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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending September 27, 1890:

Deposited in the Treasury.	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$115,245 47
City Treasury.....	789,480 54
Total.....	\$904,726 01
Bonds and Stock Issued.	
Three per cent. Bonds.....	\$90,000 00
Four per cent. Bonds.....	600,000 00
Three per cent. Stock.....	26,650 00
Total.....	\$716,650 00
Warrants Registered for Payment.	
The Finance Department—	
Cleaning Markets.....	\$767 84
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	36 75
Salaries—Finance Department.....	39 39
Interest on the City Debt.....	301,107 81
State Taxes and Common Schools for the State.....	500,000 00
Aqueduct Commissioners—	
Additional Water Fund.....	67,024 49
The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	638 33
The Department of Public Works—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$2,521 08
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	54 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	1,462 47
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	548 72
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	100 00
Croton Water Fund.....	993 50
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property.....	21 00
Free Floating Baths.....	106 00
Fund for Viaduct from St. Nicholas Place to McComb's Dam Bridge.....	9,884 25
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	10,592 93
Laying Croton Pipes.....	4,868 73
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	2,027 18
Public Drinking-hydrants.....	138 12
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	1,929 95
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	3,371 34
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	12,534 50
Repaving (chapter 346, Laws of 1889).....	30,490 99
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	42,946 82
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	105 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved, Maintenance of, and Sprinkling.....	433 50
Retaining-walls in East Fifty-first Street and East Forty-second Street.....	24 00
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	2,595 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	4,215 85
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	65,480 01
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	45 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	860 75
The Department of Public Parks—	
Central Park, Construction of.....	\$174 46
Cromwell's Creek Bridges and Bridges other than those of Harlem River and Bronx River.....	9 78
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	51 25
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	5,497 91
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,798 24
Metropolitan Museum of Art, Completion of.....	789 00
Morningside Park, Construction of.....	42 06
Morningside Park, for the Improvement and Maintenance of.....	26 40
Mount Morris Park, Construction of.....	24 00
New Parks North of Harlem River.....	220 71
Riverside Park, Construction of.....	121 76
Riverside Park—For the Improvement and Maintenance of.....	373 76
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	145 87
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	9,638 54
Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	113 76
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	106 98
Van Cortlandt Park—Parade Ground, Construction of.....	11,634 40
The Annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	635 52
The Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Public Charities and Correction.....	6,921 00
The Health Department—	
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	\$93 36
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	81 63
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	6,019 44

The Department of Street Cleaning—	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	\$24,889 25
The Fire Department—	
Fire Department Fund.....	12,826 33
The Department of Docks—	
Dock Fund.....	42,114 41
The Board of Education—	
College of the City of New York.....	\$1,207 64
Public Instruction.....	38,109 56
School-house Fund.....	432 00
The Normal College.....	57 00
The Board of Excise—	
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	39,806 20
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	\$7,628 28
Advertising.....	78 50
Municipal Service Examining Boards—	
Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of.....	7,706 78
The Judiciary—	
Salaries—Judiciary.....	55 98
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions—	
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	5,170 19
For Support of Children committed by Police Magistrates, etc.....	\$627 71
Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	1,415 43
State Homoeopathic Asylum for the Insane.....	7,273 88
Miscellaneous Purposes—	
Armory Fund—Twenty-second Regiment.....	1,139 52
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	10,456 54
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	\$9,002 40
Criminal Court-house Fund.....	331 70
Dog License Fund.....	187 95
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.....	108 00
For Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	56 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	35 00
Judgments.....	2,044 68
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials.....	986 96
Local Improvement Fund, contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	231 20
New Parks Fund.....	1,740 00
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	18 00
Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands sold for Taxes and Assessments.....	1,255 00
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	38 62
Total.....	136 78
	300 94
	16,473 23
Total.....	\$1,272,227 14

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Peter P. McLaughlin.	\$751 10	Transcript of judgment.....	J. P. Davenport.
"	American Cement Co. vs. The Mayor, etc., J. W. O'Grady and others.....	1,200 00	Notice of pendency of action.....	Masten & Nichols.
"	American Cement Co. vs. The Mayor, etc., J. W. O'Grady and others.....	1,200 00	Summons and complaint. To foreclose lien for materials furnished under contract of said O'Grady for sewer in Burnside avenue, between Webster and Creston avenues.....	"
"	John Standfast.....	208 33	Transcript of judgment.....	E. Fixman.
"	Frank S. Beard.....	429 40	Summons and complaint. For stenographic services in the Court of General Sessions between January 1 and August 1, 1890.....	J. P. Davenport
"	William Anderson.....	379 80	Summons and complaint. For stenographic services in the Court of General Sessions between January 1 and July 1, 1890.....	"
"	Charles Guidet.....	1,045 00	Summons and complaint. For balance claimed to be due under contract for regulating and paving, with trap-block pavement, Perry street and other streets.....	J. L. Strahan.
"	Sylvester Bennett.....	750 00	Summons and complaint. For salary as Inspector of Regulating, etc., on the Kingsbridge road, between May 15, 1885, and March 8, 1886.....	W. Lynn.
Superior..	Michael Burns.....	153 00	Summons and complaint. For wages as Foreman in the Department of Public Works between May 31, and July 29, 1889.....	A. F. McNickle.

