder for these lamps.

The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company bid for furnishing naphtha lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward known as Woodlawn Heights, at \$14.75 for each lamp, and it was the only bidder for these lamps.

Yours, respectfully,

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the Equitable Gas-light Company of New York for furnishing illuminating gas to and lighting and maintaining the public lamps situated on the lines of the gas mains of said company, as designated on a schedule attached to its proposal, dated April 15, 1891, excepting for such lamps as may be displaced by electric lights, for the period of eight months, commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of eight dollars for each lamp..... \$8 00  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of four dollars..... 4 00  
For each stand-pipe refitted, the sum of four dollars..... 4 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of ten dollars..... 10 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of ten dollars..... 10 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the Standard Gas-light Company of the City of New York for furnishing illuminating gas to and lighting and maintaining the public lamps situated on the lines of the gas-mains of said company, excepting such lamps as have been awarded to the Equitable Gas-light Company, and excepting such lamps as may be displaced by electric lights for the period from May 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of eight dollars and and sixty-nine and five-ninths cents for each lamp..... \$8 69 $\frac{5}{9}$   
For each lamp-post straightened the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column releaded the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column refitted the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each service-pipe refitted the sum of five dollars and fifty cents..... 5 50  
For each stand-pipe refitted the sum of two dollars and fifty cents..... 2 50  
For each lamp-post removed the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset the sum of ten dollars..... 10 00  
For each new lamp fitted up the sum of ten dollars..... 10 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the New York Mutual Gas-light Company for furnishing illuminating gas to and lighting and maintaining the public lamps on the streets designated in its proposal, dated April 15, 1891, excepting such lamps as have been awarded to the Equitable and Standard Gas-light Companies, and excepting such lamps as may be displaced by electric lights, for the period of eight months, commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of eleven dollars and sixty-six and two-third cents for each lamp..... \$11 66 $\frac{2}{3}$   
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each service pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each stand pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the Consolidated Gas Company of New York, for furnishing illuminating gas to, and lighting and maintaining the public gas lamps in all that part of the City of New York lying south of Harlem river and Spuyten Duyvil Creek, including the southerly fixed span and draw span of the Third Avenue Harlem Bridge; the southerly fixed span and draw span of the Madison Avenue Bridge; the southerly fixed span of the Central Bridge; all of High Bridge and Washington Bridge; in accordance with its proposal, dated April 15, 1891, excepting such lamps as have been awarded to the Equitable and Standard Gas-light Companies and New York Mutual Gas-light Company; also, excepting such lamps as may be displaced by electric lights, for the period of eight months, commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of eleven dollars and sixty-six and two-third cents for each lamp..... \$11 66 $\frac{2}{3}$   
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of five dollars and fifty cents..... 5 50  
For each stand pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars and fifty cents..... 2 50  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the Central Gas-light Company of New York City, for furnishing gas to and lighting and maintaining the public gas lamps in the Twenty-third Ward of New York City, including the northerly span of the Third Avenue Bridge, the northerly span of the Madison Avenue Bridge and the easterly span of Central Bridge, excepting such lamps as may be displaced by electric lights, for the period of eight months, commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of eighteen dollars for each lamp..... \$18 00  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each stand pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars..... 2 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the Northern Gas-light Company of New York City for furnishing illuminating gas to and lighting and maintaining the public gas lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, formerly constituting the town of West Farms, as designated in its proposal, dated April 9, 1891, excepting such lamps as may be hereafter displaced by electric lights, for the period of eight months, commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of eighteen dollars and sixty-four cents for each lamp..... \$18 64  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars..... 3 00  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each stand pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars..... 2 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the Northern Gas-light Company of New York City for furnishing illuminating gas to and lighting and maintaining the public gas lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, formerly constituting the town of West Farms, as designated in its proposal, dated April 9, 1891, excepting such lamps as may be hereafter displaced by electric lights, for the period of eight months, commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of eighteen dollars and sixty-four cents for each lamp..... \$18 64  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each column refitted, the sum of three dollars..... 3 00  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each stand pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars..... 2 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the Yonkers Gas-light Company for furnishing illuminating gas to and lighting and maintaining the public gas lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York formerly constituting the Town of Kingsbridge, as

designated in its proposal dated April 15, 1891, except the section known as Woodlawn Heights, for the period of eight months, commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of eighteen dollars and sixty-four cents for each lamp..... \$18.64  
For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of one dollar..... 1 00  
For each column releaded, the sum of one dollar..... 1 00  
For each column refitted, the sum of one dollar..... 1 00  
For each service-pipe refitted, the sum of three dollars and fifty cents..... 3 50  
For each stand-pipe refitted, the sum of two dollars..... 2 00  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents..... 1 50  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of eight dollars..... 8 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an award of contract is hereby made to the New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company (Limited), for furnishing and lighting naphtha lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, known as Woodlawn Heights, as designated in the proposal, dated April 15, 1891, for the period of eight months commencing on May 1, 1891, and ending on December 31, 1891, both days inclusive, at the rate of fourteen dollars and seventy-five cents for each lamp..... \$14 75  
For each lamp-post straightened, no charge.  
For each column releaded, no charge.  
For each column refitted, no charge.  
For each service pipe refitted, no charge.  
For each stand pipe refitted, no charge.  
For each lamp-post removed, no charge.  
For each lamp-post reset, no charge.  
For each new lamp fitted up, no charge.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Secretary presented a petition from members of the Dutch Reformed Church, corner of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, requesting to have an electric street-lamp placed on the corner, or as near the church as possible.  
The Secretary reported that he had caused the two gas-lamps in front of said church to be re-lighted.

