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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, July 14, 1891,
12 o'clock, M.

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

PRESENT :

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President ;

ALDERMEN

Andrew A. Noonan,
Vice-President,
Samuel H. Bailey,
Nicholas T. Brown,
William Clancy,
Peter J. Dooling,
Charles H. Duffy,
Henry Flegenheimer,
The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Cornelius Flynn,
Horatio S. Harris,
Harry C. Hart,
Jacob Kunzeman,
Thomas M. Lynch,
Abraham Mead,
August Moebus,
Rollin M. Morgan,

George B. Morris,
John Morris,
William H. Murphy,
David J. Roche,
Frank Rogers,
Patrick J. Ryder,
William Tait.

PETITION.

Alderman Mead presented a memorial of the West Side Association, as follows :

Whereas, We, the members of the West Side Citizens' Association, have learned that a report has been submitted to the Board of Aldermen by the Railroad Committee of that body to the effect that a petition was presented to them wherein it states that hundreds of mercantile firms, market-men, business men, laborers and residents of Tenth and Eleventh avenues, from Sixtieth street to St. John's Park, remonstrate against any interference with the running of trains on said avenues by the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. Co. ; and

Whereas, We are justified in believing that such a statement is an absolute untruth, but that on the other hand, many thousands of the citizens of the west side of the city and representing the very best element of our people and all bona fide residents have petitioned the Board of Aldermen to take such action as will compel the above-named company to cease running trains along said avenues ; and

Whereas, By reason of the arguments submitted by the eminent counsel to this association, as well as by the officers and other of its members, to the effect that said company have no right in law to run trains at all hours of the day and night along one of the most populous avenues in the city, or to use any of the public highways for their almost exclusive use ; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the people, in mass-meeting assembled, do express our positive indignation and disapproval of the report as presented by the said Railroad Committee to the Board of Aldermen ; and be it further

Resolved, That we request—as we certainly do expect—that the Board of Aldermen will at once repudiate the action of the Railroad Committee in this matter, and pass an ordinance which will remove from our midst a railroad which is a constant danger to life and a positive injury to business and all adjoining property.

Resolved, That a copy of the resolutions just passed be sent to the Mayor and also to each member of the Board of Aldermen.

Resolved, That we, the members of the West Side Citizens' Association, express our sincere thanks to those newspapers who are in this matter acting as the champions of the people as against a soulless corporation.

Resolved, That a delegation of citizens appear before the Board of Aldermen, on the occasion of their next meeting, to demand that justice from them which, as public representatives, the people of the west side of our city are entitled to.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Alderman Morgan moved a reconsideration of the above reference.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The paper was then laid over in connection with the special order of the day, being a report of the Committee on Railroads on the subject of the use of dummy engines in the Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
July 8, 1891.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, with approval, the resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted June 30, 1891, permitting the keeping of an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of the southwest corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reports that the proposed ornamental lamp is to be an advertising sign. It is not considered desirable to permit the erection of ornamental lamps by private parties for advertising purposes.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Cohn & Co. to place and keep ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of southwest corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps ; that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter ; the work to be done and gas supplied at their 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.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
July 9, 1891.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without approval, the resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted June 30, 1891, permitting the erection and maintenance of a storm-door at No. 91 Cortlandt street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reports on this resolution as follows : "While many such storm-doors have heretofore been erected under permission granted by resolutions of the Common Council, this Department holds that they are in violation of the law, and that the Common Council has no power to grant such permission."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Fink to erect a storm-door in front of his premises (within the stoop-line), No. 91 Cortlandt street, the same to be nine feet high and two feet deep, nine feet long ; same to be erected in accordance with diagram hereto annexed.

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 :

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
July 9, 1891.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without approval, the resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted June 30, 1891, permitting the keeping of a watering-trough in front of No. 567 Hudson street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reports that the resolution is objectionable inasmuch as it would involve the opening of the new pavement on Hudson street.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles McLaughlin to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of the premises No. 567 Hudson street, 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.

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 :

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
July 9, 1891.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted June 30, 1891, which provides for the regulating, grading, etc., of Clinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Jefferson street.

Following is the report on this resolution which I have received from the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, viz. :

"Clinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Jefferson street was ceded by Gouverneur Morris, November 8, 1864, fifty feet wide. The Board of Parks widened it ten feet on the west side, as is shown on the filed map of the Hunt's Point District. The city has no title to this strip of ten feet as yet, and Clinton avenue in consequence cannot be regulated and graded until the proceedings for acquiring said strip of land are confirmed."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That Clinton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Jefferson street, be regulated and graded, that curb-stones be set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and that crosswalks be laid at intersecting and terminating streets and avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

(G. O. 481.)

By Alderman Bailey—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 14, 1891.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the following-named street be repaved with granite-block pavement on concrete foundation : One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Mount Morris to Lenox avenue, crosswalks of bridge-stone of North river blue stone to be laid, relaid or renewed at the several intersecting streets where necessary, and that curb-stones of North river blue stone be furnished and set where required, the work to be done by contract, publicly let to the lowest bidder.

Very respectfully,

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave, with granite-block pavement on concrete foundation, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Mount Morris to Lenox avenue, crosswalks of bridge-stone of North river blue stone to be laid, relaid or renewed at the several street intersections where necessary, and the curb-stones along said street be reset to the proper grade, and new curb-stones of North river blue stone to be furnished and set where required ; the work to be done by contract publicly let to the lowest bidder.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 482.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the blocks bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, Lenox and Fifth 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. 483.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Madison and Park avenues, be paved with granite blocks, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating avenue, 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.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Aaron Healy to lay an iron pipe, not more than two inches in diameter, for conducting steam from the building on the north side of Ferry street to the building on the south side of said Ferry street, near the corner of Gold street, as shown on the accompanying diagram ; said pipe to be laid beneath the surface of the said street, and upon payment to the city, as compensation for the privilege, such amount as may be determined an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said Aaron Healy shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe, 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.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Harris—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to F. T. Dall & Co., apothecaries, to place and keep a thermometer of moderate size, and without advertisements, upon the lamp-post on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of the premises on the southwest corner of Columbus avenue and Seventy-eighth street, the thermometer to be supplied and the work to be done at their 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 the same—

Resolved, That the grounds known as "Shady Side Grove," Fort George, New York, above the terminus of the Cable road, opposite Fort George Hill, be and are hereby excepted from the provisions of section 103 of article XIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, relating to the firing of firearms.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Hart—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Albert Weiss to place and keep an iron drinking-fountain on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1606 First 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.

(G. O. 484.)

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That Croton-water mains be laid in East Vanderbilt avenue for a distance of five hundred feet north from One Hundred and Eightieth street, under the provisions of section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 485.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted on East Vanderbilt avenue for a distance five hundred feet north of One Hundred and Eightieth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 486.)

By the same—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed on Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, on the east side, two hundred feet north of Macomb's street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 487.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Kappock street, from Spuyten Duyvil Parkway to Johns avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 488.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-pipes be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Albany Post road, from Riverdale lane to Broadway, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Mead—

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 99 of chapter VIII. of the City Ordinances.

