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Resolved, That, by virtue and under the powers of chapter 247 of the Laws of 1883, this Board, acting and discharging the duties of Supervisors under section 83 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, does hereby designate the President of the Board of Health as the proper authority to certify all bills and claims for interring the body of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine who served in the army or navy of the United States during the late rebellion, who may hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses, at an expense not exceeding thirty-five dollars in any case, or for the erection of a headstone of a design and material as approved by the Board of Supervisors by resolution, October 22, 1883, at a cost not exceeding fifteen dollars in any case, and which expenses are by chapter 247 of the Laws of 1883 made a county charge to be paid by the County Treasurer.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1890.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, July 21, 1890, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave the following-named street (so far as the same is not within the limits of grants of land under water) with granite-block pavement on concrete foundation: Goerck street, from Grand to Third street; crosswalks of bridge-stone, of North river blue stone, to be laid, relaid or renewed at the several intersections where necessary, and the curb-stones along said street to be reset at the proper grade, and new curb-stones of North river blue stone to be furnished and set where required; the work to be done by contract publicly let to the lowest bidder.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1890.

Resolved, That an additional course of flagging, four feet wide, be laid on the sidewalks on the south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Park to Lexington avenue, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1890.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the southeast corner of Second avenue and Seventy-second street, extending a distance about one hundred feet on Second avenue and about fifty feet on Seventy-second street, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1890.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the north side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Park and Madison avenues, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1890.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the south side of One Hundred and Fifth street, from Columbus avenue to Amsterdam avenue, be flagged full width where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Figge Brothers to lay a six-inch iron pipe to connect their premises on the north side of Fortieth street with the water of the North river, a distance of about three hundred and twenty-five feet, as shown on the accompanying diagram, for conducting salt water for use in case of fire and for cleansing purposes, upon payment to the city, as compensation for the privilege, such amount as may be determined an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said Figge Brothers shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby granted, during the progress of the work or subsequent to the laying of said pipe, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, July 23, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jeremiah T. Smith to extend a vault in front of his premises, on the northeast corner of Madison avenue and Twenty-third street, a distance of six feet beyond the curb-line, as shown by the dotted lines on the annexed diagram, extending one hundred and fifty-one feet on Twenty-third street and one hundred and thirty-one feet on Madison avenue, upon payment of the usual fees, provided the said Jeremiah T. Smith shall

stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress of construction or subsequent to the completion of said vaults, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, July 24, 1890.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, June 25, 1890, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe.

The minutes of stated meetings of June 11 and 18, 1890, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 5593 to 6008, inclusive, amounting to \$2,643.22.

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

The Construction or Executive Committee reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing that, in his opinion, O'Brien & Clark have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by them with this Commission on the 18th day of December, 1884, for constructing Section 6 of the New Aqueduct, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by O'Brien & Clark under the contract made by them with this Commission on the 18th day of December, 1884, for constructing Section 6 of the New Aqueduct, and that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished under said agreement be approved by the Commissioners, and certified to the Comptroller for payment; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate after deducting therefrom the sum of twenty thousand dollars to reimburse the City for the actual loss or damage provable upon said section for superintending said work from the date of the last extension of time for the completion of said work up to the date when said section was finally accepted.

The same were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

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

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing that, in his opinion, O'Brien & Clark have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by them with this Commission on the 12th day of October, 1886, for doing all labor and furnishing all materials used for the excavation, construction, maintenance, working, closing up and refilling of Shaft No. 16½, on Section No. 8 of the New Aqueduct, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by O'Brien & Clark under said contract, and that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished thereunder be approved by the Commissioners and certified to the Comptroller for payment; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate without any deduction for overtime.

The same were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

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

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing that, in his opinion, Brown, Howard & Co. have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by them with this Commission on the 12th day of October, 1886, for doing all labor and furnishing all materials used for the excavation, construction, maintenance, working, closing up and refilling of Shaft No. 11C, on Section No. 5 of the New Aqueduct, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by Brown, Howard & Co. under said contract, and that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished thereunder be approved by the Commissioners and certified to the Comptroller for payment; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate without any deduction for overtime.

The same were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

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

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing that, in his opinion, Smith & Brown have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by them with this Commission on the 1st day of August, 1887, for doing all labor and furnishing all materials used in the construction of a new highway in front of the New Croton Dam Gate-house, on Section No. 1 of the New Aqueduct, including all the necessary grading, masonry, etc., for the highway roadbed; all the necessary lumber, ironwork, labor, etc., for the trestle-work and for two bridges of sixty feet span, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by Smith & Brown under said contract, and that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished thereunder be approved by the Commissioners and certified to the Comptroller for payment; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate without any deduction for overtime.