The paper was then ordered on file.

The Commissioner of Public Works presented the following communication:

THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL,

NEW YORK, April 21, 1891.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works:

DEAR SIR—I beg to inform you that at a meeting of the Board of Electrical Control, held at the office of the Mayor, on Monday, April 20th instant, a resolution, of which the following is a copy, was adopted:

“Resolved, That it is the judgment of the Board of Electrical Control that the North New York Lighting Company should be permitted to erect and connect city lamps where awarded contracts for lighting one side of the street.”

(Signed)

Very respectfully,

THEODORE MOSS, Secretary.

After some discussion upon the subject the matter was laid over.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Secretary.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

NEW YORK, May 16, 1891.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, May 15, 1891.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, May 9, 1891	113	\$426 75
Monday, “ 11, “	203	4,072 00
Tuesday, “ 12, “	191	2,285 50
Wednesday, “ 13, “	161	2,961 75
Thursday, “ 14, “	171	7,467 25
Friday, “ 15, “	125	2,819 25
Totals.....	964	\$20,032 50

DANIEL ENGELHARD,

Mayor's Marshal.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,

NEW YORK, March 4, 1890.

Pursuant to section 1, subdivision 3 of chapter 10, Laws of 1888, I hereby designate the “New Yorker Zeitung” and “New York Daily News,” of the daily papers printed in the City of New York as the newspapers in which the advertisements of the public notice of the time and place of auction sales in the City of New York shall be published.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,

NEW YORK, February 1, 1889.

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. WM. McM. SPEER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.

FRANK FOX, Second Marshal.

### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MICHAEL T. DALY, CHARLES G. F. WAHLE.

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

### BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

### COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

### City Library.

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

MICHAEL C. PADDEN, City Librarian.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HULAHAN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Water Register.

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

JOSEPH RILEY, Register.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

Office of Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

WM. H. BURKE, Water Purveyor.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

JOHN B. SHEA, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

MICHAEL T. CUMMINGS, Superintendent.

Keeper of City Hall

MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

No. 2656 Third Avenue.

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

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller; D. LOWBER SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

OSBORNE MACDANIEL, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

No money received after 2 P. M.



**Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.**

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

**Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.**

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

**Bureau of the City Chamberlain.**

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

**Office of the City Paymaster.**

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

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

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

**Office of the Public Administrator.**

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

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

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

**Office of the Corporation Attorney.**

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

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

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**CHARLES F. MACLEAN**, President; **WILLIAM H. KITT**, Chief Clerk; **T. F. RODENBOUGH**, Chief of Bureau of Officers.

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

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**HENRY H. PORTER**, President; **GEORGE F. BRITTON**, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, **FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN**. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.  
 Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. **CHARLES BENN**, General Bookkeeper.

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

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

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

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

**Office of Topographical Engineer.**

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

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

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

**Headquarters.**

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

**Bureau of Chief of Department.**

**HUGH BONNER**, Chief of Department.

**Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.**

**PETER SEERY**, Inspector of Combustibles.

**Bureau of Fire Marshal.**

**JAMES MITCHELL**, Fire Marshal.

**Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.**

**THOMAS J. BRADY**, Superintendent of Buildings.

**Attorney to Department.**

**WM. L. FINDLEY**.

**Fire Alarm Telegraph.**

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

**Repair Shops.**

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

**Hospital Stables.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS****Battery, Pier A, North river.**

**EDWIN A. POST**, President; **AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY**, Secretary.

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

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

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

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

**CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARD.**

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

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT**

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

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

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

**BOARD OF EXCISE.**

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

**AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.**

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
 ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,  
 NEW YORK, May 7, 1891.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

**BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING THE**  
 Head-house and Engine-room Superstructure, etc., at Shaft No. 25 on Section No. 12 of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, May 25, 1891, 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.

**JAMES C. DUANE**, President.

**JOHN C. SHEEHAN**, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
 ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,  
 NEW YORK, May 7, 1891.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

**BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING THE**  
 Record and Storage Building, also for grading, improving and fencing the grounds near the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house of the New Croton 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 Monday, May 25, 1891, 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.

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**JAMES C. DUANE**, President.

**JOHN C. SHEEHAN**, Secretary.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
 POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 ROOM 9, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
 NEW YORK, May 15, 1891.

**NINETEENTH AUCTION SALE, ON THURSDAY, June 4, 1891, at Police Headquarters, at 11 A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, of Police, Cartage and Unclaimed Property, consisting of Watches, Jewelry and Silverware, Male and Female Clothing, Shoes, etc., Revolvers, Pistols, Guns, Knives, Pocket-books, Umbrellas, Canes, Canned Goods, Iron, Lead, Brass, Copper, Glass, Wardrobes, Bedsteads, Carpet, Furniture, Harness, Chairs, and a lot of miscellaneous articles.**

For particulars see catalogues on day of sale.  
**JOHN F. HARRIOT**, Property Clerk.