The Common Council of the City of New York do order and ordain as follows:

Section 99 of chapter VIII. of the City Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 99. Every stage or omnibus, when driven or used at night, shall have fixed upon the inside of the front of it a sufficiently lighted lamp or candle, so that the same shall be plainly visible from the outside of such vehicle, and every cab, hackney coach or carriage, when driven or used at night, shall have fixed upon the outside of the driver's seat, upon or at each side of it, a sufficiently lighted lamp or candle, so that the same shall be plainly visible from the outside of every such cab, hackney coach or carriage.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

(G. O. 489.)

By Alderman Moebus—

Resolved, That Railroad avenue, West, from Morris avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, be regulated and graded, the curb-stone be set, and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting street and avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 490.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements for the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 491.)

By the same—

Resolved, That George street, from Boston avenue to the westerly side of Prospect avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting street and avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That the street known as Fox street in the Twenty-third Ward, from Barretto street north to Intervale avenue, shall hereafter be known and designated as Lafayette street, this resolution to take effect December 1, 1891.

Alderman J. Morris moved that the resolution lay over until December 1, 1891.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Duffy, Flynn, and J. Morris—3.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Bailey, Brown, Dooling, Harris, Hart, Lynch, Mead, Moebus, G. B. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, Rogers, Ryder, and Tait—15.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman J. Morris—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Hillen to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of the Spangler House, in University place, corner Fourteenth street, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That the resolution approved July 14, 1891, permitting the Gas Appliance Exchange to keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 75 University place, be and is hereby amended by striking out the figures "75" before the word "University," and inserting in lieu thereof, the figures "71."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Flegenheimer—

AN ORDINANCE fixing the fee to be charged for affixing and attesting the Seal of the Corporation of the City of New York.

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

Section 1. The Clerk of the Common Council is hereby authorized and required to charge for affixing and attesting the Seal of the Corporation of the City of New York, except to instruments or documents to which the corporation of the City of New York shall be a party, the sum of three dollars, which said fee, when so received, shall be transmitted to the Comptroller, and by him be credited to the fund for the payment of interest on the city debt.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE regulating the directions to be taken by vehicles in their passage through certain streets of the city.

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

Section 1. No driver of any truck, cart, carriage or other vehicle shall traverse the public streets, avenues or places south of Canal street in said city in any other direction than that named in the second section of this ordinance, under a penalty of not less than two dollars nor more than five dollars for each and every violation of this ordinance.

Sec. 2. All vehicles going from north to south in any portion of said city south of Canal street must go through the following streets: Washington, West Broadway, College place, Elm, Broadway, Centre, Baxter, Pearl, Roosevelt, Gold, Park Row, Bowery, New Bowery, Front, Nassau, Broad, Beaver, Stone, State, South and West.

All vehicles going from west to east in said sections of the city must go through the following streets: Canal, Desbrosses, Beach, Lispenard, White, Franklin (from West to Hudson), Leonard, Thomas, Pearl, Elm, Duane, Reade, New Chambers, Robinson, Park place, Mail, Beekman,

Frankfort, Cherry, Peck Slip, Catharine, Vesey, Dey, John, Burling Slip, Liberty, Albany, Pine, Exchange place, Old Slip, Coenties Slip, Morris, Battery place and State.

All vehicles going from south to north in said section of the city must go through the following streets: Whitehall, South, Water, Broad, William, Old Slip, Coenties Slip, Cliff, Park Row, North William, Rose, Oliver, James, Centre, Mott, Bowery, New Bowery, Greenwich, Church, Broadway, West Broadway (from Chambers to Canal), Hudson and Varick.

All vehicles going from east to west in said section of the city must go through the following streets: Vestry, Lighthouse, Hubert, North Moore, Walker, Canal, Franklin (from Baxter to West Broadway), Jay, Harrison, Worth, Park, Park Row, Chambers, Warren, Murray, Barclay, Spruce, Ferry, Peck Slip, Ann, Fulton, Cortlandt, Maiden Lane, Burling Slip, Cedar, Wall, Rector, Old Slip, and Battery place.

Sec. 3. The streets not named in the foregoing section may be used by vehicles going in either direction, but on all other streets, except the following: Canal, West, West Broadway, Broadway, Centre, Bowery, New Bowery, Park Row, Battery place, South, Coenties Slip, Old Slip, Burling Slip, and Peck Slip, all vehicles must go in one direction only as laid down in the foregoing section.

Sec. 4. No person or persons shall drive any vehicle upon any public street, avenue or place south of Canal street in this city, named in section 2 of this ordinance, except in the direction named in that foregoing section, under a penalty of not less than two dollars nor more than five dollars for each offense.

Sec. 5. The Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to place at each intersecting street, in a prominent position, and as near as may be to the sign bearing the name of the street, an arrow of some durable material, the head of which shall point in the direction all vehicles must take on that thoroughfare, or that side of the thoroughfare of said public streets, avenues and places where driving in both directions is allowed; the said arrows to be painted blue when pointing to the east or south, and red when pointing to the west or north.

Sec. 6. All ordinances or resolutions or parts of ordinances or resolutions inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By the President—

Resolved, That the resolution granting permission to the New York Ice Company to lay a twelve-inch water pipe from their premises in East Nineteenth street, through said street to the East river, be revoked.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President moved to take from on file a resolution in favor of granting permission to the New York Ice Company to lay an iron pipe in Eighteenth street.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The paper is as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York Ice Company to lay a twelve-inch iron pipe for conducting salt water from the factory of the said company on Eighteenth street to the East river, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment to the city, as compensation for the privilege, such amount as may be determined an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said New York Ice Company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe, the work to be done at the expense of the company, 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 to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kunzeman—

Resolved, That the name of Fred. Herlich, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and it is hereby corrected and amended so as to read Fred. Herrlich.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman J. Morris—

Resolved, That the name of Simon P. Schattenkerk, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to appear Charles J. Schattenkerk.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Ryder—

Resolved, That the name of William J. A. McCaffrey, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and it is hereby corrected and amended so as to read William J. A. Caffrey.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That the name of Simon T. Kopelman, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Simon I. Kopelman.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 492.)

By Alderman Hart—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of Ninetieth street, from Park to Madison avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman J. Morris—

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and he is hereby authorized and directed to institute, without delay, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, legal proceedings to terminate the occupancy of any portion of Battery Park by the Elevated Railway Company.

Alderman Harris moved that the resolution lay on the table until the opinion of Counsel to the Corporation had been received on that subject, pursuant to the question of the Board.

Alderman Mead moved that Rule 36 be strictly enforced, which excludes certain persons from the floor of the chamber.

Alderman Flynn moved that Rule 36 be suspended during the present session.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Clancy moved the previous question.

Which having been seconded,

The President stated the question to be "shall the main question be now put?"

The President first put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Harris.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Bailey, Brown, Clancy, Dooling, Harris, Hart, Lynch, Moebus, G. B. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, and Tait—14.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Duffy, Flegenheimer, Flynn, Kunzeman, Mead, J. Morris, Rogers, and Ryder—9.

Vice-President Noonan asked to be excused from voting.

Objection being made, Alderman Flynn moved that he be excused.