The same were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

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

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Commission has certified in writing that, in his opinion, O'Brien & Clark have completely performed and carried out the provisions of the contract made by them with this Commission on the 5th day of October, 1887, for building the gate-house superstructure walls for the blow-off chamber at Ardsley, on Section 7 of the New Aqueduct, and has stated from actual measurements the whole amount of work done and materials furnished under and according to the terms of said contract, and of the true value thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners do accept the work done and materials furnished by O'Brien & Clark under the contract made by them with this Commission on the 5th day of October, 1887, for building the gate-house superstructure walls for the blow-off chamber at Ardsley, on Section 7 of the New Aqueduct, and that a proper voucher for the final payment for work done and materials furnished under said agreement be approved by the Commissioners and certified to the Comptroller for payment; and the Comptroller is hereby requested to pay the amount of said final estimate without any deduction for overtime.

The same were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

The Committee also presented the following:

The Construction or Executive Committee report:
That they have been notified by O'Brien & Clark of the assignment by them to Rider & Dougherty, of Yonkers, N. Y., of the sum of \$1,226.52 earned or to be earned by them on their contract for the construction of Section 9 of the New Aqueduct, and that the said O'Brien & Clark have requested the Aqueduct Commissioners to assent to said assignment; and recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby assent and consent to said assignment by said O'Brien & Clark.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the report was approved and adopted.

The committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution :
Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Deputy Chief Engineer and owing to the lack of work, the services of the following-named Inspectors of Masonry be and they are dispensed with on and after July 5 next :

Peter Quinn.	Paul J. Moore.	L. F. Osborne.
M. Brady.	John McGerity.	L. W. Sandiforth.
Joseph Johnston.	Thomas Quinn.	J. J. Kelly.
Joseph R. Williams.		

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee recommend that the resolution adopted on May 28, 1890, appointing Frank H. Warder Typewriter and Clerk in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, be corrected to read "Typewriter in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners."

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the recommendation of the Committee was approved.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the following preambles and resolution, laid on the table at the last meeting, were then taken from the table and read :

Whereas, The Counsel to the Corporation has transmitted, with his approval, an opinion by Hon. James C. Carter, special counsel, to the effect that the stipulation contained in the Aqueduct contracts are not enforceable, and that there is no right in the City to deduct from any final payments which have become due on such contracts the sum of one thousand dollars per day for the failure to completely perform within the time fixed by the contracts as the same were enlarged by the subsequent extensions, but that there is a clear liability resting upon the several contractors to pay any actual loss or damage which the City may be shown to have sustained by reason of the failure, and that such claim for damages may be deducted from the final payments upon the several sections upon which said failure to perform have occurred ; and

Whereas, In the opinion of the Aqueduct Commissioners, the actual damage provable upon the several sections already accepted, and for which final estimates have been transmitted to the Comptroller, is as follows :

As to Section 2.....	\$26,103 00
" 3.....	18,542 00
" 4.....	22,881 00
" 5.....	14,929 00
" 7.....	37,800 00
" 8.....	23,816 00

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing opinion of the Special Counsel, and a copy of the letter of the Counsel to the Corporation transmitting the same, be furnished to the Comptroller, and that he be advised and requested to pay to the several contractors for said Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8 the several sums appearing to be due to them by the final estimates for said several sections, less the several amounts hereinbefore specified as the amounts of actual loss or damage provable upon said sections respectively.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same were then adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the following preambles and resolution, laid on the table on June 11, 1890, were taken from the table and read :

Whereas, At a meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held on October 18, 1888, it was

"Resolved, That in the opinion of the Executive or Construction Committee of the Aqueduct Commission, the Comptroller would be acting for the best interests of the City of New York and in furtherance of the work intrusted to the Commission, if he should withhold from Brown, Howard & Company, contractors, or from Walston H. Brown, receiver of said firm, of the face of the estimates for work done on Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the New Aqueduct, as the same are transmitted by the Aqueduct Commissioners, only the sum of one hundred and twenty-six thousand two hundred and twenty-three dollars (\$126,223), certified by the Chief Engineer as the amount which will be required to repair and make good the defective work on said sections not already repaired, and the additional sum of one hundred and twenty-four thousand four hundred and seventeen dollars and eighty-three cents (\$124,417.83), being part of the amount heretofore overpaid to said contractors, leaving the balance of the overpayments heretofore made on said sections to be adjusted when the work is finally completed ; and the Comptroller is hereby advised to make payment in accordance with the opinion herein expressed ;" and

Whereas, The Comptroller, in accordance with said resolution, did withhold from the estimates for work done on Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, as the same were transmitted by the Aqueduct Commissioners, the said sum of \$126,223, as security for repairs of defective work, and the further sum of \$124,417.83, on account of the overpayments for excess excavation, leaving the balance of said overpayments for said excess excavation to be charged up as against the ten per cent. reserved, until the final adjustment, when the work is completed ; and

Whereas, Said sections have been fully completed and accepted by this Commission, and final estimates therefor transmitted to the contractors ;

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is advised to pay to said firm of Brown, Howard & Company, or Walston H. Brown, receiver, the said sum of one hundred and twenty-four thousand four hundred and seventeen dollars and eighty-three cents, heretofore deducted from their current estimates, the amount of overpayments heretofore made on said sections for excessive excavations having been adjusted in the final estimates for said sections.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same were then adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the hearing of the order to show cause by Heman Clark, contractor for the construction of Section 10B of the New Aqueduct, why the farther work of construction of said section should not be discontinued, owing to the fact that the work is unnecessarily and unreasonably delayed, and for his failure to comply with the orders and directions of the Chief Engineer, and the further completion of said section done under the direction and supervision of the Aqueduct Commissioners, as provided in Clause P of the contract for the construction of said section, adjourned to this day, was ordered discontinued.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, July 2, 1890, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe.

