

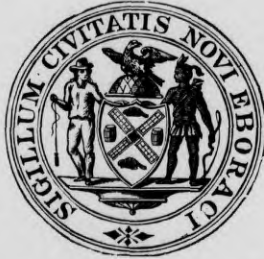
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending June 16, 1888:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$644,289 53
City Treasury.....	694,867 40
Total.....	\$1,339,156 93
<i>Bonds Issued.</i>	
Two and one-half per cent. Bonds.....	\$511,000 00
<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Mayoralty—	
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$85 35
The Common Council—	
City Contingencies.....	12 50
The Finance Department—	
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	\$40 16
Salaries—Finance Department.....	96 00
Interest on the City Debt.....	150 00
Aqueduct Commissioners—	
Additional Water Fund.....	37,499 69
The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	1,500 50
The Department of Public Works—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$867 50
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	90 00
Free Floating Baths.....	3,993 75
Laying Croton Pipes.....	15,654 50
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	132 50
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	3,160 72
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	2,560 73
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	1,550 54
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	6,489 85
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	672 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	2,153 15
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	47,699 14
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1,053 43
	85,405 87
The Department of Public Parks—	
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	\$3,716 65
Zoological Garden Fund.....	240 00
	3,956 65
The Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Public Charities and Correction.....	30,069 41
The Health Department—	
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	\$501 03
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	114 33
Health Fund—For Law Expenses, including Marshal's Fees.....	166 66
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	4,356 36
	5,138 38
The Department of Street Cleaning—	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	15,778 28
The Fire Department—	
Fire Department Fund.....	22,976 82
The Department of Docks—	
Dock Fund.....	12,772 68
The Board of Education—	
College of the City of New York.....	\$1,114 85
Public Instruction.....	10,678 99
School-house Fund.....	24,790 00
	36,583 84
Municipal Service Examining Boards—	
Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of.....	28 38
The Register—	
Contingencies—Register's Office.....	59 60
Charitable Institutions—	
New York Asylum for Idiots.....	\$782 00
New York Infant Asylum.....	7,002 17
Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	8,852 06
	16,636 23
Miscellaneous—	
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	\$83 70
For Allowance to the New York Free Circulating Library.....	4,160 67
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.....	315 00
For Construction of Bridge over Harlem River, etc.....	130 15
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	36,065 96
Interest on Assessments.....	55 00
Judgments.....	445 01
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials, etc.....	5,652 00
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	13 01
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	9 45
	47,535 95
Total.....	\$316,326 29

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Superior..	Charles C. Koehler, assignee.....	\$500 00	Summons and complaint. For payment of Certificate No. 1566, "Central Park Fund Stock of the City of New York," issued August 24, 1860, to Penelope Koehler, payable November 1, 1887, with interest from February 1, 1884.....	Alexander & Green
Supreme..	Martin B. Brown.....	935 22	Transcript of judgment.....	A. Mcneil.
"	E. Ellery Anderson.....	132 93	Certificate of taxation of costs.....	T. H. Baldwin.
Com. Pleas.	Andrew J. Kimball and others.....	500 00	Undertaking on injunction.....	L. Lafin Kellogg.
"	Andrew J. Kimball vs. The Mayor and others, composing the Gas Commission.....		Summons and complaint and order for injunction to restrain the Gas Commission from entering into a contract with the Brush Electric Light Company and other companies, for furnishing electric lights to the City from May 1, 1888, to April 30, 1889, in pursuance of awards made by said Commission.....	"
Supreme..			Notices of motions to confirm reports of the Commissioners in the following matters, viz.:	
	Opening One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.....			H. R. Beckman, Corp'n Counsel.
	Opening One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.....			H. R. Beckman, Corp'n Counsel.
	Opening Bungalow street, from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Long Island Sound.....			H. R. Beckman, Corp'n Counsel.
	Opening Ninety-ninth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.....			H. R. Beckman, Corp'n Counsel.
"			Summonses and complaints. To recover amounts paid for assessments, as follows: Riverside Park opening, etc.—	T. F. Neville.
	Sarah A. McDonald.....	3,431 00	" March 11, 1884, etc.....	"
	Edward C. D. Dunne.....	18,653 65	" June 24, 1882.....	"
	Sophie E. Minton.....	1,066 10	" March 1, 1883.....	"
	Margaret B. Tripp.....	1,542 10		
			Sewers in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, St. Nicholas avenue to Harlem river—	
	Robert G. Dun.....	408 10	Paid November 16, 1881.....	John C. Shaw.
"			Orders reducing assessment for Fourth avenue regulating, etc., from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street, as follows:	T. H. Baldwin.
	Mary Barnes.....	214 07		"
	James Gray.....	228 62		"
	Benjamin Richardson.....	507 25		"
	A. Morton Ferris and another.....	855 57		"
	Manhattan Railway Company.....	2,403 35		"
"	Andrew Hanneman.....	83 33	Transcript of judgment.....	L. Hanneman.
City.....	Julius Fleischhauer and ano. vs. Joseph Koch.....	*	Order appointing receiver of property of judgment debtor.....	Hess & Townsend.
"	Jacob Fleischhauer vs. Joseph Koch.....		Order appointing receiver of property of judgment debtor.....	"
Supreme..			Summonses and complaints. To recover amounts paid for assessments, as follows: Riverside Park opening, etc.—	T. F. Neville.
	Trustees of Leake and Watts' Orphan House.....	15,595 00	Paid May 2, 1874.....	"
	Trustees of Leake and Watts' Orphan House.....	201 75	Underground drains, Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Eleventh street—	"
			Paid December 16, 1885.....	"
			Seventy-second street sewer, Third to Fourth avenue, etc.—	"
	Mary Evans.....	219 02	Paid May 22, 1878.....	"
	E. Ellery Anderson.....	1,081 98	Order reducing assessment for Fourth avenue regulating, etc., Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street.....	T. H. Baldwin.

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
June 13	Annie F. Callahan.....	\$5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries (second demand).....	J. L. Brown.
" 14	John Cromwell.....	6,192 00	For payment of award for damages, made to L. W. & E. E. Stevenson, in matter of opening Gerard avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward.....	D. R. Horton.
" 14	Ann Kealy.....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	H. & F. A. McCloskey.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 16, 1888.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
8657	May 22, 1888	Public Parks.....	Warren Ward & Co..... (Sureties: G. P. Sherwood, Frank Rhoner, Bond, \$15,000.)	Furnishing and erecting wall cases, leaf cases and pedestals for enlargement of Metropolitan Museum of Art. Total, \$35,000.
8658	" 28, "	Docks.....	Martin B. Brown..... (Sureties: James H. En- glish, William Mc- Donald, Bond, \$1,200.)	Printing and binding the minutes of Board of Docks, from May 2, 1870, to April 28, 1877, inclusive. Total, \$3,250.
8659	June 5, "	"	Joseph H. Cofrode..... (Sureties: Alonzo T. Decker, Hugh Wal- dron, Bond, \$9,500.)	Building Pier, new 25, near foot of North Moore street, North river. Total, \$30,900.
8660	" 5, "	"	The Union Dredging Co..... (Sureties: Horace Theall, Victor Vierow, Bond, \$1,100.)	Dredging at Pier, new 43, and at Pier foot West Fifty-fifth street, North river. Estimate, \$4,400.
8661	May 23, "	Fire.....	John Mooney..... (Sureties: John A. Anto y. Bond, \$5,000.)	Furnishing 450,000 lbs. hay, 80,000 lbs. rye straw, 4,200 bags oats and 2,000 bags bran. Total, \$11,480.
8662	June 7, "	"	Samuel G. French..... (Sureties: William Mc- Donald, William Bar- rett, Bond, \$12,500.)	Furnishing 5,000 tons coal. Total, \$20,400.
8663	" 7, "	Board of Education..	Thomas Cockerill & Son..... (Sureties: Edward M. Gidney, Christopher Mooney Bond, \$25,000.)	Altering and enlarging Grammar School- house No. 54, corner of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fourth street, Twelfth Ward. Total, \$149,900.
8664	May 26, "	Public Works.....	Thomas Murray.....	Agreement in relation to excavation of rock in regulating, grading, etc., Ninety-seventh street, from Boul- vard to Riverside Drive.
8665	" 25, "	" (Bond).....	Patrick H. Kerwin..... (Surety: Bernard Mahon, Bond, \$150.)	Laying crosswalks across Fifth avenue, at both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.
8666	" 25, "	"	Patrick H. Kerwin..... (Surety: Bernard Mahon, Bond, \$150.)	Laying crosswalks across Fifth avenue, at both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.
8667	" 25, "	"	Patrick H. Kerwin..... (Surety: Bernard Mahon, Bond, \$150.)	Laying crosswalks across Fifth avenue, at both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.
8668	" 25, "	"	Patrick H. Kerwin..... (Surety: Bernard Mahon, Bond, \$150.)	Laying crosswalks across Fifth avenue, at both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.
8669	" 25, "	"	Patrick H. Kerwin..... (Surety: Bernard Mahon, Bond, \$150.)	Laying crosswalks across Avenue A, at southerly side of Seventy-sixth street.
8670	" 25, "	"	Patrick H. Kerwin..... (Surety: Bernard Mahon, Bond, \$150.)	Laying crosswalks across Boulevard, at northerly side of Eighty-fourth street.
8671	June 7, "	"	George F. Swift..... (Surety: Thomas A. O'Keefe, Bond, \$150.)	Receiving-basin at southeast corner of One Hundred and Eighth street and Third avenue.
8672	May 1, "	"	The New York and New Jersey Gas-light Company, Limited..... (Sureties: American Sure- ty Co., Isaac H. Dahl- man, Bond, \$5,000.)	Furnishing naphtha gas-lamps, from May 1, 1888, to April 30, 1889. Estimate, \$2,000.
8673	June 1, "	"	John Donaldson..... (Sureties: William Kelly, B. F. Kenney, Bond, \$2,000.)	Furnishing and delivering cut stone at Reservoir at High Bridge. Total, \$3,420.
8674	" 11, "	"	John J. Farley..... (Sureties: Patrick Farley, John T. Farley, Bond, \$10,000.)	Regulating and grading Ninety-second street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks. Estimate, \$40,018.30.
8675	" 11, "	"	George F. Masterson..... (Sureties: Charles Jones, Edward C. Sheehy, Bond, \$1,500.)	Sewers in One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues. Estimate, \$1,923.65.
8676	" 11, "	"	George F. Masterson..... (Sureties: Charles Jones, Edward C. Sheehy, Bond, \$2,000.)	Sewer in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Eighth and Manhattan avenues and between Manhattan ave- nue and Avenue East of Morningside Park. Estimate, \$2,569.40.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Depart-
ments, viz.:

June 11. The Department of Public Works—For constructing sewers in the several streets and
avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated May 28,
1888, published in the CITY RECORD.