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

Which was decided in the negative.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That George J. Karrer 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 Clancy—

Resolved, That Ferdinand Stoessel, Jr., 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 Henry Silverstone 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 William C. Moore 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 Dooling—

Resolved, That J. Brown, Jr., A. A. Murphy, be and they are hereby appointed, and Thomas J. McManus be reappointed 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 Duffy—
Resolved, That James J. Carroll 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 John J. Jones 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 H. Eugene Holdridge 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 Flynn—
Resolved, That William H. Lindsey 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 Harris—
Resolved, That Alfred W. Ahrens 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 Richard H. Treacy 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 Henry McLaughlin 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 Hart—
Resolved, That Thomas J. Crombie 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 Edward E. Van Saun 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 Lynch—
Resolved, That James H. Erb 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 Mead—
Resolved, That L. G. Warford 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 Morgan—
Resolved, That Sidney Smith be and he hereby is 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 J. Arthur Barratt 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 J. Morris—
Resolved, That William B. Rankine 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 Charles J. Fagan 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 Tait—
Resolved, That Jacob Feuchtwanger 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 Samuel Mosheim 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 Edwin C. Lewis 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.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Finance Department:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 3, 1891.

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, 1891, 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 Contingencie	\$2,000 00	\$221 15	\$1,778 85
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	.....	200 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	76,000 00	37,838 45	38,161 55

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 11, 1891.

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, 1891, 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:

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City Contingencies.	\$2,000 00	\$221 15	\$1,778 85
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	4 65	195 35
Salaries—Common Council.....	76,000 00	37,838 45	38,161 55

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which were severally ordered on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Roche called up G. O. 470, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That the sidewalks on the west side of Avenue A, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, and on the north side of Fifty-sixth street, extending a distance westerly from Avenue A of about two hundred feet, be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset, where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was placed on file.

Alderman Brown called up G. O. 318, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on the south side One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Lenox to Seventh avenue, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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, the Vice-President, Aldermen Bailey, Brown, Clancy, Dooling, Duffy, Flegenheimer, Harris, Hart, Kunzeman, Lynch, Mead, Moebus, G. B. Morris, J. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, Rogers, Ryder, and Tait—22.

Alderman Brown called up G. O. 461, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-first street, from the east side of Alexander avenue to the west side of Willis avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements for the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; 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, the Vice-President, Aldermen Bailey, Brown, Clancy, Dooling, Duffy, Flegenheimer, Harris, Hart, Kunzeman, Lynch, Mead, Moebus, G. B. Morris, J. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, Rogers, Ryder, and Tait—22.

Alderman Brown called up G. O. 371, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Manhattan and Columbus avenues, be paved with asphalt pavement, 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, the Vice-President, Aldermen Bailey, Brown, Clancy, Dooling, Duffy, Flegenheimer, Harris, Hart, Kunzeman, Lynch, Mead, Moebus, G. B. Morris, J. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, Rogers, Ryder, and Tait—22.

Alderman Morgan called up the special order of the day, being a report of the Committee on Railroads in relation to the use of steam dummy motors on Tenth and Eleventh avenues by the Hudson River Railroad Company, and adverse to the power of the Common Council to prevent the running of dummy engines.

Alderman Duffy moved that the consideration of the subject be postponed until the next regular meeting.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called for by Alderman Brown:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Bailey, Clancy, Duffy, Flegenheimer, Mead, J. Morris, Roche, Rogers, and Ryder—10.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Dooling, Harris, Hart, Moebus, G. B. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, and Tait—10.

Alderman Brown moved that the Board adopt the recommendation of the Committee.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Bailey, Brown, Dooling, Flegenheimer, Harris, Hart, Kunzeman, Moebus, G. B. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, and Tait—15.

Negative—Aldermen Clancy, Duffy, Lynch, Mead, J. Morris, Rogers, and Ryder—7.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Morgan moved that when the Board adjourns it do adjourn to meet on Tuesday, August 18, 1891, at 12 o'clock, M.

Alderman J. Morris moved to amend by fixing Tuesday, July 28, 1891, at 1 o'clock P. M., as the time for the next meeting.

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Morgan.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman J. Morris—

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to furnish this Board, at its next meeting on August 18, 1891, his opinion, as requested by resolution passed by said Board on June 16, 1891, heretofore transmitted to him.

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

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 460, being a resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That Croton-water mains be laid in Daly avenue, from its present terminus at Samuel street to Tremont avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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, the Vice-President, Aldermen Bailey, Brown, Clancy, Dooling, Duffy, Flegenheimer, Harris, Hart, Lynch, Mead, Moebus, J. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, Rogers, Ryder, and Tait—20.

Alderman Lynch called up G. O. 438, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Seventh to Lexington avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating avenue, where not already laid, 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 negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected not voting in favor thereof:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Bailey, Brown, Dooling, Duffy, Flegenheimer, Harris, Hart, Lynch, Mead, Moebus, J. Morris, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, Rogers, Ryder, and Tait—10.

On motion of Alderman Lynch, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was again laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Morgan moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, August 18, 1891, at 12 o'clock, M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, JUNE 22 TO 27, 1891.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending June 20, 1891: Males, 26; females, 3. On file.

List of 22 prisoners to be discharged from June 28 to July 4, 1891. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending June 20, 1891, \$114. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 18 patients admitted, 6 discharged and 3 that have died during week ending June 20, 1891. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 10 patients admitted, 8 discharged and 5 that have died during week ending June 20, 1891. On file.
From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during the week ending June 20, 1891, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.
From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to June 20, 1891. To Bookkeeper.
From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending June 20, 1891. On file.
From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending June 20, 1891, \$80. On file.
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Transmitting writ of habeas corpus in the case of Mary Carlton, patient. Referred to Counsel to the Corporation.

Appointed.

- From June 1. Lizzie Brown, Domestic, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.
" 16. John Cleary, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 16. Eily Harnett, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 17. Kate O'Loughlin, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 19. Cornelius C. Morton, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 22. Thomas Molloy, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 22. Thomas Consadine, Daniel Lahey, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.
" 22. Maggie Kinsella, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 24. Susan Curry, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 24. Patrick T. Cussen, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 26. Elizabeth Dugan, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.
" 26. M. A. Deniorest, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Reappointed.

- June 13. John J. Musgrave, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 22. Annie Ames, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

Resigned.

- June 1. Annie Belleau, Domestic, Bellevue Hospital.
" 22. Lizzie Farrelly, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.
" 23. Judson E. Rogers, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
" 23. Kate Gallagher, Maggie Makin, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
" 24. Timothy Carroll, Orderly, Randall's Island Hospital.

Dismissed.

- June 26. John J. Conway, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.

Services Dispensed With.

- June 24. Michael Dolan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.

Salary Increased.

- June 1. John J. Hanley, Gatekeeper, City Prison, \$600 to \$700 per annum.
" 1. Lizzie Doran, Domestic, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, \$120 to \$144 per annum.
" 25. Patrick J. Casey, Dennis Crimmins, George Reidel, William Flynn, Lawrence Lamb, Gatekeepers, City Prison, \$600 to \$700 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., JULY 4, 1891.

Estimated Population, 1,631,216.