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

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
 Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without 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.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
 CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
 NEW YORK, May 7, 1891.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE**  
 materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing and altering the building of this Department, viz.: Quarters of Engine Company No. 12, at No. 261 William street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 20, 1891, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within the time specified in the contracts.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at ten (10) dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of one thousand and nine hundred (1,900) dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of ninety-five (95) dollars. 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 readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
 CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
 NEW YORK, May 7, 1891.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE**  
 steel frame hook and ladder truck will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 20, 1891, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of fifty (50) dollars. 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.

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

**NEW AQUEDUCT.****NEW YORK SECTION.**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE CON-**  
 firmation of the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, New York Section, dated November 28, 1890, as to Parcels A, B, C, D and E, on a certain map entitled "Map No. 1, Department of Public Works, property map for the construction of a blow-off at Shaft number twenty-four on Section 'A' of the New Croton Aqueduct in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York. Note.—Parcels A, B, C, D and E (colored pink) are to be taken in fee. On Parcels C and D said fee is taken subject to a perpetual right of way for railroad purposes; scale, 50 feet equal to one inch. February, 1889," which map was duly filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 22d day of October, 1889, and real estate contiguous thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that it is my intention to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, on Saturday, the 23d day of May, 1891, at half past ten o'clock, forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm as to said Parcels A, B, C, D and E, and real estate contiguous thereto, the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and of chapter 166 of the Laws of 1887, by an order bearing date the 4th day of January, 1890, which report was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 2d day of December, 1890, and a copy of which was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on said 2d day of December, 1890.

Dated New York, April 24, 1891.  
**WILLIAM H. CLARK**,  
 Counsel to the Corporation,  
 No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY**  
 the Board of School Trustees for the Second Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 1, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Primary School Building No. 34.

**W. E. CONKLIN**, Chairman,  
**C. F. NAETHING**, Secretary,  
 Board of School Trustees, Second Ward.  
 Dated New York, May 18, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Monday June 1, 1891, for Repairs to Heating Apparatus, etc., at Primary Department, Grammar School No. 60.

**WM. HOGG**, Chairman,  
**ALBERT F. BRUGMAN**, Secretary,  
 Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.  
 Dated New York, May 18, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Eleventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Friday, May 29, 1891, for Sanitary, etc., Work at Grammar School Nos. 36 and 71.

**P. J. McCUE**, Chairman,  
**GEORGE MUNDORFF**, Secretary,  
 Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.  
 Dated New York, May 16, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward until 4 o'clock P. M. on Friday, May 29, 1891, for Repairs, etc., to Heating Apparatus at Grammar School No. 35.

**W. W. WALKER**, Chairman,  
**JOHN A. HARDENBERGH**, Secretary,  
 Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.  
 Dated New York, May 16, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Fifteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, May 28, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 10, 35 and 47; also to Repair Heating Apparatus at Grammar School Building No. 47.

**W. W. WALKER**, Chairman,  
**JOHN A. HARDENBERGH**, Secretary,  
 Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.  
 Dated New York, May 15, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 10.30 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, May 28, 1891, for Repairing, etc., the Heating Apparatus of Grammar Schools Nos. 11 and 56.

**CHARLES A. WINCH**, Chairman,  
**GEORGE LIVINGSTON**, Secretary,  
 Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.  
 Dated New York, May 15, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, May 28, 1891, for Repairing, etc., Heating Apparatus at Grammar School Buildings No. 14 and 49.

**HIRAM MERRITT**, Chairman,  
**HENRY H. HAIGHT**, Secretary,  
 Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.  
 Dated, New York, May 15, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. Thursday, May 28, 1891, for Repairing, etc., Heating Apparatus at Grammar School Buildings No. 14 and 49.

**A. G. AGNEW**, Chairman,  
**E. ELLERY ANDERSON**, Secretary,  
 Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.  
 Dated, New York, May 15, 1891.



Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Tenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Monday, May 25, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 20; also for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Building No. 42.

PATRICK CARROLL, Chairman,  
FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 11, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 25, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 19, 25, and Primary School Building No. 26.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman,  
H. H. HAIGHT, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 11, 1891.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, May 22, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 1, 16, and Primary School No. 13; also for Sanitary, etc., Work at Grammar School Building No. 16 and Primary School No. 7.

L. J. McNAMARA, Chairman,  
JOHN P. FAURE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Friday, May 22, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Building No. 88.

P. J. McCUE, Chairman,  
GEORGE MUNDORFF, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 22, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Building No. 1.

FREDERICK WIMMER, Chairman,  
JAMES O'CONNOR, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 22, 1891, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 4 and 34, and Primary School Building No. 10.

GEO. W. RELYEA, Chairman,  
FRANCIS COAN, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Monday, May 25, 1891, for Sanitary, etc., Work, at Grammar School Building No. 10.

W. W. WALKER, Chairman,  
JOHN A. HARDENBERG, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Monday, May 25, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Primary School Buildings Nos. 28 and 29.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman,  
WILLIAM J. FANNING, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 25, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 53, 59 and 70.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,  
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 25, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 32, 33, 48, and Primary School Building No. 27.

J. WESLEY SMITH, Chairman,  
G. W. FERGUSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 26, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman,  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.  
Dated New York, May 9, 1891.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, May 20, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Primary School No. 24.