June 15. The Department of Public Charities and Correction—For furnishing miscellaneous
groceries, hardware, iron, lumber, etc.

Approval of Sureties.

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

June 11. For regulating and paving (granite-block) Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and
Sixteenth street to its termination at St. Nicholas avenue, between One Hundred
and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.
George F. Doak, Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-third street,
Principal.

James D. Beck, Astor House,
Ransom Parker, Jr., No. 224 West Eleventh street, } Sureties.

June 11. For regulating, setting and resetting curb-stones, etc., in Seventy-seventh street, between
Eighth and Ninth avenues.
William Kelly, No. 460 West Fifty-first street, Principal.
Henry Kelly, No. 422 West Forty-second street, } Sureties.
James Fitzpatrick, No. 529 West Forty-second street, }

June 11. For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the period of one year from
May 1, 1888, to April 30, 1889, for lighting such streets or parts of streets,
parks and public places of the City of New York as may be determined upon by
the Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioner of Public Works after the estimates
are opened.

Harlem Lighting Co., No. 242 East One Hundred and Twenty-second
street, Principal.
Meyer Heller, No. 216 East Seventy-second street, } Sureties.
Felix L. Bauer, No. 32 East Sixty-fifth street, }

June 12. For erection of a building for the accommodation of attendants, Lunatic Asylum, Black-
well's Island.
Moran & Armstrong, No. 1128 First avenue, Principals.
William H. Hurst, No. 156 West Fifty-fourth street, } Sureties.
John P. Kane, foot West Fifty-second street, }

June 13. For flagging sidewalks on block bounded by Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets.
P. H. Kerwin, No. 445 East Fifty-seventh street, Principal.
Patrick McManus, No. 161 East Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
Richard J. Mahoney, No. 416 East Fifty-seventh street, }

June 13. For regulating and paving (granite-block) Ninety-fourth street, from Eighth to Ninth
avenue.
P. H. McCullagh, No. 240 East Thirty-second street, Principal.
Thomas Gearty, No. 135 East Eighty-third street, } Sureties.
Timothy Dwyer, No. 404 East Sixty-sixth street, }

June 14. For regulating and paving (trap-block) One Hundred and Fourth street, from Eighth to
Ninth avenue.
Thomas Gearty, No. 135 East Eighty-third street, Principal.
Timothy Dwyer, No. 404 East Sixty-sixth street, } Sureties.
P. H. McCullagh, No. 240 East Thirty-second street, }

June 15. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 50,000 pounds
brown sugar and 40 dozen sea-foam.
N. Miller & Co., No. 168 Duane street, Principals.
George R. Lansing, No. 46 West Twenty-first street, } Sureties.
George F. Gantz, No. 176 Duane street, }

Certificate of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments Remitting Taxes of 1887 on Personal
Estate, received, as follows:

DATE.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
June 15...	William T. Taylor.....	No. 34 Beaver street.....	\$7,500 00	\$162 00

Remov'd.

June 15—Augustus L. Bogart, Skilled Laborer in the Finance Department.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

BALANCES IN BANK AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JUNE 19, 1888.

CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE.

<i>Banks.</i>		
Bank of North America.....	\$20,000 00	Mercantile National Bank..... \$35,000 00
Central National Bank.....	3,000 00	National Broadway Bank..... 39,000 00
Chase National Bank.....	35,000 00	Ninth National Bank..... 35,000 00
Chatham National Bank.....	30,000 00	St. Nicholas Bank..... 25,000 00
First National Bank.....	68,000 00	Western National Bank..... 40,000 00
Fourth National Bank.....	4,000 00	
Gallatin National Bank.....	25,000 00	<i>Trust Companies.</i>
Hanover National Bank.....	11,000 00	Central Trust Company..... 10,000 00
Importers and Traders' National Bank..	1,526,000 00	Mercantile Trust Company..... 10,000 00
Mechanics and Traders' Bank.....	45,000 00	Union Trust Company..... 45,000 00
Mechanics' National Bank.....	28,000 00	
		<hr/> \$2,034,000 00

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVE-
MENT.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement met at the Mayor's Office, on Friday, June
15, 1888, at 1 o'clock P. M., pursuant to the following notice:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT, }
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, JUNE 12, 1888.

SIR—You are respectfully requested to attend a meeting of the Board of Street Opening and
Improvement, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Friday, June 15, 1888, at 1 o'clock P. M.,
to take into consideration unfinished business and such other matters as may be presented to the
Board.

Very respectfully,
WM. V. I. MERCER, Secretary.

Present—Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor; Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller; John Newton, Com-
missioner of Public Works; George H. Forster, President of the Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting of June 1, 1888, having been read, the Chairman moved that the
remarks made by him when the matter of widening and extending Elm street was under considera-
tion, calling "attention to various articles in newspapers, which stated that the Mayor had
originated a plan for a railroad through said street," be amended by adding the words "in con-
nection with some railroad company," after the word street, so as to read, "attention to various
articles in newspapers, which stated that the Mayor had originated a plan for a railroad through said
street in connection with some railroad company."

The minutes as so amended were then approved.

The following communication from the Department of Public Parks, transmitting resolutions
and maps for laying out and opening Dock street, between Commerce avenue and Riverview
Terrace, in the Twenty-fourth Ward:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
June 15, 1888.

Mr. WILLIAM V. I. MERCER, Secretary, Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

SIR—In compliance with your request of 17th August last, I forward herewith, for filing by
the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, five similar copies of the map laying out and opening
"Dock street," between Commerce avenue and Riverview Terrace, in the Twenty-fourth Ward,
with resolutions and technical description of the street.

I also return map of same, adopted September 22, 1886.

Yours, respectfully,

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

The President of the Board of Aldermen offered the following resolutions:
Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York deem
it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of New York City so as to lay out and open Dock
street, of the uniform width of sixty feet, between the lines of Commerce avenue and Riverview
Terrace (formerly known as "Cedar avenue," or "Heath avenue"), in the Twenty-fourth Ward of
said city, as shown, in blue color, upon a certain map or plan, entitled "Map or Plan of the sub-
division of a plot of ground belonging to Fordham Morris, Joseph H. Godwin, and Lewis G. Morris,
through which they propose to give public right of way, showing the width, location, extent, direc-
tion and class of the same, and submitted to the Board of Street Opening and Improvement for their
approval," dated New York, September 22, 1886, and signed S. F. Chalfin, Topographical Engineer,
D. P. P., said street being more particularly bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Riverview Terrace, formerly Cedar avenue, as the
same has been shown on a map, dated April 14, 1873, and filed by the Commissioners of the
Department of Public Parks, June 30, 1873, distant 536.36 feet northerly from a monument shown
on said map and placed at the intersection of the western lines of Sedgwick avenue and Riverview
Terrace:

- 1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Riverview Terrace for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90° to the left for 310.42 feet;
- 3d. Thence southerly deflecting 90° 01' 15" to the left for 60 feet;
- 4th. Thence easterly for 310.40 feet to the point of beginning.

And that they propose to alter the map or plan of New York City by laying out and opening
said street as aforesaid.

Resolved, That such proposed action of this Board be laid before the Board of Aldermen, and
that full notice of the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and he is hereby directed to transmit to the
Board of Aldermen, a copy of the foregoing resolution, and to cause to be published the notice
required by law.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of
the Board of Aldermen—4.

The Secretary presented and read the amended portion of certified copy of chapter 406 of the Laws of 1888, which was directed to be printed in the minutes:

CHAPTER 406.

AN ACT to amend sections nine hundred and seventy and nine hundred and ninety-four of chapter four hundred and ten of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the city of New York," passed July first, eighteen hundred and eighty-two.

Approved by the Governor May 26, 1888; passed, three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows: Section I. Section nine hundred and seventy of title five of chapter sixteen of chapter four hundred and ten of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the city of New York," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 970. They shall then proceed to make a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises so required for the purpose, by and in consequence of opening such public square or place, street, avenue, or part or section of street or avenue, so to be opened or by and in consequence of laying out and forming such public street or place, so to be laid out and formed, or by and in consequence of extending, enlarging, or otherwise improving the street or public place so to be extended, enlarged or otherwise improved as the case may be, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment also of the value of the benefit and advantage of such said public square or place, street, avenue or part or section of a street or avenue so to be opened, or such street or public place so to be laid out and formed or of such extension, enlargement, or other improvement of the street or public place so to be extended, enlarged or otherwise improved, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming or extending, enlarging or otherwise improving the same. Whenever the commissioners are appointed for the purpose of opening any street or avenue, or any part or section of any street or avenue, laid out by the commissioners of streets and roads in the city of New York, under and by virtue of the act entitled "An act relative to improvements touching the laying out of streets and roads in the city of New York and for other purposes," passed April third, eighteen hundred and seven, or for the purpose of opening, extending, enlarging, straightening, altering or otherwise improving any street, or part of a street or public place, in that part of the said city not laid out into streets, avenues, squares and public places by the commissioners aforesaid, the said commissioners of estimate and assessment shall not, in making their estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said operation be confined to any definite limits, but shall be and hereby are authorized to extend such estimate and assessment to any and all such lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises as they may deem to be benefited by the operation, and which they may judge expedient to include in their report in the premises, provided, that in all and every case of opening any street or avenue, or part or section of any street or avenue, laid out by the aforesaid commissioners of streets and roads north of Fifty-ninth street, the said commissioners of estimate and assessment shall not be at liberty to extend such estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage thereof, to any lands, tenements, hereditaments, or premises lying on either side of such street or avenue, and beyond half the distance of the next street or avenue thereto. But the commissioners who may be appointed for acquiring title to any land south of Fifty-ninth street for the purposes of this section, may assess therefor all such land and tenements as they may deem to be benefited by such improvement, and to the extent and amount which they may deem such lands and tenements benefited thereby; and provided further that, in case of the opening of any street or avenue, or portions of any street or avenue, in said city, where the street or avenue, or portions thereof, sought to be opened shall have been laid down and shown upon any general map or plan made and filed in pursuance with any law of the State of New York relative to the mapping in planning of streets and avenues in said city, where no buildings for which compensation can lawfully be made shall be taken, the assessment district shall not extend beyond the centre line of the blocks adjacent thereto, nor beyond the ends of the street or avenue, or portions thereof, sought to be opened. Provided further, that in case of the opening of a public park, street or avenue, or the acquisition of lands for the purposes of a public park, street or avenue, the board of street opening and improvement shall in each such case determine whether any, and if any, what proportion of the cost and expense thereof shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and the remainder of such cost and expense shall be borne and paid by the mayor, aldermen and commonality of the city of New York.