Owing to the fact that the minutes of the last meeting had not been received from the printer, on motion of Commissioner Scott, the reading of same was dispensed with at this time.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 6013 to 6026, inclusive, amounting to \$1,156.36; also of Vouchers Nos. 6027 to 6032, inclusive, being estimates for work done by contractors, amounting to \$30,537.14.

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

The Construction or Executive Committee reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the claim of George Schley to be allowed pay for the time he was under suspension while employed as an Inspector of Masonry on the New Aqueduct from April 21 to May 21, 1888, and for pay for sixteen and one-half days' overtime claimed by him, be and the same is hereby denied.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

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

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, and owing to the lack of work, Inspector of Masonry Michael Storen be and he is hereby suspended without pay, the same to date from July 1, 1890.

On motion of Commissioner Howe, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee present the following communication received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, July 2, 1890.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners :

GENTLEMEN—While doing the work of preparing and coating with cement the New Croton Aqueduct, in Sections 13 and 14, you verbally authorized me to do at the same time similar work in adjacent part of Section 12.

The amount spent in Section 12 for this work is \$300.

In view of the work of the same character remaining to be done in the rest of Section 12, including the siphon under Harlem river, I would respectfully ask you to authorize the Chief Engineer to complete the preparation of this section. The amount necessary therefor will not exceed \$2,500, and may remain much below that sum.

This is to ask you to appropriate the amount of \$2,500 for that purpose, including in it the \$300 already spent as stated above.

The long time during which the inverted siphon under the Harlem river has been inaccessible, with chances of silting being caused by adjoining work and by the flow of the water from the upper sections, is the cause of the uncertainty in regard to the probable cost of this work, which is, as you are aware, of an expensive character.

I am, very respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

—and recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby authorized to complete Section 12 of the

New Aqueduct by applying a coating of cement to the interior of said section, at an expense not to exceed the sum of \$2,500, in accordance with the foregoing recommendation ; and an appropriation of said amount is hereby made to cover the cost of doing said work.

The report was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee present the following communication received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, July 2, 1890.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—I find it necessary to move the present bridge at Milltown in order to properly build the new bridge in connection with the roads around the Sodom Reservoir.

This is to ask you to authorize the Chief Engineer to order Contractor Clinton Stephens to do that work by day's labor, allowing him fifteen per cent. for the use of tools and superintendence. The total expenditure not to exceed \$200.

I am, respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

—and recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby authorized to contract with Clinton Stephens to do the work referred to in the foregoing communication, in the manner therein referred to, at an expense not to exceed \$200 ; and an appropriation of that amount is hereby made to cover the cost of doing said work.

The report was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee present the following communication received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, July 2, 1890.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction :

GENTLEMEN—I notice that the amounts reported by the Aqueduct Commissioners to the Comptroller as to the cost of superintendence of Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 at the meeting of June 11, 1890, were \$26,103, \$18,542, \$22,881 and \$14,929, respectively.

Allow me to call your attention to the fact that those figures were given to you as only approximate for your information. The detail of the expenditures is now complete and is herewith submitted, and the revised estimates are found to be as follows :

Section 2.....	\$26,661 80
" 3.....	19,100 80
" 4.....	24,213 20
" 5.....	15,732 15
" 6.....	19,157 58

I am, respectfully yours,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

—and recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the actual damage provable upon the following-named sections of the New Aqueduct which have been accepted, and for which final estimates have been transmitted to the Comptroller, be and the same is hereby fixed as follows :

Section 2.....	\$26,661 80
" 3.....	19,100 80
" 4.....	24,213 20
" 5.....	15,732 15
" 6.....	19,157 58

And the Comptroller is requested to pay to the contractors for said sections the amounts appearing to be due them by the final estimates for said sections, less the amounts herein specified as the amounts of actual loss or damage provable upon said sections respectively.

The report was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

The Committee also reported in favor of the adoption of the following preamble and resolution :
Whereas, An application has been made by O'Brien & Clark, contractors, for an extension of time for the completion of the work embraced in their contract for deepening and finishing Shaft No. 24, on Section 12 of the New Aqueduct ; therefore

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to Messrs. O'Brien & Clark, contractors, an extension of time to August 1, 1890, in which to complete the work above referred to, providing their bondsmen shall, within ten days from the date hereof, enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said contract under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed to them as further time for the performance of said contract.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were adopted.