L. J. McNAMARA, Chairman,  
JOHN P. FAURE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 7, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, May 20, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 67.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,  
RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.  
Dated New York, May 7, 1891.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 19, 1891, for erecting a New School-house on northwest corner First avenue and East Fifty-first street.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,  
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 19, 1891, for the erection of Wings and Alterations to Grammar School No. 27.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,  
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 6, 1891.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Ninth Ward, at the hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9:30

o'clock A. M., on Monday, May 18, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 3 and Primary School No. 13.

L. J. McNAMARA, Chairman,  
JOHN P. FAURE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., on Monday, May 18, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 15 and 22, and Primary Schools Nos. 5 and 31.

P. J. McCUE, Chairman,  
GEORGE MUNDORFF, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.  
Dated New York, May 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 18, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 4 and 34, and Primary Schools Nos. 10 and 20.

GEORGE W. RELYEA, Chairman,  
FRANCIS COAR, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 18, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 39 and 43, and Primary Schools Nos. 9 and 32.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,  
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 19, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 10, 35 and 47.

W. W. WALKER, Chairman,  
JOHN A. HARDENBERG, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, until 3:30 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 19, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 1 and Primary School No. 14.

FREDERICK WIMMER, Chairman,  
JAMES O'CONNOR, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 5, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 19, 1891, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School Nos. 17 and 28.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,  
RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary,  
Board of Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.  
Dated New York, May 5, 1891.

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

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

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

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 8, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Monday, May 25, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, from Central Park, west, to Boulevard.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MADISON AVENUE, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Eighth street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, from First avenue to East river, AND SETTING CURB STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET, from Manhattan avenue to Columbus avenue, AND SETTING CURB STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY SEVENTH STREET, from St. Nicholas to Convent avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 6. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND RE-FLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURRING THE SIDEWALKS ON SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Western Boulevard.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Amsterdam to Convent avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Amsterdam to Convent avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, from Seventh avenue to Harlem river, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, from Amsterdam to Audubon avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 12. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN PAINTING AND CALCIMINING THE HALLS, CORRIDORS AND STAIRWAYS, SPECIAL TERM ROOM, OF THE SUPERIOR COURT, AND THE NATURALIZATION BUREAU AND RECORD ROOM, OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, AND JURY ROOM, SUPREME COURT, IN THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK.

No. 13. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS ABOUT TWO THOUSAND (2,000) CUBIC YARDS OF GRAVEL, SUITABLE FOR ROAD SURFACING.

No. 14. FOR REMOVING, REBUILDING AND RENEWING THE STATION ARRANGEMENTS, PLATFORMS AND STAIRWAYS OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET STATION OF THE MANHATTAN RAILWAY COMPANY AT EIGHTH AVENUE.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 1, 5 and 15, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 8, 1891.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a petition of the property-owners, with map and plan, for changing the grade of McComb's Dam road, from One Hundred and Fifty-third to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, is now pending before the Commissioner of Public Works.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same, in writing, to the undersigned, Commissioner of Public Works, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, New York City, on or before the 20th day of May, 1891.

The map showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at the office of the Chief Clerk, Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,  
NEW YORK, May 1, 1891.

### CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual Water Rates for 1891 are now due and payable at this office.

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 thereupon 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 DOCKS.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 378.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REPAIRING THE BULKHEAD PLATFORM, FROM SIXTIETH STREET TO SIXTY-SECOND STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND repairing the bulkhead platform from Sixtieth street to Sixty-second street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1891,

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

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

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

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

CLASS I.  
Repairs to Bulkhead Platform from Sixtieth to Sixty-first Street, East River.

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	17,451
" " " 10" x 12".....	6,050
" " " 5" x 12".....	1,203
" " " 5" x 10".....	29,568
Total .....	55,272

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

2. White Oak Timber, 10" x 12"..... 6,020

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

3. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles for Platform..... 50

(It is expected that these piles will have to be about 40 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

4. White Oak Fender Piles, about 45 feet long..... 47

5. White Pine Mooring Piles, about 50 feet long..... 5

6.  $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 26",  $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 22",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 18",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 16",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12",  $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 16",  $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 10", and  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 10" square, Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, about..... 4,513 pounds.

7.  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about..... 832 "

8. Cast-iron Washers for  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " and 1" Screw-bolts, about..... 434 "

9. Wrought-iron Washers..... 41 "

10. Cast-iron Pile Shoes, about..... 1,650 "

11. Wire Rope, 1" in diameter, about..... 708 "

12. Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring.

13. Labor of removing so much of Platform from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street, East river, as is to be removed under this contract.

CLASS II.  
Rip-rap Stone furnished and put in place, about..... 300 cubic yards

CLASS III.  
Repairs to Bulkhead Platform from Sixty-first to Sixty-second Street, East River.

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

1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12"..... 38,352

" " " 10" x 12"..... 2,120

" " " 6" x 12"..... 21,600

" " " 5" x 12"..... 1,400

" " " 5" x 10"..... 53,322

Total .....

116,794

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

2. White Oak Timber, 10" x 12"..... 7,560

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

3. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles..... 233

(The piles will be from 25 to 30 feet in length.)