§ 2. Section nine hundred and ninety-four of title five of chapter sixteen of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 994. All the moneys which the said mayor, aldermen and commonality shall pay, disburse and expend, or become liable or bound to pay, disburse and expend, for cessions by agreement, and in discharge or on account of the sums or estimates of compensation and recompense that may be reported by the commissioners in favor of the respective persons and parties deemed to be entitled thereto, and the charges and expenses of the estimate and assessment and report that may be made in the premises, and all such other expenses, disbursements and charges also, as may arise or take place by and in consequence of the provisions of this title, for and about the opening of any such public square or place, street, avenue, or part or section of a street or avenue so to be opened, or laying out and forming, or extending, enlarging, or otherwise improving such street or public place so to be laid out and formed, or extended, enlarged, or otherwise improved, as the case may be, and the acquisition of the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for that purpose (except such sum or sums as may be assessed upon the said mayor, aldermen and commonality, according to the provisions of this title in that behalf), shall be borne and reimbursed and paid to the said mayor, aldermen and commonality, by the parties and persons interested and entitled, as owners or otherwise, unto and in the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and premises deemed to be benefited thereby, and the same, or the excess and balance thereof, if any such excess and balance thereof there shall be, over and above the amount of the sums or assessments that may be assessed upon the parties and persons, lands and tenements, assessed by the commissioners in the premises for the benefit of such public square or place, street or avenue, or part or section of a street or streets, so to be opened, or of such street or public place so to be laid out and formed, or of the extension, enlargement, or other improvement of the street or public place so to be extended, enlarged or otherwise improved as the case may be, together with the charges of the after-mentioned assessment and collection thereof, shall and may be estimated and assessed by the board of assessors provided for in section eight hundred and sixty-five of this act, upon and among all the owners, occupants and parties seized or possessed of, or interested in, all the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not assessed by the said commissioners of estimate and assessment, nor included in their said report, that may be benefited by the said public square or place, street or avenue, or part or section of a street or avenue so to be opened, or the said public square or place so to be laid out and formed, or the extension, enlargement or other improvement of the public street or place so to be extended, enlarged, or otherwise improved, as the case may be, in proportion, as nearly as may be to the advantage which each shall be deemed to acquire thereby; and the said assessors, after having made such estimate and assessment, shall certify the same and make a return thereof in writing, and the same, when ratified and confirmed, shall be binding and conclusive upon the parties and persons so to be assessed, respectively, and upon all other persons, who may hereafter claim to be assessed, upon any party or person whomsoever, for or on account of any lands, tenements, hereditaments, or premises included in the aforesaid report of the commissioners of estimate and assessment, and by them made the subject of their said estimate and assessment; but if any such party or person shall be entitled unto or interested in any other lands, tenements, hereditaments, or premises, not included in the said report, that may be deemed to be benefited as aforesaid, such party or person shall be assessed therefor in proportion to the advantage deemed to be acquired in respect to the same. Provided, further, that in the case of the opening of a public park, street, or avenue, the aggregate of all the assessments therefor, upon property other than that of the city of New York, shall not exceed the proportion of the cost and expense thereof, determined by the board of street opening and improvement proper to be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited, pursuant to the provisions of section nine hundred and seventy of this act.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

State of New York, Office of the Secretary of State, ss.:

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany, this fourteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

DIEDRICH WILLERS, Deputy Secretary of State.

The matter of widening and extending Elm street was then taken up.

Mr. Leo Schlesinger asked permission to be heard in relation to the Elm street improvement. The Chairman informed him that the hearing was closed, but that the Board would listen to him for a few minutes.

Mr. Schlesinger said that he owned a building on the street, and that he was kept back from making improvements on account of the delay. He desired the Board to hurry up and settle the matter one way or the other. He was in favor of the improvement and considered that the widening would increase the value of property in the neighborhood.

Mr. W. H. Morrell was given five minutes in which to make an argument against the widening and extension of Elm street. He said he represented half a dozen property-holders. He desired Centre street to be extended. He claimed that the Elm street improvement would cost one-third more than to improve Centre street.

The Chairman said that at the last meeting of the Board the Commissioner of Public Works was requested to prepare a statement in regard to the cost of opening Elm street, and, also, the cost of opening Centre street, and asked General Newton if he had the report ready.

The Commissioner of Public Works said that Mr. Webster, Assistant Engineer, Department of Public Works, had prepared the report.

The Secretary was given the report and read it.

The report was as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
June 15, 1888.

Gen. JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In answer to your order of June 2, 1888, viz.:

1st. Estimate of the cost of widening Elm street of the width of 80 feet to Lafayette place, adopting the line through the centre of the blocks, and not on Crosby street, as shown on the map by R. L. Waters.

2d. An estimate of the cost of extending Centre street of the width of 80 feet to the south line of Lafayette place, adopting the line of Mulberry street as far as practicable, as shown on R. L. Waters' map above Spring street.

Accompanying you will find a diagram showing the two routes—Elm street and Centre street—with profiles of the established grades, as they now exist, and the proposed grade for the new street.

ELM STREET.

Estimate of Elm street, from Lafayette place to Pearl street, diagonally across to Centre street at south side of Reade, Centre street, west side, to Chambers street.

ESTIMATE.

73,363 cubic yards filling, at 50 cents	\$36,681 50
29,487 square yards granite pavement, at \$2.75	\$81,089 25
12,320 lineal feet curb and gutter, at 80 cents	9,856 00
88,000 square feet flagging, 8 feet wide, at 30 cents	26,400 00
	<hr/> \$154,026 75

Value of property to be affected, as per tax record for year 1888, \$2,751,500, assessed	
value considered at 60 per cent. of market value	4,585,830 00
	<hr/> \$4,739,856 75

JOS. O. B. WEBSTER, Assistant Engineer, Department of Public Works.

CENTRE STREET.

From Broome street through the block to Spring street; west side Mulberry street to Bleecker street, through the blocks to Lafayette place.

ESTIMATE.

45,000 cubic yards filling, at 50 cents	\$22,500 00
13,007 square yards granite pavements, at \$2.75	35,750 00
5,629 lineal feet curb and gutter, at 80 cents	4,480 00
40,600 square feet flagging, 8 feet wide, at 30 cents	12,180 00
	<hr/> \$74,910 00

Value of property affected, as per tax record for year 1888, \$1,446,300, assessed	
value considered at 60 per cent. of market value	2,410,500 00
	<hr/> \$2,485,410 00

JOS. O. B. WEBSTER, Assistant Engineer, Department of Public Works.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER, Esq., Secretary, etc.:

SIR—In accordance with a resolution passed at the last meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, I have prepared an estimate of the cost of repaving such of the thoroughfares below Canal street as would in my opinion relieve Broadway of its heavy traffic, in part, below that street, viz.:

Broad street, from South to Wall street	10,300 sq. yds.	
Nassau street, from Park Row to Wall street	4,900 "	
Greenwich street, from Battery place to Canal street	30,000 "	
Church street, from Morris to Canal street	20,000 "	
Hudson street	21,000 "	
West Broadway	16,000 "	
	<hr/> 103,100 sq. yds., at \$5 ..	\$515,500 00

Centre street	11,500 sq. yds.	
Pearl street, New Bowery and Bowery	14,000 "	
	<hr/> 25,500 sq. yds., at \$2.70	48,850 00
		<hr/> \$564,350 00

These streets, the present roadways of which cover an area of about 128,600 square yards, could be repaved at a cost of \$564,350.

JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner of Public Works.

After the reading of the report, the President of the Board of Aldermen moved that it be laid over until the next meeting. Which motion was adopted.

The extension of East River Park was then taken up.

The Chairman explained that he had examined the ground carefully, and thought that the improvement was necessary; in fact, it was absolutely indispensable. The water-front in that section of the city cannot be used for commerce. It would be almost a sin not to make the improvement. The park, he said, was in the heart of the tenement-house district, and was the only breathing-spot the people had. In connection with this matter the Chairman read the following extract from a letter from J. Hampden Robb, President of the Park Department:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
June 14, 1888.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Chairman Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

DEAR SIR—I fear very much that I shall be prevented from attending the meeting of the Board to-morrow. I desire, however, to call the attention of the Board to the uncompleted business in regard to the taking of additional lands for the East River Park at the foot of Eighty-sixth street, and also to the matter of the High Bridge Park.

In regard to the former, it does not seem to me a question of doubt but what the interest of the people would be greatly benefited by the taking of the additional portion to the north of Eighty-sixth street. The present park is very small and the population which uses it is very large. If the City were to buy the additional portion, they would probably get it at a price, at present, much less than they would have to pay if it were bought later on. It is a piece of property essentially fitted and suited for a park and would greatly add to what we already have there, and would enable us to make a park of a proper character, one which would be thoroughly appreciated by the very large tenement-house population which lives in that neighborhood.

I trust that there will be no further objection on the part of the Board to having this matter pass and that it will be only a short time before the City will be in possession of the property, so that the plans for the completion of the entire park can be carried out.