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

Whereas, The Chief Engineer has certified, under date of July 2, 1890, that the repairs of defective work on Section 10B of the New Aqueduct have so far progressed that it will not be necessary to continue to retain the sum withheld to make good the repairs of defective work on said section ; therefore

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby requested to release and pay to the contractors for said Section the sum of \$2,000, withheld to make good the repairs of defective work on said section, leaving nothing to be withheld for repairs of defective work on said section.

The same were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Howe—4.

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

Whereas, An application has been made by O'Brien & Clark, contractors, for an extension of time for the completion of the work embraced in their contract for the construction of Section 16 of the New Aqueduct ; therefore

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to Messrs. O'Brien & Clark, contractors, an extension of time to August 1, 1890, in which to complete the work of construction of said section, providing their bondsmen shall, within ten days from the date hereof, enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said contract under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed to them as further time for the performance of said contract.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were adopted.

The Committee also presented the following :

The Construction or Executive Committee recommend that the following preamble and resolution, adopted on June 18, 1890, be reconsidered :

Whereas, Application has been made by David R. Paige & Co., contractors, for an extension of time to November 1, 1890, for the construction of the connecting tunnel between the two dams on Bog brook, and the Chief Engineer having recommended that an extension of time to October 1, next, be granted, provided said contractors give to the City a sufficient guarantee that they will take, at their own cost, such steps as will prevent any damage to their work due to the possible rising of the water behind the masonry dam on the East Branch of Croton river, caused by the orders of the Aqueduct Commissioners or by the action of the elements ; and provided also, if any damage is done to their work from such causes, they will waive all claim for compensation on account of such damage, loss of time, or on account of other losses which they may incur from the said rising of the water ; we recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to David R. Paige & Co., contractors, an extension of time to October 1, 1890, in which to complete the contract above referred to ; providing the bondsmen of said firm shall enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said contract under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed to them as further time for the performance of said contract ; and also provided that the said firm shall execute an agreement with the Aqueduct Commissioners guaranteeing that they will take, at their own cost, such steps as will prevent any damage to their masonry dam on the East Branch of Croton river, caused by the orders of the Commissioners, or by the action of the elements ; and provided, also, that if any damage is done to their work from such causes, they will waive all claim for compensation on account of such damage, loss of time, or on account of other losses which they may incur from the said rising of the water.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the report was adopted.

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

Whereas, Application has been made by David R. Paige & Co., contractors, for an extension of time to November 1, 1890, for the construction of the connecting tunnel between the two dams on Bog brook, and the Chief Engineer having recommended that an extension of time to October 1, next, be granted, provided said contractors give to the City a sufficient guarantee that they will take, at their own cost, such steps as will prevent any damage to their work due to the possible rising of the water behind the masonry dam on the East Branch of Croton river, caused by the orders of the Aqueduct Commissioners, or by the action of the elements ; and provided also, if any damage is done to their work from such causes, they will waive all claim for compensation on account of such damage, loss of time, or on account of other losses which they may incur from the said rising of the water ; we recommend the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby grant to David R. Paige & Co., contractors, an extension of time to October 1, 1890, in which to complete the contract above referred to ; providing the bondsmen of said firm shall enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during the completion of said contract under said extension of time, which is hereby allowed

to them as further time for the performance of said contract; and also provided that said firm shall execute an agreement with the Aqueduct Commissioners guaranteeing that they will take, at their own cost, such steps as will prevent any damage to their work due to the possible rising of the water behind the masonry dam on the East Branch of Croton river caused by the orders of the Commissioners if, in the opinion of said Commissioners, it is deemed necessary for the welfare and protection of the water supply of the City of New York to allow said water to rise behind said dam, or such injury or damage as may be caused by the action of the elements; and provided also, that if any damage is done to their work from such causes, they will waive all claim for compensation on account of such damage, loss of time, or on account of other losses which they may incur from the rising of said water.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were adopted.

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

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Inspectors of Masonry James L. Vallely and A. J. Fleming be and they are hereby recommended to the Civil Service Commission for examination for promotion to the grade of Superintendent of Dam Construction.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Secretary presented a communication received from the Finance Department, dated June 28, 1890, stating that the following deductions had been made on—

Voucher No. 350, J. W. Bennett.....	\$0 49
" 376, H. T. Dykman.....	61 38
" 380, Charles Peterson.....	36
" 433, Charles Peterson.....	1 35

—and that the following issues of Additional Water Stock have been made:

April, 1890.....	\$100,000 00
May, 1890.....	100,000 00
June 24, 1890.....	700,000 00
Premium.....	12,530 00

Making..... \$912,530 00

—credited to the Additional Water Fund.

On motion of Commissioner Howe, the same was referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit.

The Secretary gave notice of the filing of a lien by Thornton N. Motley & Co. against O'Brien & Clark for materials furnished in the construction of Section 10B of the New Aqueduct, amounting to \$512.17.

Which was ordered filed.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, JULY 7 TO JULY 12, 1890.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending July 5, 1890: Males, 27; females, 6. On file.

