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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
WEDNESDAY, May 21, 1890—12 o'clock M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call :

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, May 16, 1890.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 189th section of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Wednesday, May 21, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

INDORSED :

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 16th day of May, 1890.

HUGH J. GRANT,
Mayor;

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller;

J. H. V. ARNOLD,
President of the Board of Aldermen;

M. COLEMAN,
President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Present—The following members, viz. :

Hugh J. Grant, the Mayor; Theodore W. Myers, the Comptroller; Michael Coleman, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Absent—John H. V. Arnold, the President of the Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held May 6, 1890, were read and approved.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the amounts following be and hereby are appropriated from the "Excise Fund," under the provisions of section 210, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), for the support of children, in the month of April, 1890, committed by magistrates to the institutions named, pursuant to law :

NAME.	NUMBER OF CHILDREN.	NUMBER OF DAYS.	RATE.	AMOUNT.
Mission of the Immaculate Virgin	1,290	37,561	\$2 per week.	\$10,731 71
Institution of Mercy	756	22,185	"	6,338 57
Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	719	21,195	"	5,864 71
Dominican Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary.....	613	17,777	"	5,076 58
Asylum Sisters of St. Dominic.....	569	16,810	"	4,802 86
St. Joseph's Asylum.....	585	17,276	"	4,936 00
Ladies' Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectory	357	10,619	"	3,034 00
St. Agatha Home for Children	174	5,189	"	1,482 57
St. James' Home.....	113	3,390	"	968 57
Association for the Benefit of Colored Orphans.....	143	4,234	"	1,209 71
American Female Guardian Society and Home for the } Friendless.....	150	3,959	"	1,131 14
Five Points House of Industry.....	181	5,126	"	1,464 57
Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul.....	143	4,218	"	1,205 14
St. Michael's Home	57	1,686	\$1 per week. 2 per week.	455 14
St. Ann's Home.....	195	5,683	"	1,623 71
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	8	240	"	68 57
Total.....				\$50,393 55

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred and forty-one dollars and twenty-three cents (\$541.23) be and hereby is appropriated from the "Excise Fund" to the "Home for Fallen and Friendless Girls," for the support of seventy-four (74) inmates in the month of April, 1890, aggregating thirteen hundred and seventeen (1,317) days, at the rate of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) per annum, pursuant to section 208, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller presented the following :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, May 9, 1890.

(In Board of Education, May 7, 1890.)

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to transfer to the appropriation for 1890, entitled "Public Instruction—Repairs to Buildings—Special," which appropriation is insufficient for the purposes thereof, the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) from the appropriations for the year 1889, as follows :

"Public Instruction—For Fuel for all the Schools and for the Hall of the Board of Education," twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000); "Public Instruction—For Technical, Manual and Industrial Education," three thousand dollars (\$3,000), and "Public Instruction—For Lectures to Workingmen and Workingwomen—Free," four thousand dollars (\$4,000), which appropriations are in excess of the amounts required.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

And offered the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, The Board of Education adopted a resolution on May 7, 1890, requesting this Board to transfer the sum of \$30,000 from several unexpended balances of appropriations for 1889, which are not required for the purposes thereof, to an appropriation for 1890, for "Repairs to Buildings—Special," for 1890, for which purpose the appropriation is insufficient ;

Resolved, That the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) be and is hereby transferred to the appropriation entitled "Public Instruction—Repairs to Buildings—Special," for 1890, which is insufficient for the purposes thereof, from the appropriation made to the Board of Education for the year 1889, which are in excess of the amounts required therefor respectively, as follows :

"Public Instruction—For Fuel for all the Schools and for the Hall of the Board of Education"	\$23,000 00
"Public Instruction—For Technical, Manual and Industrial Education"	3,000 00
"Public Instruction—For Lectures to Workingmen and Workingwomen—Free"	4,000 00
Total	\$30,000 00

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller presented the following :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, May 8, 1890.

(In Board of Education, May 7, 1890.)

Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he hereby is requested to issue additional bonds for the purpose of providing the funds necessary to meet the expenditure of twelve thousand nine hundred and ninety dollars and twenty-two cents (\$12,990.22), as follows :

For furniture, Part II., required for the new building, Grammar School No. 89, in the Twelfth Ward (to complete the required amount of a contract to be entered into with Andrews Manufacturing Company, for \$5,335.54)	\$1,722 22
For heating apparatus for Grammar School Building No. 46, in the Twelfth Ward	11,268 00
	\$12,990 22

—and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to approve of the same and the purposes for which such expenditures are to be made, and that said Board designate and appropriate this amount for such purposes, that the award of the contract for furniture, Part II., by the Trustees of the Twelfth Ward to Andrews Manufacturing Company for five thousand three hundred and thirty-five dollars and fifty-four cents (\$5,335.54), so far as it relates to the aforesaid appropriation of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-two dollars and twenty-two cents (\$1,722.22), and the awards by the Trustees for the Twelfth Ward to J. R. Black, for heating apparatus for Grammar School Building No. 46, for the sum of eleven thousand two hundred and sixty-eight dollars (\$11,268), are hereby approved, and the amounts appropriated, and requisition for these sums is hereby made upon the Comptroller; but no part of the said money mentioned in the foregoing resolutions to be paid until the School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward shall have duly filed the contracts to be entered into by them with the contractors named, together with such security for the faithful performance of the work as shall be satisfactory to the Finance Committee; the rules of this Board as to the form of the contracts and the payments to be made on account thereof to be complied with.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

Which was received and referred to the Comptroller for report.

The Comptroller presented the following :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, May 8, 1890.

(In Board of Education, May 7, 1890.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000) be and is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of additional bonds to be issued under and in pursuance of the provisions of the act, chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, for the purchase, as a site for school purposes, of all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being on the northerly side of Stanton street, between Sheriff and Columbia streets, in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York, adjoining the site of Grammar School number twenty-two on the easterly side thereof, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Stanton street distant fifty-nine feet and ten inches easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Sheriff street with the northerly side of Stanton street, and running thence easterly, along the northerly side of Stanton street, fifteen feet; thence northerly, parallel with Sheriff street and part of the way through a party wall, one hundred feet; thence westerly, parallel with Stanton street and along land of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, fifteen feet, and thence southerly, parallel with Sheriff street and along land of the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty, one hundred feet to the point or place of beginning, said premises being known by the street number 260 (two hundred and sixty) Stanton street; that the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he is hereby requested to issue such additional bonds, for the purpose of providing the funds to meet the expenditure necessary for the purchase of said site; and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to approve of the same and of the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and to designate and appropriate the amount necessary to be expended for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made, for the said piece or parcel of land above mentioned, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds for the same, together with the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation that the title thereto is satisfactory and free from all incumbrances and is vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of sixteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$16,500) be and is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of additional bonds to be issued under and in pursuance of the provisions of the act, chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, for the purchase, as a site for school purposes, of all that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being on the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Willis and Brook avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, adjoining the site of Grammar School number eighty-five on the westerly side thereof, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant six hundred and seventy-five feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Willis avenue with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and running thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, twenty-five feet to land of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; thence northerly, parallel with Willis avenue and along land of the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty, two hundred feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; thence westerly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street twenty-five feet, and thence southerly, parallel with Willis avenue, two hundred feet to the point or place of beginning; and also all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate on the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Willis and Brook avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, adjoining the site of Grammar School number eighty-five on the easterly side thereof, bounded and described as follows: Beginning