The President of the Board of Aldermen offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That this Board, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, do hereby select, locate and lay out a public park bounded on the west by Avenue B, on the north and east by the Harlem and East rivers, and on the south by East Eighty-sixth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as shown on two similar maps or plans, accompanied with explanatory remarks, made by the Department of Public Parks on the requisition of this Board, each of which is entitled "Map or Plan showing a Public Park in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, bounded on the west by Avenue B, on the north and east by the Harlem river and East river, and on the south by East Eighty-sixth street, laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887"; and do hereby close and discontinue the parts of East Eighty-seventh, Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets, between Avenue B and the East river, as the same are included within the limits of such park, and does hereby approve and adopt said maps or plans; and

That the Chairman of this Board be and he is hereby directed to certify said maps or plans, together with such explanatory remarks, in the manner provided in and by said act; and that the

Secretary of this Board be and he is hereby directed to file said maps or plans, so certified, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and one in the Department of Public Parks in said city.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Board of Aldermen—4.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller, the President of the Department of Public Parks and the Commissioner of Public Works were appointed a committee to examine and report to this Board, at its next meeting, with recommendations, as to whether any, and if any, what proportion of the expense to be incurred in acquiring title to the land required for the park this day selected by this Board in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, bounded on the west by Avenue B, on the north and east by the Harlem and East rivers, and on the south by East Eighty-sixth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, shall be assessed upon the property, persons and estates to be benefited by the acquisition and construction of such park; and, in case it is recommended that any part of such expense shall be so assessed, to report the area within which such part of said expense shall be so assessed; or whether the whole of said expense shall be borne by the City.

Which was adopted.

High Bridge Park matter was then taken up.

The Chairman read the following extract from a letter from the President of the Department of Public Parks:

In regard to the High Bridge Park, our Board has already made a report confirming their first report, and I would say in addition that it seems to me that the City will again make a great mistake if they do not purchase the upper portion of this park. Where the natural formation is on a large scale and the suggestions of the topography are many, experience has shown that the non-recognition of natural boundary lines does not result in permanent reduction of outlay. As an example of this, I would cite the case of the upper portion of the Central Park, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street. It was originally omitted, and being necessary it had to be purchased afterwards at a very much increased price. The same is true in regard to Prospect Park in Brooklyn, where the boundaries were amplified to conform with the natural suggestions of the territory after being first legally defined on a more contracted scale. Such also was the case of the State Reservation at Niagara. The original State survey report, on grounds of economy, omitted to provide for an adequate landscape recognition of that portion of the Reservation known as "Port Day," an omission that was afterwards rectified by the Commission.

If anything, the upper part of the High Bridge Park should be taken even if the lower part is omitted. I have personally inspected the whole of this ground. It does not seem to be fitted for anything else, whereas on the other side, it seems to be eminently fitted for the purposes of a park, and I have no doubt in my own mind that, though the outlay may seem to be somewhat large at the present moment, still in the long run, if the City should buy it now, they will save a great deal of money. That the City will ultimately buy it, I have no doubt.

Yours, very respectfully,

J. HAMPDEN ROBB, President, Department of Public Parks.

The Secretary was instructed to have the proper resolution prepared providing for laying out of High Bridge Park, from One Hundred and Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street.

The Chairman called attention to the fact that the ground to be taken did not extend as far as the old Morris homestead.

The matter was laid over until the next meeting, when a vote will be taken.

The Secretary presented and read the following communication from the Council to the Corporation:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, June 7, 1888.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER, Esq., Secretary of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

DEAR SIR—I beg leave to inform you that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of opening Lind avenue, from Wolf street to Devoe street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, was confirmed by the Supreme Court, on or about the 22d day of May, 1888. Said avenue is now legally opened between said streets.

Yours, respectfully,

D. J. DEAN, Acting Counsel to the Corporation.

The following opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation was read in relation to the opening of twenty streets in the Annexed District.

The Secretary stated that the resolutions were all prepared.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1888.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER, Esq., Secretary, Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

SIR—I beg leave to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 6th instant, enclosing for my information copy of report of the Department of Public Parks and copy of resolution of your Board adopted on June 1, 1888, of which the following is a copy, viz.:

Resolved, That the report of the Department of Public Parks be referred to the Council to the Corporation with instructions to prepare and report to the next meeting of this Board the necessary resolutions and petitions for the opening of each of said twenty streets named in the report, separate resolutions and petitions to be prepared for each street.

In accordance with the foregoing resolution I have caused to be prepared resolutions directing that the necessary proceedings be taken to legally open each of the streets and avenues referred to in said report of the Department of Public Parks and herewith transmit the same to you for adoption by your Board. The petitions to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment have not been and cannot be prepared until such time as the Department of Public Parks furnishes me with the necessary rule maps and technical description of the land required by the City in each proceeding. As soon as I am informed of the adoption by your Board of said resolutions I will immediately request from the Department of Public Parks the rule maps, technical descriptions, etc., upon the receipt of which petitions will be immediately prepared and an application made to the Court for the appointment of Commissioners, etc., in each proceeding, and all of said proceedings will be pushed forward with all possible speed.

Yours, respectfully,

HENRY R. BECKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation.

The Chairman called attention to the act passed by the last Legislature in relation to proportion of assessment to be placed upon the property-holders.

The President of the Board of Aldermen offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from a point two hundred and seventy-five feet west of Third avenue to Brook avenue, and from Trinity avenue to Long Island Sound.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from River avenue to Willis avenue, and from the centre of Brown place to Locust avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Locust avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Rider avenue to Locust avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Harlem river to St. Ann's avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Railroad avenue East, to Elton avenue, and from St. Ann's avenue to Prospect avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor,

Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Courtland avenue to Third avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Jerome avenue to Third avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Webster avenue to Westchester avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Carter avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Brook avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Webster avenue to Wendover avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Bailey avenue, from Boston avenue to Van Cortlandt avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Elliott street, from Boscobel avenue to Webster avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Mott avenue, from Railroad avenue East, to Elliott street.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of River avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Jerome avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Third avenue, from Harlem river to the northerly line of Mott Haven.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Walton avenue, from Cheever place to Jerome avenue.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Willis avenue, from Harlem river to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Vanderbilt avenue East, from One Hundred and Seventieth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, and from One Hundred and Eighty-third street to One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street.

Resolved, That this Board, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby respectfully requests the Council to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of Johnson avenue, from the Spuyten Duyvil parkway (near the Spuyten Duyvil Station) to the Spuyten Duyvil parkway (near the former "Van Cortlandt avenue").

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen, it was

Resolved, That the Council to the Corporation be requested to furnish this Board with his opinion as to the construction to be placed upon chapter 406 of the Laws of 1888, and what are all the powers this Board has under the said law.

The Secretary presented the following communications from the Department of Public Parks:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
June 9, 1888.

To the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Parks held on 31st ultimo, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The change of the western boundary of Riverside Park by extending it to the Hudson River Railroad, authorized by chapter 495, Laws of 1885, may necessitate changes in the present arrangement of the street, the river front and the means of access to property west of the Hudson River Railroad; and

Whereas, Access to such property is now provided (through the park) at Seventy-ninth and Ninety-sixth streets, on grades that are very steep and cross the railroad level with the tracks, which renders the passage both difficult and dangerous, and it is desirable if any changes are contemplated that such may be known and anticipated in making the plans now in progress for the improvement of Riverside Park; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Department of Docks, the Board of Street Opening and Improvement and the Hudson River Railroad Company be requested to inform this Department as to any changes in the arrangement of streets, bulkhead-lines and crossings, contemplated.

Very respectfully,

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
June 9, 1888.

Mr. WILLIAM V. I. MERCER, Secretary, Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

SIR—I herewith forward resolutions for adoption by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement to amend its resolutions of September 28, 1885, relative to opening, and of October 12, 1887, relative to amending the plans of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets, so as to change the limits of the opening respectively, as follows, viz.:

East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Carter to Third avenue, instead of from Townsend to Webster avenue, and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Vanderbilt avenue East, to La Fontaine avenue, instead of to Bathgate avenue.

These changes are rendered necessary by proposed changes in the class and location of the other portions of these streets. I also forward a resolution, for the same Board, to rescind its resolution of September 28, 1886, relative to opening the following avenues, viz.:

Overlook avenue, from Mott to Jerome avenue; and

Highwood avenue, from Webster to Jerome avenue.

Portions of Overlook avenue have been changed, and others need to be changed before taking proceedings to open it. Highwood avenue is to be discontinued.

Very respectfully,

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

Resolved, That so much of the resolution adopted by this Board September 28, 1886, as relates to the opening of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as a street of the first class, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "Townsend" and "Webster," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Carter" and "Third," so as to read as follows, viz.:

11th. East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Carter avenue to Third avenue.

Resolved, That so much of the resolution adopted by this Board October 12, 1887, as relates to taking from file and amending the maps or plans locating and laying out East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "Townsend" and "Webster," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Carter" and "Third," so as to read as follows, viz.:

6th. East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Carter avenue to Third avenue.

Resolved, That so much of the resolution, adopted by this Board September 28, 1886, as relates to opening East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, as a street of the first class, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "Bathgate" and inserting in lieu thereof "La Fontaine," so as to read as follows, viz.:

23d. East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Vanderbilt avenue East, to La Fontaine avenue.

Resolved, That so much of the resolution, adopted by this Board October 12, 1887, as relates to taking from file and amending the maps or plans locating and laying out East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "Bathgate" and inserting in lieu thereof "La Fontaine," so as to read as follows, viz.:

8th. East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Vanderbilt avenue East, to La Fontaine avenue.

Resolved, That so much of the resolution adopted by this Board September 28, 1886, as relates to the opening of Overlook avenue, from Mott avenue to Jerome avenue, and Highwood avenue, from Webster avenue to Jerome avenue, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Board of Aldermen—4.

The following communication from the Department of Public Parks, inclosing resolution for the adoption of this Board, was presented and read by the Secretary:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
June 7, 1888.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER, Secretary, Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

SIR—Herewith I beg to forward for adoption by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement a resolution directing this Department to take from file and amend the maps or plans locating and laying out Cauldwell avenue, from Westchester avenue to the Boston road, in the Twenty-third Ward, under chapter 577 of the Laws of 1887. This is required so that the grade and monument map of the avenue may be filed, preliminary to preparing the rule map for its opening, as requested.