List of 38 prisoners to be discharged from July 13 to 19, 1890. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending July 5, 1890, \$133. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 10 patients admitted, 8 discharged, and 1 that died during week ending July 5, 1890. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 16 patients admitted, 6 discharged and 8 that have died during week ending July 5, 1890. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending July 5, 1890, \$88. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending July 5, 1890, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to July 5, 1890. To Bookkeeper.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending July 5, 1890. On file.

From General Drug Department Chemist—Reporting milk analyzed from June 29 to July 5, 1890, up to the standard. On file.

From Storehouse—For repairs to fire alarm. Referred to purchasing agent.

From the District Attorney—Transmitting report of William Travers Jerome, Assistant District Attorney, who visited the Insane Asylum on Blackwell's Island on July 3, by direction of the District Attorney to investigate the charges made in one of the daily newspapers that Mrs. Catharine Carr, an inmate of the asylum, had been maltreated and assaulted by one or more of the attendants, with a view of laying the matter before the Grand Jury, and satisfied himself that there was no real foundation for the charges. On file.

From Storekeeper—Rejecting butter and hams furnished under contracts, they being inferior to samples. Approved.

Transmitting \$147.54, account of sale of bones. Secretary to deposit.

Appointed.

From July 1. Mary Fitzgerald, Cook, Gouverneur Hospital. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 1. Mary Adams, Waitress, Gouverneur Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.
 " 1. Maggie Phillips, Laundress, Gouverneur Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.
 " 2. Maggie Murphy, Kate Crystal, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum each.
 " 2. Julia O'Connell, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
 " 2. Eugene Sullivan, Christian J. Zeyhle, George H. Dennis, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.
 " 3. David F. Gifford, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 " 6. Thomas E. Ryan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 7. Mary A. Scanlan, Abbie W. Head, Nurses, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum each.
 " 7. Robert E. Keighton, Nurse, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.
 " 7. James M. Flynn, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 8. Frank H. Branning, Nurse, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.
 " 9. Annie Heffernan, Laundress, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.
 " 9. Jennie E. Sweetland, Annie Schenck, Kate Chase, Nurses, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum each.
 " 10. Joseph P. Henry, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 10. Jennie M. Long, Nurse, Almshouse. Salary, \$120 per annum.
 " 11. Hugh McCarthy, Gardener, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$400 per annum.
 " 11. Sophie L. Townsend, Supervising Nurse, Harlem Hospital. Salary, \$500 per annum.

Reappointed.

July 5. James J. Friel, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

Resigned.

July 1. Eliza Broberg, Cook, Gouverneur Hospital.
 " 1. Augusta Broberg, Waitress, Gouverneur Hospital.
 " 1. Michael J. Lucy, John Harnett, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 " 1. Mary A. Murphy, Maggie Wilson, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.
 " 1. John Paffarth, Assistant Cook, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.
 " 5. J. J. Kindred, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 7. Horace D. Dow, Nurse, Charity Hospital.
 " 10. William Van Giesen, Attendant, Bellevue Hospital.

Places Declared Vacant.

July 2. Patrick McC. Finn, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 " 11. Charles Menderhil, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.

Dismissed.

July 1. Mary Reagan, Laundress, Gouverneur Hospital.
 7. John Reilly, Orderly, Homeopathic Hospital.

Salary Increased.

July 1. William Hasselbach, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital. \$240 to \$300 per annum.
 10. Nellie Smith, Hannah Horgan, Nurses, Infants' Hospital. \$180 to \$240 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 26, 1890.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, July 25, 1890.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, July 19.....	35	\$40 75
Monday, " 21.....	86	122 50
Tuesday, " 22.....	52	81 00
Wednesday, " 23.....	60	184 50
Thursday, " 24.....	53	95 75
Friday, " 25.....	31	88 75
Tot ls.....	317	\$613 25

DANIEL ENGELHARD,
Mayor's Marshal.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate the "Daily News" and the "New York Morning Journal," two of the daily papers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of unredemmed 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:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. LEICESTER HOLME, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.
FRANK FOX, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMOY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

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

JAMES H. FARRELL, City Librarian.

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. KEESE, 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. RODENBROUGH, 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.

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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 10 to 12 M.

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Enigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

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

Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

HANS S. BEATTIE, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; GILBERT O. F. NICOLL, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

JAMES THOMSON, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADRE, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
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.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

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.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

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.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10½ 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.

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.

POLICE COURTS.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, July 18, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF AN open competitive examination for the position of MESSENGER to be held at the rooms of the Civil Service Boards, Cooper Union, on Monday, July 28, 1890.

Applications may be obtained at the office of the Secretary, Room 30, Cooper Union.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, April 3, 1890.

NOTICE.