at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, distant eight hundred and twenty-five feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Willis avenue with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and running thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, twenty-five feet; thence northerly, parallel with Willis avenue, two hundred feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; thence westerly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, twenty-five feet to land of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and thence southerly, parallel with Willis avenue and along land of the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty, two hundred feet to the point or place of beginning; that the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he is hereby requested to issue such additional bonds for the purpose of providing the funds to meet the expenditure necessary for the purchase of said site, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to approve of the same and of the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and to designate and appropriate the amount necessary to be expended for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made, for the said pieces or parcels of land above mentioned, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds for the same, together with the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation that the title thereto is satisfactory and free from all incumbrances and is vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

And offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Education adopted a resolution on May 7, 1890, appropriating the sum of \$23,000 from the proceeds of additional bonds to be issued under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for the purchase of a certain parcel of land as a site for school purposes, situate, lying and being on the northerly side of Stanton street, between Sheriff and Columbia streets, in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York, adjoining the site of Grammar School No. 22, on the easterly side thereof, and bounded as therein described, as provided by clause 9 of section 1027 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and pursuant to chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890;

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Additional School-house Bonds, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to issue the same, payable within a period not longer than twenty years, and bearing such rate of interest as he may determine, not exceeding three per cent. per annum, to the amount of twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000), the proceeds of which shall be applied to the purchase, as a site for school purposes, said piece or parcel of land situated on Stanton street, between Sheriff and Columbia streets, in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York, bounded as described in said resolution of the Board of Education.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments stated that he had made an examination of the above property as to the valuation thereof, and reported favorably thereon.

Whereupon the preamble and resolution were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller presented the following:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, May 8, 1890.

(In Board of Education, May 7, 1890.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of forty-one thousand one hundred and ninety-three dollars and fifty-four cents (\$41,193.54) be and is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of additional bonds to be issued under and in pursuance of the provisions of the act, chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, for the purchase, as a site for school purposes, of all that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being on the northerly side of Ninth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, adjoining the site of Primary School No. 22 on the easterly side thereof, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Ninth street, distant one hundred feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of First avenue with the northerly side of Ninth street, and running thence easterly, along the northerly side of Ninth street, fifty feet; thence northerly, parallel with First avenue, ninety-two feet and three inches to the centre line of the block between Ninth and Tenth streets; thence westerly, along said centre line, fifty feet; and thence southerly, parallel with Ninth street and partly along land of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, ninety-two feet and three inches to the point or place of beginning, said premises being known by the street numbers 407 and 409 (four hundred and seven and four hundred and nine) East Ninth street; that the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he is hereby requested to issue such additional bonds for the purpose of providing the funds to meet the expenditure necessary for the purchase of said site; and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to approve of the same and of the purpose for which such expenditure is to be made, and to designate and appropriate the amount necessary to be expended for such purpose, and that, when so designated and appropriated, the same be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made, for the said piece or parcel of land above mentioned, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds for the same, together with the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation that the title thereto is satisfactory and free from all incumbrances, and is vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

And offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Education adopted a resolution on May 7, 1890, appropriating the sum of forty-one thousand one hundred and ninety-three dollars and fifty-four cents (\$41,193.54) from the proceeds of additional bonds to be issued under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for the purchase of a certain parcel of land as a site for school purposes, situate, lying and being on the northerly side of Ninth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, adjoining the Primary School No. 22, on the easterly side thereof, bounded as described therein, as provided by clause 9 of section 1027 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and pursuant to chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890;

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Additional School-house Bonds, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to issue the same, payable within a period not longer than twenty years, and bearing such rate of interest as he may determine, not exceeding three per cent. per annum, to the amount of forty-one thousand one hundred and ninety-three dollars and fifty-four cents (\$41,193.54), the proceeds of which shall be applied to the purchase, as a site for school purposes, said piece or parcel of land situated on Ninth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded as described in said resolution of the Board of Education.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments stated that he had made an examination of the property as to its value, and reported favorably thereon.

Whereupon the preamble and resolution were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

The Comptroller presented the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, An appropriation of \$17,500 was made in the Final Estimate for 1890, for "Rent" of armory for the Seventy-first Regiment, in Ford's Block, on Broadway, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets; and

Whereas, A portion of the premises heretofore occupied were vacated on and after May 1, 1890, and the rent reduced, leaving a balance of \$1,250 of said appropriation which will not be required for the purpose thereof; and

Whereas, The Armory Board adopted a resolution on April 12, 1890, providing for the leasing of certain premises for the use of Troop A and the Headquarters of the First Brigade and Signal Corps, National Guards, and requested the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to concur therein if the necessary transfers of money appropriated can be made to lease said premises, under a resolution submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund April 21, 1890;

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation entitled "Armories and Drill-rooms—Rent—For Stores Nos. 12, 13 and 14, in Ford's Block, and upper part of Building known as Ford's Block, in Broadway, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets," for 1890, which is in excess of the amount required for the purpose thereof, to the appropriation entitled "Armories and Drill-rooms—Rents," For part of Diekel's Riding Academy building, Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, between Sixth and Seventh avenues,"

for 1890, for which the appropriation is required, for the use of Troop A, and Headquarters of the First Brigade and the Signal Corps, National Guards.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

At this stage the President of the Board of Aldermen appeared and took his seat in the Board.