4. White Oak Fender Piles, about 45 feet long..... 54

5. White Pine Mooring Piles, about 50 feet long..... 4

6.  $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 26",  $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 22",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 18",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 16",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12",  $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 16",  $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 10", and  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 10" square, Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, about..... 8,255 pounds.

7. 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about..... 2,414 "

8. Cast-iron Washers for 1" Screw Bolts, about..... 1,248 "

9. Cast-iron Pile-shoes, about..... 7,689 "

10. Wire Rope, 1" in diameter, about..... 486 "



11. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description.
12. Labor of removing platform from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street, East river, to be removed under this contract, and of removing all the old material from the premises.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the 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, May 14, 1891.

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

(No. 377.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REPAIRING THE BULKHEAD BETWEEN PIERS 48 AND 49, NEAR THE FOOT OF CLINTON STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REPAIRING the bulkhead between Piers 48 and 49, near the foot of Clinton street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1891,

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

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

The bidder to whom 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 Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

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

REPAIRS TO BULKHEAD.

1. New Cribwork, complete, including all Timbers and Ironwork, Backing-logs, Earth and stone filling, Fenders, Mooring-posts, etc., measured from mean low-water mark to the under side of the backing-logs, and from front of facing-timber to the rear of cross-ties, about..... 18,500 cubic feet.
2. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles..... (It is expected that these piles will have to be about 45 feet long, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
3. Oak Fender Pile, about 55 feet long..... 1
4. Cast-iron Pile-shoes, about..... 1,947 pounds.
5. Round Logs furnished to the contractor (not estimated in the cribwork), about..... 1,365 linear feet.
6. Labor and Materials for laying New Pavement, about..... 325 square yards.
7. Labor of excavating Old Cribwork and disposal of material, about 250 cubic yards.
8. Labor and Material for Back-filling, about..... 450 "
9. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Jointing, Planing, Poling, Spiking, 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:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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EDWIN A. POST,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated New York, May 4, 1891

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,  
NEW YORK, April 30, 1891.

MESSRS. VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, will sell to the highest bidders at public auction, for account of the Department of Docks, on

MONDAY, MAY 18, 1891,

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., the following named and described old material, at the places and upon the terms stated, to wit:

West Seventy-fifth Street Timber Basin, North River.

Lot 1. Raft containing about 140 pile butts about 5 feet long, and about 80 pile butts about 17 feet long, and some old plank.

Lot 2. Raft about 91 feet long, 23 feet wide and 5 feet deep, consisting of old timber and plank.

Lot 3. Raft of about 100 pile butts about 18 feet long.

Lot 4. Raft containing about 70 pile butts about 18 feet long, about 30 pile butts about 5 feet long and about 8 pile points about 15 feet long.

Lot 5. Raft containing about 35 pile butts about 18 feet long, 5 pile butts about 12 feet long, 63 pile butts about 5 feet long and 1 old pile.

Lot 6. Raft containing about 38 pile butts about 18 feet long, and about 70 pile butts about 5 feet long.

Lot 7. Raft containing about 47 pile butts about 18 feet long, about 20 pile butts about 5 feet long and about 40 pile points about 15 feet long.

Lot 8. Raft containing about 90 pile butts about 18 feet long.

Lot 9. Raft containing about 75 pile butts about 5 feet long, about 25 pile points about 15 feet long, and some old timber.

Lot 10. Raft containing about 71 pile butts about 18 feet long, about 60 pile butts about 12 feet long, about 70 pile butts about 5 feet long, and about 40 pile butts about 15 feet long.

Lot 11. Raft containing about 140 pile points about 18 feet long, about 15 pile butts about 18 feet long, and about 40 pile butts about 5 feet long.

Lot 12. Raft of old timber and plank about 65 feet long, 22 feet wide and 3 feet deep.

Lot 13. Raft containing about 60 pile butts about 208 feet long, and about 160 pile butts about 8 feet long, and some old timber.

Lot 14. Raft containing about 60 pile butts about 20 feet long, about 120 pile butts about 8 feet long, and some old timber and plank.

Lot 15. Raft containing about 35 pile butts about 208 feet long, about 90 pile butts about 5 feet long, and about 40 pile points about 15 feet long.

Lot 16. Raft containing about 85 pile butts about 22 feet long, about 170 pile butts about 8 feet long, 2 old float stages and 5 old piles.

West Fifty-seventh Street Yard.

Lot 17. About 11,300 pounds old wrought iron.

Lot 18. About 2,930 pounds old cast iron.

Lot 19. About 190 pounds old composition metal.

Lot 20. About 50 old canal barrows.

Lot 21. About 9 old suction pumps.

Lot 22. About 3 lengths old rubber hose.

Lot 23. About 9 pairs old rubber boots.

Lot 24. About 25 old steel shovels.

Lot 25. Deck scow "Willie," 75 feet 6 inches long, 23 feet 3 inches wide and 6 feet deep.

Lot 26. 2 old skiffs about 4 feet wide and 15 feet long, known as Nos. 1 and 2.

East Seventeenth Street Yard.

Lot 27. About 66 pairs old rubber boots.

Lot 28. About 150 pounds of old rope.

Lot 29. About 18 old wheelbarrows.

Lot 30. About 18 old shovels.

Lot 31. One propeller-wheel, about 8 feet in diameter.

Lot 32. About 1,450 pounds of old wrought scrap-iron.