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Sept. 22	Louis Schultz.....	\$10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received while an inmate of the City Asylum for the Insane, on Ward's Island.....	A. P. Wagner.
" 23	John F. Dawson.....	5,840 00	For building a coping on top of the retaining wall on Edgecombe avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.....	"
" 24	Isaac W. Lewis.....		For salary as an Inspector of Masonry, on the New Aqueduct, from October 31, 1889, to June 9, 1890.....	A. H. Amidown.
" 25	George Ginnety.....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	C. Fine.
" 25	Brush Electric Illuminating Co.....	525,000 00	For damages for the removal by the Department of Public Works, of poles, wires, lamps, etc., belonging to said company.....	"
" 25	United States Illuminating Co.....	550,000 00	For damages for the removal by the Department of Public Works of poles, wires, lamps, etc., belonging to said company.....	"
" 26	Edward Goldsmith.....	50 00	For salary as Recording Clerk in the Surrogate's office, from September 1 to 18, 1890.....	"
" 27	Stuart Lindsley, assignee.....	21,027 50	For amount assigned to said Lindsley by James C. Lane, Engineer of the new parks, etc.....	W. G. Bates.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 27, 1890.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
10722	May 22, 1890	Board of Education.....	Parrish, Phillips & Co.....	American Surety Co. of New York.....	Furnishing and delivering (11,800 tons of furnace coal, 2,500 tons of stove coal, 2,000 tons of egg coal, 700 tons of nut coal. Total, 17,000 tons) coal to the Public Schools during the year ending May 1, 1891..... Estimate	\$79,730 00
10723	Sept. 19, "	Public Works.....	The Warren-Scharf Asphalt Paving Co.....	Matthew R. Myers..... Calvin Tomkins.....	\$3,000 00	Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on concrete foundation, Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive..... Estimate	7,602 40
10724	" 19, "	"	The Warren-Scharf Asphalt Paving Co.....	Matthew R. Myers..... Calvin Tomkins.....	2,000 00	Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on concrete foundation the roadway of Eighty-eighth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue..... Estimate	3,765 32
10725	" 19, "	"	The Warren-Scharf Asphalt Paving Co.....	Matthew R. Myers..... Calvin Tomkins.....	4,000 00	Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on concrete foundation the roadway of Eighty-fifth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive..... Estimate	10,805 20
10726	" 16, "	Public Works..... (Repaving, under chapter 449, Laws of 1889).	John G. Smith.....	William Kelly..... James Fitzpatrick.....	500 00	Regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, with concrete foundation, the carriageway of Eighteenth street, from Eleventh to Thirteenth avenue (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water)..... Estimate	1,995 10
10727	" 16, "	Public Works..... (Repaving, under chapter 449, Laws of 1889).	"	William Kelly..... James Fitzpatrick.....	1,500 00	Regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, with concrete foundation, the carriageway of Bethune street, from West street to Thirteenth avenue (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water)..... Estimate	4,259 00
10728	" 15, "	Public Works.....	Patrick McInerney.....	John Fleming..... Charles McGinnis.....	800 00	Sewer in Second avenue, between First and Houston streets..... Estimate	1,207 50
10729	" 18, "	" (Bond).....	James Kelly.....	Patrick F. Ferrigan.....	100 00	Constructing receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and St. Nicholas avenue.....
10730	" 18, "	"	"	"	100 00	Constructing receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Amsterdam avenue.....
10731	" 18, "	"	"	"	140 00	Constructing receiving-basin on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, opposite Fifth avenue.....
10732	" 18, "	"	"	"	100 00	Constructing receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Fifth avenue.....
10733	" 18, "	"	"	"	130 00	Constructing receiving-basin near the northeast corner of One Hundred and Fiftieth street and St. Nicholas place.....
10734	" 18, "	"	"	"	100 00	Constructing receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Amsterdam avenue.....
10735	" 5, "	Fire.....	The La France Fire-engine Company, by Eugene Diven, agent.....	A. Spadone..... D. T. Warren.....	900 00	Repairs to one third class Amoskeag harp-tank steam fire engine, registered No. 517, formerly in service as spare engine of the Eleventh Battalion of the Fire Department, City of New York..... Total	1,600 00
10736	" 6, "	"	Arthur Arcander.....	Charles Jones..... Abraham Steers.....	1,400 00	Alterations and repairs to be made at quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, located at No. 788 Eighth avenue..... Total	3,031 00
10737	" 6, "	"	"	Charles Jones..... Abraham Steers.....	1,400 00	Alterations and repairs to be made at quarters of Engine Co. No. 46, located at Morris street, between Madison and Washington avenues..... Total	2,226 00
10738	" 16, "	Docks.....	John W. Flaherty.....	Alfred J. Murray..... Thomas F. White.....	11,140 00	Preparing for and building a new wooden pier, with appurtenances, near the foot of West Twenty-eighth street, North river, to be known as Pier, new 58, North river..... Total	37,475 00
10739	" 8, "	Public Charities and Correction...	John C. Juhring.....	Francis H. Leggett..... Albert H. Jones.....	2,000 00	Furnishing 4,600 pounds Rio coffee and 50 bushels peas..... Total	1,201 16
10740	" 18, "	Public Works.....	Michael Harrison, Jr.....	Henry Thoesen..... Nicholas W. Morrell.....	1,000 00	Furnishing materials and performing work in repairing, painting and putting new tin roof on the Seventh District Court-house and the office of the Corporation Yard, foot of East Sixteenth street..... Total	1,176 00
10741	" 17, "	"	William Minnick.....	John Flanagan..... Isaac O. Shumway.....	1,000 00	Furnishing materials and performing work in the painting and calcimining rooms and halls of the Seventh Regiment Armory, the Seventh District Court-house, the First District Civil Court, the Brown-stone Building, No. 31 Chambers street, the Tompkins Market Building and No. 49 Beekman street..... Total	2,678 00
10742	" 19, "	Public Charities and Correction...	Thurber, Whyland & Co.....	Robert J. Dean..... James S. Barron.....	6,000 00	Furnishing 1,000 barrels No. 1 flour and 1,000 barrels No. 2 flour..... Total	9,720 00
10743	June 10, "	Harlem River Bridge Commission.	Michael Giblin.....	Ernest G. Stedman..... Edmund J. Curry.....	20,000 00	Regulating, grading and improving lands adjacent to the Harlem River Bridge, and for regulating, grading, paving and improving Undercliff place and a portion of Undercliff avenue..... Estimate	63,148 00

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz :

- September 24. The Department of Docks—For preparing for and building a new crib-bulkhead at Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, and removing the existing platform and crib-bulkhead thereat.
- September 24. The Department of Public Parks—For rebuilding superstructure of Bridge No. 26, Central Park, and for regulating, grading, curbing, paving, etc., and constructing sewers in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated September 12, 1890, published in the CITY RECORD.
- September 25. The Department of Public Works—For repairing the buildings on Grace, Thompson and Thirteenth avenues, in West Washington Market, damaged by fire, and for flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbing in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated September 11, 1890, published in the CITY RECORD.
- September 26. The Department of Docks—For dredging for proposed bulkhead-wall from north side of East Seventy-sixth street to south side of East Seventy-eighth street, East river.

Approval of Sureties.

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

- September 22. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 8,620 pounds butter.
F. W. Davey, No. 70 Warren street, Principal.
Charles W. Burt, No. 70 Warren street, } Sureties.
Henry Simmons, No. 71 Murray street, }
- September 22. For furnishing the Police Department with stationery and printing for election purposes.
Martin B. Brown, No. 931 Madison avenue, Principal.
Charles Guidet, No. 41 Park avenue, } Sureties.
James H. English, No. 39 Park place, }
- September 22. For regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, with concrete foundation, Goerck street, from Grand to Third street; Tompkins street, from Grand to Stanton street; Thirteenth avenue, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street; and Duane street, from Washington to Centre street.
Charles Guidet, No. 41 Park avenue, Principal.
James Everard, Worth House, } Sureties.
Martin B. Brown, No. 931 Madison avenue, }
- September 23. For alterations and additions to No. 2456 Valentine avenue, for use as a Hospital.
John E. McGuire, No. 507 East Seventy-sixth street, Principal.
Robert Boyd, No. 1929 Madison avenue, } Sureties.
David Boyd, No. 59 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, }
- September 24. For erecting a pavilion for the New York City Asylum for the Insane, Blackwell's Island.
Joseph Moore, No. 170 East Eighty-ninth street, Principal.
August Jacob, No. 260 East Seventy-eighth street, } Sureties.
John McLaughlin, No. 346 East Eighty-first street, }
- September 24. For regulating, grading, etc., Ninety-ninth street, from Third to Park avenue.
P. McInerney, No. 214 East Eighty-fifth street, Principal.
John Fleming, No. 175 East Eighty-second street, } Sureties.
Charles McGinness, No. 127 Broome street, }
- September 25. For regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.
Thomas J. Dunn, No. 321 East Sixty-eighth street, Principal.
Samuel Smyth, No. 405 East Sixty-first street, } Sureties.
William Desmond, No. 36 Lexington avenue, }
- September 25. For regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Seventh avenue to Harlem river.
Charles V. Hough, No. 233 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Principal.
Charles A. Cowen, No. 237 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street, } Sureties.
William G. Wood, No. 259 Lenox avenue, }