Death-rate, 28.61.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

WEEK ENDING—													
	Apr. 4.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.	May 16.	May 23.	May 30.	June 6.	June 13.	June 20.	July 4.
Diphtheria.....	101	82	108	82	67	95	90	71	95	100	80	73	56
Measles.....	386	342	327	396	390	325	392	346	329	370	343	254	188
Scarlet Fever....	225	228	200	181	184	199	241	229	220	204	179	164	102
Small-pox.....	...	...	2	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...
Typhoid Fever...	8	9	7	14	5	10	18	10	15	10	16	10	9
Typhus Fever...	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total.....	721	663	644	675	648	630	741	657	659	684	619	501	358

Marriages reported.....	332
Births.....	1,288
Deaths.....	922
Still-births.....	65
Burial permits issued.....	922
Transit permits issued.....	12
Searches made.....	182
Transcripts issued.....	159

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	Total.	Total last year.	*Average 10 years.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Total, all causes.....	922	1,010	1071.8	464	458	57	343	77	67	544	36	27	144	102	69
Diphtheria.....	21	17	36.9	10	11	...	3	2	11	16	5	...	...	...	...
Croup.....	11	4	11.3	6	5	...	...	6	3	9	2	...	...	...	...
Malarial Fevers.....	6	5	8.2	3	3	...	2	...	2	4	...	...	...	...	2
Measles.....	16	23	19.2	7	9	...	5	6	5	16	...	...	...	...	...
Scarlet Fever.....	24	9	18.6	10	14	...	1	5	13	19	5	...	...	...	...
Small-pox.....	...	...	2.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid Fever.....	2	3	5.1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhus Fever.....	...	...	.9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough.....	5	10	9.5	...	5	...	3	1	1	5	...	...	...	...	...

* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.
† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.
‡ Police census, October, 1890, 1,710,715.

	Total.	† Total last year.	* Average 10 years.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	240	360	327.2	134	106	7	189	29	3	228	...	1	2	3	6
Phthisis.....	72	81	105.6	41	31	...	1	...	...	1	1	13	44	10	3
Other Tuberculous Diseases..	17	27	...	10	7	1	5	4	5	15	1	...	...	...	1
Diseases of Nervous System..	58	81	78.9	27	31	4	18	7	2	31	2	...	6	10	9
Heart Diseases.....	31	31	35.8	14	17	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	5	18	5
Bronchitis.....	22	23	27.4	12	10	...	11	4	1	16	...	1	2	3	...
Pneumonia.....	56	35	47.0	26	30	3	12	5	8	28	7	2	11	6	2
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	17	12	...	8	9	...	2	1	...	3	...	...	7	3	4
Diseases of Digestive System.	90	94	...	44	46	7	47	4	4	62	2	...	5	12	9
Diseases of Urinary System..	48	54	...	23	25	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	15	15	15
Congenital Debility.....	60	68	...	31	29	32	27	1	...	60	...	...	...	...	...
Old Age.....	9	6	...	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Suicide.....	6	4	5.1	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	...
Other violent deaths.....	43	21	31.0	25	18	1	4	...	6	11	5	5	15	7	...
All other causes.....	66	47	...	23	45	2	13	2	1	18	4	3	45	14	4

* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.
† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.
‡ Including premature births, atrophy, inanition, marasmus, atelectasis, cyanosis and preternatural births.

Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Table.

Zymotic. Erysipelas, 1; Syphilis, 3; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 3; Influenza, 2; Puerperal Fever, 5.	Circulatory. Aneurism, 2; Embolism, 1; Endarteritis, 1.	Genito-urinary. Bright's Disease, 37; Nephritis, 7; Diseases of Bladder and Prostate Gland, 2; Uræmia, 1; Calculus, 1; Ovarian Disease, 1.
Dietetic. Alcoholism, 8.	Respiratory. Emphysema, 1; Hydrothorax, 1; Pleurisy, 6; Hemorrhage of Lungs, 1; Chronic Bronchitis, 8.	Locomotor. Hip Disease, 2.
Constitutional. Cancer, 12; Rheumatism, 3; Tabes Mesenterica, 4; Rickets, 1; Anæmia, 2; Tubercular Meningitis, 16; Tubercular Peritonitis, 1.		Integumentary. Abscesses, 2; Cellulitis, of Neck, 2; Ulcers, 1; Phlegmonous Cellulitis, 1.
Nervous. Convulsions, 11; Meningitis, etc., 19; Apoplexy, 10; Paralysis, 2; Insanity, 3; Epilepsy, 1; Myelitis, etc., 4; Congestion of Brain, 3; Chronic Hydrocephalus, 3; Locomotor Ataxy, 1; Paralysis Agitans, 1.	Digestive. Gastro-Enteritis, 45; Gastritis, 7; Enteritis, 9; Cirrhosis, 6; other Diseases of Liver, 2; Peritonitis, 4; Obstruction of Intestines, 3; Typhilitis, 1; Jaundice, 2; Gall Stones, 1; Tonsillitis, 1; Dentition, 2; Ulcer of Intestines, 5; Dyspepsia, 1; Intestinal Catarrh, 1.	Accident. Poison, 1; Fractures and Contusions, 10; Burns, 1; Drowning, 7; Wounds, 1; Surgical Operations, 6; Railroad, 2; Sunstroke, 5.
		Other Causes. Otitis, 1; Ophthalmia Neonatorum, 1; Adenitis, 1; Miscarriage, 3; Puerperal Convulsions, 1; Transverse Presentation, 1; Umbilical Hemorrhage, 2; Spina Bifida, 1.
		Homicide, 1.

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

WEEK ENDING.	Apr. 11.	Apr. 18.	Apr. 25.	May 2.	May 9.	May 16.	May 23.	May 30.	June 6.	June 13.	June 20.	June 27.	July 4.
Total deaths.....	1,216	1,347	1,208	961	910	673	777	799	772	743	952	803	922
Annual death-rate.....	38.00	42.07	37.70	29.98	28.37	27.20	24.20	24.87	24.01	23.10	29.58	24.94	28.61
Diphtheria.....	30	38	28	12	24	21	8	29	20	27	27	18	21
Croup.....	14	12	8	11	11	4	10	14	9	7	4	7	11
Malarial Fevers.....	3	2	...	4	2	1	4	4	...	4	9	2	6
Measles.....	18	23	20	14	21	21	19	15	15	24	16	20	16
Scarlet Fever.....	35	37	49	37	23	34	29	53	33	34	33	24	24
Small-pox.....	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid Fever.....	2	2	4	3	4	5	4	6	7	6	2	7	2
Typhus Fever.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough.....	20	11	8	3	9	11	10	5	7	6	9	5	5
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	28	20	7	17	16	20	23	18	23	36	111	137	240
Diarrhoeal Diseases (under 5 years.....)	20	16	5	14	14	19	17	16	21	35	104	129	228
Phthisis.....	128	127	106	114	99	112	103	103	99	98	85	70	72
Bronchitis.....	83	94	85	52	33	43	47	40	28	28	37	22	22
Pneumonia.....	289	296	272	176	168	139	112	105	98	84	89	75	56
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	37	37	30	24	25	26	17	20	12	12	20	22	17
Violent Deaths.....	19	41	45	47	59	27	34	31	44	36	77	52	49
Under one year.....	227	281	263	202	178	203	148	155	161	180	299	277	400
Under five years.....	400	484	455	353	314	334	290	324	299	324	447	416	544
Five to sixty-five.....	623	625	559	474	484	422	393	389	395	350	432	311	309
Sixty-five years and over	193	237	194	134	112	117	94	86	73	69	73	76	69
In Public Institutions...	240	272	273	212	235	216	176	181	197	185	206	142	142
Inquest Cases.....	92	120	111	100	128	87	92	89	91	79	105	95	104
Mean barometer.....	30.061	29.992	29.789	29.787	29.891	29.870	30.058	29.956	29.932	30.017	29.799	29.784	29.819
Mean humidity.....	66	77	71	60	74	81	64	71	72	66	72	65	69
Inches of rain.....	.69	.34	.49	...	.56	.77	.16	.96	.14	.39	.84	.11	.40
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....	58.9	55.5	57.3	57.1	50.2	58.5	60.8	61.8	67.9	70.8	73.7	75.3	69.2
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	50°	76°	80°	78°	82°	81°	82°	75°	88°	86°	97°	91°	80°
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	29°	44°	39°	36°	31°	44°	42°	48°	55°	54°	56°	60°	59°