- Office hours from 9 A.M. until 4 P.M.
 - Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
 - Examinations will be held from time to time at the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.
 - All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
 - The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:
 - Schedule A shall include all deputies of officers and commissioners duly authorized to act for their principals, and all persons necessarily occupying a strictly confidential position.
 - Schedule B shall include clerks, copyists, recorders, bookkeepers and others rendering clerical services, except type-writers and stenographers.
 - Schedule C shall include Policemen, both in the Police Department and Department of Parks, and the uniformed force in the Fire Department, and Doormen in the Police Department.
 - Schedule D shall include all persons for whose duty special expert knowledge is required not included in Schedule E.
 - Schedule E shall include physicians, chemists, nurses, orderlies and attendants in the city hospitals and asylums, surgeons in the Police Department and the Department of Public Parks, and medical officers in the Fire Department.
 - Schedule F shall include stenographers, type-writers and all persons not included in the foregoing schedules, except laborers or day workmen.
 - Schedule G shall include all persons employed as laborers or day workmen.
- Positions falling within Schedules A and G are exempt from Civil Service examination.
- LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$442,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK (ARMORY BONDS).

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Wednesday, the 6th day of August, 1890, at 2 o'clock P.M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of an issue of \$442,000 registered

CONSOLIDATED STOCK

of the City of New York, the principal payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1909, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 299 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 412, Laws of 1886, and chapter 330, Laws of 1887, for the purchase of an armory site at Fourth avenue and Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, as authorized by a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted July 24, 1890, and is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted July 24, 1890.

CONDITIONS.

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

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

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Consolidated Stock" of the City of New York, and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 24, 1890.CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 23, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, July 18, 1890, and entered on the 22d day of July, 1890, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 2 P.M., and all payments made thereon, on or before September 22, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 16, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Sewer and appurtenances in Brook avenue, from tide-water to a point in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. Regulating and grading, flagging the sidewalks four feet wide, setting curb-stones and laying crosswalks in St. Ann's avenue, between the northerly curb-line of the Southern Boulevard and the southerly curb-line of Clifton street.

Fencing vacant lots on south side of One Hundred and Tenth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues. —which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments July 8, 1890, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A.M. and 2 P.M., and all payments made thereon, on or before September 8, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A.M. on Wednesday, August 6, 1890:

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, FROM WASHINGTON AVENUE TO THIRD AVENUE.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT AND READING CURB-STONES AND CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM BOSTON ROAD TO TRINITY AVENUE.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF BOSTON AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET TO JEFFERSON STREET, LAYING ADDITIONAL CROSSWALKS AND READING THE CURBS AND SIDEWALKS.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, SETTING CURB-STONES AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO BROOK AVENUE.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, LAYING FLAG-STONES AND CROSSWALKS, AND BUILDING CULVERTS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO GERARD AVENUE.

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

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

NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

- 481 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
- 63 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer.
- 5 ordinary manholes complete.
- 1 special manhole complete.
- 2 receiving-basins complete.
- 5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete cradle for pipe sewers.
- 1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

In addition to the above quantities of work to be done, if sheet piling is required and ordered by the Engineer to be left in the trench, it will be measured and paid for at ONE-HALF of the price bid for lumber.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

- 1,580 square yards of new trap-block pavement.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be FORTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

- 14,200 square yards of new trap-block pavement.
- 250 linear feet of new curb-stones furnished and set.
- 450 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
- 1,100 square feet of new bridge-stone for crosswalks.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be ONE HUNDRED CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.

- 5,840 square yards of new trap-block pavement.
- 210 linear feet new curb-stones furnished and set.
- 1,250 linear feet old curb-stones taken up and reset.
- 112 square feet new bridge-stones furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be NINETY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 5, ABOVE MENTIONED.

- 13,500 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 17,600 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- 55,000 cubic yards of filling.
- 7,200 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.
- 1,600 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset.
- 29,400 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
- 3,200 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.
- 5,500 square feet of bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.
- 3,500 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining-walls and culverts.
- 7,000 feet (B. M.) of timber and plank furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be THREE HUNDRED CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

12 dozen Sash Tools, 6 each, Nos. 6 and 8.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, August 6, 1890. The

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.
By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

(No. 347.)

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 West Fifty-second street, North river..... 56,000 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 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.

(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 30th day of April, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment 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 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, July 22, 1890.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 346.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIER, NEW 57, FOR A NEW PIER NO. 58, AND AT PIER, NEW 59, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

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

THURSDAY, AUGUST 7TH, 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 Six Thousand Eight 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:

At Pier, new 57, North river, north side	23,000 cubic yards.
For Pier, new 58, North river, site of new pier and half-slips adjoining	68,000 "
At Pier, new 59, North river	43,500 "
Total	134,500 "

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 30th day of April, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment 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 specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, July 22, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, July 17, 1890.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS,
will sell at public auction in the Board Room at Pier "A," Battery place, in the City of New York, on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 30, 1890,

at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all wharfage which may accrue for the use and occupation by vessels of more than five tons burden, of the following-named piers, together with the privilege of shedding and maintaining a shed on any or all of such piers, and occupying any shed on any or all of such piers at the commencement of the term. The said sheds and each of them to revert to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease, to wit:

On the North River.

For a term of ten years, from August 1, 1890, with the privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years.

Lot 1. Pier at foot of West Thirty-eighth street.
Lot 2. Pier at foot of West Thirty-seventh street.
The leases of these piers will contain a covenant for a renewal term of ten years at an advanced rental, such increase to be ten per cent. on the rental for the first term.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be at the commencement of the term of the lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or property are not in suitable and tenantable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by this Department.