Very respectfully,

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 577 of the Laws of 1887, the Board of Parks in the City of New York be and is hereby directed to take from file and amend the maps or plans, heretofore prepared and filed by said Board, locating and laying out Cauldwell avenue, from Westchester avenue to the Boston road, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Board of Aldermen—4.

The following petition for the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Edgecomb road was presented and ordered referred to the Commissioner of Public Works:

To the Honorable the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned owners of property fronting on One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, in the City of New York, between Tenth avenue and Edgecomb road, as laid out on the map of the City of New York, pursuant to chapter 697 of the Laws of 1867, respectfully pray that the said One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Edgecomb road, be opened according to law.

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Harry Green, 50 feet on south side.
George F. Back, 25 feet on south side.
William Daly, 25 feet on north side.
Jacob Stahlshmidt, 25 feet on north side.
Adelbert Isbell, 25 feet on north side.
Frank Lober, 150 feet east of Tenth avenue.
William H. Newman, 250 feet east of Tenth avenue.
John Renchan, south side, 250 to 275 feet east of Tenth avenue.
Daniel Coffey, northeast corner, 100 feet.
Margaretta C. Kirchner, south side, 100 feet east of Tenth avenue, 25 feet.

The following statement in regard to restoring streets in the Dyckman District was presented and directed to be referred to the Commissioner of Public Works, and the petitioners to be notified that they can file a new petition:

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

In the Matter

The Petition of Joseph H. Godwin and others to restore the streets and avenues north of Dyckman street and Inwood street and south of Kingsbridge to the plan adopted by the Commissioners of the Central Park in 1869.

Statement of Facts.

In 1869 the Commissioners of the Central Park, in whom the authority to lay out streets and roads within that part of the City of New York to the northward of the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street was then vested, undertook to establish the streets and avenues in that part of the city between Inwood and Dyckman streets on the south, and Harlem river and Spuyten Duyvil creek on the north, and between the Harlem and Hudson rivers respectively on the east and west.

They were incited to take action just at this time by the fact that the executors of Isaac Dyckman, deceased, who owned in the above district a body of land comprising several hundreds of acres, were desirous of selling said land, and for that purpose were particularly anxious to have the lines of the streets, roads and avenues which would intersect their property established by law.

The Commissioners of the Central Park, prior to November, 1869, caused the land within the above territory to be surveyed, and on the 3d day of November, 1869, adopted a resolution whereby they laid out the several streets and roads shown by red color and figures on a certain map dated New York, November 1, 1869, and signed by John J. Serrell, said resolution declaring that the widths, locations, courses, windings, etc., of the said several streets and roads so laid down on said map seemed to them, the said Commissioners, most conducive to public good.

The map referred to in said resolution is known and designated in the Records of Public Parks as "Adopted Map B, No. 14," and was filed in the office of the Central Park Commissioners and indorsed "Adopted." The lines of the streets and avenues shown on said map adopted by the Commissioners of Central Park are shown on the accompanying map in red lines and color.

This map adopted by the Commissioners of Central Park was reproduced and accompanied the Thirteenth Annual Report of the Commissioners of the Central Park, and will be found opposite to page 70 of said report as printed.

Many of the streets and avenues shown on said adopted map were shortly after monumented with granite or marble monuments of the most permanent description.

In the years 1870 and 1871 the executors of Isaac Dyckman, supposing that the streets and avenues so shown on said adopted map, and monumented as aforesaid, were finally established by law, laid out into city lots their land included within the area shown on said map, which said lots fronted on streets and avenues shown on said adopted map, and the purchasers at such sales all supposed that such streets and avenues were finally established by law.

By an oversight the Park Commissioners neglected to file said adopted map in all of the three offices designated as depositories of all maps showing streets and avenues laid out by such Commissioners, and by reason of this omission, and this only, the streets and avenues shown on said map adopted in 1869 failed to "become finally established by law."

From the year 1871 down to the present time the map on file in the Department of Taxes and Assessments showing that part of the city lying to the north of Inwood street have conformed in all respects, so far as the streets and avenues were concerned, to the streets and avenues shown on said Adopted Map, B 14. From the year 1870 down to the year 1884 no property has been sold in the district in question, except as lots fronting on the streets and avenues laid out by the Central Park Commissioners in 1869.

In or about the year 1884 the Commissioners of the Central Park, the personnel of which had entirely changed since 1869, without any petition from any source, without any request, so far as can be ascertained by anybody, without notice to and without the knowledge of any of the property-owners, and for reasons which cannot now be ascertained, and which none of the then Commissioners are now able to assign, caused a new map to be made of the said district lying north of Inwood and Dyckman streets, and have already or propose shortly to take the necessary steps to have the streets and avenues shown thereon finally established by law, which new map ignores most of the streets and avenues shown on the map of 1869, and shows new streets and avenues entirely dissimilar therefrom.

On the map accompanying the petition herein the streets and avenues shown on the map of 1884 are colored gray.

The object of this proceeding is to have the streets and avenues shown on the map of 1884 discontinued, and the streets and avenues shown on the map of 1869 restored, and to have such further steps taken as will cause the latter to be finally established by law.

It is conceded that the improvement of Harlem river by the United States, now under way, renders necessary some modification of the map of 1869, particularly in reference to the basin at

Sherman's creek and the basins above Two Hundred and Eleventh street. The property-owners are of the opinion that a modification of the plan of 1869 to the extent shown on the accompanying map would be desirable.

Among the reasons for granting this application may be mentioned:

1. The streets and avenues on the map of 1869 were laid out after full consideration, were given forth to the world by the Park Commissioners as having been determined upon, and were considered by property-owners as finally established for many years.

2. The Dyckman executors recognized them and have dedicated the land included in them to the use of the public, and on the City acquiring title only nominal awards would be paid.

3. The discontinuing of the streets of 1869 and establishing the streets of 1884 would result in most disastrous consequences to the owners, leaving over three hundred (300) lots with frontage on no street or avenue, over two hundred (200) lots with from a few inches to a few feet of depth, and over one hundred (100) lots completely bisected.

4. The tax and assessment maps have all recognized the map of 1869.

5. Improvements have been made on streets and avenues shown on the map of 1869 and discontinued on the map of 1884.

6. The map of 1884 was ill considered, and is injudicious and not to the interest of the general public, still less to that of the individual property-owners. Some of the blocks are 500 feet by 600 feet.

7. Not a single person ever asked for the change, and no one can be found whose opinion is of any weight who opposes the restoration of the old streets.

JOSEPH H. GODWIN and

D. G. CROSBY,

For themselves and on behalf of other property-owners.

List of cases pending before the Board of Street Opening and Improvement since report of May 18, 1888, and not included in that report:

The petition of the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine for closing One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets.

Copies sent to Department of Public Works and Department of Public Parks for report through Counsel to Corporation. No report received.

Resolution for laying out West Fifty-second and West Fifty-fourth streets, from Tenth avenue to Hudson river, and West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

Awaiting the expiration of the time for the publication of the legal notices.

Petition of property-owners for opening Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

Sent to Department of Public Works for report.

There being no further business before the Board, adjourned to meet July 6, 1888.

WM. V. I. MERCER, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending June 16, 1888:

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

SUPREME COURT.

Henry D. Aylesworth—Damages for alleged personal injuries resulting from falling on ice and snow on sidewalk, southwest side of West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, February 3, 1888, \$5,000.

Edward C. Donnelly—That assessment for Riverside Park opening on various lot and ward numbers in Twelfth Ward be declared void, and to recover back, etc., \$18,653.05.

Sophie E. Minton—That assessment for Riverside Park opening, on Ward Nos. 45 to 51, Block 249, be declared void, and to recover back, etc., \$7,266.

Sarah A. McDonald—That assessment for Riverside Park opening, on Ward Nos. 22 and 26, Block 1254, be declared void, and to recover back, etc., \$3,431.

Margaret B. Tripp—That assessment for Riverside Park opening, on Ward Nos. 35, 36, 38, 39 and 40, Block 209, be declared void and to recover back, etc., \$1,542.10.

Mary Evans—For excess of assessment paid for Seventy-second street sewer, between Third and Fourth avenues, on Ward No. 47 A, Block 192, \$219.02.

Trustees of Leake and Watts Orphan House in the City of New York—That assessment for Riverside Park opening and Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets underground drains, on Ward No. 36, Block 1153, be declared void and to recover back, etc., \$15,796.75.

People ex rel. John G. Burke vs. Stephen B. French, John McClave, John R. Voorhis and Charles F. MacLean, as Police Commissioners—Certiorari to review removal of relator, a patrolman from the force, April 27, 1888.

John Goldsberry vs. Henry J. Wingarter—Damages for alleged assault, battery and false arrest, May 5, 1888, \$7,000.

The Metropolitan Exhibition Company vs. John Newton, as Commissioner of Public Works, and John Richardson, Superintendent of the Bureau of Incumbrances—To restrain interference with plaintiff's fence at One Hundred and Eleventh street and Fifth and Sixth avenues (Polo Grounds).

William C. Traphagen—That assessment for Riverside Park opening (\$1,985.70) and Seventy-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets underground drains (\$541.30), on various ward and block numbers, be declared void and that plaintiff recover back, etc., \$2,527.

In re petition of John D. Heins—To vacate an assessment for One Hundred and Eighteenth street regulating, grading, etc., from Fourth to Sixth avenue.

In re petition of Bernard Cohen—To vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from Fourth to Eighth avenue.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Charles C. Koehler—To recover \$500 as principal of certificate No. 1566 Central Park Fund stock, issued to Penelope Koehler, August 24, 1880, payable November 1, 1887, with interest from February 1, 1884.

Bridget Sullivan—Summons only served.

In the matter of Dodge, Cammeyer & Co.—Voluntary dissolution of corporation.

The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. Timothy Donovan, Michael Kane and Michael Finn—For extra cost occasioned by defendant Donovan's non-fulfillment of contract for regulating and grading One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from west curb-line of Fifth avenue to east curb-line of Seventh avenue, and to set curb-stones and to flag the sidewalks therein, \$3,579.98.

COMMON PLEAS.