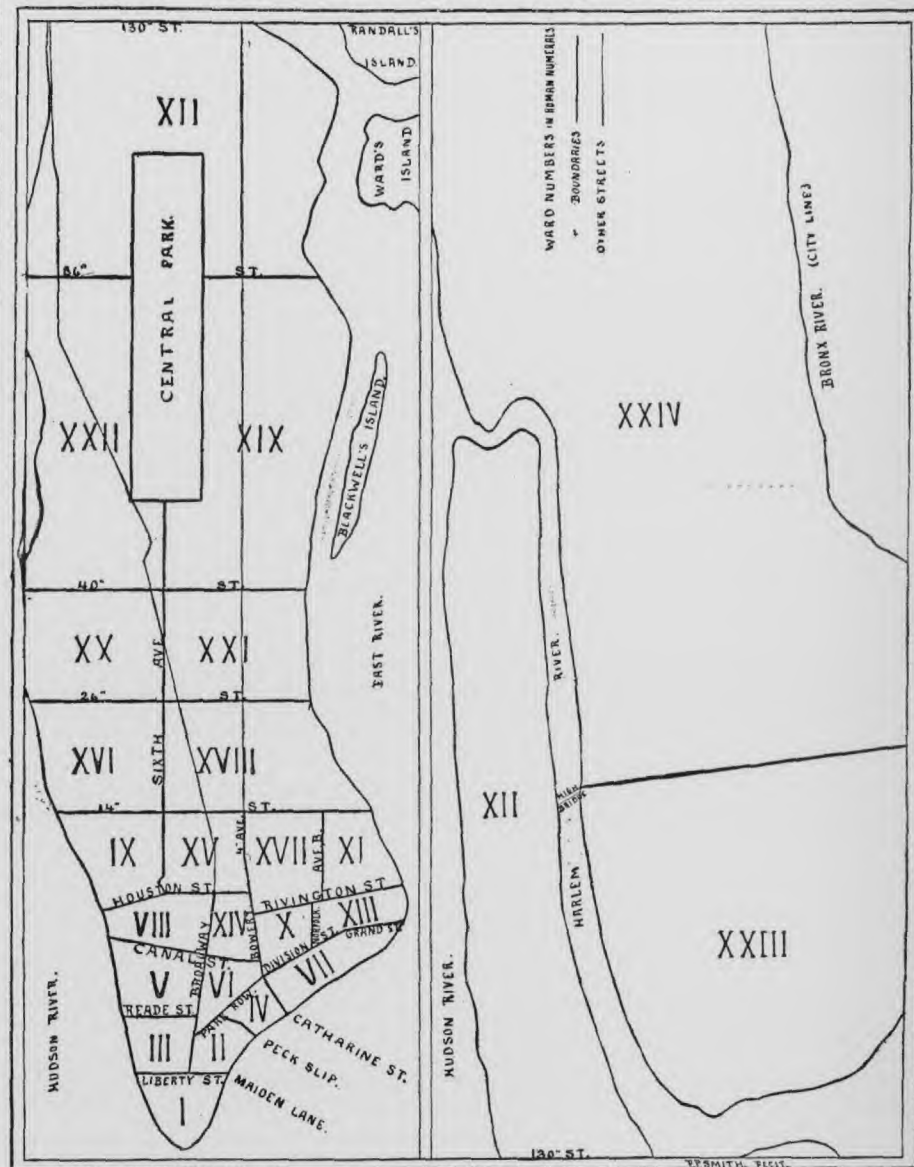
Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Total number of dead animals removed from streets	708
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Executive Action.

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances	508
attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders	253
civil actions begun	45
arrests made	2
judgments obtained in civil courts	6
criminal courts	-----
permits issued	99
persons removed from overcrowded apartments	24

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



The 922 deaths represent a death-rate of 28.61, against 24.94 for the previous week and 32.29 for the corresponding week of 1890.

Contagious diseases continue to decrease, the reported cases of diphtheria, measles and scarlet fever being respectively 56, 188 and 102, against 59, 244 and 131 for the previous week. Diphtheria showed a marked increase between Broadway and Sixth avenue, Houston and Fourteenth streets, and between Fourteenth and Fortieth streets, West; decreasing as a rule elsewhere. Measles decreased everywhere excepting between Division street and the East river, and between Grand and Rivington streets, east of Norfolk street, where there was a considerable increase. Scarlet fever increased slightly between Frankfort and Catharine streets, Park Row and the East river, and between Houston and Fourteenth streets, Broadway and Sixth avenue; decreasing, as a rule, elsewhere, the decrease being especially marked above Eighty-sixth street.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 8th day of July, 1891.

Present—Commissioners MacLean, McClave, Voorhis and Martin.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Surgeon Charles Phelps, twenty days, with pay.

" M. A. McGovern, twenty days, with pay.

Captain William McLaughlin, First Precinct, twenty days, with pay.

Donald Grant, Sixteenth Precinct, twenty days, half pay, sick.

“ Edward Slevin, Second Precinct, ten days, without pay.
“ John T. Stephens, Fifth Precinct, ten days, without pay.

“ John T. Stephenson, Fifth Precinct, ten days, without pay.
“ Thomas Reilly, Nineteenth Precinct, ten days, without pay.

" Thomas Killilea, Thirtieth Precinct, ten days, without pay.

Thomas Kinnea, Thirtieth Precinct, ten days, without pay.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.

Board of Surgeons—Disabilities for June.

Contagious disease in family of Patrolman James F. Burns, Thirteenth Precinct.

Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Michael H. Fitzgerald, Nineteenth Precinct.

Death of Patrolman Samuel B. Fellows, Thirtieth Precinct, on 3d instant. Reports of the Board of Surgeons in the cases of Roundsman Michael

Reports of the Board of Surgeons in the cases of Roundsman Michael J. Burke, Twentieth Precinct, Patrolman David A. Lennon, Second Precinct, and Patrolman Michael Roche, Fourth Precinct, were referred to the Superintendent for report of all circumstances leading to the disability and to the Board of Surgeons for statement of facts which justify the report of permanent disability.