September 26. For regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on the present stone-block pavement Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, Fifty-third street, from Madison to Fourth avenue, and Forty-fifth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

Barber Asphalt Paving Co., No. 1 Broadway, Principal.
James D. Leary, No. 43 East Twenty-fifth street, } Sureties.
Justus E. Ewing, No. 5 Broadway, }

September 26. For regulating and paving with trap blocks One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, from Third to Rider avenue.
Denis McGrath, No. 35 East One Hundred and Fourth street, Principal.
V. Del Genovese, No. 268 Bowery, } Sureties.
A. Del Genovese, No. 13 Bowery, }

September 27. For dredging for proposed bulkhead-wall from north side of East Seventy-sixth street to south side of East Seventy-eighth street, East River.
R. G. Packard, No. 31 Pine street, Principal.
Augustin Walsh, No. 114 Wall street, } Sureties.
James Shewan, foot Stanton street, }

Return of Proposals.

September 23. Proposal of Joseph Moore, for building a Pavilion on Blackwell's Island, returned to the Department of Public Charities and Correction for action on the proposed substitution of August Jacob as a surety thereon in the place of P. McGinness, one of the original sureties.

September 25. Proposal of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company for paving Fifteenth street, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of James D. Leary and J. E. Ewing as sureties thereon in the place of J. Cumming and J. D. Keys, the original sureties.

September 26. Proposal of Horace Ingersoll, for furnishing the Department of Street Cleaning with forage, returned to the said Department for action on the proposed substitution of A. J. Campbell, as a surety thereon, in the place of William Affleck, one of the original sureties.

September 26. Proposal of J. Moore, for erecting the Strecker Memorial Laboratory on Blackwell's Island, returned to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, for action on the proposed substitution of John McQuade and J. Connors, as sureties thereon, in the place of August Jacob and P. McGinness, the original sureties.

September 27. Proposal of the Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, for paving Madison avenue, returned to the Department of Public Works, for action on the proposed substitution of A. J. Dittenhoefer, as surety thereon, in the place of Charles Schulte, one of the original sureties.

Appointed.

September 22. William Roome, No. 609 Hudson street, Temporary Clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, with compensation at rate of \$3 per diem, from September 22, 1890.

September 23. Thomas Sullivan, No. 432 Grand street, Cartman in the Public Markets, with compensation at rate of \$3.50 per diem, from September 24, 1890.

September 25. William H. Childs, No. 383 Cherry street, Temporary Clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, with compensation at rate of \$3 per diem, from September 26, 1890.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1890—STATED MEETING, 11 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Gallup (President), Borden, Hutchins, Robb.
The minutes of the meetings of May 19, 23 and 28, and June 11, 13, 18, 23, 25, 27 and 28, and July 1, 9, 14, 16 and 23, were read and approved by the following vote :
Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.
Commissioner Robb declining to vote, not having been present at the meetings.
Mr. James O'Friel was heard in relation to the proposed treatment of the Obelisk, and stated that he would treat the stone by a process of his own provided the Board so desired.
Mr. Caffall was also heard on the subject.
Mr. O'Friel was requested to communicate his proposition in writing, that the same might be referred to the Committee of Experts and their views obtained.

Messrs. Andrew Blessing and Solomon Kohn, representing the East Side Harlem Improvement Association, submitted a petition for the improvement of the Circle at One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue, and for the construction of a carriage drive in the Park leading from One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue.

On motion of Commissioner Robb, an item of \$34,000 was ordered inserted in the Departmental Estimates for 1891 for the improvement of the Circle at One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue by the following vote:

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

Mr. Peter Daly appeared and asked that the territory on Courtland avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, be properly drained, claiming that the box-drains were of insufficient size.

Commissioner Robb moved that the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards be instructed to see that a drain of proper size be constructed in the locality referred to.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

Mr. Horatio J. Brewer was heard in relation to constructing an entrance to Central Park, in the vicinity of Eighth avenue and Ninetieth street, and asked that the matter be progressed as speedily as possible.

Commissioner Borden moved that the plan for an entrance to Central Park submitted by the Superintendent of Parks and Landscape Architect on May 22, 1889, be adopted, and that the Engineer of Construction be directed to submit an estimate of the cost of doing the work.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

Mr. O. W. Randell was heard in relation to a permit granted to William Jay to erect projections on his building on Fifth avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets.

A communication was received from Montgomery & Pease, contractors, asking that an investigation be made as to the cause of rejection, by the Inspector, of sewer pipe supplied by them under their contract for building a sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Morris avenue.

Mr. John J. Montgomery was heard in relation thereto.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the matter was referred to the President with the request that he investigate the same and report to the Board, by the following vote:

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

Messrs. Charles Jones and Charles W. Collins were heard in regard to alleged delay in the transmission of the final payment certificate on the contract for constructing sewer from Railroad avenue, East, near One Hundred and Fifty-third street to and across property of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company and others, and were informed that inasmuch as the Engineer reports, and from Mr. Jones' admission it appears, that the work is not entirely finished, a final certificate is not yet due.

Amended plans for the north extension of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, with specifications thereof prepared by the Architect and approved and adopted by the Trustees of the Museum, were submitted.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans this day received from the Trustees of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, for the north extension of the Museum building, be and hereby are approved, and that the same be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for concurrence, as required by chapter 513 of the Laws of 1889.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Plans and specifications for alterations, repairs and improvements required in the present building of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, prepared by the Architect and approved and adopted by the Trustees of the Museum, were also submitted.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications this day received for alterations, repairs and improvements to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, be and the same hereby are approved and ordered forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for concurrence, as provided by chapter 581 of the Laws of 1887.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Commissioner Robb was here excused and retired.

The following communications were received:

From the Clerk of Street Openings, advising the Department of the confirmation by the Supreme Court on 2d inst., of the proceeding for opening Lincoln avenue from the Southern Boulevard to Third avenue. Filed.

From the John Eichler Brewing Company, asking that the curb at the corner of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Fulton avenue be set on the old line until such time as it may be necessary to set it upon the new curb-line.

Commissioner Gallup moved that temporary permission be given to the John Eichler Brewing Company to maintain the present curb-lines and sidewalks at the corner of Fulton avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, upon the condition that the said company shall give a bond to insure the proper adjustment, at the expense of said company, of the paving, curb, sidewalk and crosswalk to the legal lines of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Fulton avenue, whenever Fulton avenue shall be opened to its full width according to law.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

From the Property Clerk, reporting relative to the disposition of grapes growing in Bronx Park. Commissioner Hutchins moved that the grapes be disposed of at public auction.

