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## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

### STATED MEETING.

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

TUESDAY, March 12, 1889, }  
1 o'clock P. M. }

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

#### PRESENT :

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President ;

#### ALDERMEN

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

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

Andrew A. Noonan,  
Patrick N. Oakley,  
Edward J. Rapp,  
William P. Rinckhoff,  
John B. Shea,  
Richard J. Sullivan,  
William Tait,  
William H. Walker.

The minutes of the meeting of February 26 were read and approved.

#### INVITATIONS.

An invitation was received to review the parade of the Irish Societies in honor of St. Patrick's Day, on Monday, March 18, 1889, and to attend the subsequent demonstration in aid of the Parnell Defense Fund at Jones' Wood.  
Which was accepted.

An invitation was received from the Ancient Order of Hibernians to be present at an entertainment to be given by them in aid of the Parnell Defense Fund, at Steinway Hall, on Sunday, March 17, 1889.  
Which was accepted.

#### PETITIONS.

By Alderman Gunther—

Petition in relation to the paving of Fifty-second street, between First avenue and Avenue A.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

Petition of Lewis Samuels for permission to lay pipes across Forty-fourth street, near the East river.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

#### REPORTS.

(G. O. 79.)

The Committee on Police and Health Departments, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the President of the Health Department, asking authority to provide, without contract, a new apparatus for disinfecting clothing, bedding, etc., required by the Department to prevent the spread of contagious diseases, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, upon investigation your Committee are fully convinced that the public interests will be best promoted by granting the desired authority. The statements contained in the communication, that there is no firm in a position to bid intelligently upon the plans for building the new disinfecting plant, which is entirely new, was devised by experts employed by the Department, and to insure its successful operation should be constructed under their supervision, are correct and true, and your Committee are assured the cost will be less than if done by contract, as the novelty and intricacies of the work would render it necessary for the contractor to make a very liberal allowance for possible errors in his estimate.

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

Resolved, That the Health Department of the City of New York, pursuant to one of the provisions of section 64 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, be and is hereby authorized and empowered to provide a new apparatus for disinfecting clothing, bedding, etc., required by that Department to prevent the spread of contagious diseases, without advertising for estimates or contracting therefor, and in the open market, in such manner as the said Department may deem best for the interest of the public.

ALEXANDER J. DOWD,  
CHRISTIAN GOETZ,  
PATRICK DIVVER,  
JOHN CARLIN,  
JAMES GILLIGAN,

Committee  
on  
Police and Health  
Departments.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 80.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Seventy-fifth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the roadway of Seventy-fifth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where not already laid ; under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES M. FITZSIMONS,  
WILLIAM TAIT,  
RICHARD J. SULLIVAN,  
WILLIAM H. WALKER,  
JOHN CARLIN,

Committee  
on  
Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolutions and ordinances in favor of paving Eighty-ninth street, from West Side avenue to Riverside Drive ; Eighty-second street, from Boulevard to West End avenue ; Eighty-eighth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, and Eighty-seventh street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, which were sever-

ally presented, reported favorably, laid over, but failed to pass last year, and then placed on file, from which they were taken by resolution of January 29, 1889, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvements to be necessary, and of the first importance to the owners of property interested. They were examined and reported favorably to the Board last year, but were not finally disposed of, and were, at the end of the year, ordered on file, with much other unfinished business. They were taken from on file by your Honorable Body and referred to your Committee January 29, 1889. They therefore recommend that the said resolutions and ordinances be adopted, separately.

JAMES M. FITZSIMONS,  
WILLIAM TAIT,  
RICHARD J. SULLIVAN,  
WILLIAM H. WALKER,  
JOHN CARLIN,

Committee  
on  
Street Pavements.

(G. O. 81.)

Resolved, That Eighty-second street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 82.)

Resolved, That Eighty-ninth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 83.)

Resolved, That Eighty-eighth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 84.)

Resolved, That Eighty-seventh street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 85.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed petition of the Judges of the courts doing business in the New Court-house, for enlarged elevator facilities, with a preamble and resolution making provision therefor, without contract or public letting, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, as the present elevator is cumbersome, and inadequate to accommodate the present traffic. The absolute need of another elevator or elevators is apparent, and in order to facilitate the business of the courts two additional elevators are provided for, to be constructed without contract or public letting. They therefore recommend that the said preamble and resolution be adopted.

Whereas, It is necessary to increase the passenger elevator facilities in the New Court-house, and as it is impossible to make a sufficiently approximate estimate and specifications for the work to be done and materials to be furnished to form a proper basis for bids or proposals ; therefore

Resolved, That authority is hereby given to the Commissioner of Public Works to have constructed and placed in the New Court-house two new passenger elevators in the place of the one now in use in said building, the work to be done by one or several contractors or orders, without public advertisement and letting and in such manner as the said Commissioner of Public Works may deem for the best interests of the city, including all the labor and materials necessary for the same, provided the sum or sums so expended shall not exceed the sum of six thousand (6,000) dollars, to be paid from the appropriation "Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs," 1889, as provided in section 64 of the New York City Consolidated Act of 1882.

PATRICK DIVVER,  
CORNELIUS FLYNN,  
DAVID BARRY,  
REDMOND J. BARRY,  
JAMES A. COWIE,

Committee  
on  
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 86.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of extending the water-pipes in Walton avenue from present termination one hundred feet north, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and a much needed convenience to the residents on that avenue. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the water-pipes be extended in Walton avenue, from the termination of the present water-pipes in said avenue, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets, a distance of one hundred feet north, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

REDMOND J. BARRY,  
CHARLES M. HAMMOND,  
DAVID BARRY,  
CORNELIUS FLYNN,  
JOHN B. SHEA,

Committee  
on  
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 87.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying water-pipes in Elton avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-third to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and a great accommodation to residents on the street. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Elton avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-third to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

REDMOND J. BARRY,  
CHARLES M. HAMMOND,  
DAVID BARRY,  
CORNELIUS FLYNN,  
JOHN B. SHEA,

Committee  
on  
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 88.)

The Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Department of Public Parks, asking to be authorized to contract for telephonic services for that Department, without contract, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed service to be necessary, and that the Commissioners of that Department are the best qualified to judge of the advisability of having the work done without contract. They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Department of Public Parks be and is hereby authorized to contract, by private contract and without public letting, for telephonic service for its use for the period from January 1 to December 31, 1889, at a price not to exceed four thousand dollars.

JOHN B. SHEA,  
CHARLES M. HAMMOND,  
DAVID BARRY,  
WILLIAM CLANCY,  
ALEXANDER J. DOWD, } Committee on  
Lands, Places  
and  
Park Department.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 89.)

The Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of an improved iron drinking-fountain on the southwest corner of Rider avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, in order to accommodate the public, as the location named is a prominent thoroughfare, much frequented by men and horses. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, be erected on the southwest corner of Rider avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

JOHN B. SHEA,  
DAVID BARRY,  
WILLIAM CLANCY,  
ALEXANDER J. DOWD, } Committee on  
Lands, Places  
and  
Park Department.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Streets, to whom were referred the annexed ordinances, one to prevent the running of cars by the Chambers Street and Grand Street Railroad Company, and the other to prevent the running of cars by the Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company, without providing conductors as well as drivers for the operation and management of such cars, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, in the opinion of your Committee, cars on the several city railroads traversing any of the crowded thoroughfares in this city, south of Harlem river, should be provided as well with conductors as with drivers, for the operation and management thereof. The first duty of your Honorable Body is to care for the preservation of the lives and limbs of our citizens, and as both are constantly menaced by cars on our city lines, operated without conductors, it is of the first importance that a stop should be put to the operation of street cars, unless accompanied with conductors as well as drivers.

Your Committee, therefore, with a view of reducing, at least, the number of cars thus operated through some of the narrowest and most crowded streets in the lower part of this city, respectfully offer for your adoption the ordinances prohibiting the running of cars on the routes of the Chambers Street and Grand Street Railroad, and the Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad, without conductors, hereto annexed.

AN ORDINANCE to prevent the running of railroad cars in certain of the streets or highways in the City of New York without providing conductors as well as drivers for the operation and management of such cars.

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

Section 1. It shall not be lawful for the Chambers Street and Grand Street Railroad Company to operate any cars upon any portion of its route in the streets or highways of the City of New York without providing for the operation and management of every such car a conductor as well as a driver.

Sec. 2. For every trip, or part of a trip, made by any car of the railroad company mentioned in section 1 of this ordinance, in violation of the provisions of the foregoing section of this ordinance, the said company shall be subject to a penalty of fifty dollars for each trip, or part of a trip, which such car shall so make, to be recovered by the Corporation Attorney, as in the case of other penalties.

Sec. 3. The Commissioners of Police are especially instructed to carry into effect and rigidly enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect May 1, 1889.

AN ORDINANCE to prevent the running of railroad cars upon the surface of certain of the streets or highways in the City New York, without providing conductors as well as drivers for the operation and management of such cars.

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

Section 1. It shall not be lawful for the Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company to operate any cars upon any portion of its route in the streets or highways of the City of New York, without providing for the operation and management of every such car, a conductor as well as a driver.

Sec. 2. For every trip or part of a trip made by any car of said Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company, in violation of the provision of the foregoing section of this ordinance the said company shall be subject to a penalty of fifty dollars for each trip or part of a trip which such car shall so make, to be recovered by the Corporation Attorney, as in the case of other penalties.

Sec. 3. The Commissioners of Police are especially instructed to carry into effect and rigidly enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect July 1, 1889.

CORNELIUS FLYNN,  
RICHARD J. SULLIVAN,  
EDWARD J. RAPP, } Committee  
on  
Streets.

Alderman Sullivan moved that the report of the Committee be received, and the ordinances recommended by the Committee be adopted.

In the ordinance relating to the Chambers Street and Grand Street Railroad Company, Alderman Fitzsimons moved to amend section 5 by striking out the word and figures " May 1, 1889," and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures " July 1, 1889."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the ordinance as amended.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with the ordinance relating to the Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Shea—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for further consideration the following resolutions adopted at the last meeting, viz.: A resolution for an improved iron drinking-fountain in West Farms Square, junction of Boston and Tremont avenues; a resolution for an improved iron drinking-fountain in front of No. 3233 Third avenue, also a resolution to lay water-mains in Cole street, from Marion avenue to Berrian or Webster avenue.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the papers were received from his Honor the Mayor, and are as follows :

(1.)

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, be placed in West Farms Square (junction of Boston and Tremont avenues), under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

(2.)

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, be erected in front of No. 3233 Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

(3.)

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Cole street, from Marion avenue to Berrian or Webster avenue, as provided in section 356, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

On motion of Alderman Shea, the votes by which said resolutions were adopted were reconsidered separately, and

On motion of Alderman Shea, the resolutions Nos. 1 and 2 were amended by striking out the words "for man and beast" wherever they occur.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolutions, numbered 1 and 2, as amended.

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Shea, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—25.

Resolution No. 3 was then placed on file.

By Alderman Carlin—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for amendment a resolution and ordinance providing for the paving of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, adopted February 26, 1889.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard, be paved with trap-block pavement, except that at the intersecting and terminating avenues, crosswalks of three courses of bridge-stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, be laid, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Alderman Carlin then moved to amend by striking out the word "Boulevard" wherever it occurs in the resolution and ordinance, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Broadway."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Shea, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—24.

By Alderman Butler—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board a resolution for laying a crosswalk across Fourteenth street, opposite Steinway Hall.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of bridge-stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, be laid across Fourteenth street, opposite No. 11 (the entrance to Steinway Hall), under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be charged to the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading."

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

The paper was then placed on file, on motion of Alderman Butler.

By Vice-President Fitzsimons—

AN ORDINANCE to repeal certain regulations of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, as amended and now in force, and to enact regulations for owners and drivers of licensed hacks in said city.

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

Section 1. The regulations and provisions of sections 6 and 7 of an ordinance to repeal certain specified sections of the Revised Ordinances and to license and regulate drivers of hackney carriages in New York City, adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 14, 1887, and approved by the Mayor June 21, 1887, and the regulations and provisions of section 97 of article VIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, in force January 1, 1881, are hereby repealed and annulled.

Sec. 2. Every licensed owner or driver of any hackney coach, carriage or cab in the City of New York, whenever he shall be with such coach, carriage, or cab on any public stand or at any steamboat landing or railroad depot or line ball or place of amusement, or while waiting for employment at any place in said city, shall wear conspicuously outside on the left breast of the outer coat a metal badge of shape and size approved by the Mayor and having embossed or engraved thereon the words "Licensed Hack" and the number of such licensed hackney coach, carriage or cab, said badge to be issued and belong to said owner and to be issued by him to any driver representing him and for whom he shall be responsible.

Sec. 3. All ordinances and parts thereof inconsistent or conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect at once.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

(G. O. 91.)

By Alderman Carlin—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Seventy-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 92.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Seventy-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 93.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and reset and flagging laid and relaid, where not already done, so as to conform to the change of grade adopted by the Commissioner of Public Works, dated November 5, 1888, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Divver—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to cause the National, State and Municipal flags and the Irish national flag to be displayed on the flag-staffs on the City Hall, on Monday, the 18th instant, in honor of the celebration on that day by the Irish civic and military organizations in this city of the anniversary of the natal day of Ireland's patron saint (Sunday, March 17, 1889).