The Comptroller offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, At a General Term of the Supreme Court, held in and for the First Judicial Department, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of February, 1890, Hon. Charles H. Van Brunt, P. J., and Hon. George C. Barrett, Justice, it was ordered that certain bills against the City of New York for services rendered in connection with the taking of the lands for the new parks beyond the Harlem river, under chapter 522, Laws of 1884, the said services being for searches for all taxes and assessments, liens against each piece or parcel of land in Van Cortlandt, Bronx, Crotona and St. Mary's Parks and Crotona and Moshola Parkway, in the counties of New York and Westchester, in the State of New York, to wit:

Bill of Isaac C. Rhines	\$2,500 00
" Michael Rauch	500 00
" Henry T. Dykman	205 00
" David Cromwell	202 00
" Sherman T. Pell	350 00

Total..... \$3,757 00

And Whereas, It was further ordered that the Comptroller of the City of New York raise the amount necessary to pay said bills by the sale of bonds, as provided by the 10th section of chapter 522 of the Laws of 1884, and that the said Comptroller was ordered and directed to pay the said bills for necessary expenses from the proceeds of said bonds to the several persons above named, in the amounts specified for the bill of each person; and

Whereas, Said orders of the Supreme Court have been approved by the Counsel to the Corporation; and

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held March 29, 1889, "the Comptroller was authorized and directed to issue from time to time as may be required, within his discretion, and at the rate of two and one-half per centum per annum, Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount required for the payment of the damages awarded by the Commissioners of Estimate, and the expenses, disbursements and charges in the proceedings for laying out public places, parks and parkways in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, etc.;" now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay the bills for such expenses to the above-named persons in the amounts specified as due to each person named, amounting to the sum of three thousand seven hundred and fifty-seven dollars (\$3,757) from the proceeds of bonds heretofore issued, or authorized to be issued, pursuant to said resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 29, 1889.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

On motion, the matter of the claim of Edward T. Wood, for counsel fees, etc., in case of Wood vs. Lacombe, was taken up for consideration, which, after discussion, was laid over until the next meeting of the Board.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation "City Contingencies," 1889, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation "City Contingencies," 1890, for celebration of Decoration Day, under direction of the Common Council, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

M. COLEMAN, Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS IN THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, May 19, 1890.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with Civil Service Regulations I hereby report the following appointments:

By the Department of Charities and Correction—

As Attendants on the Insane, on probation:
May 1. Mary Horgan, John H. Smith, John Findley.
May 3. Margaret Finley.
May 5. John F. Keogan.
May 7. Ellen Thornton.
May 8. O. D. Parmenter, John Connell.
May 9. George J. Young.
May 10. Martin W. O'Brien.

By the Department of Public Works—

May 8. Inspector of Construction, including Pile Driving, O. C. Flynn; character certified to by John F. Carroll, No. 307 East Fifty-first street; James W. Castle, No. 1134 Second avenue; E. D. Conolly Sons, No. 675 Lexington avenue; A. M. Leon, No. 37 West Forty-fifth street.

May 13. Inspector of Paving, P. H. Kedney; character certified to by John McQuade, No. 1383 Lexington avenue; T. J. Crombie, No. 554 East Eighty-seventh street; J. B. McKean, No. 1044 Park avenue; J. F. McIntyre, No. 170 Broadway.

May 13. Inspector of Paving, Hugh A. Gordon; character certified to by John Dobbins, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Madison avenue; William Hewel, No. 478 Lenox avenue; Michael Greehy, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Madison avenue; Ferd. Boos, No. 63 East One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

May 13. Inspector of Paving, Joseph W. Holland; character certified to by M. H. Donahue, No. 2647 Eighth avenue; George B. Kerr, No. 295 West One Hundred and Forty-second street; George T. Bergler, No. 2655 Third avenue; Ernest Molwitz, No. 2707 Eighth avenue.

By the Police Department—

As Patrolmen, appointed on probation:

May 13. Michael F. McGoff; character certified to by John Scully, No. 11 Grove street; P. Cunningham, No. 130 East Seventy-first street; Isaac Hecht, No. 834 Second avenue; J. H. Jackson, No. 419 West Thirty-fourth street; James Collins, No. 281 West Twelfth street.

May 13. Charles R. Schleyer; character certified to by L. F. Lockridge, No. 319 East Twenty-sixth street; M. J. Murray, No. 346 Fourth avenue; W. D. Bruns, No. 141 East Twenty-sixth street; Joseph Gates, No. 486 Second avenue; George Sissler, No. 442 First avenue.

May 2. James F. Shea; character certified to by F. E. Ives, Hunt's Point; H. D. Tiffany, Southern Boulevard and Westchester road; John C. Grant, No. 548 East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; Daniel Malone, No. 628 East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; H. L. School, No. 2770 Third avenue.

May 2. James P. McNulty; character certified to by John Hayes, No. 521 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street; William H. Stiner, No. 470 West Thirty-fourth street; J. H. Maloy, No. 18 William street; John Seery, No. 61 William street; Owen Clark, No. 52 William street.

May 2. Henry L. Bliss; character certified to by August Schluter, No. 379 Pleasant avenue; S. S. Glen, No. 8 White street; Briggs & Son, No. 606 West Fortieth street; S. S. Mangam, No. 2363 Second avenue; W. H. Lyons, No. 485 Broadway.

May 2. John L. Hyatt; character certified to by Ira W. Mac, No. 9 South street; J. Martens, No. 15 South street; P. Millen, No. 442 West Fifty-fifth street; Philip Lobel, No. 185 Greenwich street; Jacob Schwartz, No. 235 Henry street.

Yours, respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS
For the week ending May 17, 1890.

Barometer.

DATE. MAY.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 11	29.908	30.028	30.100	30.012	30.108	12 P.M.	29.774	2 A.M.
Monday, 12	30.100	29.960	29.900	29.987	30.108	0 A.M.	29.872	12 P.M.
Tuesday, 13	29.848	29.746	29.682	29.759	29.872	0 A.M.	29.646	12 P.M.
Wednesday, 14	29.628	29.644	29.644	29.639	29.700	12 P.M.	29.582	3 A.M.
Thursday, 15	29.770	29.780	29.820	29.790	29.836	12 P.M.	29.700	0 A.M.
Friday, 16	29.838	29.800	29.904	29.847	29.904	9 P.M.	29.784	3 P.M.
Saturday, 17	29.900	29.800	29.880	29.860	29.956	12 P.M.	29.772	5 P.M.

Mean for the week 29.842 inches.
Maximum " at 12 P.M., May 11th 30.108 "
Minimum " at 3 A.M., May 14th 29.582 "
Range "526 "

Thermometers.

DATE. MAY.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.
Sunday, 11	50	49	59	53	54	55.0	52.0	64	0 A.M. 62
Monday, 12	52	50	64	56	52	56.6	52.6	66	3 P.M. 58
Tuesday, 13	53	51	64	60	59	59.0	56.6	66	3 P.M. 61
Wednesday, 14	67	65	80	72	66	71.3	67.6	81	3 P.M. 73
Thursday, 15	66	65	66	63	64	65.6	64.0	71	5 P.M. 67
Friday, 16	63	61	70	65	54	62.3	59.0	75	12 M. 68
Saturday, 17	54	50	66	60	63	61.0	54.6	70	4 P.M. 63

Mean for the week 61.5 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 3 P.M., 14th 81. " at 3 P.M., 14th 73. "
Minimum " at 5 A.M., 12th 46. " at 5 A.M., 12th 46. "
Range " 35. " 27. "

Wind.