Which was carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Borden, Hutchins—2.

No—Commissioner Gallup—1.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge of streets and sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Inclosing a bill of the Central Gas-light Company for alterations and repairs to the mains belonging to the said company in consequence of certain street improvements.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the bill of the Central Gas-light Company, amounting to one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and ninety-six cents, for alterations, repairs, etc., to gas-mains, necessitated by the prosecution of the work of constructing a sewer on the north side of the Southern Boulevard, from the summit east of Willis avenue to Brook avenue, and chargeable to the Assessment Account for said work, be and the same is hereby audited, approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

2d. Submitting a time statement on the work (done under Treasurer's order) of building a brick curve connecting the sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street with the Brook avenue sewer. Filed.

3d. Submitting a time statement on the contract for regulating and paving One Hundred and Fifty-second street from Third avenue to Courtland avenue. Filed.

4th. Submitting a plan and specification for a sewer in Lincoln avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, with an estimate of the cost.

On motion, said plan and specifications were approved and the Secretary was directed to procure estimates for doing the work, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

5th. Submitting a plan and specifications for regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street between Webster avenue and the New York and Harlem Railroad.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the plan and specifications this day received, for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, be approved and the specifications ordered printed, and when printed and approved, as to form, by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From the Superintendent of Parks:

1st. Reporting upon an application of Mrs. E. R. Haughton for a permit for Kate Kaufman to sell fruit, etc., at the base of the Franklin statue.

On motion, said application was denied.

2d. Recommending the acceptance of an offer of A. Pucci to furnish mould, free of charge, on Riverside Park.

On motion, the Superintendent was authorized to accept the mould, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board, submitting a list of persons eligible for appointment as Inspectors of Paving, as follows:

Patrick H. Lydon.

James J. Murtha.

Joseph W. Parker.

Filed.

The Secretary submitted a statement of the moneys received by the Department during the month of August, and deposited in the City Treasury.

Which was ordered entered upon the minutes, as follows:

Statement and Return of Moneys made to the Comptroller for the Month of August, 1890:

		PERMITS.	
1890.			
Aug.	1. George Muller.....	\$10 00	
"	1. Michael Dwyer.....	10 00	
"	4. James Poole.....	15 00	
"	4. J. Vanuck.....	10 00	
"	4. F. Rohrs.....	30 00	
"	4. Myron A. Decker.....	35 00	
"	5. Mrs. Cunningham.....	10 00	
"	6. John McQuade.....	10 00	
"	7. New York and Harlem Railroad Company.....	10 00	
"	8. P. H. McManus.....	30 00	
"	9. T. C. Andrews.....	10 00	
"	9. Nellie Frahn.....	10 00	
"	9. M. Hartman.....	10 00	
"	9. New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.....	10 00	
"	9. John E. Poillon.....	20 00	
"	9. A. Wornard.....	10 00	
"	11. Mr. Kautel.....	10 00	
"	11. Mr. Kautel.....	10 00	
"	11. Mr. Spaeth.....	10 00	
"	13. Patrick Lennon.....	10 00	
"	14. Elspeth Riddock.....	10 00	
"	14. F. Rohrs.....	10 00	
"	15. W. D. Freeman.....	10 00	
"	15. John Holz.....	10 00	
"	15. Henry Brown.....	10 00	
"	15. Mrs. Baumeister.....	10 00	
"	15. Mr. Schumann.....	10 00	
"	18. Johan Caullip.....	10 00	
"	18. Philip Ramsey.....	10 00	
"	18. Frank Miller.....	10 00	
"	18. Mr. Hold.....	10 00	
"	19. Mr. Baker.....	10 00	
"	19. Delia Fetzner.....	10 00	
"	20. Frank Braunn.....	10 00	
"	20. Bernard Sollinger.....	10 00	
"	20. Mrs. Penniman.....	10 00	
"	20. Patrick Hughes.....	10 00	
"	23. John L. Cavanagh.....	10 00	
"	25. Richard Walters.....	10 00	
"	25. Jacob Enrich.....	10 00	
"	30. Mr. Miller.....	10 00	
"	30. J. McManus.....	10 00	
			\$500 00
		LICENSES.	
Aug.	4. D. F. Cray.....	\$44 69	
"	5. W. H. Radford.....	1,069 86	
"	5. Isidor Isaac (goats).....	17 26	
"	5. Isidor Isaac (carrousel).....	94 78	
"	5. R. M. Watson.....	7 25	
"	7. Carl H. Schultz.....	41 23	
"	9. Oscar H. Riker.....	26 74	
"	12. Charles Schwarz.....	115 52	
"	13. John Lucas.....	12 82	
"	13. A. H. Dollivat.....	250 00	
			1,680 15
		SPECIAL FUND—REPAVING.	
Aug.	1. Matthew Halpin.....	\$10 00	
"	4. Paul G. Decker.....	6 00	
"	4. William H. Gray.....	10 00	
"	5. Joseph Harrison.....	4 00	
"	7. G. Higginbotham.....	4 00	
"	8. John F. Crotty.....	6 00	
"	8. Daniel R. Gillie.....	30 00	
"	13. Robert Wallace.....	12 00	
"	14. Richard Zobelt.....	6 00	
"	14. Paul G. Decker.....	10 00	
"	15. John McAdie, Jr.....	4 00	
"	18. Joseph M. Burke.....	6 00	
"	19. Joseph Murphy.....	10 00	
"	19. James Whalen & Bro.....	4 00	
"	25. H. O. Havemeyer.....	28 00	
			150 00
		ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN FUND.	
Aug.	5. Van Tassel & Kearney, proceeds auction sale of sheep.....	226 35	
		POUND.	
Aug.	18. Property Clerk, receipts for July.....	30 00	
		GRASS.	
Aug.	18. Property Clerk, receipts for July.....	90 00	
		RENTS.	
Aug.	1. S. E. Marshall, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, July.....	\$100 00	
"	1. William Egan, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, July.....	25 00	
"	4. P. Curley, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, July.....	25 00	
"	4. M. McElhinney, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, June 16 to July 31.....	60 00	
"	4. R. A. Maxwell, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, July.....	50 00	
"	5. R. M. Watson, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, July.....	25 00	
"	5. M. McCormick, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, July.....	30 00	
"	11. L. Del Monte, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, July.....	50 00	
"	12. F. A. Hemmer, dwelling, St. Mary's Park, July.....	25 00	
"	13. Francis May, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, to July 31.....	50 00	
"	14. J. R. Ogden, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, July.....	40 00	
"	20. C. A. Billings, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, August.....	50 00	
"	25. E. C. Potter, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, December 18, 1888, to November 1, 1889.....	533 33	
"	29. Frank Pistone, dwelling, Bronx Park, July and August.....	16 00	
"	29. George A. Adce, dwelling, Pelham Bay Park, August.....	41 67	
			1,121 00
		SUNDRY RECEIPTS.	
Aug.	5. Van Tassel & Kearney, proceeds auction sale, horses, etc.....	\$124 65	
"	20. Alfred Scott & Co., music programmes.....	70 00	
			194 65
			\$3,992 15

From the Superintendent of Parks, forwarding a complaint of the Board of Health in relation to buildings in High Bridge Park, and recommending that the matters complained of be attended to.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the matter was referred to the Engineer of Construction, with directions to prepare and submit specifications for doing the work.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending that the walks in the section of Riverside Park lying between Seventy-second and Seventy-ninth streets be laid with asphalt.