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Sullivan—

Resolved, That the name of John Hyland, who was recently appointed Commissioner of Deeds in place of Joseph E. Owens, be corrected so as to read Thomas F. Hyland.

Resolved, That the name of Moritz Folk, recently appointed Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Moritz Tolk.

Resolved, That the name of Joseph P. Koller, recently appointed Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Joseph B. Koller.

Resolved, That the name of John A. McEachen, recently appointed Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to appear John A. McEachron.

Resolved, That the name of Frank P. Murthe, recently appointed Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Frank P. Murtha.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted February 26, 1889, appointing Frank Sheffler a Commissioner of Deeds in place of Michael Steinhardt, be amended by striking out the name Frank Sheffler and inserting in lieu thereof the name of Peter L. Mullaly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 94.)

By Alderman D. Barry—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the blocks bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, Fifth and Seventh avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 95.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-fifth street, from Lexington to Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 96.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-fourth street, from Park to Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 97.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted on the west side of Park avenue, from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-sixth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 98.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That Ninety-fourth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 99.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That Ninety-fifth street, from Lexington to Madison avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 100.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That Madison avenue, from Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Third street, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating streets, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 101.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, Fifth and Madison avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 102.)

By Alderman R. J. Barry—  
Resolved, That Avenue B, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-sixth street, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating streets, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 103.)

By Alderman Carlin—  
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 104.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 105.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Riverside Drive, from Seventy-second to Seventy-ninth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 106.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 108.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Theodore F. Tone to place and keep a platform scale on the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Twelfth avenue and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in front of his premises, the said scale to be constructed flush with the surface of the street, and to be no obstruction or impediment to the free use of the street by the public; the work to be done 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.  
Which was laid over.

By Alderman Clancy—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. Hoe & Co. to lay a pipe for conducting steam and water, alternately, across Broome street, beneath the surface of the street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, connecting premises owned by said R. Hoe & Co. on both sides of said street, about sixty feet east of Sheriff street; provided said pipe shall not exceed six inches in diameter, be laid on a concrete foundation with brick side walls and stone covering, also as shown on diagram, and that the said R. Hoe & Co. shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur by reason of the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress of the work or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done in a durable and substantial manner, at their own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Cowie—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Early to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb-line, in front of his premises, No. 132 Seventh avenue, 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.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Vice-President Fitzsimons—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Harry F. Aird to retain the ornamental lamp-post and lamp, now in front of his premises, No. 423 Third avenue, the gas to be supplied at his own expense, and the lamp to be kept lighted during the hours the public street-lamps are kept lighted.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 109.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized, directed and required to remove the fence now obstructing the carriageway of Forty-first street, on the east side, which prevents access to and from the pier at the foot of said street.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 110.)

By Alderman Flynn—  
Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, be erected in front of No. 168 Maiden Lane, corner of South street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

By the same—  
Resolved, That the Legislature of this State be and hereby is requested to authorize the Common Council of this city to appropriate and expend the sum of fifteen thousand dollars in decorating the City Hall and other public buildings, and for a display of fireworks in the several public parks, on the occasion of the approaching centennial anniversary of the inauguration of George Washington as first President of the United States, April 30, 1789, and the Special Committee of this Board appointed to represent the Corporation before the State Legislature is hereby instructed to aid in the passage of a bill authorizing such appropriation and expenditure.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Vice-President Fitzsimons, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Shea, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—24.  
Negative—Vice-President Fitzsimons—1.

By the same—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Brady to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb-line, in front of his premises, No. 62 West Broadway, 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.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Goetz—  
Resolved, That the Commission for Lighting the City be and is hereby respectfully requested to cause Delancey street, from the Bowery to the East river, to be lighted with electric-lights.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Gregory—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Third Universalist Church to place and keep an ornamental lamp on the northwest corner of Sixth avenue and Eleventh street, and on the northwest corner of Greenwich avenue and Eleventh street, the same to furnish a sufficient light and to be kept burning during the same hours as the city lamps, the work to be done and gas supplied at the expense of the applicants, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—  
Whereas, Frequent complaints have been made of the careless manner in which ashes and refuse matter are dumped or transferred from barrels, boxes, pans, etc., on sidewalks, to ash carts designated to receive the same, and that during said dumping and transfer, and in the manner of carting such ashes and refuse in open carts, portions of the contents have been and are blown about and scattered, not only upon pedestrians, but upon the streets and sidewalks;  
Be it therefore,  
Ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, as follows:  
Section 1. That all ash-carts for the purposes aforesaid shall hereafter be supplied with portable wooden covers, to be so hinged that such ashes and refuse may be deposited within such carts, and upon such depositing such covers shall be kept closed while such ashes and refuse are being conveyed to the places designated by law to receive the same.  
Sec. 2. Any person or persons violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable, upon conviction, to a fine of not more than ten dollars, or imprisonment, in default of the payment of such fine, of not more than days.  
Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

(G. O. 111.)

By Alderman Hammond—  
Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from the crosswalk on the west side of Brown place to the crosswalk on the easterly side of Willis avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 112.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in German place, from Westchester avenue to Rae street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 113.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and Boulevard lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the main entrance to St. Joseph's Hospital, in One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 114.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Elton to Melrose avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 115.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Teller avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-third to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

By Alderman Oakley—  
Resolved, That Otto Hufeland be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Rinckhoff—  
Resolved, That the name of J. McCracken on the Register of Firemen, as having joined Engine Co. No. 34, October 14, 1844, be and is hereby corrected so as to appear T. McCracken, and the Clerk of the Common Council is hereby directed to make such correction.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 116.)

By Alderman Shea—  
Resolved, That water-pipes be laid and fire-hydrants erected in One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Creston avenue to Ryer avenue, and in Ryer avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-first street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 117.)

By the same—  
Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Washington avenue, from the termination of the pipe now in said avenue, at or near One Hundred and Eightieth street, to Pelham avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 118.)

By Alderman Hammond—  
Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from the easterly line of Vanderbilt avenue to the westerly line of Franklin avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

By the President—  
Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, viz.:  
Loring M. Black. Bartow S. Weeks.  
Julius Offenbach. Gordon Woodbury.  
Albert Zimmermann. Augustus Heydenreich.  
Samuel C. Baum. J. Arthur Barratt.  
Sigmund Loewenstein. James Cogan.  
James P. Ellacott.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman R. J. Barry—  
Resolved, That Charles Roth, Joseph Green and William M. Andrus be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—  
Resolved, That Edward C. Sheehy be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Butler—

Resolved, That Henry Jaeger, William Sulzer and Louis L. Rolland be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Philip A. Daub be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, That John J. Raubs be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Cowie—

Resolved, That Harry H. Lloyd, Daniel J. Hogan, Lionel J. Noah, James H. Davidson, Joseph W. Lamb, Alexander B. Smith and Solomon N. Cohen be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Divver—

Resolved, That Columbus O. Johnston be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Thomas B. Clarkson and Samuel Wolf be and are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Dowd—

Resolved, That Henry A. Gumbleton be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Vice-President Fitzsimons—

Resolved, That Edwin F. Madan be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Frank O'Byrne be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That Adrian H. Jackson, Jesse Fuller and Robert H. Wylie be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Gilligan—

Resolved, That Edward C. Stone be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Maurice J. Sullivan be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Goetz—

Resolved, That Patrick J. Hickey and Peter Schulmerich be and are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hammond—

Resolved, That Daniel Sherry and Edward G. Smith be and are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Mitchel Levy be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Noonan—

Resolved, That Nicholas J. Kearney and Solomon Levine be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That J. Oliver Keane be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Thomas P. Dinnean be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Rapp—

Resolved, That John Fennel be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Rinckhoff—

Resolved, That Charles J. McCormack be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That James M. Byrne be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Shea—

Resolved, That Meyer Butzel be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Frederic J. Sherman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Sullivan—

Resolved, That George Geoghegan, Philip Clarkin and Seth Wilkes be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 11, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I herewith return, without my approval, a resolution of your Honorable Board, worded as follows:

"Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Ninety-fourth street, from First to Second avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works."

—on the ground that this block has not been regulated and graded, and that gas-mains cannot well be laid or lamp-posts erected until the street is regulated and graded. There is only one house on this block, and the resolution is premature.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Ninety-fourth street, from First to Second avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 11, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I herewith return, without my approval, a resolution of your Honorable Board, in the following words:

"Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Prospect avenue, from Tremont avenue to Samuel street, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act."

—on the ground that this street is not graded, and that water-mains should not be laid in it until it is graded.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Prospect avenue, from Tremont avenue to Samuel street, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 11, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I herewith return, without my approval, a resolution of your Honorable Board, which is in the following words:

"Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William H. Bell to place and keep a small square brass sign around a private lamp-post now on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1295 Broadway."

—on the ground that the sign proposed to be erected is outside of the stoop-line.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Wm. H. Bell to place and keep a small square brass sign around a private lamp-post now on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1295 Broadway, the work to be done 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.

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

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Clerk of the Common Council:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN,  
No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, March 5, 1889.

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

GENTLEMEN—I have this day received, and herewith transmit to your Honorable Body, a certified copy of a preamble and resolution adopted in the Senate of the State on the 28th ultimo.

Very respectfully,

F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

STATE OF NEW YORK—IN SENATE,  
ALBANY, February 28, 1889.

The following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, It appears by the proofs made and filed in the proceedings had before the Supreme Court Commissioners appointed by the General Term of the First Department for the purpose of determining whether the railway of the New York Cable Railway Company, laid out by rapid transit commissioners appointed by the mayor of the city of New York, pursuant to chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, ought to be built, that upward of 60,000 property-owners and working men, who are voters in the city, petitioned, by a duly verified petition, to which their names and addresses are subscribed, for the construction of said railway, which petition is embodied in upwards of 300 separate lists, and is in words and figures as follows, namely:

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

We, the undersigned, your petitioners, respectfully represent to your honorable body that, being obliged to ride almost daily between our homes and our places of business or occupation, we are familiar with the means now existing in this city for conveying passengers between different parts of it; that the present facilities are notoriously inadequate to the imperative necessities of our vast population, especially to the many thousands of that industrial portion, men and women, boys and girls, who must ride to reach their stores, offices and workshops, and who must live where they can conveniently ride, although it may be in location so densely filled as to endanger their health.

Your petitioners also represent that we often find it necessary to change from one line of cars or omnibuses to another, and then are obliged to pay a second fare, sometimes working a positive injustice to us because the two intersecting lines belong to the same company.

Your petitioners, referring to the map hereto attached, are informed that the New York Cable Railway Company proposes to give increased and necessary facilities, and to remove the injustice above stated, by constructing several trunk lines and railroads, extending from Kingsbridge and the Harlem river to the Battery, with cross-town branches at frequent intervals, running from the East river to the Hudson river, and connecting with all the ferries on both sides of the city, whereby passengers may travel by a continuous ride anywhere on all the trunk lines and branches for a single fare of five cents, without any charge for changing cars to reach any point on either of the intersecting lines.

Your petitioners respectfully represent that, important as it is for all classes to have more and better railway facilities and a single fare, it is immeasurably so to the thousands of women, girls and boys who work early and late for a daily compensation that affords a bare existence. Transfer from one line to another means to them a great saving of time, health and strength, and one fare instead of two or three is equal to an increase in wages.

Your petitioners believe that the construction of the railways of the New York Cable Railway Company on all the routes as shown on the map, will result in developing and increasing the value of property in parts of the city now difficult of access, and thereby reduce the percentage of the annual tax levy; but what is of immeasurably greater importance will be the benefits—the saving in money, in time and in health—to the vast multitude of working people whose daily payment of fares constitutes the larger part of the revenue to the railroads of this city.

Your petitioners, therefore, earnestly request that your Honorable Body will consent to the application of the New York Cable Railway Company, now before the Common Council, to construct and operate their system of railways; and

Whereas, Said petition is an archive of the Common Council of the City of New York, and it is desirable that the same be produced for the inspection and information of the Senate; therefore,

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of New York be and hereby is requested to cause the said archive, and the whole thereof, to be safely and speedily transmitted, in the care of some suitable custodian, to the Senate, for its inspection and information, and that the Secretary of the Senate forthwith transmit a copy of this preamble and resolution to the Honorable Common Council of said city.

By order,

JOHN S. KENYON, Clerk.

In connection therewith Alderman Divver presented the following:

Resolved, That the archive alluded to in the resolution adopted by the State Senate be placed in charge of the special committee of the Board appointed to represent the Common Council before the Legislature of this State, with instructions to grant the request of the Senate of this State, and then have the papers safely returned to the custody of the Clerk of this Board.