All repairs, maintaining or rebuilding required or necessary to be done to or upon the premises, or any part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of the lessee or purchaser.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharfage or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding or dredging.

The up-set price of the parcels or premises exposed or offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale.

The Department will do all dredging whenever it shall deem it necessary or advisable so to do.

The term for which leases are sold will commence at the date mentioned in the advertisement, viz.: August 1, 1890, and the rents accruing therefor will be payable from that date in each case.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to the Department of Docks, twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, with good and sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the Department, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks, Pier "A," North river, Battery place.

The Department expressly reserves the right to resell the lease or premises bid off, by those failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so failing, refusing or neglecting, to be liable to the Corporation of the City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department.

In all cases where it is mentioned in the advertisement of sale, the purchaser shall be entitled to the privilege of occupying any shed upon the pier or bulkhead at the commencement of the term or that may thereafter be permitted or licensed by the Department, and to the rights attached to such permission or license, but subject to the conditions thereof, such purchaser being engaged in the business of steam transportation and using and employing the same for the purpose of regularly receiving and discharging cargo thereat.

Not less than two sureties, each to be a householder or freeholder in the State of New York, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and severally with the lessee, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the names and addresses of the sureties to be submitted at the time of sale.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon ten days' notice so to do, execute a lease with sufficient surety as aforesaid, the printed form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place.

No person will be received as a lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from this Department or the Corporation.

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to this Department or the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to this Department or to the Corporation of the City of New York.

The auctioneer's fees (\$25) on each lot or parcel must be paid by the purchasers thereof respectively at the time of sale.

Dated NEW YORK, July 17, 1890.

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. 345.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND PUTTING IN PLACE SMALL COBBLE AND RIP-RAP STONES.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND PUTTING in place Small Cobble and Rip-rap Stones 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

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

Small Cobble and Rip-rap Stone for Bulkhead or River Wall, to be deposited in place by Contractor.

Class A.—About 15,000 cubic yards of Small Cobble Stone.

Class B.—About 20,000 cubic yards of Rip-rap Stone.

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 locations of the proposed deliveries of the material, 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, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The small cobble-stone and rip-rap stone are to be delivered from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of January, 1891, at which time this contract will cease and terminate.

The right is reserved by the Department of Docks to increase or diminish the estimated quantities of cobble and rip-rap stones called for by this contract by an amount not exceeding twenty per cent. of the estimated quantities. And the bidder will agree that he will not ask or demand, sue for nor recover any extra compensation for damage or loss of anticipated profits, beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work in this contract enumerated, which shall be actually supplied at the prices therefor agreed upon.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof, or of any delivery that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the respective times fixed for the fulfillment thereof have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their proposals the price per cubic yard for each of the above classes of material, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which 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 receiving of the material by the Department of Docks.

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

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 material to be delivered 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 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, July 16, 1890.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing and altering the building of this Department, used as Quarters for Engine Company No. 7, at Nos. 22 and 24 Chambers street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, August 6, 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 which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within forty (40) 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 ten (10) dollars.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the 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 one thousand and five hundred (1,500) 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 seventy-five (75) 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.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 23, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing one-third size Amoskeag Harp Tank Steam Fire-engine, registered number 517, and fitting said engine with a boiler of the "La France nest tube" pattern, 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, August 6, 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, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The repairs are to be completed and delivered within sixty (60) 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 fifteen (15) 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 nine hundred 900 dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of forty-five (45) 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 Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Union avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same have 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 5th day of August, 1890, at 10½ 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, July 22, 1890.
G. M. SPEIR, Jr.,
WILLIAM N. ARMSTRONG,
TERENCE DUFFY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works and of the Counsel to the Corporation, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of MANHATTAN STREET in a westerly direction from Twelfth avenue to the established bulkhead-line in the Hudson river, as said street was laid out and extended by chapter 523 of the Laws of 1881, passed June 15, 1881.