On motion, the recommendation of the Superintendent was approved and the Engineer of Construction was directed to prepare and submit specifications and form of contract for doing the work, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

The Secretary submitted the following bid for alterations and extension to the receiving basin on the east side of Vanderbilt avenue, near One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street: George E. Babcock, \$175.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge of streets and sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, recommending that the bid for receiving-basin be rejected, and that the plan be modified and new bids called for.

On motion of Commissioner Gallup, the Engineer's recommendation was approved and adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

The Board then proceeded to consider evidence taken in the trials of Park Policemen :
 George Edwards, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty.
 On motion, charge dismissed.
 Francis Mahon, charged with being off post.
 On motion, charge dismissed.
 Edward F. Johnston, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged, and fined one day's pay, by the following vote :
 Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.
 Alfred C. Newell, charged with violation of rules and conduct unbecoming an officer.
 On motion, charge dismissed.
 Day Hardie, charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged, and reprimanded, by the following vote :
 Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.
 William S. Ryerson, charged with violation of rules, was found guilty and cautioned.
 William Schneider, charged with being off post and violation of rules, was found guilty as charged.
 Commissioner Borden moved that Officer Schneider be fined thirty days' pay.
 Which was lost by the following vote :
 Ayes—Commissioner Borden—1.
 Nays—Commissioners Gallup, Hutchins—2.
 Commissioner Gallup moved that a fine of fifteen days' pay be imposed.
 Which was carried by the following vote :
 Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Hutchins—2.
 No—Commissioner Borden—1.
 Michael Madden, charged with violation of rules, was found guilty as charged, and fined five days' pay by the following vote :
 Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.
 Henry H. Andereya, charged with being off post, was found not guilty and acquitted.
 John M. Maher, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay, by the following vote :
 Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.
 Edward F. Rayens, charged with not properly patrolling, was found not guilty and acquitted.
 Alfred C. Newell, charged with violation of rules and conduct unbecoming an officer.
 On motion, the charge was dismissed, the complaint having been withdrawn.
 Alfred C. Newell, charged with being absent from roll call, was acquitted.
 The President, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following reports :

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

Andrews, Miles & Co., oats, etc.	New Parks north Harlem River—Care of.	\$17 50
Abeel Bros., steel nails, etc.	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	\$36 20
	Police—Supplies.	16 65
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.	72
		53 57
Bayne's 69th Regiment Band.	Music.	170 00
Brandis Mfg. Co., tracing cloth	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	25 20
Barron, Jas. S. & Co., sponges etc.	New Parks north Harlem River—Care of.	4 17
Coffin, Paul C., lamp-burners.	Labor, Maintenance, etc.	1 50
Consolidated Gas Co., gas.	Labor, Maintenance, etc.	\$74 62
	Police—Supplies.	16 50
	Zoological Department.	14 00
	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance, etc.	12 50
		117 62

Conterno, Luciano.	Music.	170 00
Cappa, C. A.	Music.	920 00
Connor, Geo. A.	Music.	215 00
Decker, Thompson W., milk	Zoological Department.	11 94
Dunham, T. C., whiting.	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	111 49
Eben, Felix I., music	Music.	680 00
Fowler, A. W., awnings.	Surveys, Maps and Plans.	8 50
Fiske, J. W., castings	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	18 00
Knickerbocker Ice Co., ice	Zoological Department.	67 41
Keuffel & Esser Co., process paper.	Morningside Park—Construction of Bays	2 06
	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	12 38
		340 00
Keuffel & Esser Co., process paper	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	\$108 69
Leiboldt's 12th Regiment Band.	Zoological Department.	33 43
Mason, F. D. H., petty cash	Morningside Park—Maintenance of.	8 20
	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance, etc.	2 00
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.	68 13
	New Parks north Harlem River—Care of.	24 60
	Van Cortlandt Parade Ground—Construction of.	5 75
		250 80

Morgan, George P., chairs	Surveys, Maps and Plans.	6 00
McCloskey, Charles, shutters, etc.	Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion of.	625 00
Mott (J. L.) Iron Works, standards.	Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion of.	140 00
Mott (J. L.) Iron Works, walk-boxes.	Riverside Park—Construction of.	11 55
N. Y. Mutual Gas Light Co., gas.	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	36 50
North Am. Iron Works, The, standards.	Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion of.	990 00
N. Y. Belting and Packing Co., hose.	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	5 76
N. Y. Coal Tar Chemical Co., The, paving composition	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	203 48
O'Duffy, E., old horses, etc.	Zoological Department.	50 00
O'Donnell & Treanor, coal.	Labor, Maint. and Supplies.	47 50
Patterson Bros., steel, axles, etc.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	\$211 89
	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance, etc.	9 26
		221 15

Royal Horse Association (Ltd) horses.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	600 00
	Police—Supplies.	500 00
		1,100 00
Schuyler, G. L. & Co., spruce timber.	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.	167 74
Smith, Clifford E., repairs.	Labor, Maint., Supplies.	70 62
Thorburn, J. M. & Co., bamboo poles, etc.	Labor, Maint., Supplies.	\$11 88
	Zoological Department.	7 60
		19 48

Wootton, E. H., laying walks, etc.	Labor, Maint., Supplies.	1,867 05
Wales, Salem H., Treas., salaries, wages	Metropolitan Museum Art, August.	2,115 66
Morgan, J. Pierpont, Treasurer, American Museum Natural History, August.	Maintenance—Museums.	2,504 92
Morgan, J. Pierpont, Treasurer, American Museum Natural History, gas.	Maintenance—Museums.	147 63
International News Co., The, books.	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.	43 16
		\$13,576 34

RECAPULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, etc.	\$3,491 92
Police—Supplies.	533 15
Surveys, Maps and Plans.	15 22
Music.	2,495 00
Zoological Department.	184 38
Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.	23 76
Morningside Park—Construction and Completion of Bays.	2 06
Morningside Park—Maintenance of.	8 20

Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	\$235 87
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion of.	1,755 00
Riverside Park—Construction of.	11 55
Maintenance—Museums.	4,768 21
Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground—Construction of.	5 75
New Parks north of Harlem river—Care and Maintenance of.	46 27
	\$13,576 34

Amounting to the sum of thirteen thousand five hundred and seventy-six dollars and thirty-four cents.