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

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Comptroller :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 2, 1889.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

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

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$12 50	\$1,487 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	.....	200 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	12,287 12	62,812 88

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 9, 1889.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

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

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$12 50	\$1,487 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	.....	200 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	12,287 12	62,812 88

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which were ordered on file.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR,  
NEW YORK, March 1, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

Pursuant to chapter 4, article III., section 24 of the Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, of January 1, 1881, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

A transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled since the date of his last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions paid into the City Treasury.	Amount paid to Legatees or next of Kin.	Amount paid into City Treasury for unknown next of Kin.
*William McDermot.....	Jan. 29, 1889	\$11,141 11	\$10,730 09	\$341 02	.....	.....
Christian Weaver.....	" 22, "	407 93	16 62	20 38	\$370 93	.....
Annie Nesbitt.....	Feb. 2, "	632 23	22 54	31 61	578 08	.....
Edward Fickert.....	Jan. 21, "	442 04	125 72	22 10	293 22	.....
†Peter Lynch.....	Feb. 2, "	109 69	9 30	5 61	.....	.....
Ann C. Frazer.....	Jan. 12, "	1,396 70	12 20	69 83	1,314 67	.....
John Zublin, or Rublein.....	Feb. 13, "	1,973 94	23 44	95 69	1,794 81	.....
Mary Howell.....	" 15, "	346 91	177 55	17 34	152 02	.....
Amounts received from Commissioners of Charities and Correction belonging to estates of various persons, deceased, as per attached report.....						\$258 26
Total.....		\$16,390 55	\$11,118 46	\$603 58	\$4,503 73	\$258 26

William McDermot—Paid into the City Treasury, cost awarded to the Public Administrator.....	\$70 00
Peter Lynch—Paid to the City Chamberlain for the benefit of Francis Harrington Lynch, a minor, son of the deceased.....	94 78

A statement of the title of any estate on which any money has been received since the date of the last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.	NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.
Paul Humpel.....	\$574 04	Johanna Bischoff.....	\$44 00
Mary Delea, or Delay.....	1,092 47	Mary T. Clarke.....	22 86
Mary Jarvis.....	4,943 06	Honora Hogan.....	2 36
Francis Schwerdtfeger.....	661 33	Henry Ochus.....	12 08
Nathan Rosinsky.....	262 55	Josiah H. Malcom.....	8 48
Henry Adams.....	400 87	Annie Morcan.....	73 68
Rose Defries.....	1 01	Amelia Ulrich.....	9 22
Henry Keegan.....	4,628 25	Gerhard Langlois.....	8 48
Mary E. Feyh.....	1,050 00	John Schaedle.....	3 08
Charles W. Sherwood.....	70	Mark Hefferan.....	335 07
Mary Ann Roberts.....	705 49	Ri.hard Wetzel.....	6 77
John P. Lynch.....	683 32	Pietro Mina.....	2,167 75
Lib Yutkowitz.....	47 67	Commissioners of Charities and Correction	
John De Cousey.....	40 00	—Amounts belonging to estates of various persons, deceased, as per attached report.....	258 26
Schomer Caplan.....	50 00	Received interest on bank balances for the month of January, 1889, as follows :	
Otto Hesse.....	4 22	Continental National Bank.....	\$177 98
Emma Devillers.....	202 65	National Park Bank.....	201 06
Warren R. Hedden.....	78 33	Importers and Traders' National Bank.....	138 97
Theodore Blocklinger.....	2 80		
George Williams.....	11 72		
James Gillespie.....	30 40		
Auguste de Houbon.....	29 00		
Victor Gutman.....	228 60		
James Cameron.....	5 64		
Andrew Franco.....	9 82		
John Ducvetac.....	1 60		
Louis H. Gratz.....	15 60		
		Total.....	\$19,236 53

List of December 24, 1888.

Received from G. F. Britton, Secretary of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, the following cash belonging to deceased patients, and which has never been called for by the legal heirs :

DATE OF DEATH.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF DEATH.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
1888.			1888.		
Mar. 1	Margaret Ryan.....	\$1 00	July 21	John Ward.....	\$5 50
" 5	Lizzie Miller.....	12	" 16	Mary Reilly.....	21
" 8	Samuel Jelen or Selen.....	36	" 22	Michael Clapp.....	36
" 23	Bertha Lockwood.....	3 24	" 28	John Mahoney.....	38
" 26	Lizzie Beckler.....	24	" 5	Ferdinand Wahl.....	5 73
" 17	Louis Aap.....	15	" 1	Ed. Wilson.....	31
" 24	Frank Lyons.....	11	" 2	Morris Kaiser.....	95
Feb. 15	Catharine Griffin.....	61	" 8	Make Fitzgerald.....	1 00
Mar. 28	Joseph Beberich.....	13	" 15	Owen McParlin.....	1 12
Apr. 2	Theodore Hudson.....	1 00	" 17	John Cuff.....	2 00
" 1	Wenzel Kruderer.....	1 80	" 19	Unknown woman (Annie Fox).....	20 52
" 4	Theodore Pauli.....	30	" 25	Louis Bourmigan.....	13
" 10	John Craig.....	65	" 28	Frank Price.....	1 25
" 18	Thomas Farnam.....	3 60	" 18	James Sullivan.....	65
" 23	Rocco Deargento.....	3 25	" 22	Ellen Brennan or McKenna.....	45
" 16	Louis F. Koelligen.....	7 00	" 21	Jerry Warren.....	10
" 23	John O'Brien.....	50	" 26	John Cotton.....	6 49
" 16	Eliza Berd.....	2 38	" 9	Joseph Cornell.....	27
" 31	Unknown Italians.....	1 00	Aug. 4	Pasquale Giaccone.....	9 00
" 2	Julia Ryan.....	1 00	" 17	Michael Smalley.....	03
" 8	John Coyle.....	50	" 21	James Turner.....	07
" 8	Daniel H. LaPisch.....	15	" 21	Charles Elmer.....	10 00
" 12	Michael Hanley.....	25	" 4	William Britton.....	23
Mar. 4	Jennie Jones.....	25	" 23	Mary Hughes.....	12
Apr. 18	Philip Pursor.....	3 00	Sept. 7	Mary Malone (W. H. Help).....	5 20
" 17	Alexander Newberger.....	10	Aug. 17	Matthew O'Connor.....	23
" 23	Thomas Conley.....	7 00	" 21	Clarence Gadsen.....	1 80
" 23	Nora Ar. Idecker.....	1 05	" 11	Mary Coon.....	25
" 13	Alice Downey.....	50	" 31	Fanny Miller.....	25
" 18	Thomas Ward.....	07	" 12	Beatrice Aeyo.....	5 00
" 29	Joseph Krumencker.....	32	" 4	Jacob Staddler.....	20 10
" 27	Thomas Reardon.....	2 50	" 4	Sarah Bloom.....	3 20
" 28	Samuel Mann.....	30	" 6	James Bunden.....	55
" 29	Jane Newson.....	04	" 21	John Rauch.....	5 00
" 2	Joseph S. aub.....	65	Sept. 5	Michael Kelly.....	05
" 30	Patrick Lawlor.....	3 00	" 5	Patrick Tuney.....	1 35
May 4	John Nixon.....	50	" 9	John N. Schraeder.....	42
" 7	Andrew Gillon.....	20	" 14	May Donnelly.....	17
" 8	Daniel Buckley.....	20	" 20	Daniel McGrath.....	20
" 21	Mary Maher.....	26	" 16	Paul Gischen.....	2 00
" 7	Edward Levine.....	1 80	" 28	Adam Boyd.....	96
" 13	Alfred Riggs.....	25	" 4	Joseph Blank.....	15
" 2	Kate Finnigan.....	4 65	Mar. 8	James Gleasen.....	15
" 25	Frederick Hoppelt.....	1 25	Sept. 8	John Rickard.....	45
" 15	William Moore.....	25	" 24	Christopher Reid.....	27
" 17	Eliza Daly.....	1 06	" 24	Thomas Farrell.....	10
" 17	Eliza Daly.....	60	Oct. 24	Patrick O'Neil.....	36
" 21	Mary Walsh.....	88	" 1	Henry Kramer.....	4 35
" 26	Bridget Williams.....	30	" 30	Michael Fox.....	75
" 15	William Hassell.....	9 70	" 24	Henry Greenfield.....	1 00
June 2	Blanche Emerson.....	26	" 22	William Curran.....	76
" 23	Allen Corprean.....	12 00	" 1	Owen McCabe.....	1 96
" 19	William Roy.....	5 50	" 4	John Duff.....	27
" 29	Jane Nicholson.....	1 04	" 9	Andrew Newman.....	1 71
" 29	Paul Sullivan.....	01	" 25	Mary O'Brien.....	55
" 6	Victor Ganschel or Ganscher.....	1 26	" 1	Delia Smith.....	1 10
" 9	Anthony Concio.....	10 00	" 9	Bryon Farrelly or Brion Farley.....	63
" 17	Harris Levy.....	39	" 16	Gustav Lundblum.....	1 00
July 4	James Shea.....	08	" 18	Patrick Boland.....	28
" 9	Thomas J. Daly.....	4 15	" 19	Salvator Deronke.....	11 36
June 19	Kate McGrath.....	18	" 20	Philip Deidrick.....	05
" 10	Michael Crowley.....	15	" 29	Frederick Duster.....	2 00
" 12	James Ryan.....	1 35			
" 14	Charles P. Walton.....	7 72			
				Total.....	\$258 26

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President of the Normal College :

OFFICE BOARD OF TRUSTEES—NORMAL COLLEGE,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 146 GRAND STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 4, 1889.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

Herewith please find the annual report of the Normal College of the City of New York, for the year ending December 31, 1888, prepared in accordance with the provisions of chapter 580, section 7, Laws of 1888, and adopted by the Board of Trustees, at a meeting held January 15, 1889.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS, Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk :

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1889.

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

DEAR SIR—Enclosed please find list of names of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire during the month of March, 1889.

Yours, respectfully,

EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk.

Name.	Term Expires.
Charles A. Herrmann.....	March 16, 1889.
Henry Jaeger.....	" 23, "
Columbus O. Johnson.....	" 29, "
John H. W. Killeen.....	" 23, "
James J. Keenan.....	" 23, "
James Oliver Keane.....	" 30, "
Felix Kohn.....	" 30, "
Joseph Koch.....	" 30, "
Joseph W. Lamb.....	" 21, "
William Leslie.....	" 9, "
Jesse Larrabee.....	" 23, "
Frederick H. Lowerre.....	" 30, "
Mitchell Levy.....	" 30, "
Nathan Lion.....	" 30, "
William H. McEvoy.....	" 23, "
William B. Anderson.....	" 2, "
James M. Byrne.....	" 23, "
Meyer Butzel.....	" 23, "
James T. Byrne.....	" 23, "
Patrick Cunningham.....	" 30, "
Alexander V. Campbell.....	" 30, "
Isaac J. Cahen.....	" 30, "
David Crocheron.....	" 30, "
James Cogan.....	" 21, "
Max Danziger.....	" 24, "
Andrew Doyle.....	" 30, "
John Franz.....	" 30, "
Cornelius Farley.....	" 30, "
Edward Goldsmith.....	" 30, "
William H. Gentzlinger.....	" 30, "
Henry E. Melville.....	" 21, "
Thomas J. Moore.....	" 23, "
William Meincke.....	" 23, "
Samuel Manheimer.....	" 23, "
Edwin F. Madan.....	" 30, "
Lionel J. Noah.....	" 23, "
William Nichols.....	" 23, "
William T. Nash.....	" 23, "
Harry Overington.....	" 23, "
Julius Offenbach.....	" 23, "
Benjamin G. Oppenheim.....	" 23, "
Frank O'Byrne.....	" 30, "
Henry J. Rice.....	" 23, "
Robert McC. Robinson.....	" 30, "
Edward P. Schell.....	" 31, "
Frederick Stahle.....	" 23, "
Theophilus G. Smith.....	" 23, "

Name.	Term Expires.
George E. Simons	March 23, 1889.
Max Schreyer	" 30, "
Augustus F. Sherman	" 30, "
Henry Schwerdtfeger	" 30, "
Daniel Sherry	" 30, "
A. F. Schwannecke	" 30, "
Harry Stich	" 30, "
Abner C. Thomas	" 23, "
T. Mitchel Tyng	" 30, "
Andrew Van Voorhis	" 30, "
Whitam K. Van Meter	" 30, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 42, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :  
Resolved, That the roadway of Seventy-ninth street, from Twelfth avenue to the bulkhead-line, Hudson river, be paved with granite-block pavement, also curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Shea, Tait, and Walker—23.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 50, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :  
Resolved, That One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space eight feet wide, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Shea, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—21.

Negative—Vice-President Fitzsimons—1.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 46, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :  
Resolved, That One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Shea, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—23.

Negative—Vice-President Fitzsimons—1.

Alderman Carlin called up G. O. 55, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :  
Resolved, That Fifty-third street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

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

Negative—Vice-President Fitzsimons—1.

Alderman Morris called up G. O. 76, being a resolution, as follows :  
Resolved, That Park avenue, from Thirty-fourth street to the Harlem river, be numbered and renumbered, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Shea, Tait, and Walker—22.

Alderman Flynn called up G. O. 67, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :  
Resolved, That the sidewalks on the east side of Fifth avenue, from Eightieth to Eighty-first street, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 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.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Sullivan, Tait, and Walker—23.

Alderman D. Barry called up G. O. 52, being a resolution, as follows :  
Resolved, That the fire-hydrant now on the west side of Mount Morris avenue, about one hundred feet south of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, be removed, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, as it is unnecessary, there being two other fire-hydrants within a distance of two hundred feet, as shown on the accompanying diagram.