DATE. MAY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M. to 7 P.M.	7 A.M. to 2 P.M.	2 P.M. to 9 P.M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 11	N	NNE	SSE	54	68	51	173	½	1	0	7½	12 M.
Monday, 12	NE	SSE	S	18	33	52	103	0	¼	0	1	1.20 P.M.
Tuesday, 13	SSE	SE	SE	46	59	66	171	0	2	0	3¼	0.30 P.M.
Wednesday, 14	SW	SSE	WNW	44	76	45	165	¾	1	0	12¼	7.50 P.M.
Thursday, 15	WSW	SSW	SSW	42	33	32	107	0	¾	0	1	3.50 P.M.
Friday, 16	W	S	NNE	44	34	61	139	0	2¼	0	2½	1.10 P.M.
Saturday, 17	NNW	SSE	NNW	7	44	60	111	0	1	½	2	6 P.M.

Distance traveled during the week 969 miles.
Maximum force 12¼ pounds.

DATE. MAY.	Hygrometer.				Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.			
	FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, OVERCAST, 10.		0.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.			
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
Sunday, 11	.335	.323	.391	.350	92	64	87	10	7 Cir. S.	0	4 A.M. 10.30 AM 6.30 .09
Monday, 12	.334	.343	.362	.343	86	57	86	76	0	0	0
Tuesday, 13	.348	.465	.487	.460	86	78	94	86	0	2 Cir.	10
Wednesday, 14	.591	.677	.626	.631	89	66	94	83	7 Cir.	1 Cir.	10
Thursday, 15	.604	.536	.583	.574	94	84	94	91	10	10	0
Friday, 16	.520	.550	.335	.465	88	75	80	81	0	5 Cir.	2 Cir.
Saturday, 17	.308	.438	.298	.348	74	68	52	65	0	3 Cir. Cu.	0

Total amount of water for the week81 inch.
Duration for the week 0 day, 20 hours and 15 minutes.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.
Sunday, May 11	Cool, raining	Cool, pleasant.
Monday, " 12	Mild, pleasant	Pleasant, hazy.
Tuesday, " 13	Mild, pleasant, dew.	Mild, pleasant.
Wednesday, " 14	Mild, cloudy	Warm, pleasant, lightning and thunder, 8 P.M.
Thursday, " 15	Close, overcast.	Mild, overcast.
Friday, " 16	Pleasant, hazy	Warm, hazy, lightning and thunder, 4 P.M.
Saturday, " 17	Mild, pleasant	Mild, pleasant.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET.
NEW YORK, MAY 10, 1890.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending May 3, 1890:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$42,215 26
For penalties on water rents.....	137 10
For tapping Croton pipes.....	454 50
For sewer permits.....	478 00
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	785 50
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	25 00
For vault permits.....	2,898 00
Total.....	\$46,993 36

Public Lamps.

46 new lamps lighted.
4 old lamps relighted.
2 lamps discontinued.
1 lamp-post removed.
2 lamp-posts reset.
10 lamp-posts straightened.
3 columns refitted.Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending May 3, 1890,
made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Apr. 28	1 P.M.	67.	30.12	{ Consolidated, Branch 2.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.73	5.00	120.0	20.82	20.82
" 29	4.30 P.M.	74.	30.03	"	"	.72	5.00	121.0	20.58	20.74
" 30	3 P.M.	76	29.90	"	"	.73	5.00	121.5	20.46	20.70
May 1	5 P.M.	78.	29.76	"	"	.76	5.00	117.2	22.98	22.44
" 2	6 P.M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.74	5.00	120.0	21.94	21.94
" 3	2.30 P.M.	74.	30.13	"	"	.74	5.00	117.2	22.54	22.02
Average.									21.44	
Apr. 28	12.30 P.M.	67.	30.12	{ Consolidated, Branch 1.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.78	5.00	116.4	23.40	22.70
" 29	4 P.M.	74.	30.03	"	"	.78	5.00	120.5	23.12	23.22
" 30	3.30 P.M.	76	29.90	"	"	.80	5.00	120.0	23.80	23.80
May 1	4.30 P.M.	78	29.76	"	"	.81	5.00	120.5	26.72	26.82
" 2	5.30 P.M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.79	5.00	121.8	24.98	25.35
" 3	3 P.M.	74.	30.13	"	"	.78	5.00	116.7	25.72	25.02
Average.									24.48	
Apr. 28	4 P.M.	71.	30.12	{ Consolidated, Branch 4.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.63	5.00	115.4	24.36	23.42
" 29	7.30 P.M.	72.	30.02	"	"	.64	5.00	120.0	23.60	23.60
" 30	6.30 P.M.	70	29.88	"	"	.67	5.00	121.8	23.04	23.38
May 1	6.30 P.M.	76.	29.90	"	"	.64	5.00	120.0	22.96	22.96
" 2	8 P.M.	70.	30.20	"	"	.64	5.00	123.0	22.42	22.98
" 3	9 A.M.	67.	30.22	"	"	.63	5.00	114.1	24.38	23.18
Average.									23.25	
Apr. 28	4.30 P.M.	71.	30.12	{ Consolidated, Branch 6.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.74	5.00	116.7	25.46	24.76
" 29	8 P.M.	72.	30.02	"	"	.74	5.00	120.0	25.14	25.14
" 30	6 P.M.	70	29.88	"	"	.74	5.00	118.8	25.64	25.38
May 1	6 P.M.	76.	29.90	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	26.68	26.68
" 2	8.30 P.M.	70.	30.20	"	"	.74	5.00	114.0	27.56	26.18
" 3	9.30 A.M.	67.	30.22	"	"	.73	5.00	115.8	26.62	25.70
Average.									25.64	
Apr. 28	1.30 P.M.	67.	30.12	{ Consolidated, Branch 3.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.84	5.00	118.8	29.00	28.71
" 29	3.30 P.M.	74.	30.03	"	"	.84	5.00	120.0	27.48	27.48
" 30	4 P.M.	76.	29.90	"	"	.86	5.00	121.2	28.16	28.44
May 1	4 P.M.	78.	29.76	"	"	.86	5.00	117.6	29.88	29.30
" 2	5 P.M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.85	5.00	120.0	29.16	29.16
" 3	3.30 P.M.	74.	30.13	"	"	.85	5.00	120.5	29.56	29.70
Average.									28.80	
Apr. 28	2 P.M.	67.	30.12	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90	5.00	121.8	30.92	31.38
" 29	3 P.M.	74.	30.03	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	31.16	31.16
" 30	4.30 P.M.	76.	29.90	"	"	.91	5.00	121.8	30.98	31.44
May 1	3.30 P.M.	78	29.76	"	"	.92	5.00	118.1	31.66	31.16
" 2	4.30 P.M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.92	5.00	120.0	31.22	31.22
" 3	4 P.M.	74.	30.13	"	"	.92	5.00	119.0	31.22	30.96
Average.									31.22	
Apr. 28	2.30 P.M.	67.	30.12	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90	5.00	120.0	29.80	29.80
" 29	2.30 P.M.	74.	30.03	"	"	.90	5.00	115.8	30.06	29.02
" 30	5 P.M.	76.	29.90	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	29.92	29.92
May 1	3 P.M.	78.	29.76	"	"	.92	5.00	120.0	29.34	29.34
" 2	4 P.M.	74.	30.21	"	"	.91	5.00	118.2	32.04	31.56
" 3	4.30 P.M.	74.	30.13	"	"	.92	5.00	116.3	33.52	32.48
Average.									30.35	

E. G. LOVE, Ph. D., Gas Examiner.

Permits Issued.