Andrew J. Kimball vs. Abram S. Hewitt, as Mayor, etc., John Newton, as Commissioner of Public Works, etc., and Theodore W. Myers, as Comptroller, etc.—To restrain defendants from making contract with various Electric-light Companies under award of May 31, 1888, for lighting City from May 1, 1888, to April 30, 1889.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

In matter of Henry Meier, habeas corpus—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

In matter of August Volkhausen, habeas corpus—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

In re E. Ellery Anderson, Fourth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered on remittitur.

John Muhr—Entered General Term order and judgment of affirmance in favor of the City and for \$—costs.

Andreas Gubasko—Entered General Term order and judgment of affirmance in favor of the City and for \$—costs, etc.

George W. McLean, Receiver, etc., vs. The Orange Judd Co.—Order of discontinuance entered without costs by consent.

Patrick Sheehy—Order entered denying defendants' motion for new trial on the minutes.

Mayor, etc., vs. New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Co.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs, defendant having settled.

In re Daniel Callanan, Nineteenth street paving—Order entered dismissing appeal by consent.

In re Mary H. Lester, sale and assessment Madison avenue paving—Order entered dismissing appeal by consent.

Charles Dowd—Order entered declaring action abated.

People, ex rel. Daniel J. Fitzpatrick vs. Police Commissioners—Order entered dismissing appeal with costs.

William B. Townsend, executor, etc., Nos. 1, 2 and 3—Order entered consolidating action by consent, no costs to be taxed in actions 1 and 2.

Matter of Sarah A. McKenney, New Aqueduct award—Order entered confirming report of Referee. Martin Brown—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$935.22 without trial; letter to Comptroller. Mayor, etc., vs. Angelica L. Morgan et al.—Order entered denying motion for new trial on the minutes.

Andrew Hamman—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$83.33 without trial; letter to Comptroller.

In re Morris Littman, sewer in Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re James J. McCahill, sewer in Boulevard—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re Hugh McCormack, sewer in Manhattan street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re James Pettit, sewer in Tenth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re Luther Kountze et al., outlet sewer in Manhattan street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re Charles S. Loper, sewer in Second avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re Charles A. Hamilton et al., trustee, etc., sewer in Eighth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re James Murtaugh, sewer in Ninth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re Adon Smith, Jr., as committee, etc., sewer in One Hundred and Ninth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re Stephen Marshall, executor, etc., sewer in One Hundred and Nineteenth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

In re Catharine C. Kelly, Ninety-second and One Hundred and Eleventh streets underground drains—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Michael Finn—Trial proceeded; suspended; Mr. Kellogg and Mr. Dean entering into an agreement to refer; J. J. Townsend, Jr., for City.

Mayor, etc., vs. Adolph Kunkel and another—Reference proceeded and adjourned to June 15, at 3 P. M.; A. D. Keyes for City.

Mayor, etc., vs. Adolph Kunkel and another—Reference proceeded and adjourned to June 19, at 10½ A. M.; A. D. Keyes for City.

Dennis Moran—Reference proceeded and adjourned to June 19, at 2 P. M.; W. Carmalt for City.

Catharine E. Swart—Tried before Beach, J., and jury; sealed verdict for \$1,100 in favor of plaintiff; T. P. Wickes for City.

Elizabeth A. Sweeney, administratrix, etc.—Tried before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; W. Carmalt for City.

William A. Cuming—Reference proceeded and adjourned to 20th, at 3 P. M.; J. J. Townsend, Jr., for City.

Mayor, etc., vs. Title Guarantee and Trust Company—Motion for bill of particulars argued before Andrews, J.; papers to be submitted; W. L. Turner for City.

Ann O'Connor—Demurrer argued before Van Hoesen, J.; decision reserved; W. Carmalt for City.

Henry F. Clark vs. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York and the City of Brooklyn—Tried before Beach, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$250; T. P. Wickes for City of New York.

In re Morris Littman, sewer in Broadway—Motion to dismiss petition made before Andrews, J.; granted; G. L. Stirling for City.

In re James J. McCahill, sewer in Boulevard—Motion to dismiss petition made before Andrews, J.; granted; G. L. Stirling for City.

In re Hugh McCormack, sewer in Manhattan street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Andrews, J.; granted; G. L. Stirling for City.

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HENRY R. BEEKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, June 6, 1888, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Spencer, Dowd, Baldwin, Barnes, Ridgway and Fish; also Chief Engineer Church, Deputy Chief Engineer Rice and Consulting Engineer Fiteley.

The minutes of the adjourned stated meeting of May 28, 1888, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in vouchers Nos. 3657 to 3674, inclusive; and, on motion of Commissioner Dowd, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

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

Whereas, An application has been made by Mr. Richard A. Malone, Contractor, for an extension of time for the completion of the work embraced in his contract on the New Aqueduct; therefore,

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

Adopted.

Also in favor of the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer be requested to obtain from the Department of Public Works such permits for excavation, closing streets, removing paving and flagging, as shall be required, and as are necessary for the construction of Section 16 of the New Aqueduct, being the pipe-line from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue to the proposed gate-house in the Central Park Reservoir.

Adopted.

Also presented the following:

The Committee on Construction present herewith the resignation of Charles E. McNary, Inspector of Masonry, and recommend that the same be accepted, to take effect as of May 26, 1888.

On motion of Commissioner Barnes the report was approved and the resignation accepted.

Also reported in favor of the adoption of the following resolution, the same having the approval of the Committee of Finance and Audit:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer an appropriation of \$325 is hereby made to cover the cost of instruments for use by the engineering force to be employed upon the work of construction of Section 16 of the New Aqueduct, being the pipe-line from the gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue, to the proposed gate-house near the Central Park Reservoir.

Adopted.

A communication was received from Messrs. John Brunton & Co., and Messrs. Rodgers, Shanley & Co., dated June 5, 1888, requesting an extension of twenty days additional time in which to execute a stipulation continuing the obligation of their bondsmen for the construction of Sections 13 and 14 of the New Aqueduct.

On motion of Commissioner Barnes, the same was granted.

The Comptroller, under date of June 2, 1888, gave notice of the issue of a warrant for the payment of vouchers not certified to by the Aqueduct Commissioners, for Manhattan Island Section.

Which was ordered entered upon the books of the Commission, and filed. \$166 90

A communication was received from Albert B. Boardman, Esq., Assistant Counsel for the Senate Investigating Committee, having reference to the continuation of the sessions of said Committee,

which was read, whereupon Commissioner Fish offered the following resolution, and the same was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the President be requested to invite the Senate Investigating Committee to examine the line of the Aqueduct at any time that may be convenient to the members of the Committee.

By Commissioner Fish:

Resolved, That no Inspector who shall hereafter be suspended by a Division Engineer shall be returned to duty unless upon the written application of the Division Engineer by whom he was suspended to the Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Ridgway, the same was referred to the Committee on Construction. The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave—

With Granite-block Pavement:

Cherry street, from Jackson street to Clinton street;
Monroe street, from Gouverneur street to Jackson street;
Twenty-seventh street, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue;
Fortieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue;
Waverley place, from Christopher street to Bank street.

With Trap-block Pavement:

Thirteenth street, from Gansevoort street to Ninth avenue;
Montgomery street, from Division street to South street;
Lewis street, from Grand street to Delancy street;
Bank street, from West street to Washington street;
Perry street, from Washington street to Bleeker street.
Crosswalks of bridge-stones to be laid, relaid or renewed, at the several street intersections, where necessary.

The work to be done by contract, publicly let to the lowest bidder, or by the day's work, as the Commissioner of Public Works before undertaking such repaving of such several streets shall respectively specify and adopt as the manner of repaving such street; and in the case of each street, where said Commissioner shall so specify and adopt as the manner of repaving the same that it be done by day's work, advertisement and contract by public letting be and hereby is dispensed with.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 29, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, June 6, 1888.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively reappointed to the office of Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office, viz:

George M. Boynton,	Michael Sullivan,	Hamilton T. Magrath,
Nathan Isaacs,	Austin T. Fitzgerald,	William M. Negus,
George B. Juckett,	Morris Jacoby,	Augustus Salzman,
Julius C. Lehmann,	Meyer Knocker,	W. J. Wells,
Theodore Martzloff,		

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and whose terms of office have expired, viz:

Joseph A. Jacobs, in place of.....	Henry Ash.
Patrick H. Whalen, ".....	Michael Berwin, Jr.
John Martin, ".....	Robert D. Bronson.
James T. Nicholson, ".....	Alexander F. Blinn.
Thomas J. McCabe, ".....	Max E. Bernheimer.
Marcus Moses, ".....	George Burnham, Jr.
George Barker Speer, ".....	John F. Donnelly.
Francis J. Gallagher, ".....	William Ebehalt.
George Francis Roesch, ".....	George B. Heath.
Abraham Hirsch, ".....	Joseph Janacek.
William J. Becker, ".....	Arthur W. Leroy.
John J. Pollak, ".....	Michele A. Cristalli.
John Crow, ".....	John Crowe.
Moses Strassman, ".....	Gilbert J. McGloin.
William E. McDonald, ".....	Otto Pullich.
William P. Mangam, ".....	Richard Healey.
Charles Rathfelder, ".....	Wales F. Severance.
Joseph M. Alexander, ".....	Adolphus D. Pape.
Michael F. Burke, ".....	Jacob M. Taylor.
Daniel McDonald, ".....	John F. Twomey.
Christian Kammerer, ".....	Julius Wodiska.
Paul Weil, ".....	Philip Wood.
John P. Hilly, ".....	J. Leland Wells.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and who have resigned:

Daniel M. Donegan, in place of.....	Louis V. Bright.
William E. Kennedy, ".....	Lament McLoughlin.
James R. Kiernan, ".....	Joseph F. Moss.
Edmund C. Gay, ".....	Bernard Hartman.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, who were recently appointed, but failed to qualify, viz:

Edward C. Underhill, in place of.....	Robert Danfield, Jr.
Joseph E. Neuberger, ".....	Frederick W. Diehl.
Louis B. Allen, ".....	John W. Jacobus.
Richard T. Rhatigan, ".....	Douglas A. Leven, Jr.
Ulysses S. Duryee, ".....	Michael J. McLaughlin.
Frank P. Young, ".....	E. M. Morgan.
Samuel M. Crane, ".....	John J. Pollak.
Garrett A. Wannamaker, ".....	Oscar Stern.
Elisha W. McGuire, ".....	Cornelius V. V. Ward.
J. Rhinelander Dillon, ".....	William J. Murphy.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 12, 1888.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 31, 1888.