Alderman Shea moved to amend by inserting the following after the word removed, "and that said hydrant be placed directly opposite on Mount Morris avenue."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the paper was again laid over.

Alderman Hammond called up the following :

G. O. 68, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That an additional lamp-post be erected, a street-lamp placed thereon and lighted on the west side of Jackson avenue north of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 69, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Stebbins avenue, from a point about four hundred feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street north to Holmes street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 70, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Eighty-fourth street, from Avenue B to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 71, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Eightieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 72, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Brook avenue, from Third to Washington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 74, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted on the westerly side of Cauldwell avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to One Hundred and Sixty-third street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 75, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Jackson avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to a point two hundred and ninety feet south, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 77, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Webber's lane, between Broadway and Kingsbridge avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with the adoption of the several resolutions.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Fitzsimons, Aldermen D. Barry, R. J. Barry, Butler, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Dowd, Flynn, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Shea, Tait, and Walker—23.

Alderman Clancy called up G. O. 47, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-second street, between the Boulevard and Riverside Drive, be paved with Trinidad asphalt pavement, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, etc., be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, viz. : beginning at the east crosswalk of the Boulevard and ending at the east crosswalk of Riverside Drive, under the direction of the Commissioner ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen R. J. Barry, Carlin, Clancy, Cowie, Divver, Dowd, Gilligan, Goetz, Gregory, Gunther, Hammond, Morris, Noonan, Oakley, Rapp, Rinckhoff, Shea, Tait, and Walker—20.

Negative—Vice-President Fitzsimons—1.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Vice-President Fitzsimons offered the following :

Whereas, We have with great regret learned of the death of John Ericsson, and we recognize in his taking off that our common country and the people of the entire civilized world, has lost a most valued citizen ; and

Whereas, We, the Common Council, desiring to show that we appreciate and honor the services rendered by him as a private citizen to his country and humanity ; therefore

Resolved, That out of respect to his memory and in recognition of the valuable services rendered by him to this country this Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that this Board stands adjourned until Tuesday, March 19, 1889, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

A meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments was held at the Comptroller's office, on Wednesday, February 27, 1889, at 1.10 o'clock P. M.

Present—Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller ; Henry R. Beekman, Counsel to the Corporation ; Frederick Smyth, Recorder.

On motion, the reading of the minutes of meeting of January 9, 1889, was dispensed with.

The Comptroller presented the following assessment lists, received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 29, 1889, viz. :

1. Ninety-seventh street paving with trap-block pavement, from Third to Fourth avenue, and laying crosswalks.
2. Eighty-sixth street regulating, grading, curbing and recurbing, from Ninth avenue to Riverside Drive.
3. One Hundred and Eighth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth avenue to Manhattan avenue.
4. One Hundred and Eighth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.
5. Sixty-third street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.
6. One Hundred and Sixteenth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and laying crosswalks.
7. One Hundred and Twenty-second street paving with granite-block pavement, from Fourth to Madison avenue.
8. One Hundred and Fourth street paving with trap-block pavement, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and laying crosswalks.
9. Ninety-first street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.
10. Ninety-fourth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.
11. Sixty-second street paving with granite-block pavement, from Central Park, West, to the Boulevard, and laying crosswalks.
12. Ninety-fifth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.
13. Eighty-second street paving with granite-block pavement, from First avenue to Avenue A, and laying crosswalks.
14. Seventy-seventh street curbing, recurbing, flagging and paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and laying crosswalks.
15. Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets.
16. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets.
17. Sewer in Fourth avenue, east side, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Second streets.
18. Extension of sewer in Warren street, between West and Greenwich streets.
19. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Eighth and Manhattan avenues, and between Manhattan avenue and avenue east of Morningside Park.
20. Sewer in Ninth avenue, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and First streets.
21. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Boulevard and Hamilton place.
22. Sewer in West End avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninety-first streets.
23. Sewer in One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard, connecting with present sewer in Boulevard.
24. Sewer in Fifty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, with connection to sewer in Eleventh avenue.

The foregoing assessment lists being in proper form and no objections having been filed, on motion, the same were severally confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller presented the following assessment lists, received from the Board of Assessors under date of February 26, 1889, viz. :

1. Lexington avenue paving with trap-block pavement, from Ninety-fifth to Ninety-seventh street, and laying crosswalks.
2. One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Madison to Seventh avenue, and laying crosswalks.
3. Sixty-second street paving with granite-block pavement, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.
4. Eighty-ninth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.
5. Fencing vacant lots on north side of Eighty-ninth street, beginning at a point one hundred feet east of Third avenue and extending easterly about two hundred and twenty-five feet.
6. Fencing vacant lots on south side of Ninetieth street, beginning at a point one hundred feet east of Third avenue, and extending easterly about one hundred and seventy-five feet.
7. One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.
8. Westchester avenue paving with trap-block pavement, from Third to Brook avenue.

The foregoing assessment lists being in proper form and no objections having been filed, on motion, the same were severally confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller presented the assessment list for paving with granite-block pavement Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth street to St. Nicholas avenue, and laying crosswalks, which was received from the Board of Assessors under date of February 26, 1889, without objections.

Mr. T. H. Baldwin, attorney, objected verbally to the principle adopted by the Board of Assessors in the apportionment of the assessment.

Mr. Charles E. Wendt, a member of the Board of Assessors, and Mr. William H. Jasper, Secretary, made explanations.

Upon consideration it was, on motion, ordered that the said assessment list be returned to the Board of Assessors for the purpose of applying to it the rule adopted by this Board on November 20, 1885, in the matter of the assessment lists for the regulating and paving of Lexington avenue, and for regulating and grading Madison avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Fifth street.

The Comptroller presented the assessment list for paving One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Eighth to Manhattan avenue, with trap blocks, and objections of Mary A. Pettit, filed by William B. Pettit, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 29, 1889.

At the request of Mr. Pettit, the consideration of the said assessment list was postponed until the next meeting of the Board.

The assessment list for sewer in West End avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, and in Sixty-fourth street, between Tenth and West End avenues, with petition of James B. Moore to cancel amount charged against his property on northwest corner of Sixty-fourth street and Tenth avenue, ordered to be referred back to the Board of Assessors at meeting of January 9, 1889, with

instructions to reduce the assessment charged against the premises in question to the sum of \$125, was presented by the Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of February 26, 1889, together with objections of M. and M. Ottinger, filed by Thomas S. Bassford, attorney.

The Board of Assessors state as follows: "The enclosed objections have been withdrawn as the corner lots complained of have been relieved of any assessment for the sewer in Sixty-fourth street; no further objections have been filed."

Upon consideration, on motion, the said assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for flagging and relaying flagging on the west side of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets, and on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and south side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, for about forty feet westerly therefrom, and objections of Sarah F. Mead, ordered to be referred back to the Board of Assessors, at meeting of January 9, 1889, with the request that the Counsel to the Corporation be consulted with upon the validity of the said objections, were presented by the Comptroller, having been returned by the Board of Assessors under date of February 26, 1889, together with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation upon the subject, as requested.

Upon consideration, upon motion, the objections were overruled and the said assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for laying an additional course of flagging and relaying the old flagging in Tenth avenue, on the easterly side, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, Sixty-seventh and Seventieth streets, Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets, Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets, Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, and on the westerly side, between Sixty-sixth and Seventy-first streets and Seventy-sixth and Seventy-ninth streets, and objections of James B. Moore were presented by the Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 29, 1889.

Upon consideration, Mr. Moore not appearing after notice, on motion the objections were overruled and the said assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller presented the assessment list for sewers in Avenue St. Nicholas and Edgecombe road, between One Hundred and Thirty-third and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets, and objections of Dore Lyon and William C. Boyd, filed by T. H. Baldwin, attorney, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 29, 1889.

Mr. Baldwin was heard as to the alleged unequal distribution of the assessment upon the block in which the property of the above-named objectors is situated.

On motion, the said assessment list was ordered to be referred back to the Board of Assessors for further consideration, with the request that the Department of Public Works be asked to explain whether the cost of constructing sewer for Block 946 was so much greater than the sewers for Blocks 945 and 947 as to justify the inequality of the assessments thereon.

The Comptroller presented the assessment list for sewer in Ninety-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and objections of John Schappert, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 12, 1889.

Mr. Jasper, Secretary of the Board of Assessors, explained the facts with regard to the assessment.

Upon consideration, Mr. Schappert not appearing after notice, on motion, the said assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving with Belgian trap-block pavement Gansevoort street from Washington to Thirteenth and West Fourth streets, and Thirteenth street, from West Fourth street to Eighth avenue, and objections of Robert T. B. Easton and others, filed by T. H. Baldwin, attorney, and of Mrs. Martha A. H. Cordes and Miss Caroline Otten were presented by the Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 12, 1889.

Mr. Baldwin was heard in opposition to the assessment, upon the ground that a large quantity of the work included in the list is not assessable, being for repavement.

Mrs. Cordes was heard in opposition to the assessment for new flagging on the southwest corner of Thirteenth street and Eighth avenue, it being alleged that the flagging had been previously laid in the early part of the year 1887, under a contract made by her with B. G. Schwartz.

On motion, the said assessment list was ordered to be referred back to the Board of Assessors with request that it communicate with the Law Department relative to the objections presented by Mr. Baldwin, and with the Department of Public Works relative to the objections of Mrs. Cordes and Miss Otten.

The Comptroller presented the assessment list for paving Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, and objections of John C. Umberfield and others, filed by T. H. Baldwin, attorney, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 29, 1889.

Mr. T. H. Baldwin served upon the Board copy certiorari to review the said assessment and affidavit, entitled "Supreme Court—The People ex rel. Manhattan Railway Company, Francis J. Schnugg, John C. Umberfield and John W. Haaren against Edward Gilon et al., as and composing the Board of Assessors, and the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessment lists."

On motion, the said assessment list, with accompanying papers, was ordered to be referred back to the Board of Assessors.

The assessment list for sewer in Fourth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, with branch in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and objections of William Lyman, ordered to be referred back to the Board of Assessors at meeting of January 9, 1889, "for the purpose of obtaining from Mr. Lyman a sworn statement of the amount paid by him for the construction of the drain from his private property, under a permit of the Department of Public Works, dated October 12, 1885," were presented by the Comptroller, having been returned by the Board of Assessors under date of February 7, 1889, together with affidavit of Mr. Lyman, dated February 5, 1889, and a statement of the expense incurred by him for the construction of the said drain, amounting to the sum of \$679.67.

Upon consideration, on motion, the objections of Mr. Lyman were overruled and the said assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller presented the assessment list for regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging One Hundred and Second street, from Ninth avenue to Riverside Drive, and application of James Hamel to be relieved from the assessment upon his lot on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Second street and Tenth avenue, for the reason as alleged that he had at his own cost and expense filled in, regulated and graded and laid curb and sidewalk in front of the said premises under a permit of the Department of Public Works, dated June 29, 1880, the same having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of February 26, 1889.

The Assessors state that the application of Mr. Hamel was duly considered by them and a reduction made in the assessment on the property in question, also that no objections have been filed since the apportionment of the list.

Upon consideration, on motion, the said assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for paving Eighty-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks, and objections of the Park Presbyterian Church, Otto Ernst and others, filed by T. H. Baldwin, attorney, and of John G. Prague, D. Willis James and others, filed by Thomas S. Bassford, attorney, were presented by the Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 29, 1889.

The Comptroller also presented the objections of Alfred Corning Clark, as general guardian, filed by Young & Ver Planck, attorneys, with the Clerk of this Board, on February 15, 1889, after the list had been transmitted by the Board of Assessors.

Mr. Ver Planck briefly stated his objections to the assessment.

Mr. Baldwin served upon the Board copy of certiorari to review the said assessment, and affidavit entitled "Supreme Court—The People ex rel. William E. D. Stokes and others against Edward Gilon and others, composing the Board of Assessors, and the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessment lists."

On motion, the said assessment list and accompanying papers were ordered to be referred back to the Board of Assessors.

At 1.50 o'clock P. M., on motion, the Board adjourned.

RICHARD A. STORRS,  
Chief Clerk, Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

*Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, Wednesday, February 27, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M.*

Present—The Comptroller and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe.

The minutes of the stated meeting of February 20, 1889, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of Voucher No. 4455, in favor of Mrs. Julia Lynch, for \$125, being in settlement for damages done to a certain leasehold interest in Westchester County; also of Voucher No. 4456, being estimate for work done by contractors on the East Branch Reservoir Dam, amounting to \$5,611.68.

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

The Committee also reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 4460 to 4475, inclusive, amounting to \$1,494.39.

In the absence of the Mayor, on motion of the Comptroller, the same were laid on the table.

The Construction or Executive Committee presented the following report:

The Construction or Executive Committee report—

That at their meeting held this day, the following resolution was adopted, and they now ask your approval of their action:

Resolved, That the bid-box be closed, and the keys given to the President; and that the Secretary, John C. Sheehan, be authorized by this Commission to receive the bids for furnishing the roof, iron floor-plates, copper leaders, railing to stairways, door and windows for the Ardsley Gate-house, on Section 7 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners; and also to receive the checks of the bidders, and to make the necessary preparations for opening the bids received for doing said work, under the law.