102 permits to tap Croton pipes.
65 permits to open streets.
27 permits to make sewer connections.

- 20 permits to repair sewer connections.
291 permits to place building material on streets.
48 permits—special.
5 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

79 obstructions removed from the various streets and avenues.

Pavement Repairs.

6,961 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 18 receiving-basins relieved.
89 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
16,056 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
3 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
15 lineal feet of new curb set.
36 manhole heads reset.
1 manhole rebuilt.
2 new manhole heads and covers put on.
1 new manhole cover put on.
4 new basin heads and covers put on.
3 new basin covers put on.
1 new basin built.
1 basin repaired.
32 square yards of pavement relaid.
58 square feet of flagging relaid.
44 cubic feet of brickwork built.
852 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
240 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending May 3, 1890.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	28	85	6	5
Laying Croton Pipes.....	..	..	..	..
Supplying water to shipping.....	6	..	..	..
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	68	139	3	17
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repair.....	2	28	2	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	9	52	..	21
Repairs and Renewals of Pavement.....	162	218	4	52
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	17	92	24	7
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	18	5	..
Totals.....	294	632	44	102
Increase over previous week.....	72	88	..	17
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	1	..

Contracts Entered Into.

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	SURETIES.	ESTIMATED COST.
1890. Apr. 28	Paving with asphalt pavement Seventy-third street, from West End avenue to Boulevard.....	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co., Times Building.....	Howard Carroll, Pier 18, North river. Joseph McGillicuddy, 604 West 48th street.	\$4,163 30
" 29	Laying a crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, west side, Park avenue.....	Thomas J. Dunn, 68th st. & Avenue A.	John T. McDonald, 229 East 62d street..	76 73
" 29	Laying a crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, east and west sides, Lexington avenue.....	Thomas J. Dunn, 68th st. & Avenue A.	John T. McDonald, 229 East 62d street..	135 13
May 1	Sewers in West street, between Carlisle and Dey streets, with outlet through Pier 13, North river, and alterations and improvements to sewers in Albany, Cedar, Liberty and Cortlandt streets.....	Patrick Kearns, 668 East 143d street.	Patrick Sheehy, 249 East 83d street.. Thomas Regan, 719 Lexington ave..	33,505 00
" 2	Flagging, etc., One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.....	Denis McGrath, 35 East 104th street.	V. Del Genovese, 268 Bowery.....	183 06
" 2	Flagging, etc., Tenth avenue, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.....	Denis McGrath, 35 East 104th street.	V. Del Genovese, 268 Bowery.....	159 40
" 2	Flagging, etc., west side Madison avenue, from Ninety-sixth to Ninety-seventh street, and north side Ninety-sixth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.....	Denis McGrath, 35 East 104th street.	V. Del Genovese, 268 Bowery.....	36 27

Assessment Lists Made.

DATE.	NATURE OF WORK.	LOCATION OF WORK.	AMOUNT.
1890. Apr. 28	Extension of sewer.....	In Grove street, between West Fourth and Bleecker streets.....	\$687 63
" 28	Receiving-basin.....	Northeast corner One Hundred and Sixth street and Madison avenue.....	352 44

Appointments.

John J. Bran, Inspector of Paving.
William H. Hoffman, Inspector of Paving.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$104,775.84.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, MAY 5 TO 10, 1890.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending May 3, 1890: Males, 47; females, 4. On file.
List of 43 prisoners to be discharged from May 11 to 17, 1890. Transmitted to Prison Association.
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 24 patients admitted, 8 discharged, and 4 that have died during week ending May 3, 1890. On file.
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 8 patients admitted, 8 discharged and 4 that have died during week ending May 3, 1890. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending April 3, 1890, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to May 3, 1890. To Bookkeeper.
From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending May 3, 1890, \$149. On file.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending May 3, 1890. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending May 3, 1890, \$183. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Recommending employees for appointment as census enumerators in compliance with request of Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C. Referred to Secretary.

From City Prison Warden—Reporting payment to Clerk of the Court of General Sessions, \$500 fine imposed on Joseph Meeks. On file.

From Storekeeper—Rejecting butter, combs, coffee, crockery, furnished under contracts, they being inferior to samples. Approved.

Contracts Awarded.

F. W. Davy—8,574 pounds butter, at 14 13-100 cents per pound.
John C. Juhring—2,400 pounds barley, at 2 24-100 cents per pound; 4,600 pounds of Rio coffee, roasted, at 23 47-100 cents per pound; 1,000 pounds macaroni, at 6 1/2 cents per pound; 15 dozen extract lemon, at \$2.35 per dozen; 20 dozen extract vanilla, at \$2.65 per dozen.
Joseph W. Duryee—Lumber as per specification, for \$1,963.47.
Leo Jacoby—For Medical Home at N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, Central Islip, Long Island, for \$5,680.

Appointed.

From May 5. Thomas Cody, Hall Boy, Harlem Hospital. Salary, \$96 per annum.
" 5. Margaret Finlay, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 5. W. E. Kneeland, H. B. Wilson, J. W. Wilson, Nurses, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum each.
" 5. John F. Keogan, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.
" 5. Mary Horgan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 5. John H. Smith, John Findlay, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum, each.
" 6. Frederick Jervis, Laborer, Storehouse. Salary, \$60 per annum.
" 6. William C. Hodley, Laborer, Storehouse. Salary, \$120 per annum.
" 7. Ellen J. Thornton, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 8. O. D. Parmenter, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 9. George J. Young, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 10. Martin W. O'Brien, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Appointed Temporary.

May 8. Thomas Carroll, Engineer, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$1,000 per annum.
" 8. Mary A. McCarthy, Hall Keeper, Work-house. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 8. Alice Pope, Housekeeper, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Reinstated.

May 5. James Kerr, Orderly, Homoeopathic Hospital. Salary, \$228 per annum.
" 6. Francis M. Seller, Laborer, Storehouse. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Resigned.