New York, September 10, 1890.

A. GALLUP, Auditing Committee.

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

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

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

Doak, George F., Estimate No. 1.	Regulating, etc., Morningside avenue, West, from 110th street to 10th avenue.	\$10,789 80
Devlin, John A., Estimate No. 1.	Sewer in 148th street, between Railroad and Courtland avenues.	1,727 95
Hanna, Robert & Co., Estimate No. 3.	Regulating, draining, etc., Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground.	11,601 35
Lipps, Martin, amount retained.	Sewer in 147th street, between Willis and Brook avenues.	170 16
Leahy, M. J., Estimate No. 4.	Sewer in 3d avenue, between 165th and 168th streets, etc.	1,385 69
Martin, Lawrence, payment on acceptance.	Building brick curve sewer in 139th street and Brook avenue.	531 82
Murray, B. C., Estimate No. 1.	Regulating, etc., 147th street, from Willis to Brook avenue.	1,051 05
McCullagh, Francis, payment on acceptance.	Regulating, etc., 152d street, from 3d to Courtland avenue.	4,880 60
Myers, C. H., petty disbursements.	Surveys, Maps and Plans.	\$24 25
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.	3 48
		27 73
Vorndran, Adam, Estimate No. 5.	Sewer in 130th street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue.	1,073 97
		\$33,240 21

RECAPITULATION.

Street Improvement Fund.	\$21,079 31
Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground—Construction of.	11,548 85
Sewers and Drains.	531 82
Surveys, Maps and Plans.	24 25
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	3 48
	\$33,240 21

Amounting to the sum of thirty-three thousand two hundred and forty dollars and twenty-one cents.

New York, September 10, 1890.

A. GALLUP, Auditing Committee.

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

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

On motion, at 1.55 P. M. the Board adjourned to meet on Wednesday, 17th instant, at 11 A. M.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

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 all 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:

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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.

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

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

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
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COMMON COUNCIL.

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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.
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; BERNARD F. MARTIN, 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.

Bureau 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 F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent.

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KERSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

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

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LOUIS STECKLER, 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.
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.

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

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

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

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.

Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 57 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

ALBERT GALLUP, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Office of Topographical Engineers.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

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

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ALEXANDER MEAKIM, President; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

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DANIEL E. SICKLES, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANK T. FITZGERALD, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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County Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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

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And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.
W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. MCGRATH, Examiner.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 124 Second avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZE, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

New County Court-house. Court opens at 10.30 A. M.
RASTUS S. RANSOM, Surrogate; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.15 o'clock A. M.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.
Terms open, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

CITY COURT.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

PETER MITCHELL, Justice.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.

CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

WM. F. MOORE, Justice.

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

ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

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

HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice.

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

SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice.

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

JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

JOHN FEROLMAN, Justice.

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9.15 A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.

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

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, September 30, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Seven Portable Houses, the property of this Department, heretofore used as election booths (but now unsuitable for that purpose on account of size), will be sold at Public Auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Wednesday, October 15, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the building formerly used as a station-house, No. 220 East Fifty-ninth street. Purchasers to remove the booths within forty-eight hours after the sale.

By order of the Board. WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, September 17, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT three Horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth street, on Friday, October 3, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Board. WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9), No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, 1890.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS, COOPER UNION, NEW YORK, September 22, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations for the positions below mentioned will be held at the rooms of the Civil Service Boards, in the Cooper Union, upon the dates specified.

October 2. EXAMINER in Finance Department.

October 2. MALE STENOGRAPHER AND TYPE-WRITER.

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

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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, October 3, 1890, 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 September 30, 1890.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.**

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1890, ON the Registered Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room No. 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from September 30 to November 1, 1890.

The interest due November 1, 1890, on the Coupon Bonds of the City of New York will be paid on that day by the State Trust Company, No. 50 Wall street.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Sept. 23, 1890.

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.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00

The same in 25 volumes, half bound, 50 00

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00

Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00

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

THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller.

ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, September 19, 1890.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

TO CONTRACTORS.

eleven (11) head-house superstructures, etc., for the shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, October 8, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. DUANE, President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 3325, No. 7. Paving One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3326, No. 8. Catch-basin on the southeast corner of Sixty-sixth street and the Boulevard.

List 3327, No. 9. Sewer in Park avenue, west side, between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, connecting with present sewer in Ninety-fourth street.

List 3328, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 3329, No. 5. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 3. West side of Park Avenue, from Ninety-third to Ninety-fourth streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and extending northerly from the northwest corner of Ninth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, about 100 feet.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Washington street, from North Moore to Beach street.

No. 7. Commencing at the southwest corner of Canal and Mott streets, extending a distance of about 100 feet southerly on Mott street.

No. 8. West side of Tenth avenue, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.

No. 9. East side of the Boulevard, from Eighty-sixth to Eighty-seventh street, and west side of the Boulevard, from Eighty-sixth to Eighty-eighth street.

No. 10. North side of Eighty-fourth street, beginning about 230 feet easterly from Riverside Drive, and extending about 200 feet easterly.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 31st day of October, 1890.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, Sept. 30, 1890.

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

List 3300, No. 1. Sewer in Sixty-fifth street, between Avenue A and First avenue, with alteration and improvement to curve at Sixty-fifth street and Avenue A.

List 3302, No. 2. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and First street, from First to Second avenue.

List 3328, No. 3. Paving Eighty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue, with granite blocks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Sixty-fifth street, from Avenue A to First avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, from First to Second avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 25th day of October, 1890.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, Sept. 24, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY-GOODS, LEATHER AND LIME.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.
3,648 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition
Wednesday, October 1, 1890.

1,500 pounds Cheese.

1,500 pounds Dried Apples.

3,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.

500 pounds Maracabo Coffee, roasted.

600 pounds Chicory.

1,500 pounds Wheat Grits, price to include packages.

4,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.

300 pounds Macaroni.

1,200 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.

30 bushels Peas.

400 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted.

280 pounds Prunes.

18,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

1,200 pounds Coffee Sugar.

1,000 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.

2,300 pounds Granulated Sugar.

550 gallons Syrup, in barrels.

3,300 pounds Oolong Tea.

3,600 pounds Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

20 dozen Canned Peaches.

20 dozen Canned Pears.

12 dozen Canned Salmon.

12 dozen Canned Tomatoes.

12 dozen Worcestershire Sauce.

6 dozen Tomato Catsup.

25 dozen Sea Foam.

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

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

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

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

41 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.

50 prime quality City-cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.

30 prime quality City-cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

122 bales prime quality long, bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed 3 pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

50 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.

50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

100 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net.

90 bushels Rye.

LEATHER.

50 bunches Leather Laces.

150 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each.

150 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.

LIME AND CEMENT.

10 barrels, first quality, Whitewash Lime.

25 barrels first quality Common Lime.

15 barrels first quality Rosendale Cement.