On motion of Commissioner Howe, the action of the Committee was approved, and the resolution adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, an appropriation of one hundred and fifty dollars is hereby made for the purpose of printing one hundred lithographic copies of a map of the survey in the Croton Water-shed made in 1857 and 1858, together with fifty lithographic prints of certain valuable data and tables compiled in the office of the Chief Engineer.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller and Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—5.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bid-box be closed and the keys given to the President, and that the Secretary, John C. Sheehan, be authorized by this Commission to receive the bids for furnishing all the labor and materials necessary for clearing and removing all timber, brush, grass and other vegetable growth from the lands that are required for the purpose of locating thereon the East Branch Reservoir, and on Bog brook, in the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York, as called for in the approved forms of contracts and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners; also to receive the checks of the bidders, and to make the necessary preparations for opening the bids received for doing said work under the law.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the resolution was adopted.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, An application has been received from Richard A. Malone, contractor for the construction of the gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, for a further extension of time for the completion of the work embraced in his contract; therefore

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to Mr. Richard A. Malone an extension of three months from this date, providing his bondsmen shall enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said contract under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed to him as further time for the performance of said contract.

The Chief Engineer presented the following report:

Respectfully referring to the action of your Honorable Body, dated February 20, 1889, requesting the Chief Engineer to prepare and present at the next meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, a list containing the names of all employees in the Engineer Corps who are eligible to be examined for promotion, I have the honor to report on this subject matter as follows:

First—In accordance with the regulations of the Supervisory Board of the Municipal Civil Service, all employees under the Aqueduct Commissioners below the grade of Assistant Engineer, excepting the two grades of "Axeman" and "Laborer," are entitled to an examination to any grade at any time upon their application to the Chief Engineer, approved by their immediate superiors, and further approved by the Aqueduct Commissioners.

Secondly—All employees of the rank either of Axeman or Laborer are entitled to an examination for promotion to any grade after a service of one year under the Commission.

These regulations are broad and liberal, not even requiring a passing from one grade to the next higher, but permitting a promotion to any grade up to and including that of Assistant Engineer, whenever the applicant can demonstrate his fitness for the position, as required by the law.

In addition to the foregoing regulations of the Civil Service Board, I would inform you that at a stated meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held on March 2, 1887, the following resolution was passed:

"Resolved, That an opportunity be given to all members of the Engineer Corps desiring promotion to apply to the Civil Service Commission for examination; and that the Chief Engineer be requested to notify the members of the Engineer Corps and the Civil Service Board of the action of this Board; and also of the earliest opportunity when they can be examined."

In pursuance of this resolution, my predecessor immediately informed the Principal Assistant Engineers, who took the necessary steps to communicate this information to the members of the Engineer Corps, and some of them applied for examination for promotion and were examined.

This resolution still remains in force, yet without it, as previously noted, ample provision for examination for promotion is made by the Municipal Civil Service Board.

I have considered it my duty to submit to the Aqueduct Commissioners all applications for examination for promotion, when indorsed by the immediate superiors of the applicants.

All such applications which have been thus submitted to me have been transmitted to you and favorably acted upon, with the exception of the two applications submitted to you last Wednesday, and now laying on the table.

From what precedes, it will be seen that the list of names of persons who are entitled to examination for promotion under the Aqueduct Commissioners, includes all present employees below the grade of Assistant Engineer (except such laborers as are temporarily employed) and excepting those whose terms of service are less than one year.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the report was approved, and ordered spread in full on the minutes.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the following resolution, which was laid on the table at the last meeting of the Commissioners, was taken up:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, O. H. Rood, now employed as an Inspector of Masonry on the New Aqueduct, be certified to the Civil Service Commission for examination for promotion to the position of Transitman.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the resolution was adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the following resolution, which was laid on the table at the last meeting of the Commissioners, was taken up:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Neil Stewart, Jr., now employed as a Rodman on the New Aqueduct, be certified to the Civil Service Commission for examination for promotion to the position of Transitman.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the resolution was adopted.

The Secretary gave notice of the filing of a lien by Hurlbut Brothers against Coldwell, Wilcox & Co., for work done by them in furnishing and setting the valves for the gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Tenth avenue, amounting to \$1,643.14. Which was ordered filed.

In pursuance to the following notice, published daily for fifteen consecutive days, commencing with Saturday, February 9, 1889, in the CITY RECORD, New York "World," and New York "Tribune," bids were received for furnishing the roof, double doors, windows, railing, floor-plates and copper leaders for the Ardsley Gate-house, on Section 7 of the New Aqueduct:

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, February 8, 1889.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids or proposals for furnishing the roof, double door, windows, railing, floor-plates and copper leaders, including the furnishing of all the materials, labor, transportation, etc., necessary or required to put the same in complete working order, at the Ardsley Gate-house, on Section 7 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Wednesday, February 27, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work and furnishing said material will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications therefor and bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bond, and also the plans for said work and all other information, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

JAMES C. DUANE, President.

The following bid, received for doing said work, upon which the required deposit had been made, was then opened and read aloud by the Secretary:

Coldwell, Wilcox & Co. .... \$3,165 00

Whereupon, on motion of Commissioner Howe, the following preamble and resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, A bid for furnishing the roof, iron floor-plates, copper leaders, railing to stairways, door and windows for the Ardsley Gate-house, on Section 7 of the New Aqueduct, having been received and publicly opened and read; therefore

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer is hereby directed to have the bid received for doing said work calculated and tabulated, and submit the same, together with his estimates of the work, at a meeting of the Construction or Executive Committee of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for consideration and canvassing by them at two o'clock P. M., on the 28th day of February, 1889; and the bid and check of the bidder so received are hereby referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit for examination and report to the Commissioners as to their formality and the sufficiency of the sureties proposed by the bidder.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY  
OF THE  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS  
For the week ending March 9, 1889.  
Barometer.

DATE.	MARCH.	7 A.M.		2 P.M.		9 P.M.		MEAN FOR THE DAY.		MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	3	30.000	29.932	29.900	29.944	30.042	0 A.M.	29.988	12 P.M.				
Monday,	4	29.772	29.632	29.578	29.661	29.888	0 A.M.	29.500	12 P.M.				
Tuesday,	5	29.410	29.316	29.310	29.345	29.500	0 A.M.	29.292	12 P.M.				
Wednesday,	6	29.220	29.098	29.110	29.143	29.292	0 A.M.	29.096	3 P.M.				
Thursday,	7	29.058	29.090	29.210	29.133	29.290	12 P.M.	29.088	1 P.M.				
Friday,	8	29.340	29.342	29.474	29.385	29.488	12 P.M.	29.290	0 A.M.				
Saturday,	9	29.500	29.488	29.546	29.511	29.532	12 P.M.	29.488	0 A.M.				

Mean for the week ..... 29.446 inches.  
Maximum " at 0 A.M., March 3d ..... 30.042 "  
Minimum " at 1 P.M., March 7th ..... 29.088 "  
Range " ..... .954 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	MARCH.	7 A.M.		2 P.M.		9 P.M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.	
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.
Sunday,	3	37	36	46	43	42	40	41.6	39.6	47	4 P.M.	44	4 P.M.	37	8 A.M.
Monday,	4	39	37	40	38	40	38	39.6	37.6	41	3 P.M.	39	3 P.M.	37	4 A.M.
Tuesday,	5	38	38	45	42	43	40	42.0	40.0	45	3 P.M.	43	3 P.M.	38	4 A.M.
Wednesday,	6	37	35	46	40	38	32	40.3	33.6	46	2 P.M.	40	2 P.M.	37	4 A.M.
Thursday,	7	36	35	44	35	37	33	39.0	34.6	45	4 P.M.	38	3 P.M.	33	12 P.M.
Friday,	8	32	31	38	32	31	30	33.6	31.0	38	2 P.M.	32	2 P.M.	31	12 P.M.
Saturday,	9	30	29	36	32	32	30	32.6	30.3	36	2 P.M.	33	1 P.M.	29	6 A.M.

Mean for the week ..... 38.4 degrees.  
Maximum for the week, at 4 P.M., 3d ..... 47. " at 4 P.M., 3d ..... 44. "  
Minimum " at 6 A.M., 9th ..... 29. " at 6 A.M., 9th ..... 28. "  
Range " ..... 18. " ..... 16. "

Wind.

DATE.	MARCH.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Max.
Sunday,	3....	N	ENE	NE	18	21	23	62	0	0	0	1/4
Monday,	4....	NE	NE	NE	69	115	107	291	2 1/4	4 1/2	4 1/2	9
Tuesday,	5....	NNE	NNW	NW	166	102	104	372	2	2 1/2	3/4	9
Wednesday,	6....	NW	NW	NW	133	126	131	390	1	3 1/4	2	7 1/2
Thursday,	7....	W	W	WNW	161	130	100	391	2 1/4	6	1	9 1/4
Friday,	8....	W	W	W	122	115	115	352	1 1/4	3 1/2	2 1/4	8 1/2
Saturday,	9 ...	W	W	WNW	158	150	144	458	5	7 1/2	6 3/4	14

Distance traveled during the week ..... 2,316 miles.  
Maximum force ..... 14 pounds.

DATE.	MARCH.	Hygrometer.				Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.			
		FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.			
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
Sunday,	3	.199	.238	.221	.219	90	76	83	10	10	10	3 A.M. 7 A.M. 4.00 .02
Monday,	4	.194	.203	.203	.200	81	82	82	10	10	10	6.30 P.M. 12 P.M. 5.30 .10
Tuesday,	5	.229	.228	.208	.222	100	76	75	84	10	10	0 A.M. 8 A.M. 8.00 .05
Wedn'day,	6	.175	.169	.103	.150	80	54	45	60	3 Cir.	3 Cir.	4 Cir. Cu. ....
Thursday,	7	.191	.103	.136	.145	90	37	62	63	0	3 Cir. Cu	3 Cu. ....
Friday,	8	.162	.103	.155	.140	89	45	89	74	4 Cir. Cu.	8 Cir. Cu	10 ....
Saturday,	9	.149	.129	.144	.141	89	61	79	76	4 Cir. Cu.	8 Cu.	10 ....

Total amount of water for the week ..... .78 inch.  
Duration for the week ..... 1 day, 17 hours, 30 minutes.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday, Mar. 3	Mild, foggy.....	Mild, overcast.
Monday, " 4	Cool, raining.....	Mild, raining.
Tuesday, " 5	Raw, drizzling.....	Raw, overcast.
Wednesday, " 6	Cool, pleasant.....	Cool, pleasant.
Thursday, " 7	Clear, cool.....	Cool, pleasant.
Friday, " 8	Clear, cloudy.....	Cool, windy, cloudy.
Saturday, " 9	Cold, windy.....	Cold, windy, cloudy.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Wardens and Vestry of St. Luke's Church in Hudson street, opposite Grove street, to place a transparency over one of the street-lamps in front of said church, announcing a fair of the ladies of the church; such permission to continue only for a period of ten days.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 1, 1889.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. T. Wall to place and keep an ornamental post and clock, as shown on the accompanying letter, in front of No. 30 Union Square, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 19, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 1, 1889.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Everard to extend the vault in front of his premises, on the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, beginning at a point about one hundred and sixty feet east of Fifth avenue, and running easterly one hundred and twenty feet, four feet beyond the curb, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said James Everard shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage in consequence of the building or extension of said vault during the progress of the work, or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 19, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Howard Moody to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp on the southwest corner of Broadway and Thirtieth street, provided the said post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by resolution of the Common Council (eighteen inches square at the base), and kept lighted during the hours the public street-lamps are kept lighted, and that the work be done and the illuminating material be 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, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Julius Urban to place an ornamental lamp on the unused lamp-post in front of No. 476 Tenth avenue, provided the lamp be lighted every night during the hours and for the full time the public lamps maintained by the city are kept lighted, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the entrances to the public school on north side of Twenty-fourth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Eleventh avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-seventh street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-eighth street, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps be placed thereon and lighted in Eightieth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Seventy-sixth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Sixty-ninth street, from Avenue A to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-pipes be laid, street-lamps erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Sixty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-second to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Valentine avenue, from the present termination of the water-pipe south of One Hundred and Eightieth street to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Valentine avenue, from the present termination of the gas pipes in said avenue, near Clark street, south to One Hundred and Eightieth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, at its intersection with the easterly and westerly sides of Eighth avenue; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 4, 1889.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Barnum & Bailey to parade their show or circus in some of the principal streets of this city, on the evening of March 22, 1889, accompanied by music, weather permitting. If the weather should prove unfavorable on this date, the parade is hereby permitted to be given the first fair evening following.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 6, 1889.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Barnum & Bailey to drive advertising wagons through the streets of this city, from March 18 to April 20, 1889, provided such wagons shall not obstruct or hinder the free uses of the streets by the public, and upon the further condition that should the privilege hereby given in any way hinder or obstruct the uses of the streets, it shall then be in the power of the Commissioner of Public Works, and it is hereby made his duty, to prevent any further exercise of the privilege hereby granted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 26, 1889.  
Approved by the Mayor, March 6, 1889.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate the "Daily News" and the "New York Morning Journal," two of the daily papers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of 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 all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

#### Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. THOMAS T. C. CRAIN, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

#### Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.  
FRANK FOX, Second Marshal.

### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, EDWARD P. BARKER.