East Twenty-fourth Street Section.

Lot 33. Raft long cut pile butts, 18 feet to 23 feet long.

Lot 34. Raft containing about 122 short cut pile butts, 5 feet to 8 feet long.

Lot 35. Raft containing about 134 short cut pile butts, 5 feet to 8 feet long, and some old timber.

Lot 36. Raft containing about 46 long cut pile butts, 18 feet to 23 feet long, and about 115 short cut pile butts, 5 feet to 8 feet long.

East Twenty-sixth Street and Bellevue Section.

Lot 37. Raft of old square timber, piles, etc., about 30 feet by 20 feet by 5 feet.

Lot 38. Raft containing about 25 old piles, 25 feet long.

Lot 39. Raft of old timber, about 38 feet by 22 feet by 1 foot, carrying about 200 short cut pile butts, 5 feet to 8 feet long.

Lot 40. Raft containing about 200 long cut pile butts, 18 feet to 23 feet long.

East One Hundred and Second Street.

Lot 41. About 120 long cut pile butts, 18 feet to 23 feet, and about 187 short cut pile butts, 5 feet to 8 feet long.

At East One Hundred and Seventh Street.

Lot 42. About 186 short cut pile butts, 5 feet to 8 feet long.

At About the Foot of East One Hundred and Ninth Street.

Lot 43. About 14 short cut pile butts, 5 feet to 8 feet long.

CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock, P. M., and be continued in the following order: First, at West Seventy-fifth Street Timber Basin; second, at West Fifty-seventh Street Yard; third, at East Seventeenth Street Yard; fourth, at East Twenty-fourth Street Section; fifth, at East Twenty-sixth Street and Bellevue Section; sixth, at East One Hundred and Second Street; seventh, at East One Hundred and Seventh Street; eighth, at about the foot of East One Hundred and Ninth Street.

Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross.

The estimated quantities stated to be in the several lots are believed to be correct, but the Department will not make any allowance from the purchase money for short delivery on any lot, and bidders must judge for themselves as to the correctness of the estimate of quantity when making their bids.

All property not removed promptly will remain at the risk of the buyer.

Terms of sale to be cash to be paid at the time of sale.

An order will be given for the material purchased.

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

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York, will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, May 19, 1891, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

By order,  
JOHN L. N. HUNT,  
Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN,  
Secretary.  
Dated New York, May 12, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

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, 1890.

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

Those entitled to exemption are: Clergymen, lawyers, physicians, surgeons, surgeon-dentists, professors or teachers in a college, academy or public school, editors, editorial writers or reporters of daily newspapers, licensed pharmacists or pharmacists, 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.

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

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

BERNARD F. MARTIN,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 & 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
May 8, 1891.

AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at public auction, by George P. Morgan, auctioneer, on Monday, May 18, 1891, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Central Park, the following:

At Stables, Eighty-fifth Street and Transverse Road.

- 1 White Horse, 16 hands high.
- 1 Black Horse, 15.3 hands high.
- 1 Bay Horse, 16 hands high.
- 1 Brown Horse, 16 hands high.
- 1 Bay Horse, 15.3 hands high.
- 1 Bay Horse, 15.3 hands high.
- 1 White Goat.
- 3 Top Wagons.
- 1 Top Express Wagon.
- 6 Chests Lost Articles.
- 1 Chest of Old Flags.
- 1 Chest of Old Jumpers.
- 1 Chest of Dolly Vardens.
- 1 Bicycle.
- 1 Velocipede.
- 2 Baby Carriages.
- 2 Toy Wagons.
- 3 Milk Cans.
- 1 Ice Cream Freezer.
- 1 Lawn Tennis Net.
- 1 lot of Old Glass Globes.
- 1 lot of Water-closet Fixtures.
- 150 Old Bags.
- 1 lot of Old Shovels and Spades.
- 9 Oil Barrels.
- 174 Old Rubber Coats.
- 196 pairs Uniform Trousers.
- 117 Uniform Blouses.
- 7 Uniform Body Coats.
- 187 Old Helmets.
- 20 tons Old Iron (estimated).
- 1 tub of Butter (found).
- 1 Old Hay Cutter.



## Wood.

At Sixty-seventh street and Eighth avenue, 13 cords.  
At Eighty-first street and Eighth avenue, 53 cords.  
At Ninety-sixth street and Eighth avenue, 18 cords.  
At One Hundred and Fifth street and Eighth avenue, 62 cords.

## TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at time of sale.  
Purchases to be removed immediately after the sale.  
By order of the Department of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED  
FOR REPAIRING ROOMS, PLUMBING,  
ETC., PHYSICIANS' QUARTERS,  
BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, N. Y.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE

saforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, May 28, 1891, at 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs, etc., Bellevue Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **ONE THOUSAND (1,000) DOLLARS**.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made 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 his faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 15, 1891.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, MAY 13, 1891.

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 foot of Fifty-second street, North river—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; body in an advanced state of decomposition. Had on brown check pants, white cotton socks, gaiters; the name "J. Connors" tattooed on right arm.

Unknown man, from foot of Rivington street, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on black and gray striped pants, white socks; letters "J. M." figure of female, tattooed on right arm; eagle, flag and shield tattooed on left arm.