Inspection of Foods, Chemical Analyses, etc.

Total number of inspections of milk.....	1,500
“ specimens examined.....	4,615
“ quarts of milk destroyed.....	70
“ inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods.....	851
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	31,050
“ inspections of meat and fish.....	1,159
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	32,645
“ analyses of milk and other foods.....	12
“ experimental analyses.....	10

Analysis of Croton Water, July 3, 1891.

Result Expressed in Parts per 100,000.

Appearance.....	Turbid.
Color.....	Light yellowish brown.
Odor (at 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.189
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.311
Phosphates.....	None.
Nitrites.....	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites (method of Gladstone and Tribe).....	0.0082
Free Ammonia.....	Trace.
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0100
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime	
	{ Before boiling..... 4.84
	{ After boiling..... 4.84
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.90
Mineral matter (non-volatile)—Lost Carbonic Acid not restored.....	7.10
Total solids (by evaporation at 230° Fahr.).....	9.00
Temperature at hydrant, 70° Fahr.	

Applications Denied.

Patrolman Jeremiah Bush, Fifteenth Precinct, for advance to first grade.
" Henry Warner, Twenty-first Precinct, for advance to second grade.
" William A. Barnecott, Twenty-fifth Precinct, for transfer.
" William Egan, Thirty-third Precinct, full pay while sick.
" Bernard McMahon, Thirty-fifth Precinct, full pay while sick.
Louis F. Scheffer, for detail of two officers on excursion July 9.

Applications for Promotion Referred to the Board of Examiners for Citation.
Patrolman Thomas Foody, Fourteenth Precinct.
" James E. Phillips, Twenty-third Precinct.
Application of Roundsman George W. Richards, Central Office, for Civil Service examination, was referred to the Superintendent for report.
Application of J. L. Rivotta, Superintendent Boys' Club, for detail of two officers for excursion July 17, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

Communications Ordered on File.

Counsel to Corporation—Approving form of coal contract.
Counsel to Corporation—Opinion as to action by Board of Police in order to secure to the Police Department the benefits of an electric telegraph signaling system.
Scott Lord—Asking use of Police Manual.
Mrs. I. Haines—Relative to appointment as Police Matron.
Weekly financial statement of the Comptroller, was referred to the Treasurer.
Communication from Johnson, Gallup & Henry, inclosing petition of the National Electric Manufacturing Co., asking that conditions be formulated in accordance with which competition may be had between persons desirous of supplying a system of Police signaling, and asking permission to appear before the Board, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Communications Referred to the Chief Clerk.

William Grevel—Relative to property taken from George Reppert.
James W. Twohig, Chicago—Asking information as to polling booths.
Communication from the Board of Electrical Control, relative to permit for branch subways, and inclosing copy of communication dated January 14, 1890, was ordered on file, and the Chief Clerk directed to renew application to the Department of Public Works for permit to open streets.
Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay over to the Police Pension Fund the following sums of money for the month of June, 1891—all aye:

For fines imposed.....	\$1,284 62
For absence without pay.....	3,076 60
For sick time deducted.....	4,907 47
	\$9,268 69

Resolved, That the certificates of immediate official superiors, and of this Board, in the case of Roundsman Herman Weiss, Twenty-ninth Precinct, be forwarded to the Civil Service Examining Board, in order that said officer may be examined as to his fitness for promotion.
Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 262, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and the Commissioners directed to approve the same, for the following sums of money for the month of July, 1891, being one-twelfth part of the total amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, to wit:
Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Surgeons, and uniformed force..... \$372,197 11
Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force, etc..... 7,654 16
Supplies for Police..... 6,458 33
Police Station-houses, Alterations, etc..... 2,083 33
Contingent Expenses, etc..... 833 33
Election Expenses—Salaries of Chief and Chief Clerk..... 500 00
\$389,726 26

Resolved, That the Committee on Repairs and Supplies be requested to formulate conditions under which a fair and reasonable competition may be had for supplying the Police Department with an electric signaling system; the same to be presented to this Board for approval and submission to the Board of Apportionment, in accordance with opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation.
The Chief of the Bureau of Elections submitted a schedule of boundaries of Election Districts; whereupon, it was
Resolved, That the Chief of the Bureau of Elections be directed to prepare a schedule of boundaries of Election Districts in each Assembly District, on a basis not to exceed three hundred and forty voters in each Election District.

Employed on Probation.

William J. Ryan.

Appointed Patrolmen.

John Carroll, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
Michael J. Sullivan, Twentieth Precinct.
Mark P. Murphy, Twenty-third Precinct.

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:
Anthony J. Miller. Daniel Broderick. Albert Pfost.
John D. Whalen. Jacob A. Schrank. John Keane.

Transfers, etc.

Sergeant Edward R. Delamater, from Thirteenth Precinct to Twenty-sixth Precinct.
Patrolman William Gray, from Sixteenth Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.
" John Grefe, from Second Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.
" George Connor, from Ninth Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.
" John McLaughlin, from Fifteenth Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.
" Edward J. Gallagher, from Eighth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.
" Frank Muller, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.
" Thomas F. Farley, from Second Precinct to Fourth Precinct.
" Charles D. Allaire, Tenth Precinct, remand to patrol.
" Edward Gallagher, Tenth Precinct, remand to patrol.
" Jacob Brunner, Twenty-fifth Precinct, remand to patrol.
" George A. Stevensen, Twenty-ninth Precinct, detail as Doorman temporarily.
Roundsman Charles McCann, from Sixth Precinct, detail at Third Precinct, thirty days.
" Thomas McCormick, Twenty-fourth Precinct, detailed as Acting Sergeant during vacations.
" William H. Saul, Second Precinct, detailed as Acting Sergeant during vacations.
" William Hickey, Sixteenth Precinct, detailed as Acting Sergeant during vacations.
" Thomas McCullough, Twentieth Precinct, detailed as Acting Sergeant during vacations.
" Robert Orr, Street Cleaning Co., in charge during vacation of Sergeant.
" John Walsh, Tenement-house Squad, in charge during vacation of Sergeant.

Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman Thomas J. McAnany, Twentieth Precinct, July 8, 1891.

Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman Joseph Rusei, Fourteenth Precinct, July 2, 1891.
" Frederick Fink, Thirty-third Precinct, June 25, 1891.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Thomas F. Farley, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
" Thomas F. Farley, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
" Thomas F. Farley, Second Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, twenty days' pay.
" Frederick R. Fielding, Sanitary Company, conduct unbecoming an officer, thirty days' pay.
Doorman Stephen Filan, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, ten days' pay.
Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

APPOINTMENTS IN THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

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

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with Civil Service Regulations I hereby report the following appointments:
By the Department of Public Works—
July 8. As Measurer, Robert G. Walmsley.
By the Commissioner of Street Improvements—
July 8. As Inspector of Paving, John J. O'Brien.
By the Board of Health—
July 7. As Medical Sanitary Inspectors, Dr. William H. Haskin and Dr. M. Moran.
Yours, respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1890.