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

### BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

#### City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM H. RUDOLPH, City Librarian.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

#### Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
D. LOWBER SMITH, Commissioner; \_\_\_\_\_, 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.  
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

#### Bureau of Street Improvements

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

#### Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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.  
ALSTON G. CULVER, Water Purveyor

#### Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

#### Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEO. E. BABCOCK, Superintendent.

#### Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

#### Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

### 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.

#### Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.  
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.  
Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.  
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.  
Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.  
GRAHAM McADAM, Chief Clerk.  
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.  
WM. M. IVINS, 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 floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, 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.  
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

#### Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

#### Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

### DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

#### Central Office.

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

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

#### Headquarters.

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

#### Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, 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.

ALBERT F. D'OENCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

#### Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

#### Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

#### Repair Shops.

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

#### Hospital Stables.

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

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES C. BAYLES, 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.  
J. HAMPTON ROBB, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

#### Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

#### Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

EDWIN A. POST, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

#### Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

### CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union.  
EVERETT P. WHEELER, 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.  
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; GEORGE H. GALE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

### SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES A. FLACK, Sheriff; THOMAS F. GILROY, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

### REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

### COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

### THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Bookkeeper.

### CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

### SUPREME COURT

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

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

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

Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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

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

Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.

Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Librarian.

### SUPERIOR COURT.

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

General Term, Room No. 35.

Special Term, Room No. 33.

Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.

Part I., Room No. 34.

Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

### COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.

Terms, first Monday each month.

JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

### CITY COURT.

#### City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20.

Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.

Part II., Room No. 19.

Part III., Room No. 15.

Specia. Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

### OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
 JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice.  
 Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9½ A. M.  
 Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Avenues, corner of Third Avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.  
 Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.  
 ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.  
 Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth Avenue, Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth Avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

## POLICE COURTS.

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

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
 NEW YORK, August 2, 1888.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, August 2, 1888, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional section to the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 219. In every public hospital and dispensary in the City of New York there shall be provided and maintained a suitable room or rooms and place for the temporary isolation of persons infected with contagious disease, who shall immediately be separated from the other persons and other patients at such dispensary or hospital. It shall be the duty of the physician or physicians, of the officers, managers and of every one in charge of a hospital or dispensary, and of every one who has any duty or office in respect to patients in the course of treatment, or persons who apply for treatment or care at a dispensary or hospital, to see that a report is immediately made to the Health Department of the City of New York of every person infected with a contagious disease who comes to their knowledge, and that such person or persons so infected are properly isolated and kept separate from other persons and other patients.

[L. S.] JAMES C. BAYLES, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
 NEW YORK, January 31, 1888.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, January 27, 1888, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 18 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 18. That no owner or lessee of any building, or any part thereof, shall lease or let, or hire out the same or any portion thereof, to be occupied by any person, or allow the same to be occupied, as a place in which, or for any one, to dwell or lodge, except when said building or such parts thereof are sufficiently lighted, ventilated, provided and accommodated, and are in all respects in that condition of cleanliness and wholesomeness, for which this Code or any law of this State provides, or in which they or either of them require any such premises to be kept. Nor shall any such person rent, let, hire out, or allow, having power to prevent the same to be used as or for a place of sleeping or residence, any portion or apartment of any building, which apartment or portion has not at least one foot of its height and space above the level of every part of the sidewalk and curbstone of any adjacent street, nor of which the floor is damp by reason of water from the ground, or which is impregnated or penetrated by any offensive gas, smell, or exhalation prejudicial to health. But this section shall not prevent the leasing, renting, or occupancy of cellars or rooms less elevated than aforesaid and as a part of any building rented or let, when they are not let or intended to be occupied or used by any person as a sleeping apartment, or as a principal or sole dwelling apartment.

[L. S.] JAMES C. BAYLES, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

## NOTICE.

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

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning

## JURORS.

## NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
 ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
 CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
 NEW YORK, June 1, 1888.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving, who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, if unpaid, will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents. All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me

any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors are not exempt.

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

CHARLES REILLY,  
 Commissioner of Jurors.

## 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, March 19, 1889, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS,  
 Chairman.

Dated New York, March 12, 1889.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees for the Eighteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Friday, March 22, 1889, for placing Iron Stairway Fire-escapes on Grammar School building No. 40, No. 225 East Twenty-third street.

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.

A. G. VANDERPOEL,  
 FREDERICK FLACCUS,  
 WILLIAM J. FANNING,  
 HENRY WILSON,  
 ANDREW WARNER,

Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

Dated New York, March 9, 1889.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until Tuesday, March 19, 1889, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for erecting a Temporary Building, for use of Grammar School No. 46, on One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, west of Tenth Avenue.

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.

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JOHN WHALEN,  
 LEOPOLD WORMSER,  
 ROBERT E. STEEL,  
 WM. E. STILLINGS,  
 ANTONIO RASINES,

Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, March 7, 1889.

COMMENCING MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1889, a course of free lectures on the Natural Sciences and kindred subjects, for the benefit of workmen and working women, will be delivered in the following schools:

Grammar School No. 27, Nos. 208 and 210 East Forty-second street.

Grammar School No. 42, No. 30 Allen street.

Grammar School No. 51, No. 523 West Forty-fourth street.

Grammar School No. 67, Nos. 223 to 229 West Forty-first street.

Grammar School No. 82, corner of Seventieth street and First Avenue.

Grammar School No. 83, No. 216 East One Hundred and Tenth street.

The lectures will begin at eight o'clock P. M., and will be given every Monday and Thursday evening during the months of January, February, March and April, 1889.

DE WITT J. SELIGMAN,  
 Chairman,

GRACE H. DODGE,  
 MILES M. O'BRIEN,  
 W. J. WELCH,  
 R. GUGGENHEIMER,

Committee on Evening Schools.

ARTHUR McMULLIN,  
 Clerk.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
 BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS AND OF WATER RENTS.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS AND CLERK OF ARREARS,  
 STEWART BUILDING, ROOM 35, March 9, 1889.

NOTICE OF THE SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS for unpaid taxes of 1883, 1884 and 1885, and Croton water rents of 1882, 1883 and 1884, under the direction of Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller of the City of New York.

The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882—

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24, inclusive, in the City of New York, on which taxes have been laid and confirmed for the years 1883, 1884 and 1885, and are now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the Wards aforesaid, on which the regular Croton water rents have been laid for the years 1882, 1883 and 1884, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said taxes and Croton water rents so remaining due and unpaid, with the interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at his office in the Finance Department, in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street, in said city.

And that if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, June 10, 1889, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the amount of tax or Croton water rent, as the case may be, so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon, as aforesaid, to the time of sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be con-

tinued from time to time until all the lands and tenements so advertised for sale shall be sold.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the taxes and the Croton water rents, the ownership of the property on which taxes and Croton water rents remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,  
 Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price ..... \$100 00  
 The same in 25 volumes, half bound ..... 50 00  
 Complete sets, folded, ready for binding ..... 15 00  
 Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound ..... 10 00

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
 Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 March 6, 1889.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Tenth Avenue and Morningside Avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court February 15, 1889, and entered on the 1st day of March, 1889, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before May 6, 1889, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
 Comptroller.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
 ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
 NEW YORK, February 21, 1889.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR CLEARING AND removing all timber, brush, grass, and other vegetable growth from the lands that are required for the purpose of locating thereon the East Branch Reservoir, on the east branch of the Croton river and on Bog Brook, in the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York, 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 Wednesday, March 13, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of said approved contract and specifications, and bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and all other information, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary, or at the office of Division Engineer George B. Burbank, at Brewsters, New York.

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
 Secretary.

## BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE CITY STATIONERY.

## BOARD OF THE CITY RECORD.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Fire Department of the City Government with Stationery, including Books, Blank Books, etc., as per annexed specifications, will be received at the office of the Mayor, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, the 25th day of March, 1889, at which place and time said estimates will be publicly opened and read.

Any person making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Stationery," and also the name of the person making it, and the date of its presentation.

Each 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 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, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, 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.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor; the amount of preliminary security to be given until each award, and in which the sureties shall justify, shall be FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Should the person 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 bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, as provided by law.

No estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation, and no estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate, full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the preliminary security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the Secretary of the Board of the City Record, 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 Secretary 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

N. B.—Bidders will state a total price for each description of Stationery or Blank Books as set forth in the specifications, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are called herein.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Board of the City Record to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

The entire quantity of Books and Stationery is to be put up in packages and delivered at such times and places and in such quantities as shall be directed by the Board of the City Record.

Separate contracts will be made with the lowest bidder for each and every description of Books or articles of Stationery involving an expense of more than five hundred dollars.

## DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.

For particulars as to the quantity and kind of Stationery and Blank Books reference must be had to the specifications attached to the blank forms of the estimates, copies of which, as well as samples of said Stationery and Blank Books may be seen by application to the Department of Public Works.

By order of the Board,  
 THOMAS COSTIGAN,  
 Supervisor of the City Record.

NEW YORK, March, 1889.

## PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE CITY PRINTING.

## BOARD OF THE CITY RECORD.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Fire Department of the City Government with Printing, as per annexed specifications, will be received at the office of the Mayor, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, the 25th day of March, 1889, at which place and time said estimates will be publicly opened and read.

Any person making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Printing," and also the name of the person making it, and the date of its presentation.

Each 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 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, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a

householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above all 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.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor; the amount of preliminary security to be given until each award, and in which the sureties shall justify, shall be FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Should the person 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 bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, as provided by law.

No estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation, and no estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the preliminary 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 Secretary of the Board of the City Record, 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 Secretary 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

N. B.—Bidders will state a total price for each description of Printing as set forth in the specifications, and all estimates will be considered informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are called herein.

Permit will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Board of City Record to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

The entire quantity of Printing is to be put up in packages and delivered at such times and places and in such quantities as shall be directed by the Board of City Record.

Separate contracts will be made with the lowest bidder for each and every description of Printing involving an expense of more than five hundred dollars.

#### DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.

For particulars as to the quantity and kind of Printing, reference must be had to the specifications attached to the blank forms of the estimates, copies of which, as well as samples of said printing, may be seen by application to the Department of Public Works.

By order of the Board,  
THOMAS COSTIGAN,  
Supervisor of the CITY RECORD.  
NEW YORK, March, 1889.

### PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE CITY PRINTING.

#### BOARD OF THE CITY RECORD.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Health Department of the City Government with Printing, as per annexed specifications, will be received at the office of the Mayor, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 15th day of March, 1889, at which place and time said estimates will be publicly opened and read.

Any person making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope endorsed "Estimate for furnishing Printing," and also the name of the person making it, and the date of its presentation.

Each 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 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, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above all 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.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor; the amount of preliminary security to be given until each award, and in which the sureties shall justify, shall be FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Should the person 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 bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not

execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, as provided by law.

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The entire quantity of Printing is to be put up in packages and delivered at such times and places and in such quantities as shall be directed by the Board of City Record.

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#### DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.

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By order of the Board,  
THOMAS COSTIGAN,  
Supervisor of the CITY RECORD.  
NEW YORK, March, 1889.

### PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE CITY STATIONERY.

#### BOARD OF THE CITY RECORD.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Health Department of the City Government with Stationery, including Books, Blank Books, etc., as per annexed specifications, will be received at the office of the Mayor, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 15th day of March, 1889, at which place and time said estimates will be publicly opened and read.

Any person making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope endorsed "Estimate for furnishing Stationery," and also the name of the person making it, and the date of its presentation.

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

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The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor; the amount of preliminary security to be given until each award, and in which the sureties shall justify, shall be FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

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

N. B.—Bidders will state a total price for each description of Stationery and Blank Books as set forth in the specifications, and all estimates will be considered informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are called herein.

Permit will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Board of City Record to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

The entire quantity of Books and Stationery is to be put up in packages and delivered at such times and places and in such quantities as shall be directed by the Board of City Record.

Separate contracts will be made with the lowest bidder for each and every description of Books and Stationery involving an expense of more than five hundred dollars.

#### DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.

For particulars as to the quantity and kind of Stationery, reference must be had to the specifications attached to the blank forms of the estimates, copies of which, as well as samples of said Stationery, may be seen by application to the Department of Public Works.

By order of the Board,  
THOMAS COSTIGAN,  
Supervisor of the CITY RECORD.  
NEW YORK, March, 1889.

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 27th day of March, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a proposed change in the width of Railroad avenue, West, between Morris avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the width of Railroad avenue, West, from sixty to fifty feet, between Morris avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

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

J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
STEVENSON TOWLE,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 27th day of March, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a proposed change of grade of Vanderbilt avenue, East, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, and between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets, in the Twenty-third Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the grades of those portions of Vanderbilt avenue, East, above described.

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

J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
STEVENSON TOWLE,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 4, 1889.

#### NOTICE.

PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE PROPOSED grades of the following named streets in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, are requested to call at the office of the Department of Public Parks, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, within ten days from date, and examine maps or plans showing the grades proposed to be established and make known their views in relation thereto:

East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from the Southern Boulevard to Long Island Sound, and Union street, from Lind avenue to Ogden avenue.

East One Hundred and Forty-first street, from St. Ann's avenue to Locust avenue.