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, 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, on or before the 9th day of September, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 9th day of September, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 10th day of September, 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 the southerly line of One Hundred and Fortieth street, from bulkhead-line of Hudson river to Tenth avenue; the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to Convent avenue; the prolongation easterly of the centre line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Convent avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the centre line of the block between Edgecombe avenue and Eighth avenue; easterly by the westerly lines of Tenth avenue, Convent avenue, Avenue St. Nicholas and the centre line of the blocks between Edgecombe, St. Nicholas and Manhattan avenues and Eighth avenue; southerly by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, the prolongation westerly of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Ninth avenue to Morningside avenue, and from the Boulevard to Twelfth avenue; and westerly by the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, 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 23d day of September, 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, July 21, 1890.
CHAS. H. HASWELL, Chairman,
THOS. J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 280 Broadway (Room 4), in said city, on or before the twelfth day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said twelfth day of July, 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 July, 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 the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road; and westerly by the easterly line of the Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue; excepting from said area all the land included within the line of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps 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 twenty-eighth day of July, 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, June 2, 1890.
JOHN H. ROGAN, Chairman,
CHARLES D. METZ,
JOHN N. EMRA,
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 GERMAN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Westchester avenue to Brook avenue, and to RAE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from St. Ann's avenue to German place, and to CARR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from St. Ann's avenue to German place, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first-class streets or roads by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the sixth day of August, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said sixth day of August, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at one 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 seventh day of August, 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 Third avenue and extending from the easterly line of the Port Morris Branch Railroad to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Clifton street and extending from the easterly line of Third avenue to the centre line of the block between Third avenue and Eagle avenue; easterly by the centre line of the block between Third avenue and Eagle avenue, the centre line of the blocks between St. Ann's avenue and Eagle avenue, and an irregular line commencing at a point in the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, equidistant from St. Ann's avenue and Eagle avenue, and extending in a general southerly direction between the lines of said avenues to its intersection with a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Westchester avenue; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Westchester avenue; and westerly by the westerly line of Brook avenue and the easterly line of the Port Morris Branch Railroad; 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 twenty-second day of August, 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, June 27, 1890.
SAMUEL R. ELLIOTT, Chairman,
JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the fourteenth day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said fourteenth day of July, 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 fifteenth day of July, 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 the southerly line of Brook avenue; easterly by the centre line of the block between Elton avenue and Washington avenue, a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly line of Elton avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Elton avenue and Third avenue; southerly by the northerly line of Third avenue and by a line drawn at right angles with the westerly line of Elton avenue at its intersection with the westerly line of Third avenue, and extending 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Elton avenue; westerly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Elton 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 twenty-eighth day of July, 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, June 2, 1890.
ROBERT W. TODD, Chairman,
FRANCIS C. DEVLIN,
J. P. SOLOMON,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Railroad avenue, East, 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. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of July, 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 seventh day of August, 1890.

the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-ninth day of July, 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 the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; easterly by the westerly side of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-third street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, and westerly by the easterly side of Railroad avenue, East, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of August, 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, June 17, 1890.

JEFFERSON M. LEVY, Chairman,
LEICESTER HOLME,
EUGENE DURNIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of LINCOLN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the Southern Boulevard 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. 209 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the nineteenth day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said nineteenth day of July, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-first day of July, 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 the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; easterly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Lincoln avenue; southerly by the northerly line of the Southern Boulevard, and westerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Lincoln avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Lincoln avenue and Third avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the intersection of the westerly line of Lincoln avenue with the easterly line of 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 first day of August, 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, June 6, 1890.

FRANCIS C. DEVLIN, Chairman,
ROBERT W. TODD,
EZRA A. TUTTLE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

JURORS.

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

ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
No. 280 BROADWAY, THIRD FLOOR,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1890.

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

Those entitled to exemption are: Clergymen, lawyers, physicians, surgeons, surgeon-dentists, professors or teachers in a college, academy or public school, 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.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, if unpaid, will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-second Ward, at the hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Monday, August 4, 1890, for the Erection of a New School Building on the northwest corner of Amsterdam avenue and West Sixty-eighth street.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,
RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.
Dated New York, July 27, 1890.

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 22, 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, August 5, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

- No. 1. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN JOHN STREET, between South and Pearl streets.
- No. 2. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN STANTON STREET, between Sheriff and Suffolk streets.
- No. 3. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET, between Third and Lexington avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 22, 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, August 5, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

- No. 1. FOR SEWER IN THIRTEENTH AVENUE, east side, between Little West Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, and in THIRTEENTH STREET, between Tenth and Thirteenth avenues.
- No. 2. FOR SEWER IN FIRST AVENUE, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets.
- No. 3. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN FOURTH (PARK) AVENUE, west side, between Seventy-first and Seventy-third streets, and in SEVENTY-SECOND STREET, between Park and Madison avenues.
- No. 4. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-FIRST STREET, between Tenth avenue and Summit, East.
- No. 5. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.
- No. 6. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and twenty-eighth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.
- No. 7. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.
- No. 8. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets.
- No. 9. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets.

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

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

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

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

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Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 17, 1890.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, AUGUST 4, 1890, the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at the Corporation Yards, One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, lot of East Sixteenth street, and foot of Rivington street, the sale to commence at the yard One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, at 10.30 A. M., the following articles, viz.:

WAGONS, TRUCKS, CARTS, STANDS, BOOTHS, TELEGRAPH POLES, COPPER, ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRE, ABANDONED FURNITURE, PUSH-CARTS, ETC., ETC.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in full must be made in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the articles purchased must be removed by the purchasers within ten days from date of sale, otherwise the purchasers will forfeit their right to same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, July 17, 1890.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, ACCORDING TO LAW, five per cent. will be added on the first of August next on all unpaid Croton water rates.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, 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, August 14, 1890.

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 1st, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 921 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.

THE CITY RECORD.

THE CITY RECORD IS PUBLISHED DAILY, Sundays and legal holidays other than the general election day excepted, at No. 2 City Hall, New York City. Price, single copy, 3 cents; annual subscription \$9.30.

W. J. K. KENNY,
Supervisor.