Unknown man, from Pier 10, East river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on dark blue overcoat, brown vest, brown and gray striped pants, blue check cotton shirt, white knit drawers, brown cotton socks, gaiters; part of a letter, with address "163 Lewis street," found on his person.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Bridget Killalea, aged 45 years. Had on when admitted black skirt, white skirt, blue waist, colored shawl, buttoned shoes.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Alice Lorn, aged 39 years; 5 feet 2½ inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted velvet hat, cashmere dolman, striped dress, white apron, red petticoat, laced shoes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 4, 1891.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Receiving-basins on the southeast and southwest corners of Ninety-sixth street and Columbus avenue.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of Ninety-sixth street and Eighth avenue.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Third street and Park avenue.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Receiving-basin south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, opposite Fifth avenue.

Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Fifth avenue.

Receiving-basin northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Amsterdam avenue.

Receiving-basin and culvert on south side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street opposite Trinity avenue.

Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Fiftieth street and St. Nicholas place.

Repeating Leroy street, from Washington to West street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks (under chap. 449, Laws of 1889).

Paving Avenue B, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-sixth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Repeating Nineteenth street, from Tenth avenue to a point distant about 300 feet westerly, with trap blocks (under chap. 449, Laws of 1889).

Paving Seventy-third street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, with asphalt.

Paving Ninety-fourth street, from Second to Third avenue, with granite blocks.

Paving One Hundredth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Eighth avenue to Morningside Park road, with granite blocks.

Paving One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Seventh to St. Nicholas avenue, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks.

Sewer and appurtenances on the north side of the Southern Boulevard, from the summit east of Willis avenue to Brook avenue.

Sewer and branches with appurtenances in Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, and in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, etc.

Sewer in Second avenue, between First and Houston streets.

Sewer in Seventh avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, connecting with present sewer in One Hundred and Forty-second street.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty and One Hundred and Seventy streets.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets.

Sewer extension in Seventy-eighth street, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

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

Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Rider and Morris avenues.

Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Railroad avenue, East, and Courtland avenue, and in Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One and Fifty-first streets.

Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Brook avenue to east side of St. Ann's avenue.

Fencing vacant lots on east side of Mott avenue, commencing about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and extending northerly about 90 feet.

Fencing vacant lots on blocks bounded by Ninety-fifth, Ninety-sixth and Ninety-seventh streets and Madison and Fifth avenues.

Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, commencing about 250 feet east of Willis avenue and extending easterly about 175 feet.

Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Rose street, from Third avenue to Bergen avenue.

Regulating, grading, curbing, and flagging Ninety-first street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

Laying crosswalks across the Kingsbridge road at the westerly side of Tenth avenue.

Laying a crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street at the westerly side of Park avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings south side of Twentieth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings north side of Forty-fourth street, from Second to Third avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings both sides of Seventy-fourth street, from Fifth to Lexington avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings south side of One Hundred and Fifth street, from Columbus to Amsterdam avenue.

Flagging and reflagging north side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings west side of the Boulevard, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street, and on the north side of Seventy-third street and south side of Seventy-fourth street, Boulevard to West End avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings both sides of Boulevard, from Eighty-third to Eighty-fourth street, and both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Tenth to West End avenue.

Flagging and reflagging west side of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments April 24, 1891, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before June 23, 1891, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 23, 1891.

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ning, as shown upon a diagram of said parcel of land; and the value of the City's interest is hereby appraised at two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), and the upset price fixed at that sum, the condition of the sale being that the purchaser shall pay the auctioneer's fee, and if the said Sarah B. Brainerd shall become the purchaser, she shall also pay the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) to cover all the expenses of said sale; provided that nothing in the sale and conveyance of said premises shall be taken or construed as in any way releasing or affecting any claim or right of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to collect and recover any and all taxes, assessments and water-rents, heretofore levied, imposed or assessed, upon said premises and now remaining unpaid, or any part thereof, as fully in all respects as if the said sale and conveyance had never been made; nor shall said sale and conveyance be taken, or construed, to be a release of any right, title, interest or lien in or upon the said premises existing in favor of the said Mayor, etc., by reason of any sale for the non-payment of taxes, assessments or Croton-water rents, at any time heretofore had or made.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
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# NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

WHEREAS, SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882 authorizes the Comptroller, in his discretion, to postpone any sale for unpaid taxes or assessments; and, Whereas, Many persons desire, and have applied for, a postponement of the sale for unpaid assessments advertised to be held on Monday, March 2, 1891; now, therefore, in order to afford all such persons the opportunity to pay the assessments on their property so advertised to be sold and thereby avoid the additional expense of redemption of the property, it is ordered, that the sale is hereby ordered to be postponed until Monday, the first day of June, 1891, to be held at the same time and place, to wit: at the Court-house, City Hall Park, at 12 o'clock noon.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 2, 1891.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,  
COOPER UNION,  
NEW YORK, May 13, 1891.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examination will be held at the rooms of the City Civil Service Board in the Cooper Union Building for the positions below mentioned upon the dates specified:

May 19. HOUSEKEEPER, Department of Charities and Correction.  
May 19. DOORMAN, Park Department.  
May 20. MATRON, at Police Stations.

Blank applications may be obtained at the office of the Secretary, No. 30 Cooper Union.  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

### NOTICE.

- Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
- Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
- Examinations will be held from time to time at the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.
- All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
- The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, May 19, 1891, at 4 o'clock P. M.