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. WM. MCM. SPEER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL T. DALY, CHARLES G. F. WAHLE.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL C. PADDEN, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Office of Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of City Hall

MARTIN J. KREESE, City Hall.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER, Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN EVCK, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
OSBORNE MACDANIEL, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Persona Taxes.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Washington Building, No. 1 Broadway.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

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

in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before September 8, 1891, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 8, 1891.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to Birch street, from Wolf street to Marcy avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, June 29, 1891, and entered on the 3d day of July, 1891, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

WHEREAS, SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882 authorizes the Comptroller, in his discretion, to postpone any sale for unpaid taxes or assessments; and,

Whereas, A sale for unpaid assessments advertised to be held on Monday, March 2, 1891, was postponed until June 1, 1891, and

Whereas, Applications for a further postponement of said sale have been made by many persons who own and are interested in the property so advertised to be sold for unpaid assessments thereon. Now, therefore, I do hereby order and direct said sale to be postponed from June 1, 1891, to Monday, the 9th day of November, 1891, when it will be held at 12 o'clock, noon, at the County Court-house, City Hall Park.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 1, 1891.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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

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

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, July 8, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 262 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first Street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, July 23, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING SETTING CURB-STONES, LAYING FLAGGING AND CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING CULVERTS IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Rider Avenue and Railroad Avenue, East.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON CHISHOLM STREET, from Jennings Street to Stebbins Avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN HAMPTON STREET, from Sedgwick Avenue to Jerome Avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Brook Avenue to St. Ann's Avenue.

No. 5. FOR SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF BOSTON AVENUE, from Jefferson Street to Tremont Avenue, AND LAYING CROSSWALK ACROSS BOSTON AVENUE, at the southerly side of Bristow Street.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN LOCUST AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-first Streets.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN GERMAN PLACE, between Westchester Avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street, WITH BRANCHES IN RAE STREET AND IN CARR STREET, between German Place and St. Ann's Avenue.

NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

570 cubic yards of earth excavation.
1,500 cubic yards of filling.
360 linear feet of new curb-stones furnished and set.
550 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset.
2,370 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
850 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.
160 square feet of bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.
425 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining-walls and culverts.
3,000 feet (B. M.) of timber furnished and laid.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

2,223 cubic yards of earth excavation.
8,472 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,370 cubic yards of filling.
1,370 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.
1,475 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
5,658 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.
125 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining-walls and culverts.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

9,089 cubic yards of earth excavation.
9,700 cubic yards of rock excavation.
5,223 cubic yards of filling.
4,250 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.
13,800 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
4,195 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.
250 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining-walls and culverts.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.

85 cubic yards of earth excavation.
719 cubic yards of filling.
1,049 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.
4,195 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 5, ABOVE MENTIONED.

5,725 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.
21,400 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
1,700 square feet of new bridge-stone for crosswalks furnished and laid.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be ONE HUNDRED CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 6, ABOVE MENTIONED.

260 linear feet of fifteen-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
286 linear feet of twelve-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
64 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer.
6 manholes complete.
2 receiving-basins complete.
25 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
7 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 7, ABOVE MENTIONED.

535 linear feet of eighteen-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
452 linear feet of fifteen-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
715 linear feet of twelve-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
124 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer.
20 manholes complete.
4 receiving-basins complete.
12 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
70 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry in sewer sections, as shown on plans.
5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete cradle for pipe sewer.
8 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

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

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

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

good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards reserves the right to reject all bids received for any particular work if he deems it for the best interests of the City.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any other information desired, can be obtained at this office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A PAVILION FOR ALCOHOLIC PATIENTS AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, N. Y. CITY.

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 Friday, July 24, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Pavilion for Alcoholic Patients, Bellevue Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWELVE THOUSAND (\$12,000) 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 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, 1883, 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 shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the 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.

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

Dated New York, July 13, 1891.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE RECONSTRUCTION AND ADDITIONS TO SOUTH HOSPITAL, RANDALL'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 Wednesday, July 22, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Reconstruction, etc., to South Hospital, Randall's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FOUR THOUSAND (\$4,000) 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 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 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, 1883, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, July 8, 1891.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR STEAM HEATING, ETC., NEW PAVILION FOR MATERNITY SERVICE, CHARITY HOSPITAL, 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 Wednesday, July 22, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating Maternity Building, Charity Hospital, B. I." and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) 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 or her 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 upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the 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 her 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, July 8, 1891.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, July 13, 1891.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Thomas Kaplan, aged 47 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted black alpaca coat, white striped vest, dark brown striped pants, white shirt, gaiters, felt hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Thomas Gerrity, aged 64 years; committed June 30, 1891. Had on when admitted black coat, pants and vest, white shirt, derby hat.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Paul Gilmartin, aged 42 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black coat and vest, gray striped pants, brogan shoes, white felt hat. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held in the Mayor's office, on Friday, July 17, 1891, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business, and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated July 15, 1891.
V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK, July 7, 1891.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments that the assessment rolls of real and personal estate in said city, for the year 1891, have been finally completed and have been delivered to the Board of Aldermen of said city, and that such assessment rolls will remain open to public inspection, in the office of the Clerk of said Board of Aldermen for a period of fifteen days from the date of this notice.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 389.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

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

Dated, New York, July 14, 1891.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 387.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT SUNDRY-NAMED PLACES ON THE EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE above-named places, on the 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 1 o'clock P. M. of

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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 Two Thousand Dollars.

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

CLASS 1.—MUD DREDGING.
At Pier, new 36, East river (east side)..... 6,500 cubic yards.
At Pier, old 43, East river (west side) 8,800
Total..... 15,300 cubic yards.

CLASS 2.—CRIB DREDGING.

At Pier 59, East river..... 2,400 cubic yards.

CLASS 3.—MATERIAL AROUND CRIBWORK.

At Pier 59, East river..... 6,300 cubic yards.

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

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal 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, in each class, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of September, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price, per cubic

yard, in each class, 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. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

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

Dated New York, July 8, 1891.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 388.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING FOR A NEW PIER AT FOOT OF WEST FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1891,

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

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

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

New Pier at West Forty-eighth street, North river 30,000 cubic yards.

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

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal 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

for the fulfillment thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

but excluding the floor-logs longitudinal and tie-logs, about.....10,000 cubic feet.
Additional quantities not included in item 1.

same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, June 29, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, July 7, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

475,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Oats.
225,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.

40,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
—will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the office of said Department, Room 189, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. July 17, 1891, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the Department Stables, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

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

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. of Hay, Straw, Oats and Bran.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of four thousand (4,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of two hundred (200) dollars. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

H. S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

JURORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

BERNARD F. MARTIN,
Commissioner of Jurors.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 14, 1891.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON SATURDAY, JULY 25, 1891, AT 11.30 A. M., at Broadway and Fourteenth street, the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, the following, viz.:

About 1,200,000 old Granite Paving Blocks on Broadway, from Bowling Green to Fourteenth street, and from Seventeenth to Twenty-second street.

About 900,000 old Belgian Paving Blocks on Broadway (Union Square, West), from Fourteenth to Seventeenth street; from Twenty-second street to Fifth avenue, and from Fifth avenue to Thirty-second street.