30 barrels first quality Portland Cement.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, October 2, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Leather and Lime," to the head of said Department, at the said office on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, 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, September 20, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,

Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 25, 1890.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from One Hundred and Ninetieth street and North river—Unknown man, aged about 37 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair, sandy moustache, brown eyes. Had on black cheviot coat and vest, brown and gray striped pants, white shirt, red flannel undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, gray woolen socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man, colored, from foot of Seventy-eighth street, North river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black hair. Had on black coat and vest, gray striped pants, white and black striped cotton shirt, white cotton flannel drawers, white cotton socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from Pier 9, East river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on blue cotton jumper, brown and gray striped pants, red and blue striped shirt, white cotton undershirt, brown woolen socks, laced shoes; bandage on right forearm.

Unknown man, from foot of Bank street, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; light brown hair and beard cut short. Had on black coat, vest and pants, white shirt, gray woolen undershirt and drawers, brown socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from No. 333 Spring street, aged about 65 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair, moustache and beard; brown eyes. Had on blue flannel coat and vest, gray pants, white shirt, brown and gray striped shirt, red socks, brogan shoes, derby hat.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—George Belschauch, aged 40 years; 5 feet 5½ inches high; brown hair, gray eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat and pants, colored shirt, white shirt, white drawers, laced shoes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Charles B. Ormsbee, aged 33 years. Committed August 27, 1890. Had on when received black coat and vest, gray mixed pants, knit drawers and undershirt, black derby hat.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Dunn, aged 34 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat, brown pants, laced shoes, brown derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1890.

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. Wednesday, October 15, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN TWELFTH AVENUE, EAST SIDE, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-seventh streets, WITH OUTLET THROUGH PIER AT THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND CONNECTIONS TO PRESENT SEWERS IN THIRTY-SIXTH AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREETS.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN PARK AVENUE, WEST SIDE, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets, WITH ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO PRESENT SEWER IN NINETY-SECOND STREET, between Park and Madison avenues.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-FIFTH STREET, between Harlem River and First avenue.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN BOULEVARD, WEST SIDE, AND WEST END AVENUE, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Eighth street, WITH CURVES INTO ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREETS.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN CONVENT AVENUE, between manhole south of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, between Convent and Amsterdam (Tenth) avenues, and in Amsterdam (Tenth) avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN AMSTERDAM (TENTH) AVENUE, EAST SIDE, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, CONNECTING WITH PRESENT SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, east of Amsterdam (Tenth) avenue.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, between Hamilton place and Amsterdam (Tenth) avenue, and in AMSTERDAM (TENTH) AVENUE, west side, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.

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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.

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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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No. 1. FOR CONNECTING NEW GATE-HOUSE AT ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET AND CONVENT AVENUE WITH THE OLD AQUEDUCT ON TENTH AVENUE, AND THE REMOVAL OF THE GATE-HOUSE ON TENTH AVENUE, AT ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET.

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

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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 25, 1890.

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. Tuesday, October 7, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN REPAIRING ROOFS OVER GANGWAYS, FACING BEEKMAN AND FRONT STREETS IN FULTON MARKET, DAMAGED BY FIRE.

No. 2. FOR TAKING UP THE PAVEMENT NOW IN THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Sixth to Seventh avenue; EIGHTIETH STREET, from Second to Third avenue, and EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue, and LAYING A TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, the trap blocks to be furnished by the Department of Public Works.

No. 3. FOR TAKING UP AND RELAYING THE PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from First to Third avenue; EIGHTIETH STREET, from Avenue A to Second avenue; and EIGHTIETH STREET, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

No. 4. FOR TAKING UP AND RELAYING THE PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from First to Second avenue; NINETY-NINTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue; and ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 5. FOR TAKING UP THE PAVEMENT NOW IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, and LAYING A TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, the trap blocks to be furnished by the Department of Public Works.

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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.

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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 26, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a petition of the property owners, with map and plan for changing the grade of "FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUE A AND THE EAST RIVER," is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office, on or before the 8th day of October, 1890.

The maps showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 2, 1890.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK:

It becomes my duty as Commissioner of Public Works and custodian of the many and immense interests involved in the City's water supply, to briefly present to the people of the City the present condition of the supply, and the extreme necessity for care and economy in the use of the water.

For a number of years past and up to the present time, the old Aqueduct and the Bronx river conduit have delivered in the City all the water which they are capable of carrying, the supply thus remaining stationary when the City has been constantly growing in population, buildings, manufactures and commerce, creating new and additional demands upon the water service. The consequence is that at certain seasons of the year, notably in extreme cold weather, when the habit of wasting water from faucets to prevent freezing in the pipes prevails, and in warm and dry weather, when various methods of waste are in vogue, the daily consumption exceeds the supply which can by any possibility be received through the old Aqueduct and the Bronx river conduit, the excess of consumption being drawn from the city reservoirs, diminishing the depth of water and the pressure in the distributing mains. There is no possibility of increasing the water supply received in the City until the new Aqueduct is brought into operation, and in the meantime the only reliance for a fair and equal distribution of water throughout the city is care and economy in its use on the part of the people. Already the depth of water in the reservoirs is being diminished at the rate of one inch per day, and if this should continue for any length of time, the pressure in the distributing mains would be so reduced that it would be impossible to deliver water in thousands of houses located on high ground, and in some other locations even in the basements or cellars.

I, therefore, most earnestly appeal to all citizens, residents and people carrying on business in this city to be careful and economical in the use of water, in justice to themselves, to the people at large, and especially to those who are so located as to be already suffering inconvenience from insufficient supply of water.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 359, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 351 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, September 26, 1890.

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

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1890,

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

- Basin South of Seventy-fifth Street, N. R.*
- Lot 1. Raft of old plank, 35 feet long, 21 feet wide, 5 feet deep.
 - Lot 2. Raft yellow pine 'old', 12 inches by 12 inches, 47 feet long, 15 feet wide, 1 foot deep.
 - Lot 3. Raft old timber plank, 55 feet long, 22 feet wide, 5 feet deep.
 - Lot 4. Raft old timber plank, 22 feet long, 20 feet wide, 4 feet deep.
 - Lot 5. Raft old planks, 18 inches long, 14 feet wide, 1 foot 6 inches deep.
 - Lot 6. Raft old planks, 30 feet long, 20 feet wide, 2 feet deep.
 - Lot 7. Raft old timber and planks, 53 feet long, 18 feet wide, 2 feet deep.
 - Lot 8. Raft old timber, 12 inches by 12 inches, 26 feet long, 28 feet wide.
 - Lot 9. Raft old planks, 23 feet long, 17 feet wide, 1 foot 6 inches deep.
 - Lot 10. Raft old piles, 22 feet long, 15 feet wide, 12 inches deep.

West Fifty-seventh Street Yard.

- Lot 11. About 200 pounds of old wrought iron.
- Lot 12. About 4874 pounds of old cast-iron.
- Lot 13. About 120 pounds of old brass.
- Lot 14. 1 old tubular boiler 24 inches by 60 inches, 800 pounds.

West Washington Market Section.