Ogden avenue, from Orchard street to Aqueduct avenue.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
March 8, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 27th day of March, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence, that may then and there be offered in reference to the proposed discontinuance and closing of portions of certain avenues and streets crossing lands lying between Sheridan and Morris avenues and the Harlem Railroad, the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated changes consist in discontinuing and closing portions of the following avenues and streets, to wit: 1st, Railroad avenue, west, between Sheridan and Morris avenues.

2d, Sherman avenue, between East One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets.

3d, Grant avenue, between Railroad avenue, west, and One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

4th, East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Railroad avenue, west, and the New York & Harlem Railroad.

5th, East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Sheridan avenue and the New York & Harlem Railroad.

In extending Juliet street, from Sheridan to Sherman avenue, and providing a viaduct over the lines of Juliet street, from Morris avenue to Sheridan avenue.

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

J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
STEVENSON TOWLE,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1889.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, March 20, 1889:

No. 1. For Constructing Sewers and Appurtenances in St. Ann's Avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Streets, between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth Streets, and between One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street and Port Morris Branch Railroad.

No. 2. For Furnishing and Delivering, where required, Broken Trap-rock Stone, Trap-rock Screenings and Screened Gravel, of quality known as "Roan Hook Gravel," along certain Roads, Avenues and Streets in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York.

No. 3. For Furnishing and Delivering, where required, Broken North River Granite and Granite Screenings along certain roads, avenues and streets in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

No. 4. For Furnishing and Delivering Sod, where required, on the Central and City Parks.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately, that is, more than one work must not be included in the same estimate or envelope.

The nature and extent of each of the works, as near as it is possible to state them, in advance, is as follows:

#### NUMBER 1, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

780 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

70 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer.

11 manholes complete.

650 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete cradle for pipe sewers.

2,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

In addition to the above quantities of work to be done, if sheet piling is required and ordered by the Engineer to be left in the trench, it will be measured and paid for at ONE-HALF of the price bid for lumber. Also the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of \$4 per day.

#### NUMBER 2, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

9,000 cubic yards of 2½-inch broken trap-rock stone.  
6,000 cubic yards of trap-rock screenings,  
500 cubic yards screened gravel.

#### NUMBER 3, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

2,400 cubic yards 2½-inch broken North river granite.  
1,600 cubic yards granite screenings.

#### NUMBER 4, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

200,000 square feet of sod, to be delivered on or before July 1, 1889, in such quantities not exceeding 4,000 square feet per day, as may be required.

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 statement, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the depth of the excavation to be made, or the nature or amount of the work to be done.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before enumerated, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The person making any bid or estimate must furnish the same, inclosed in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department, at his office, on or before the day and hour above mentioned.

The envelope must be indorsed with the name or names of the person presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to

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

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

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is as follows:

For Number 1, above-mentioned	\$2,600 00
" 2, " "	15,000 00
" 3, " "	4,000 00
" 4, " "	2,000 00

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contracts when awarded will, in each case, be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had, at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
STEVENSON TOWLE,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 28, 1889.

#### MANURE.

#### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,200 LOADS OF MANURE WHERE REQUIRED ON THE CITY PARKS

will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, March 13, 1889.

The person making any bid or estimate must furnish the same, inclosed in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department, at his office, on or before the day and hour above mentioned.

The envelope must be indorsed with the name or names of the person presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract

awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$2,000.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contract when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and information can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
STEVENSON TOWLE,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, IRON, TIN, LEATHER, HARDWARE, WOODENWARE, ETC., AND LUMBER.

#### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

##### GROCERIES, ETC.

10,300 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, March 21, 1889.

1,600 pounds Cheese.

5,000 pounds Dried Apples.

150 pounds Pure Ground Pepper,  $\frac{1}{4}$  pounds.

1,000 pounds Macaroni.

50 pounds Citron.

15 tubs best quality kettle-rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.

4,050 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

12 dozen Tomato Catsup.

100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each; to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

30 barrels best quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.

631 barrels good, sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.

50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.

1,600 heads prime good sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels.

100 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

##### CROCKERY.

10 gross Bowls.

10 gross Dinner Plates.

2 gross Lantern Globes.

3 gross Handled Mugs.

3 gross Tumblers.

$\frac{1}{2}$  gross Spittoons.

##### DRY GOODS, ETC.

100 pieces Oiled Muslin.

20,000 Sewing Needles, 10 each, 75 and 85.

200 pounds Ball Lamp Wick.

838 pounds pure S. A. Curled Hair.

3 dozen Tailors' Measures.

6 B. F. Blouses.

2 bolts Cotton Duck, No. 4, 26 inches wide.

300 pounds Linen Thread, No. 30.

##### HARDWARE, IRON, AND TIN.

2 dozen Scythes.

2 dozen Horse Raps, 14 inch.

150 papers best quality Finishing Nails, 50 each,  $\frac{3}{4}$ ", 1", 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ".

25 dozen papers Carpet Tacks, 5  $\frac{3}{4}$  oz., 20 8 oz.

150 gross Screws, 10  $\frac{1}{4}$ " No. 10, 10  $\frac{1}{4}$ " No. 12, 20  $\frac{1}{4}$ " No. 8, 60  $\frac{1}{4}$ " No. 10, 50  $\frac{1}{4}$ " No. 12.

1 bundle first quality Refined Iron,  $\frac{3}{4}$ " round.

1 bundle first quality Refined Iron,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " round.

2,300 feet first quality Refined Iron,  $\frac{3}{4}$ " round.

500 feet first quality Refined Iron,  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x  $\frac{1}{4}$ ".

10 boxes best quality Charcoal Tin, 1XX, 14 x 20.

##### WOODENWARE, LEATHER AND FINDINGS, ETC.

24 dozen Dust Brushes.

1 coil best quality Manila Rope,  $\frac{1}{4}$ ".

2,000 pounds Offal Leather.

3 dozen Shoe Measures.

6 dozen Sand Stones.

2 bales Broom Corn.

2 dozen Settees "Knockdown."

##### LUMBER.

5,000 feet first quality extra clear Shelving, thoroughly seasoned, 12 to 16 inches x 12 to 16 feet, dressed two sides.

50,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Boards, 1" x 12 to 15" x 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.

20,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Boards,  $\frac{5}{8}$ " x 12 to 15" x 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.

100 first quality Spruce Plank,  $\frac{1}{4}$ " inch.

100 first quality clear, thoroughly seasoned White Pine Ceiling Boards,  $\frac{7}{8}$ " x  $\frac{1}{2}$ ", tongued and grooved, dressed and beaded one side.

100 feet first quality extra clear, thoroughly seasoned White Pine,  $\frac{1}{4}$ ", dressed two sides.

250 feet first quality extra clear, thoroughly seasoned White Pine,  $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 14", dressed two sides.

125 feet first quality extra clear, thoroughly seasoned White Pine,  $\frac{5}{8}$ ", dressed two sides.

1,500 feet first quality, thoroughly seasoned, edged or vertical grained Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring,  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 3".

400 first quality extra clear, thoroughly seasoned White Pine Plank,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 10" x 16", dressed two sides.

7,000 feet first quality, thoroughly seasoned, edged or vertical grained Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring,  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 3".

50 first quality Spruce Joists, 3 x 4.

50 first quality Spruce Joists, 2 x 4.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, March 22, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Crockery, Dry Goods, Iron, Tin, Leather, Hardware, Woodenware and Lumber," with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, 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, March 11, 1889.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,  
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN MAKING ALTERATIONS TO THE LODGE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, N. Y.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, March 19, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for making alterations to The Lodge, Blackwell's Island," and with his or her 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 her bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 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 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, March 6, 1889.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,  
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,  
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 1, 1889.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC auction, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Wednesday, March 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following, viz:

1,250 barrels Bones, more or less.

—to be delivered at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street during the year 1889.

To be delivered semi-weekly, and to be paid for as follows:

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

R. E. CLEARY,  
Storekeeper.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 4, 1889.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Sixth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair, mixed with gray; sandy moustache; brown eyes. Had on black overcoat, dark mixed coat and vest, dark pants, striped shirt, gray woolen shirt, red flannel undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, white woolen socks, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Anthony Vanderberger, aged 61 years; 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high; gray eyes; black hair.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, January 14, 1889.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1889, are and will remain open for examination and correction until the thirtieth day of April, 1889.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 300.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING FROM THE SOUTHERLY SIDE LINE OF WEST SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, EXTENDED, TO THE NORTHERLY SIDE LINE OF WEST EIGHTIETH STREET, EXTENDED, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING FROM WEST SEVENTY-SEVENTH TO WEST EIGHTIETH STREET, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1889,

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

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

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

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

Bulkhead foot of West Seventy-seventh street, North river.....	2,000 cubic yards.
Bulkhead between West Seventy-seventh and West Seventy-eighth streets, North river.....	7,000 "
Bulkhead foot of West Seventy-eighth street, North river.....	2,500 "
Bulkhead between West Seventy-eighth and West Seventy-ninth streets, North river.....	5,000 "
Pier at West Seventy-ninth street, North river.....	4,700 "
Bulkhead between West Seventy-ninth and West Eightieth streets, North river.....	3,000 "
Bulkhead at foot of West Eightieth street, North river.....	1,500 "
Total.....	25,700 "

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of May, 1889, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract fixed, and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the contractor, and deposited in all respects, according to law.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
CHARLES A. SILLIMAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated NEW YORK, March 11, 1889.

(Work of construction under new plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 298.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE STONES FOR BULK-HEAD OR RIVER WALL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE stones for bulkhead or river wall, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1889,

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

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

The bidder to whom 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 Six Thousand Dollars.

The engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

To be furnished, cut in accordance with specifications.

834 pieces of Granite, consisting of:  
Class I.—422 Headers and 350 Stretchers, containing about 15,300 cubic feet.  
Class II.—62 Coping Stones, containing about 5,000 cubic feet.

For further particulars see the drawings referred to in the specifications forming part of the contract.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities of cubic feet, 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 part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of similar stones now owned by the Department of Docks, and of the plans, 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 each class of the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the prices therefor, per cubic foot, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The contract is to be fully completed on or before the first day of November, 1889.

On or before the first day of June, 1889, about 1,000 cubic feet of Granite, and an additional amount of about 4,000 cubic feet of Granite on or before the first day of July, 1889, and an additional amount of about 4,000 cubic feet of Headers and Stretchers on or before the first day of each month following, up to and including November, 1889, the amounts to be divided between the several classes, as ordered by the Engineer-in-Chief, are to be completed and delivered in accordance with the terms of the contract. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled, after the respective times fixed for the fulfillment thereof have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates the prices per cubic foot for the stones to be furnished, in each class, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices 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 to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done 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 and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
CHARLES A. SILLIMAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated NEW YORK, March 6, 1889.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, auctioneers, will sell to the highest bidders, at public auction, for account of the Department of Docks, on Wednesday, March 20, 1889, at West Thirtieth street, North river, at 10 o'clock A. M.,

One Osgood Dredging Machine, No. 3, with her tackle and apparel, as she lies at or near the foot of West Thirtieth street on the day of sale.

The purchaser must remove the dredge within five days from the date of sale.

CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., at the foot of West Thirtieth street, North river.

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

An order will be given for the dredge purchased.

EDWIN A. POST,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
CHARLES A. SILLIMAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," BATTERY,  
NEW YORK, March 4, 1889.

NOTICE.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1889,

at 12 o'clock, noon, the lease of certain land under water adjoining Pier, old 36, East river, located and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the bulkhead along the southerly line of South street, which said point is distant about 120 feet westerly from the westerly line of Market Slip; thence running southerly along the present easterly side line of Pier, old 36, East river, a distance of about 338.7 feet to the present southeasterly corner of the said pier; thence running westerly along the present outer end of the said pier, a distance of about 86.3 feet, to the present southwesterly corner of the said pier; thence running northerly a distance of about 37.5 feet to the southwesterly corner of Pier, old 36, East river, as it was prior to widening and extension in the year 1879; thence easterly a distance of about 42 feet along the outer end of the said pier as it was prior to widening and extension in the year 1879; thence northerly a distance of about 300 feet along the easterly line of said pier as it was prior to widening and extension in the year 1879, to a point in the bulkhead along the southerly line of South street; thence running northerly along the bulkhead along the southerly line of South street, a distance of about 45 feet to the point and place of beginning, containing an area of about 15,885 square feet.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

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

The term for which the lease is sold will commence at the date mentioned in the advertisement, viz., May 1, 1889, and the rent accruing therefrom will be payable from that date.

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
CHARLES A. SILLIMAN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 299.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW DUMPING-BOARD ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF EAST THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a New Dumping-board on the pier at the foot of East Thirty-eighth 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

FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1889,

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

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

The bidder to whom 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 Six Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars.

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

Wooden dumping-board complete, containing about the following quantities:

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	90
" " " 10" x 12".....	7,685
" " " 10" x 10".....	11,768
" " " 8" x 10".....	212
" " " 6" x 12".....	720
" " " 6" x 6".....	243
" " " 5" x 12".....	120
" " " 5" x 11".....	3,644
" " " 5" x 10".....	12,878
" " " 4" x 10".....	1,459
Total.....	38,819

NOTE.—Attention is called to Article 25 of the specifications, allowing creosoting under certain conditions.