About 250,000 old Belgian Paving Blocks on Broadway, between the tracks of the Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Company, running from Thirty-second to Forty-seventh street.

The conditions of sale are, that the stones shall be delivered at a place to be designated by the purchaser as soon as the contractor for taking up the pavement is ready to remove them; that thirty per cent. of the purchase money shall be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale; that the balance shall be paid on delivery of the stone, the thirty per cent. cash payment at time of sale to be retained until all the stones have been delivered.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 13, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Tuesday, July 28, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN REPAIRING CLINTON MARKET.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the

amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 7, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Tuesday, July 21, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING TWELVE-INCH CAST-IRON WATER PIPE IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET, between First avenue and Harlem river; ACROSS HARLEM RIVER TO WARD'S ISLAND AND ACROSS WARD'S ISLAND.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING CAST IRON WATER PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

No. 3. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN EIGHTEENTH STREET, between East river and Avenue A, connecting with outlet sewer to be built by Department of Docks; NEW SEWER IN AVENUE C, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets; and connections with existing sewers in Avenue B at Eighteenth street, and in Seventeenth street at Avenue C.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN ASTOR PLACE, between Broadway and Lafayette place.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, between Harlem river and First avenue.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Eighth avenue, connecting with present sewer east of Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, between property of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad and West End Avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

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THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

CROTON WATER RATES.

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 6, 1891.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1891, AT 11.30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on the premises, the sale to commence at the Corporation Yard, One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, the following, viz.:

At the Corporation Yard, One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue.

Sprinkling Boxes Nos. 19, 24, 25, 29 and 30.

About 3 tons Old Scrap Iron.

One Bay Mare.

At Pike Slip.

About 10,000 Old Belgian Paving-blocks.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the paving-blocks and other material entirely from the premises within ten days from the date of the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor. The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer

SUPREME COURT.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 11th day of August, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Lowell street, extending from Third Avenue to Rider Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out, and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Rider Avenue, distant 226.34 feet southwesterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Rider Avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Forty-second Street:

- 1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Rider Avenue for 56.58 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 62° 02' 40" to the left, for 265.49 feet, to the western line of that part of Morris Avenue which is 80 feet wide;
- 3d. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Morris Avenue for 56.222 feet;
- 4th. Thence northwesterly for 266.27 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Third Avenue, distant 200 feet southwesterly from the intersection of western line of Third Avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Forty-second Street:

- 1st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Third Avenue for 50 feet;
- 2d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the right for 283.46 feet, to the western line of Morris Avenue;
- 3d. Thence northeasterly along the eastern lines of Morris and College Avenues for 54.23 feet;
- 4th. Thence southeasterly for 401 feet to the point of beginning.

Lowell street is designated a street of the first class, and is 50 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, July 11, 1891.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title to certain lands required for a Public Park at or near Corlears Hook, in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAP-ter 529 of the Laws of 1884, and of all other statutes in such case 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 the 4th day of August, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, in the place and stead of Henry A. Gildersleeve, resigned.

The nature and extent of the improvement intended to be effected by the prosecution of the above entitled proceeding is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York for the use of the public to all of the lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging and required for a Public Park at or near Corlears Hook, in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Jackson street with the southerly line of Cherry street; running thence easterly along said southerly side of Cherry street, five hundred and seventy-five feet to the corner formed by the intersection of the said side of Cherry street with the westerly side of Corlears street; thence southerly and along said westerly side of Cherry street, crossing Water, Front and a portion of South streets, six hundred and thirty feet, more or less, to a line parallel with and distant one hundred feet northerly from the bulkhead or water-front established by the Board of the Department of Docks, and adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in the City of New York, under and pursuant to the provisions of section 6, chapter 574 of the Laws of 1891; thence westerly and along said line so distant one hundred feet northerly from the said water-front five hundred and seventy-five feet to a point thereon formed by the intersection therewith of the easterly side of Jackson street, extending in a southerly direction to said point of intersection; thence northerly and along said easterly side of Jackson street, crossing a portion of South, Front and Water streets, six hundred and thirty feet, more or less, to the corner formed by the intersection therewith of the said southerly side of Cherry street, at the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, July 11, 1891.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the fifteenth day of August, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said fifteenth day of August 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between Tremont Avenue and Woodruff street prolonged easterly to the centre line of the Bronx river; easterly by the centre line of the Bronx river; southerly by a line parallel to Woodruff street and distant 400 feet therefrom; westerly by the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares, and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of August, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 3, 1891.

JAMES MITCHELL, Chairman,
JOHN A. DEADY,
WILLIAM A. WOODHULL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 11th day of August, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 11th day of August, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 12th day of August, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the point of intersection of the centre line of the blocks between Boston road and Franklin Avenue with the prolongation westerly of the centre line of the blocks between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence easterly along said centre line prolonged of the blocks between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to its intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Forrest and Tinton Avenues; thence southerly along said centre line of the blocks between Forrest and Tinton Avenues to the northerly side of Westchester Avenue; thence southwesterly along said northerly side of Westchester Avenue to its intersection with the prolongation northerly of the centre line of the blocks between Robbins and Concord Avenues; thence southerly along said centre line prolonged of the blocks between Robbins and Concord Avenues to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Eagle Avenue and about ninety feet distant from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along the last mentioned line to the point of intersection of the northerly side of Westchester Avenue with the centre line of the blocks between Eagle and St. Ann's Avenues; thence northerly along said centre line of the blocks between Eagle Avenue and St. Ann's and Third Avenues to its point of intersection with the centre line of the block between Teasdale Place and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence easterly along the last mentioned centre line to its point of intersection with a line drawn parallel to Cauldwell Avenue and distant about two hundred and forty feet from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along the last mentioned line to its point of intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Boston road and Franklin Avenue; thence northeasterly along the said centre line between Boston road and Franklin Avenue to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of August, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 1, 1891.

EDWARD JACOBS, Chairman,
ELLSWORTH L. STRYKER,
CHARLES D. BURRILL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WILLOW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Bronx Kills to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the fifteenth day of July, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said fifteenth day of July, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Walnut Avenue and Willow Avenue, prolonged southerly to the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills; southerly by the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills; westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Cypress Avenue and Willow Avenue, from the United States Channel Line in the Bronx Kills to the centre line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence northerly by the last-mentioned centre line to the centre line of the blocks between Willow Avenue and the Southern Boulevard, prolonged southerly at right angles to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Willow Avenue and the Southern Boulevard, prolonged northerly to the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, June 6, 1891.

JAMES J. PHELAN, Chairman,
JAMES OLIVER,
SIDNEY HARRIS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the eighth day of July, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said eighth day of July, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

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

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of July, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 29, 1891.

LEWIS J. CONLIN, Chairman,
WAUHOPE LYNN,
WILLIAM H. MARSTON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 22, 1891.

HENRY G. CASSIDY, Chairman,
ROGER A. PRYOR, Jr.,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, between Tenth and Eleventh Avenues.

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

First—That we have completed our amended, corrected and revised estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the seventh day of July, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said seventh day of July, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 22, 1891.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
HAROLD M. SMITH,
EDWARD HOGAN,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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