By order.

JOHN L. N. HUNT,  
Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN,  
Secretary.

Dated NEW YORK, May 12, 1891.

### SUPREME COURT.

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

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 nineteenth day of June, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said nineteenth day of June, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; easterly by the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from, the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; and

westerly by the easterly line of Vanderbilt avenue, east; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares, and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the third day of July, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 9, 1891.  
JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, Chairman.  
ABRAHAM L. JACOBS,  
MICHAEL J. McKENNA,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of May, 1891, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Parks, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated NEW YORK, May 8, 1891.  
WILLIAM H. WILLIS,  
THOMAS NOLAN,  
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DENN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Armory Board by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands on the northerly side of Fourteenth street and the southerly side of Fifteenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward of said city, duly selected by said Board and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as part and parcel of a site for armory purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 485 of the Laws of 1890.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 330 OF THE LAWS OF 1887, as amended by chapter 485 of the Laws of 1890, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 28th day of May, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Fourteenth street and the southerly side of Fifteenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward of said city, in fee, the same to be appropriated, converted and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 485 of the Laws of 1890, said property having been duly selected by the Armory Board and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as part and parcel of a site for armory purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by said chapter 485 of the Laws of 1890, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Fourteenth street, distant one hundred and seventy-five feet and two and one-quarter inches westerly from the westerly line of Sixth avenue; running thence northerly and parallel with said avenue, or nearly so, distance one hundred and three feet and two inches; thence westerly, distance five feet; thence northerly, distance twenty feet and one inch; thence still northerly, distance eighty-three feet and three inches to a point in the southerly line of Fifteenth street, said point being distant one hundred and eighty feet westerly from Sixth avenue; thence westerly from said point and along the southerly line of Fifteenth street, distance one hundred and twenty feet; thence southerly and parallel with Sixth avenue, distance two hundred and six feet and six inches to the northerly line of Fourteenth street; thence easterly along said line one hundred and twenty-four feet and nine and three-quarter inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated NEW YORK, May 4, 1891.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 28th day of May, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Welch street, extending from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster avenue, distant 1,497 feet northerly of the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Webster avenue, for 80 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 81° 25' 45" to the

right, for 236 feet to the western line of the N. Y. & H. R. R.

3d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 89° 57' 15" to the right, along the western line of N. Y. & H. R. R., for 80 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 248 feet to the point of beginning.

Welch street, from the N. Y. & H. R. R. to Webster avenue, is a street of the first-class, and is 80 feet wide. And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated NEW YORK, April 30, 1891.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 28th day of May, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extension of a certain street or avenue known as Pelham avenue, westwardly to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster avenue, distant 2,008.02 feet northerly of the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street with the eastern line of Webster avenue.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Webster avenue, for 110.82 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 77° 52' 14" to the right, for 346.15 feet.

3d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 163° 21' 31" to the right, along the former Fordham and Pelham avenue, for 224.73 feet.

4th. Thence westerly, deflecting 15° 58' 17" to the right, along the former Fordham and Pelham avenue, for 44.00 feet.

5th. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° to the left, along the former Fordham and Pelham avenue, for 30.00 feet.

6th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 47° 52' 50" to the left, along the Fordham and Pelham avenue, for 109.46 feet.

7th. Thence southerly, deflecting 41° 57' 27" to the right, for 16.39 feet.

8th. Thence westerly, deflecting 95° 02' 17" to the right, for 50.19 feet.

9th. Thence northerly, deflecting 44° 58' 59" to the right, for 16.92 feet.

10th. Thence westerly for 53.46 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 30, 1891.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 1st day of June, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 1st day of June, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 20th day of June, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 25 feet northerly of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Willis avenue, and the centre line of the block between Bergen avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Third avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Brook avenue, the centre line of the blocks between Bergen avenue and Brook avenue, extending from the intersection of the easterly line of Bergen avenue with the westerly line of Brook avenue to East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly line of Willis avenue and extending from East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; southerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and westerly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Willis avenue from East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, the easterly line of Third avenue, the easterly line of Willis avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Bergen avenue and Third avenue; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the first day of June, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, April 7, 1891.  
DENIS A. SPELLEISSY, Chairman,  
ROYAL S. CRANE,  
NEVIN W. BUTLER,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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 15th day of June, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, April 20, 1891.  
NELSON SMITH, Chairman,  
WILLIAM J. LACEY,  
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Amsterdam avenue (Tenth avenue) and Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 28th day of May, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, between Amsterdam avenue (Tenth avenue) and Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam (Tenth) avenue, said point being distant 8,464 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 744 feet, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line, distance 40 feet; thence still northerly along said line of Kingsbridge road, distance 41 feet; thence easterly, distance 760 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, said point being distant 8,464 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 744 feet, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line, distance 40 feet; thence still northerly along said line of Kingsbridge road, distance 41 feet; thence easterly, distance 760 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road.

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 29, 1891.  
WM. H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 18th day of May, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 18th day of May, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 19th day of May, 1891.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the first day of June, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, April 7, 1891.  
DENIS A. SPELLEISSY, Chairman,  
ROYAL S. CRANE,  
NEVIN W. BUTLER,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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