Whereas, It is provided in and by section 12 of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1887, entitled "An Act to provide for the recording and indexing of conveyances and instruments relating to land in the City of New York according to limited areas," as amended by chapter 321 of the Laws of 1888, that if it shall be determined by the Mayor of said city and the Register of the City and County of New York that said act cannot go into operation at the time designated therefor by the said Mayor, under the provisions of the first-mentioned act, by reason of the non-completion of the map or indices referred to in said act, or for any other reason, thereupon the said Mayor, by notice published in the CITY RECORD in said City of New York for thirty days prior to the expiration of the extended time designated by said Mayor, may

further extend the time for said act to go into operation and for the books, maps and indices in said act referred to to be completed to a date not later than the first day of July, 1889, and that said act upon such publication shall thereupon go into operation in said Register's Office at the time so to be designated by said Mayor; and

Whereas, The said Mayor and Register have determined that said act cannot go into operation at the extended time designated by said Mayor therefore, by reason of the non-completion of said map and indices, and for other reasons;

Now, therefore, I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby give notice that I have extended and do hereby extend the time for said act to go into operation, and for said maps and indices to be completed, to the first day of July, 1889, which is hereby designated by me as the date upon which the said act shall go into operation in said Register's Office.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 10, 1888.
I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 10 of the Laws of 1888, do hereby designate the Sun, Herald, Times, World, Star, Tribune, Journal, Press, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, Graphic, Telegram, Evening Sun, Evening World, Mail and Express, Staats Zeitung, New Yorker Zeitung, and Daily News as the newspapers in which the advertisements provided for in said act may be printed.
(Signed), **ABRAM S. HEWITT,**
Mayor.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS,
SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
ROOM 11, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor City Record:
DEAR SIR—The following amendment to Regulation 16 of the New York City Civil Service Regulations has been made:
If the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary of more than one vacancy at any one time, the Secretary shall certify to the appointing officer for appointment, the names of as many persons as there are vacancies to be filled, with the addition of two names for the first vacancy and one name for every two vacancies in addition to the first.

Yours respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS,
SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
ROOM 11, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, May 31, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor:
DEAR SIR—The following resolution was passed by the Supervisory Board at their meeting, held May 27, 1887:
"Resolved, That in view of the inadequate space in the Secretary's office and in order to enable him more readily to discharge the business of the same, the Secretary is authorized to arrange the business of the office so that the same shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public during a part of the day only."

Pursuant to the above action, I hereby designate the two hours between 2 and 4 o'clock in afternoon as the time for which the offices shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public.
Very respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

CITY COURT—TRIAL TERM, PART I.

In view of the alterations going on in the old City Hall, the April term of Part I. of the City Court will be held in room known as Part III. of the Superior Court in the New County Court-house.
By order of the Court.
MICHAEL T. DALY,
Clerk.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor. **ARTHUR BERRY,** Secretary and Chief Clerk.
Mayor's Marshal's Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS W. BYRNES, First Marshal.
GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JAMES DALY.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; **JOHN C. SHERMAN,** Secretary; **BENJAMIN S. CHURCH,** Chief Engineer; **J. C. LULLER,** Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE H. FORSTER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.
City Library.
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
D. N. CARVALHO, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; **D. LOWBER SMITH,** Deputy Commissioner.

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

Bureau of Water Register.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Street Improvements.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE E. BABCOCK, Superintendent.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
MARTIN J. KEES, 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. STOKES,** 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. AUSTIN, 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.
ARTHUR S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

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 J. KELSO, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
GRAHAM MCADAM, Chief Clerk.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.
No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building.
GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; **ALFRED VREDENBURGH,** Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.
Nos. 27, 29 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. IVINS, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.
No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
SATURDAYS, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY R. BREKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.
No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; **GEORGE F. BRITTON,** Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, **FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN** Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed 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. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

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.
CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.
GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.
ALBERT F. D'ONCH, Superintendent of Buildings.
Attorney to Department.
WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. BAYLES, President; **EMMONS CLARK,** Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
J. HAMPDEN ROBB, President; **CHARLES DE F. BURNS,** Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.
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, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
L. J. N. STARK, President; **G. KEMBLE,** Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; **WILLIAM CONFERD,** Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; **LEE PHILLIPS,** Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building Room 2.
THE MAYOR, Chairman; **CHARLES V. ADER,** Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 115, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; **DAVID S. WHITE,** Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; **JOHN B. SEXTON,** Under Sheriff; **BERNARD F. MARTIN,** Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk; **THOMAS F. GILROY,** Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; **R. P. H. ABELL,** Bookkeeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 12 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; **JOHN T. TOAL,** Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; **JAMES A. FLACK,** Clerk; **THOMAS F. GILROY,** Deputy County Clerk.

General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.

Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, ———, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.

Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.
Part I, Room No. 34.
Part II, Room No. 35.
Part III, Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; **THOMAS BOESE,** Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II, Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III, Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; **NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr.,** Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; **HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE** and **RUFUS B. COWING,** Judges of the said Court.
Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 17, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.55 o'clock A. M.
Clerk's 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.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, 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, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFIELD, Justice.
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice.
Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every meeting at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays); and continues to the close of business.
AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.
On and after Monday, October 3, 1887, the trial days of this Court will be Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
JOHN JEROLAMAN, Justice.
Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice.
Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9.55 A. M.
Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
ANDREW I. ROGERS, Justice.
Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE.
Room 11, City Hall,
NEW YORK, June 15, 1888.
BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering Badges will be received at this office until June 25, 1888. Full information can be obtained from
THOMAS W. BYRNES,
Mayor's Marshal.

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 all 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, 1888, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of FIVE PER CENTUM OF THE AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT. Such check or money must not be enclosed 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 will 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 person or persons to whom the contract is awarded, within five days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract will 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 let 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.

BIDDERS ARE INFORMED THAT NO DEVIATION FROM THE SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE ALLOWED, UNLESS UNDER THE WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, where the plans will be on exhibition for the information of bidders.

Dated NEW YORK, June 18, 1888.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, PAINTS, LIME, WOODENWARE, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

9,400 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition, Thursday, June 22, 1888.

1,500 pounds Cheese.

5,000 pounds Dried Apples.

12,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.

2,000 pounds Mocha Coffee, roasted.

4,000 pounds Macaroni.

10,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.

100 barrels Crackers.

100 barrels Prime Quality American Salt, 120 pounds net each; to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within fifteen days.

25 barrels Pure Cider Vinegar.

630 barrels good seed Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.

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

100 barrels prime Carrots, to weigh 130 pounds net per barrel.

2,600 heads prime good sized Cabbage.

25 kits prime quality No. 1 Mackeral, 20 pounds each.

50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

75 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.

300 bushels Rye.

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

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

50 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds.

50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about six pounds.

3,300 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

50 dozen Canned Corn.

12 dozen Canned Salmon.

20 dozen Green Beans.

12 dozen Tomato Catsup.

120 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each.

CROCKERY

2 gross Pitchers, two-quart.

1 gross Basins.

10 hals Cotton Batts, fifty pounds each, sixteen ounces to the pound.

1,000 yards Linen Diaper.

5,000 yards Bleached Muslin.

PAINTS, LIME, ETC.

15,000 pounds Prime White Lead, ground in oil, free from adulterations and all ground impurities, and subject to analysis, if necessary, 50 100s, 50 50s, 100 25s.

10 barrels first quality Whiting.

25 barrels first quality Portland Cement.

25 barrels first quality Rosin Cement.

25 barrels first quality W. L. Lime.

25 barrels first quality Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 12 per cent. of chlorine.

LEATHER, WOODENWARE, ETC.

1,000 pounds Offal Leather.

12 dozen W. W. Brushes.

25 dozen Dust Brushes.

12 dozen Mop Brushes.

20 coils best quality Manila Rope, 9-thread.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, June 29, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Paints, Lime, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, 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 41, LAWS OF 1884.

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, each 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, who are not interested in the business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and the sum which the Corporation would 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 execution of this contract, 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 contract required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered by the person or persons to whom the contract will be awarded, shall 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 SECURITY REQUIRED FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated NEW YORK, June 18, 1888.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bakershop dock, Blackwell's Island (east side), 4,000 barrels extra Wheat Flour, in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels, one-half of each quality, as follows:

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

Barrels not to be returned.

—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 o'clock A. M. of Friday, June 29, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," 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 contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the committee on Flour of the Exchange, that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also a certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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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, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

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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, from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated NEW YORK, June 18, 1888.

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

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

NEW YORK, June 20, 1888.

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 front of No. 224 East Third street—Unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair, moustache and whiskers. Had on dark coat, vest and pants, gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Chambers street, North side of the river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; about nine months in water. Had on blue coat, dark vest and pants, red flannel shirt, laced shoes.

Unknown man from foot of Bedford's Island; body in an advanced state of decomposition; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair, moustache and whiskers. Had on dark coat, vest and pants, gaiters.

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Unknown man, from Ward 18, Bellevue Hospital; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; light brown hair; blue eyes; sandy moustache; right arm amputated at shoulder. Clothing destroyed on account of vermin.

Unknown man, from Pier 48, East river; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair; sandy moustache and chin beard mixed with gray. Had on dark coat, dark brown pants, white shirt, gray knit undershirt, white muslin drawers, white socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-sixth street, North river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair; clean shaven. Had on black coat and vest, dark mixed pants, white shirt, white muslin drawers, one white sock, one brown mixed sock, laced shoes, left leg artificial.

Unknown man, from foot of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, North river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 1/2 inches high; light brown hair and moustache. Had on dark coat and vest, gray pants, white knit undershirt and drawers, brown cotton sock, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river; body in an advanced state of decomposition, about six months in water; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on blue flannel shirt, red flannel shirt, dark pants and vest, gray woolen socks, brown shoes.