May 1. Joseph Prudhomme, Patrick Mockler, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
" 1. Charles Jacobs, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.
" 1. Annie Harper, Mary J. Hitchman, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
" 1. C. B. Tugman, W. L. Blakeslee, Nurses, Bellevue Hospital.
" 5. Robert Walter, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital.
" 5. George T. Kidder, Orderly, Charity Hospital.
" 6. A. K. Toosufian, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.
" 6. Mary A. McCarthy, Nurse, Workhouse.
" 6. John P. Broderick, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
" 7. Mary A. Kelly, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.
" 8. Victor J. Scott, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

Place Declared Vacant.

May 7. Alexander P. Alcorn, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital.
" 9. John Whitehead, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

Dismissed.

May 6. William Kelly, Mate, Steamboats.
" 8. A. C. Flidner, Nurse, Bellevue Hospital.
" 9. James C. Sturat, Orderly, Homoeopathic Hospital.
" 10. William Healy, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital.

Salary Increased.

May 1. John Gannon, Apothecary, Bellevue Hospital, from \$600 to \$750 per annum.
" 1. R. H. Roden, Laborer, Storehouse, from \$120 to \$240 per annum.
" 1. N. H. Bayenderian, John Dobbins, Patrick McGann, Joseph Thompson, William M. Moylan, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, \$300 to \$360 per annum.
" 6. Robert Walsh, Baker, Branch Workhouse, \$120 to \$300 per annum.
" 6. Annie Murphy, Teacher, Randall's Island Schools, \$450 to \$500 per annum.
" 8. M. E. Wiethorn, Housekeeper, Charity Hospital; \$300 to \$360 per annum.
" 9. Frank McCaffrey, Clerk, Workhouse, \$360 to \$500 per annum.
" 10. Kate Sharp, Nurse, Infants' Hospital, \$180 to \$240 per annum.

Salary Reduced.

May 6. Martin Vogt, Mat Maker, Randall's Island Schools, \$240 to \$120.

Transferred.

May 1. Theodore Mayer, Assistant Cook to Cook, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary increased from \$600 to \$750 per annum.
" 1. John A. Leader, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island to N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary increased from \$300 to \$700 per annum.
" 5. Lawrence McDonald, Orderly to Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital. Salary reduced from \$228 to \$192 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That the name of Henry Niebuhr be entered upon the Firemen's Register as a member of Hook and Ladder Company No. 2, to date from September 5, 1863, and the Clerk of the Common Council is hereby instructed to give effect to this resolution.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 13, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, May 16, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York Steam Power Company to connect the premises No. 39 Ann street with the premises No. 59 Ann street, by a steam-pipe, to cross underground on the north side of said street, such pipe not to exceed four inches in diameter as shown in the accompanying diagram; provided that said the New York Steam Power Company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe, to any water-pipes, gas-pipes or sewer or from any other cause, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 6, 1890.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 17, 1890, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Naumberg, Krause & Lauer to extend their vault in front of their premises, at Nos. 224 and 226 Mercer street, three feet outside of its present dimensions, thus making it extend eighteen inches outside the easterly curb-line of Mercer street, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said Naumberg, Krause & Lauer shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building or extension of said vault, during the progress of or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 29, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, May 13, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Rosendorff & Sons to lay a crosswalk of three courses of bridge-stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, across Grand street, opposite No. 277, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 6, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1890.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

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 ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

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. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
WALDO HUTCHINS, 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, Secretary; HENRY W. BEARDSLEY, 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. ADEE, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER 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; JOHN M. TRACY, Order of Arrest Clerk.

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 R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; THOMAS COSTIGAN, 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.

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

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

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

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

General Term, Room No. 35.

Special Term, Room No. 33.

Equity Term, Room No. 30.

Chambers, Room No. 33.

Part I., Room No. 34.

Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BORSE, 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.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF 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.

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. 10, 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.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

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

PETER MITCHELL, Justice.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

GEORGE B. DEANE, Justice.

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

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 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 to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be determined by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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.

Dated New York, May 10, 1890.
EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 12, 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, occupied as quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2, southeast corner of Fifth street and Lexington avenue, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, May 28, 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 two thousand and five hundred (2,500) 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 one hundred and twenty-five (125) 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 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, LEATHER, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

- GROCERIES, ETC.
- 8,459 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Saturday, May 31, 1890.
 - 1,600 pounds Cheese.
 - 1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
 - 2,400 pounds Barley, price to include packages.
 - 700 pounds Cocoa.
 - 4,600 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
 - 1,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.
 - 1,200 pounds Chicory.
 - 2,000 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include packages.
 - 3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
 - 4,000 pounds Catmeal, price to include packages.
 - 6,000 pounds Rice.
 - 16,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
 - 1,200 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes.
 - 600 pounds Corn Starch, one pound packages.
 - 2,500 pounds Oolong Tea.
 - 1,200 gallons Syrup, in barrels.
 - 150 bushels Beans.
 - 200 bushels Rye.
 - 100 barrels Crackers.
 - 3,600 dozen Eggs, all to be candled.
 - 40 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
 - 20 dozen Worcestershire Sauce.
 - 24 dozen Sapolio.
 - 6 dozen Olive Oil.
 - 37 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.
 - 47 prime quality City-cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
 - 22 prime quality City-cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.
 - 424 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.
 - 50 barrels good Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
 - 300 barrels Kale, first quality.
 - 177 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed 3 pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

CROCKERY, HARDWARE, ETC.

- 2 gross Spit-cups.
- 1 gross Male Urinals.
- 5 gross Bowls.
- 12 dozen Glass-cutters.
- 2 dozen Slicks.
- 12 dozen Flat Shovels.
- 12 boxes Brass-head Chair Nails.
- 100 papers Finishing Nails, 25 each, 3/4", 1", 1 1/4", 1 1/2".
- 20 gross Table Spoons.
- 10 gross Tea Spoons.
- 5 boxes prime quality Charcoal Tins, IXXX, 14 x 20.
- 20 boxes prime quality Charcoal Tin, IX., 10 x 14.
- 12 dozen Whitewash Brushes.
- 10 coils, 6-thread Manila Rope first quality.
- 250 sides Sole Leather, good damaged, 21 and 25 pounds each.
- 250 sides waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.
- 1,000 pounds Offal Leather.
- 10,000 pounds White Lead in oil, free from all adulterations and any added impurities, and subject to analysis if necessary, 50 100s, 55 50s, 100 25s.

LUMBER.