- Lot 15. Raft of old plank, 4 inches and 5 inches, 22 feet by 18 feet by 5 feet deep.
- Lot 16. Raft of old plank 3 inches and 4 inches, 30 feet by 17 feet by 5 feet deep.
- Lot 17. Raft of square old timber, 23 feet by 15 feet by 4 feet deep.
- Lot 18. Raft of square old timber, 25 feet by 25 feet by 4 feet deep.
- Lot 19. Bunch of long pile butts, about 21 feet long, 88 in number.
- Lot 20. Raft containing about 232 short pile butts, about 12 feet long; 10 long butts, 21 feet long; and 8 broken piles, about 40 feet long.

East Twenty-fourth Street Section.

- Lot 21. About 100 long cut pile butts, about 20 feet long.
- Lot 22. About 135 short cut pile butts, about 7 feet long.
- Lot 23. About 25 pile points, about 7 feet to 10 feet long.

Bellevue Section.

- Lot 24. About 200 long cut pile butts, about 208 feet long.
- Lot 25. About 260 short cut pile butts, about 17 feet long.
- Lot 26. About 50 pile points, about 7 feet to 10 feet long.

East Ninety-fourth Street Section.

- Lot 27. About 118 long cut pile butts about 20 feet long.
- Lot 28. About 408 short cut pile butts, about 7 feet long.

East One Hundred and Tenth Street Section.

- Lot 29. About 149 long cut pile butts, about 20 feet long.
- Lot 30. About 1,215 short cut pile butts, about 7 feet long.

CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., and be continued in the following order: First—At Basin south of Seventy-fifth street, North river. Second—At West Fifty-seventh Street Yard. Third—At West Washington Market Section. Fourth—At East Twenty-fourth Street Section. Fifth—At Bellevue Section. Sixth—At East Ninety-fourth Street Section. Seventh—At East One Hundred and Tenth Street Section.

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

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

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

Terms of sale to be cash, to be paid at the time of sale. An order will be given for the material purchased.

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

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 355.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING FOR A NEW PIER AT FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, ON THE EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE ABOVE- named place 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 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1890.

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 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:

For New Pier at foot of East Twenty-second street, East river 10,000 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:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the locations 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.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1890, 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 has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety 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 will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specification 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,

JAMES MATTHEWS,

J. SERGEANT CRAM,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated, NEW YORK, September 24, 1890.

(Work of construction under new plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 352.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING FOR PROPOSED BULKHEAD-WALL AT EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET SECTION, ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE ABOVE- named place on the Harlem river will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1890,

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 Seven 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 proposed bulkhead-wall at East One Hundred and Second Street section, Harlem river 16,000 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 the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of October, 1890, 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 has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, September 19, 1890.

THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Executive Committee of the Normal College, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Thursday, October 2, 1890, at 10 o'clock P. M., for supplying the College buildings, Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues, with about five hundred (500) tons of Egg Coal, about twenty (20) tons of Stove Coal, about fifteen (15) tons of Stove and Nut Coal mixed, and about five (5) tons of Nut Coal, making about five hundred and forty tons in all, to be Plymouth Red Ash Coal, twenty-two hundred and forty pounds to the ton, and to be delivered and stored in the bins of the College in quantities as required. No extra charge to be made for cartage and stowing.

The proposal to be accompanied by the signatures of two sureties, residents of the City of New York. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all proposals submitted.

Proposals must be addressed to the "Executive Committee of the Normal College, No. 146 Grand street New York City."

SAMUEL M. PURDY,

Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN,
Secretary.

Dated New York, September 24, 1890.

JURORS.

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

ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
NO. 280 BROADWAY, THIRD FLOOR,
NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1890.

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,

Commissioner of Jurors.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, October 2, 1890, for Heating Apparatus Work required in the Annex, Grammar School No. 70, at No. 207 East Seventy-fifth street.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, September 25, 1890.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 26, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting a building on the east side of Fulton avenue, for Engine Company No. 42 of this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, October 15, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and forty (140) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the 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 eight thousand (8,000) 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 or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of four hundred (400) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or

they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of October, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, September 26, 1890.

JOHN J. BRADY,
BENJAMIN F. EDSALL,
SAMUEL E. DUFFEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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. 280 Broadway (Room 4), in said city, on or before the eighteenth day of October, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said eighteenth day of October, 1890, 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 twentieth day of October, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Hampden street; easterly by westerly line of Jerome avenue; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Hampden street, and westerly by the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved lands included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown or 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 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 31st day of October, 1890, 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, September 26, 1890.

HENRY HUGHES, Chairman,
JOSEPH C. WOLFF,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 23d day of October, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Boston avenue, extending from Sedgwick avenue to Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth 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.:

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern and most northerly lines of Bailey avenue, as the same has been legally opened:

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Bailey avenue, for 72.33 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 99° 03' 13" to the left, for 175.57 feet;

3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 62° 12' 24" to the left, for 60.04 feet;

4th. Thence easterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius, drawn through the eastern ex-

tremitly of the preceding course, forms an angle of 90° 53' 57" to the north with the same and is 540 feet, for 169.41 feet to a point of compound curve;

5th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 310 feet, for 258.81 feet;

6th. Thence northeasterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 271.39 feet;

7th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 8° 45' 13" to the right, for 638.46 feet;

8th. Thence easterly, deflecting 37° 22' 23" to the right, for 53.82 feet to the western line of Sedgwick avenue;

9th. Thence northerly, along the western line of Sedgwick avenue, for 80 feet to the southern line of Giles place;

10th. Thence westerly along the southern line of Giles place, curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 350 feet, for 51.38 feet;

11th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 40° 53' 43" to the right from the southern prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its western extremity, for 86.21 feet;

12th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 3° 19' 14" to the right, for 609.92 feet;

13th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 8° 45' 13" to the left, for 275.98 feet;

14th. Thence westerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 250 feet, for 208.74 feet to a point of compound curve;

15th. Thence westerly, on the arc of a circle whose radius is 480 feet, for 368.42 feet;

16th. Thence southwesterly, for 24.46 feet, to the point of beginning.

Boston avenue is a street of the first class and is 60 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 City of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, September 23, 1890.

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

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WALNUT AVENUE, extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of October, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, September 26, 1890.

JOHN H. KNOEPPPEL,
RICHARD H. CLARKE,
JOHN H. SPELMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 203 Broadway (fifth floor), in said city, on or before the thirteenth day of October, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirteenth day of October, 1890, 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 fourteenth day of October, 1890.

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 commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Alexander avenue with the easterly line of Third avenue, and extending easterly and at right angles with the easterly line of Alexander avenue to its intersection with the easterly boundary line of the assessment district as herein-after described; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Alexander avenue and Willis avenue; southerly by the Harlem river, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Alexander avenue and Lincoln avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Alexander avenue and Third 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 thirty-first day of October, 1890, 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, September 3, 1890.

JOSEPH MCGUIRE, Chairman,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
FRANCIS HIGGINS,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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Supervisor