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 6".....	475
" " " 2" x 5".....	208
Total.....	683

NOTE.—This quantity of yellow pine timber will be uncreosoted.

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
3. Spruce, 3" x 10".....	2,864
4. Spruce or Yellow Pine Boards, 1", about.....	1,744
NOTE.—The above quantities in items 1, 2, 3 and 4 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.	
5. Oak Spring Piles, about 60 feet long.....	3
6. 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", and 1/2" x 6" square Wrought-iron Dock Spikes, 40d. and 10d. Nails, and 3/8" x 3" Screws, about.....	2,347 pounds
7. 1 1/2", 1" and 3/4" Wrought-iron Screw Bolts and Nuts, about.....	1,011 "
8. Wrought-iron Straps and Washers, about.....	1,389 "
9. Cast-iron Cleats, about.....	675 "
10. Cast-iron Washers for 1" and 3/4" Screw-bolts, about.....	392 "
11. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, framing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description, for an area of about 3,333 square feet of dumping-board and ramp.	

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

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

(2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before-mentioned, which shall be actually 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 within five days from the receipt of a notice from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that the work may be begun, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the thirty-first day of May, 1889, or within as many days thereafter as may elapse after the date of the contract before a notice is given to the contractor by the Engineer that the work may be begun, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price 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 following table gives the required lengths and the number of pieces of each length, in each dimension of size, to be delivered under this contract to cover the above specified number of feet board measure in each dimension :

SECTIONS.		7 inches by 14 inches.	7 inches by 12 inches.	7 inches by 9 inches.	6 inches by 12 inches.	5 inches by 12 inches.	5 inches by 11 inches.	5 inches by 10 inches.	4 inches by 12 inches.	4 inches by 10 inches.
LENGTHS.		NUMBER OF PIECES.								
38 feet 3 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
37 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	82	..	..
36 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	..	..
35 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..
35 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
34 feet 6 inches.	1	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	..
34 feet 0 inches.	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	42	..	..
33 feet 6 inches.	..	14	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..
33 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	28	..	..
32 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..
32 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..
31 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58	..	..
31 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
30 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1,167
29 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	33	..	..
28 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43	..	..
28 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
27 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
27 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	39	..	..
26 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
26 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..
25 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
24 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..
24 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
23 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
23 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	500
22 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	500
22 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
21 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
21 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	85	..	..
20 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	..	..	..
19 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	..	..
18 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	167	..
18 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	..	500
17 feet 9 inches.	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	500
17 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30
15 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
14 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..
14 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
13 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	88	..	100
12 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	163	..	..	..	..	..
11 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7 feet 0 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	500
6 feet 9 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6 feet 6 inches.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total pieces.	3	14	3	163	24	63	555	2	2,477	

At least 50,000 feet, board measure, of the timber is to be delivered within sixty days, Sundays excepted, from the date of the contract, and at least 50,000 feet, board measure, of the timber is to be delivered in each calendar month after said sixty days have expired, and if the timber to be delivered under this contract is to be delivered on or before the second day of September, 1880, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the

Dated NEW YORK, March 11, 1889.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
JOHN JEROLAMAN,  
JOHN H. KITCHEN,  
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 CHISHOLM STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Stebbins avenue to Jennings 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.

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 JENNINGS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Union avenue to Stebbins 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.

Beginning at a point distant 6,074.94 feet north of the eastern prolongation of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured at right angle to the same from a point 10,603.57 feet east of the intersection of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street with the eastern line of Tenth avenue  
1st. Thence easterly in a line forming an angle of 53° 26' 45" to the right from a line parallel to Tenth avenue for 1,290.10 feet.

rd. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° to the right, for 37.54 feet.  
 3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 27° 59' 45" to the right, for 25.44 feet.  
 4th. Thence westerly, deflecting 62° 00' 15" to the right, for 1,378.16 feet.  
 5th. Thence northerly for 60 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, March 1, 1889.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,

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 Com-

monality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring

title, wherever the same has not been heretofore ac-

quired, to BRISTOW STREET (although not yet

named by proper authority), extending from Stebbins

avenue to Boston road, in the Twenty-third Ward of

the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore

laid out and designated as a first-class street or road

by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH

cases made and provided, notice is hereby given

that an application will be made to the Supreme Court

of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said

court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County

Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday,

the 4th day of April, 1889, at the opening of court

on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be

heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners

of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled mat-

ter. 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 open-

ing of a certain street or avenue known as Bristow

street, extending from Stebbins avenue to Boston road,

in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as

the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as

a first-class street or road by the Department of Public

Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or par-

cels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point distant 6,391.86 feet north of the

eastern prolongation of the southern line of West One

Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured at right angles

to the same from a point 11,725.67 feet east of the inter-

section of the southern line of West One Hundred and

Fifty-fifth street with the eastern line of Tenth avenue.

1st. Thence northerly on a line forming an angle of

36° 33' 15" to the left with a line parallel to Tenth avenue,

through the point of beginning, for 1,039.47 feet to the

southern line of Boston road.

2d. Thence southerly along the southern line of

Boston road for 65.78 feet.

3d. Thence southerly, deflecting 65° 47' 37" to the

left, for 1,125.24 feet.

4th. Thence northerly, deflecting 139° 38' 57" to the

left, for 0.27 feet.

5th. Thence northerly for 127.45 feet to the point of

beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commis-

sioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the office

of the Register of the City and County of New York, in

the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New

York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, March 1, 1889.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,

Counsel to the Corporation,

No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NEW AQUEDUCT—WESTCHESTER COUNTY

SECTION.

In the matter of the petition of Hubert O. Thompson,

Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York,

under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the

Laws of 1883, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen

and Commonality of the City of New York, for the ap-

pointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chap-

ter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL

parties who have not appeared before the Commis-

sioners of Appraisal for the Westchester County

Section of the New Aqueduct, which Commissioners

were duly appointed herein by order dated October 11,

1884, that the following reports of said Commissioners

were confirmed by the Supreme Court by its orders

duly entered herein in the office of the Clerk of the

County of Westchester, at the village of White Plains

in said county, as follows:

First—The First Separate Report by order entered as

aforsaid on March 1, 1887.

Second—The Report Supplemental to the First Sepa-

rate Report by order entered as aforsaid on March 8,

1887.

Third—The Second Separate Report by order entered

as aforsaid on August 17, 1887.

Fourth—The Third Separate Report by order entered

as aforsaid on October 27, 1888.

Dated New York, February 15, 1889.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,

Counsel to the Corporation,

Attorney for Petitioner,

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 Com-

monality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring

title, wherever the same has not been heretofore ac-

quired, to FEATHERBED LANE (although not yet

named by proper authority), extending from Aqueduct

avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth

Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been

heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class

street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 4th day of April, 1889, at the opening of court

on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be

heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners

of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled mat-

ter. 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 open-

ing of a certain street or avenue known as Feather-

bed lane, extending from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome

avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New

York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and

designated as a first-class street or road by the Depart-

ment of Public Parks, being the following described

lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Jerome

avenue, distant 3,462.43 feet south of the intersection

of the southern line of Burnside avenue with the western

line of Jerome avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of

Jerome avenue for 80 feet.

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right, for 330

feet.

3d. Thence southwesterly, curving to the left on the

arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose

radius is 130 feet, for 177.35 feet, to a point of reverse

curve.

4th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle

tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 620

feet, for 233.63 feet, to a point of compound curve.

5th. Thence westerly on the arc of a circle tangent to

the preceding course, whose radius is 140 feet, for 82.17

feet, to a point of reverse curve.

6th. Thence westerly on the arc of a circle tangent to

the preceding course, whose radius is 60 feet, for 49.04

feet.

7th. Thence northwesterly on a line, deflecting 3° 45'

16" to the left from the prolongation of the radius of the

preceding course drawn through its western extremity,

for 151.07 feet.

8th. Thence northerly, deflecting 43° 11' 11" to the

right, for 198.25 feet.

9th. Thence northwesterly, curving to the left on the

arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose

radius is 50 feet, for 84.73 feet.

10th. Thence westerly on a line tangent to the preced-

ing course for 487.81 feet.

11th. Thence westerly, curving to the right on the arc

of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose

radius is 376.32 feet, for 186.09 feet.

12th. Thence westerly on a line tangent to the preced-

ing course for 314.78 feet.

13th. Thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc

of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose

radius is 20 feet, for 21.01 feet.

14th. Thence northerly, deflecting 90° to the right from

the prolongation of the radius of the preceding

course, drawn through its western extremity, for

223.61 feet.

15th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 88° 28' 12" to

the right, for 1.73 feet.

16th. Thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc

of a circle, whose centre lies in the eastern prolongation

of the preceding course, and whose radius is 70 feet, for

144.5 feet.

17th. Thence easterly on a line tangent to the preced-

ing course for 157.82 feet.

18th. Thence easterly, curving to the left on the arc

of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius

is 296.32 feet, for 146.53 feet.

19th. Thence easterly on a line tangent to the preced-

ing course for 607.91 feet.

20th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 77° 13' 41" to

the right, for 179.35 feet.

21st. Thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc

of a circle, whose radius through the extremity of the

preceding course deflects 39° 22' 34" to the left from its

prolongation, and is 100 feet, for 53.69 feet.

22d. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preced-

ing course for 54.46 feet.

23d. Thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc

of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius

is 110.04 feet, for 60.01 feet to a point of compound curve.

24th. Thence easterly on the arc of a circle tangent

to the preceding course, whose radius is 60 feet, for 88.14

feet to a point of compound curve.

25th. Thence northerly on the arc of a circle

tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 540

feet, for 194.78 feet, to a point of reverse curve.

26th. Thence northerly, on the arc of a circle

tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 210

feet, for 86.50 feet.

27th. Thence easterly for 330 feet to the point of

beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commis-

sioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the office

of the Register of the City and County of New York, in

the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New

York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, March 1, 1889.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,

Counsel to the Corporation,

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 2d day of April, 1889.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 1, 1889.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
NEW YORK, March 12, 1889.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A** sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 11.30 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 25, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

**No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE TAKING DOWN OF THE MARBLE STEPS LEADING TO THE PORTICO ON THE SOUTH FRONT OF CITY HALL, AND REBUILDING THE SAME, AND RETILING THE PLATFORM UNDER PORTICO.**

**No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN BUILDING TWO FLOATING SWIMMING BATHS, "A" AND "B."**

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

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

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

D. LOWBER SMITH,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1889.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED** envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Thursday, March 21, 1889, 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 WEST END AVENUE, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street.**

**No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET, from First avenue to the present bulkhead line of the East or Harlem river.**

**No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF TENTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Tenth street to Manhattan street.**

**No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, from its intersection with Morning-side avenue, near One Hundred and Thirtieth street, to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.**

**No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREET, from Seventh to Lenox avenue.**

**No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.**

**No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, from St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue.**

**No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.**

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D. LOWBER SMITH,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS AND RULES GOVERNING THE USE OF WATER, FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY ORDER OF JOHN NEWTON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

**UNDER CHAPTER 470, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 and 353, and as amended by chapter 559, Laws 1887, as follows:**

"The commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings in said city in reference to their dimensions, values, exposure to fires, ordinary uses for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, number of families or occupants, or consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall become a charge and lien upon the buildings upon which they are respectively imposed, and, if not paid, shall be returned as arrears to the clerk of arrears. Such regular rents, including the extra charges above mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water. Said rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as herein provided, but no charge whatever shall be made against any building in which a water-meter may have been, or shall be placed as provided in this act. In all such cases the charge for water shall be determined only by the quantity of water actually used as shown by said meters. \* \* \* \* \*

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

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit: **Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 16 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

### METERS.

Under the provisions of section 352, Consolidated Act 1882, water-meters, of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

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

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

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

### Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
60	05	9 00
70	05	10 50
80	05	12 00
90	05	13 50
100	05	15 00
150	05	22 50
200	05	30 00
250	04½	33 75
300	04	36 00
350	03½	36 75
400	03½	42 00
500	03½	52 50
600	03½	63 00
700	03½	73 50
800	03½	82 00
900	03½	94 50
1,000	03½	105 00
1,500	03	135 00
2,000	02½	150 00
2,500	02½	180 00
3,000	02½	225 00
4,000	02½	280 00
4,500	02½	303 75
5,000	02½	333 50
6,000	02	360 00
7,000	02	420 00
8,000	02	480 00
9,000	02	540 00
10,000	02	600 00

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

By order,  
JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 21, 1887.

## PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

D. LOWBER SMITH,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 10, 1886.

## NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## GRANTS OF LANDS UNDER WATER.

**THE OWNERS OF LANDS IN THE CITY OF** New York, which were formerly under water, and which were granted by the City of New York, are notified that nearly all of the grants of such lands contain covenants, on the part of the grantees, and their successors and assigns, to maintain and keep in repair the adjacent streets. The condition of many of these streets is such as to make it necessary that they should be repaired and repaved, and that the obligation resting upon the present owners of adjacent lots to do this work should now be enforced. Many of such owners have requested that such covenants be commuted, and wholly released, upon the payment by them of a certain sum per lot.

The matter will shortly be presented to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for their consideration, and the adjustment of the basis of commutation, and application for releases should therefore be made at once.

They may be sent to the undersigned.  
Dated New York City, August 7, 1888.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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