- 1,200 feet Clear Pine, 3/4", dressed one side.
- 30 Ash Boards, 1 1/2" x 14" x 13", dressed two sides.
- 7 Ash Boards, 2" x 14" x 13", dressed two sides.
- 9 Ash Boards, 1 1/2" x 14" x 13", dressed two sides.
- 8 Ash Boards, 3/4" x 14" x 13", dressed two sides.
- 200 square feet first quality, seasoned, cone or vertical grained Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 2" x 3 1/2", tongued and grooved, dressed two sides.
- 250 feet Hickory Plank, 2".
- 500 feet clear White Pine, 3/4" x 9 1/2", tongued and grooved, beaded and planed both sides.
- 500 feet clear White Pine, 3/4" x 4 1/2", tongued, grooved, beaded and dressed both sides.
- 500 feet clear White Pine, 1 1/2", dressed both sides.
- 500 feet clear White Pine, 2", dressed both sides.
- 29 pieces Spruce, 3" x 8" x 20'.
- 250 Flooring Boards, 1" x 9" x 12'.
- 2,100 pieces Spruce Roofing Plank, 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" x 13', tongued and grooved, dressed one side.
- 1 piece Spruce, 8" x 14" x 21'.
- 1 piece Spruce, 8" x 14" x 27'.
- 1 piece Spruce, 8" x 14" x 13'.
- 2 pieces Spruce, 4" x 12" x 26'.
- 3,000 feet Ash Flooring, 2" x 3 1/2", well seasoned and free from knots.
- 1,000 feet Spruce 3/4", tongued and grooved, dressed one side.
- 68 bunches Shingles to cover 1,650 square feet XXX clear pine sawed.
- 75 Chestnut Posts dressed, 3' 9" above ground, 2 1/2" below. The part above ground to be turned to be 13" in circumference at top and flat.
- 30 Chestnut Posts, undressed, 6' 3" long, 8" diameter at top.
- 2,500 feet Spruce Boards, 13' long, 8 1/2" wide, 1" thick, tongued and grooved, planed on both sides.
- 2,000 feet Hemlock Boards, 1" x 10" x 13'.
- 3 Oak Joists, 5" x 11" x 12', dressed both sides.
- 200 Spruce Joists, 2" x 11" x 12'.
- 100 Spruce Joists, 2" x 11" x 16'.
- 20 Spruce Joists, 6" x 6" x 15'.
- 20 Spruce Joists, 2" x 8" x 20'.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island, except the above last nine items, which are to be delivered on cars of the Long Island Railroad for Central Islip, L. I.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Monday, June 2, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, in dorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Hardware, Leather, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTI-

MATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 20, 1890.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ENLARGING THE ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANT AT NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR INSANE, WARD'S ISLAND, N. Y.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE

aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. Friday, May 23, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Enlarging the Electric-lighting Plant, Ward's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient

sureties, each in the penal amount of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 10, 1890.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 21, 1890.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital—From Pier 23, North river, unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; light brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on brown sack coat, brown and gray striped pants, blue cotton shirt, blue flannel shirt and drawers, white cotton socks, buttoned gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Thirty-seventh street, East river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair, blonde moustache. Had on brown overcoat, black vest, brown pants, gray overalls, gray shirt, white socks, gaiters.

At Penitentiary—John Reilly, aged 54 years; 5 feet 4 1/2 inches high; dark hair, gray eyes. Had on when received dark overcoat, dark striped pants, white shirt, white undershirt and drawers, brogan shoes, derby hat.

At Workhouse—James Gaffney, aged 48 years. Had on when admitted blue coat, vest and pants, colored shirt, knit undershirt and drawers, brown hat.

At Homeopathic Hospital—Lewis Warner, aged 67 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted gray overcoat, blue vest, gray pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 16, 1890.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 26, North river—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; black hair. Had on black coat and vest, brown mixed pants, blue flannel shirt, red flannel undershirt, white knit drawers, brown cotton socks, laced shoes, leather belt around waist.

Unknown man, from Pier 1, North river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high. No clothing. Body about 3 months in water.

Unknown man, from No. 165 Division street, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and moustache; gray eyes. Had on blue coat, gray check vest, blue cloth vest, gray pants, white shirt, gray undershirt, brown socks, gaiters, black derby hat.

Unknown man, from foot of Thirty-seventh street, East river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 11 inches high; light brown hair and moustache. Had on blue and white striped shirt, blue cotton overalls, dark gray pants, brown woolen undershirt, blue flannel drawers, gray woolen socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from Pier 53, East river, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high. Had on two pairs black pants, gray woolen drawers, blue woolen socks, laced shoes.

Unknown woman, from foot of Fifty-fifth street, East river, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; body in an advanced state of decomposition. No clothing.

Unknown woman, from Pier 28, East river, aged about 21 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; dark brown hair, braided. Had on black coat trimmed with astracan, red gingham jersey, brown alpaca skirt, white co sets, knit undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, white skirt, white stockings, button shoes, gold earrings.

Unknown man, from Bellevue Hospital, aged about 60 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown eyes. Had on blue overcoat, blue pants, brown woolen shirt, brown cotton socks, laced shoes, black derby hat. Clock-maker's tools found on his person.

At Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—George Stran-
dell, aged 43 years; 5 feet 11½ inches high; brown hair; sandy complexion; gray eyes. Had on when received blue overcoat, gray striped coat, pants and vest, white shirt, white drawers, red undershirt, gaiters, black derby hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Frank Clark, aged 59 years. Committed February 12, 1890. Had on black coat, blue vest, striped pants, colored shirt and drawers, brown derby hat.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Catharine Bockhurst, aged 52 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Transferred from Workhouse June 23, 1890.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Frederick Koenig, aged 36 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes, dark hair. Had on when admitted blue and black check coat, red and brown striped vest, black and blue striped pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

Joseph Vande, aged 52 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted gray coat, gray vest, gray pants, button gaiters, black derby hat.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 13, 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-ninth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, May 3, 1890, and entered on the 10th day of May, 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 July 9, 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 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.
Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD 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-fifth day of June, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said twenty-fifth day of June, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-sixth day of June, 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-third street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-second street and East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue, East, and westerly by the easterly line 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 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, May 15, 1890.
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, Chairman,
G. M. SPEIR, Jr.,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
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 THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Rider avenue to Locust 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.

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 27th day of May, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 15, 1890.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,
MITCHEL LEVY,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
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 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 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 ninth day of June, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said ninth day of June, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four 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 tenth day of June, 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 Sixty-fifth street and George street, from Union avenue to Stebbins avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, from Stebbins avenue to Simpson street; easterly by the westerly line of Simpson street; southerly by the northerly line of Westchester avenue; the centre line of the blocks between Westchester avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Fox street to Prospect avenue and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street from Prospect avenue to Union avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Prospect avenue and the easterly line of Union 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-third day of June, 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, April 24, 1890.

G. M. SPEIR, Jr., Chairman,
WILLIAM N. ARMSTRONG,
TERENCE DUFFY,
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-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County

Court-house in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 29th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, extending from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant 416 feet 7½ inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 703 feet 7½ inches, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line, distance 83 feet 10½ inches; thence easterly, distance 728 feet 8¾ inches, to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 85 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet in width between the line of Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

Dated New York, April 29, 1890.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Locust 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, extending from Locust 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Brook avenue, distant 200 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Southern Boulevard with the eastern line of Brook avenue:

1st. Thence southeasterly along the eastern line of Brook avenue for 60 feet;
2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 90° 02' to the left, for 2,729.28 feet;
3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 8° 26' 53" to the right, for 815.10 feet;
4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 60 feet;
5th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 819.53 feet;
6th. Thence northwesterly for 2,733.70 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-second street is designated a street of the first class and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of Trinity, or Cypress, avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point distant 5,848.18 feet south of the eastern prolongation of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured at right angles to the same from a point 13,567.66 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street with the eastern line of Tenth avenue:

1st. Thence northwesterly on a line forming an angle of 88° 24' 32" westerly and to the left with a line parallel to Tenth avenue, drawn through the point of beginning, for 819.54 feet;
2d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 8° 26' 53" to the left, for 1,275.54 feet;
3d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 89° 56' to the left, for 60 feet;
4th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 90° 04' to the left, for 1271.18 feet;
5th. Thence southeasterly, deflection 8° 26' 53" to the right, for 815.11 feet;
6th. Thence northeasterly for 60 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-third street is designated a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, extending from the State grant line in the East river to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Southern Boulevard, distant 873.61 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of St. Ann's avenue:

1st. Thence easterly along the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,482.9 feet, for 285.12 feet;
2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 45° 44' 07" to the right from the prolongation of the radius drawn through the eastern extremity of the preceding course, for 107.62 feet;
3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 1,178.71 feet;
4th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 8° 22' 53" to the right, for 1,367.63 feet;
5th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 89° 31' 35" to the right, for 80.0 feet;
6th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° 28' 25" to the right, for 1,362.43 feet;
7th. Thence northwesterly for 1,386.96 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street is designated a street of the first class and is 80 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, distant 836.04 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street:
1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard, and curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,482.9 feet, for 75.22 feet;
2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 38° 32' 27" to the left from the prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its southern extremity, for 1,168.08 feet;
3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 8° 22' 53" to the right, for 819.59 feet;
4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 60 feet;
5th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 823.99 feet;
6th. Thence northwesterly for 1,127.12 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street is designated a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands

and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz :

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, distant 531.39 feet southerly from the intersection of the said line with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street :

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard for 69.31 feet ;

2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting $120^{\circ} 02' 30''$ to the left, for 1,037.24 feet ;

3d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting $8^{\circ} 22' 53''$ to the right, for 819.57 feet ;

4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 60 feet ;

5th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 823.06 feet ;

6th. Thence northwesterly, for 1,006.94 feet, to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street is designated a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated New York, April 26, 1890.

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

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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-sixth day of May, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-sixth day of May, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock 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-seventh day of May, 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 Sixty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Seventieth streets, from Third avenue to Franklin avenue, the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Jefferson street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road and a line parallel with, and distant 1,000 feet northerly from, the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and extending from Boston road to Southern Boulevard ; easterly by the westerly line of Southern Boulevard ; southerly by a line parallel with, and distant 600 feet southerly from, the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and extending from Southern Boulevard to Union avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Union avenue to Third avenue ; and westerly by the easterly line of Union avenue, the easterly line of Third avenue and the easterly line of Boston road ; 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 June, 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, April 14, 1890.

NEVIN W. BUTLER, Chairman,
FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER,
JOHN H. KITCHEN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Armory Board by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain land on Fourth avenue and Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, in the Twenty-first Ward of said city, duly selected and approved as an armory site, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 330, Laws of 1887.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit :

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of said estimate in the office of the Department of Public Parks for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within thirty days after the first publication of this notice file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 61, at No. 150 Broadway, in the said city, as provided by section 5 of chapter 330 of the Laws of 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 23rd day of May, 1890, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court in the City of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers in the County

Court-house in the City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 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, April 3, 1890.

EDWARD SCHELL,
EUGENE L. BUSHE,
CHAUNCEY S. TRUAX,
Commissioners.

JOHN W. McDONALD, Clerk.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

MANHATTAN ISLAND SECTION— ADDITIONAL LANDS.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION of report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, New Aqueduct—Manhattan Island Section—Additional Lands, as to part of Parcel Number Eighty-one (81), and as to claims for damages contiguous to Parcel Number Forty-five (45).

Public notice is hereby given that I shall make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in the village of White Plains, in the County of Westchester, on the 7th day of June, 1890, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the confirmation of the report, as to a part of Parcel Number Eighty-one (81), and as to claims for damages to property contiguous to Parcel Number Forty-five (45), of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above-entitled matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the fifth day of April, 1890, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day.

Dated New York, May 7, 1890.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 13, 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, May 27, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN FIFTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, and in ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, WITH ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO EXISTING SEWER IN FIFTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road, and in KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, EAST SIDE, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR FLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS NORTH-EAST CORNER OF WEST BROADWAY AND WALKER STREET.

No. 5. FOR FLAGGING, REFLAGGING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CANAL AND MOTT STREETS.

No. 6. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON FIFTEENTH STREET, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

No. 7. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON WEST SIDE BOULEVARD, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street.

No. 8. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON SOUTH SIDE OF SEVENTIETH STREET, from Tenth avenue to West End avenue.

No. 9. FOR FLAGGING, REFLAGGING AND CURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON SOUTH SIDE OF EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 10. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Tenth avenue to Boulevard.

No. 11. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 12. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, from First to Second avenue.

No. 13. FOR FLAGGING EIGHT FEET WIDE AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 14. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON WEST SIDE OF EIGHTH AVENUE (Central Park West), from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-eighth street.

No. 15. FOR FLAGGING, REFLAGGING AND CURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF NINETY-SEVENTH STREET, from Third to Park avenue.

No. 16. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and EAST SIDE OF EIGHTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirteenth to One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

No. 17. FOR FLAGGING EIGHT FEET WIDE AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON WEST SIDE OF PLEASANT AVENUE, from One Hundred and Nineteenth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street.

No. 18. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue.

No. 19. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON EAST SIDE MADISON AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and on the SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, a distance of seventy-five feet.

No. 20. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 21. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON MADISON AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

No. 22. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 23. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, from St. Nicholas to Convent avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 9 and 5, 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, May 13, 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, May 27, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN REPAIRING AND BRONZING THE SOLDIERS' MONUMENTS ERECTED BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK IN CALVARY AND GREENWOOD CEMETERIES.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE REPAIRING OF THE NORTH FRONT OF THE CITY HALL WITH ARTIFICIAL STONE, AND PAINTING THE SAME.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN PUTTING UP AWNINGS ON THE WINDOWS OF BUILDINGS AND OFFICES IN CARE OF THIS DEPARTMENT.

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.

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THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE RECENT act of the Legislature (chapter 449, Laws of 1889), which provides that whenever any streets or avenues in the city, described in any grant of land under water, from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality, 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, 1889.

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, 1881, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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