At Work-house, Backwell's Island, Mary Benson, aged 65 years. Committed May 12, 1888.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

MANHATTAN ISLAND SECTION.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION of the report of Commissioners of Appraisal, Manhattan Island Section, dated June 1, 1888, as to Parcels (1), one and a half (1 1/2), two (2), two and a half (2 1/2), three (3), three and a half (3 1/2), four (4), four and a half (4 1/2), five (5), five and a half (5 1/2), six (6), six and a half (6 1/2), seven (7), and real estate contiguous thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that it is my intention to make application before the Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on the 14th day of July, 1888, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report as to Parcels 1, 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2, 7, and real estate contiguous thereto, made by the Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 499 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 13th day of June, 1888, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the same day.

Dated, New York, June 13, 1888.

HENRY R. BECKMAN,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2334, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

List 2339, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 2308, No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

The limits embraced by each assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on or adjacent to the streets.

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 115 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 13, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DEEPENING AND finishing Shaft No. 24, on Section A of the New Aqueduct, and constructing a Head House connected therewith, and doing all other work necessary to complete said shaft as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Tuesday, the 3d day of July, 1888, at 2 o'clock p.m., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for said work and furnishing said material will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,
JAMES C. SPENCER, President.
JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NO. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, January 23, 1888.

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

Resolved, That section 13 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 13. That no owner or lessee of any building, or any part thereof, shall lease or let, or hire out the same or any portion thereof, to be occupied by any person, or allow the same to be occupied, as a place in which, or for any one, to dwell or lodge, except when said buildings or such parts thereof are sufficiently lighted, ventilated, provided and accommodated, and are in all respects in that condition of cleanliness and wholesomeness, for which this Code or any law of this State provides, or in which they are required to be kept, such premises to be kept. Nor shall any such person rent, let, hire out, or allow, having power to prevent the same to be used as or for a place of sleeping or residence, any portion or apartment of any building, which apartment or portion has not at least one foot of its height and space above the level of every part of the sidewalk and curbstone of any adjacent street, nor of which the floor is damp by reason of water from the ground, or which is impregnated or penetrated by any offensive gas, smell, or exhalation prejudicial to health. But this section shall not prevent the leasing, renting, or occupancy of cellars or rooms less elevated than aforesaid, and as a part of any building rented or let, when they are not let or intended to be occupied or used by any person as a sleeping apartment, or as a principal or sole dwelling apartment.

[L. S.] JAMES C. BAYLES, President.
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of
HENRY D. PURROY, President
RICHARD CROKER, Commissioners
CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees for the Eleventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, Tuesday, June 26, and until 3 o'clock A. M. on said day, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 15, 22 and 21, and Primary School Building No. 5; also, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 22, 26 and 71, and Primary School Buildings Nos. 5 and 31; also, Heating Apparatus Alterations, etc., in Grammar School Building No. 15 and Primary School Building No. 31; also, for New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 15 and 26.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN F. WHELAN, Chairman.
PETER KRUGER, Secretary.
Dated New York, June 13, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Sixth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Friday, June 22, 1888, and until 3 o'clock A. M. on said day, for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 23, 24 and Primary School Building No. 2.

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

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

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JOHN MCINTIRE, Chairman.
JOSEPH H. FORD, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, First Ward.

Sealed proposals will be received at the same place and until 4 o'clock p.m., Thursday, June 14, by the School

Trustees of the Eighth Ward, for Repairs, Alterations, etc., to be made at Primary School Building No. 25; also for Heating Apparatus Alterations to be made in Grammar School Building No. 38.

C. WESLEY BAUM, Chairman,
WILLIAM BRANTON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

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

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Dated New York, June 1, 1888.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 8, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET CLEANING hereby gives notice that he will receive propositions from parties wishing to undertake the work of "Trimming Sidewalks" at all the dumping-boards and dumping places of the Department of Street Cleaning, until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, the 2d day of July, proximo.

The propositions should be in writing, enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, and should state the price the party agrees to pay, weekly in advance, for the aforesaid privilege.

A special deposit, not exceeding \$5,000 nor less than \$1,000, the specific sum to be determined by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, will be required to be deposited with the Comptroller of the City of New York before the execution of the contract, as a security for the faithful performance of its terms and conditions.

The form of contract to be entered into may be inspected and further information obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning on application to the Chief Clerk.

JAMES S. COLEMAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 11, 1888.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Boulevard fencing vacant lots, on west side of, from One Hundred and Fourteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

Boulevard fencing vacant lots, on east side of, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

Boulevard fencing vacant lots, on east side of, between Manhattan and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.

Southern Boulevard to sewer and appurtenances, from North Third to Lincoln avenue.

East Gramercy place sewer, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.

Lexington and Fourth avenues fencing vacant lots, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets.

Madison avenue sewers, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fifth streets.

Madison and Fifth avenues fencing vacant lots, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets.

Mill Brook drains and appurtenances, between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and Westchester avenues.

Avenue Nicholas fencing vacant lots, east side of, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Forty-first street.

Willis avenue paving with trap-block pavement, from Southern Boulevard to North Third street.

Fourth avenue fencing vacant lots, on northeast corner of One Hundred and Fourth street.

Twelfth avenue setting curb-stones, on west side of, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.

Fifth street setting and resetting curb-stones and flagging, from Lewis street to the East River bulkhead.

Sixty-eighth street paving with trap-block pavement, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

Seventieth street flagging, both sides, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Seventy-fourth street paving with trap-block pavement, between Madison and Eleventh avenues.

Seventy-sixth street sewer, between Avenue A and East River.

Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets fencing vacant lots, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

Ninety-first street sewer, between Avenue A and First avenue.

Ninety-ninth street paving with trap-block pavement and laying crosswalks, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue.

One Hundredth and One Hundred and First streets fencing vacant lots, between First and Second avenues.

One Hundred and Second street regulating, grading, curb-stones and flagging, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

One Hundred and Fourth street sewer, between West End and Riverside avenues.

One Hundred and Seventh street paving with granite-block pavement, from Madison to Fourth avenues.

One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets fencing vacant lots, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets fencing vacant lots, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets fencing vacant lots, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

One Hundred and Eighteenth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street paving with trap-block pavement, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street fencing vacant lots, north side of, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

One Hundred and Thirty-third street, East, regulating, grading, setting and resetting curb and gutter-stones, between Third and Fourth avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-third street sewer, between Boulevard and Hamilton place (Diagonal avenue), with ditches in Hamilton place, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets.

One Hundred and Forty-eighth street sewer, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, with branch in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets.

One Hundred and Fifty-first street flagging sidewalks, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Boulevard.

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Avenue St. Nicholas to St. Nicholas place.

Manhattan avenue curbing and flagging, on east side of, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments May 25, 1888, and entered on the "Record of Titles and Records of Titles of Assessments" kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Rents."

Section 17 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 17, 1888, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 11, 1888.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 907 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 land, from the "Record of Titles and Records of Titles of Assessments," which was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 22, 1888, and entered on the 7th day of June 1888, 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 996 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 996 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 cent. 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 August 17, 1888, 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 1837 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

The same in 25 volumes, half bound..... 50 00

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1887.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property now in custody, without claims:

Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Executive Committee of the College of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, for Repairs and Alteration of the College Buildings, until Thursday, June 28, 1888, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day.

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

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

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

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

No proposals will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings render their responsibility doubtful.

CHAS. L. HOLI,
W. A. COLE,
R. M. GALLAWAY,
WILLIAM L. LAMM,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
HENRY L. SPRAGUE,
ED. J. TAMSEN,
ALEX. S. WEBB,
WILLIAM WOOD,
Executive Committee.

Dated New York, June 13, 1888.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Academy of Music, corner of Fourth street and Irving place, on Thursday, June 21, 1888, at 8 o'clock p. m.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS,
Chairman.

Dated June 13, 1888.

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 SEDGWICK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from the Twenty-third Ward line to the Fordham Landing road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same is shown on the map of the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice 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, that we, the undersigned, dily verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 28th day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 28th day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 28th day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described, as follows, viz: Northerly by the southerly side of Fordham Landing road; easterly by the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Andrews avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Loring place; southerly by the division line between the properties of Henry W. T. Mali estate and Herman C. and Catherine E. Schwab and Descher, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Heath avenue and Fordham Landing road, and by a straight line drawn easterly from the southerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and extending easterly to the southerly side of Heath avenue, and by a straight line drawn easterly from the southerly side of Heath avenue, and extending easterly to the southerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and by a straight line drawn easterly from the southerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and extending easterly to the southerly side of Heath avenue, and by a straight line drawn easterly from the southerly side of Heath avenue, and extending easterly to the southerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and by a straight line drawn easterly from the southerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and extending easterly to the southerly side of Heath avenue, and by a straight line drawn easterly from the southerly side of Heath avenue, and extending easterly to the southerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and 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parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block or farm number between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and One Hundred and Fortieth street; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block or farm number between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and One Hundred and Forty-second street; westerly by the easterly side of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 13, 1888.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,
JOHN JEROLMAN,
JOHN H. KITCHEN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of NINETEENTH STREET, from Third Avenue to Fourth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to 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 these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their 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 July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-fifth day of July, 1888, 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 the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-fifth day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets; easterly by the westerly side of Third Avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between Ninety-eighth and Ninety-ninth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Fourth Avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the sixth day of July, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 13, 1888.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,
OWEN W. FLANAGAN,
EDWARD C. KIRBY,
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 the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Eighth Avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to 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 these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twentieth day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twentieth day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 1/2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twentieth day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth Avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, and westerly by the easterly side of New Avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the third day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 1, 1888.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,
FRANCIS HIGGINS,
JOSEPH MCGUIRE,
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 the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Eighth Avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to 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 these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twentieth day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twentieth day of July, 1888, 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 the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twentieth day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth Avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets, and westerly by the easterly side of New Avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the third day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 1, 1888.

FRANCIS HIGGINS,
JOSEPH MCGUIRE,
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 the opening of DYCKMAN STREET, from Kingsbridge road to Exterior street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 28th day of June, 1888, 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 Dyckman street, from Kingsbridge road to Exterior street, in the Twelfth 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 easterly line of Kingsbridge road, said point being 12,207 1/2 feet northerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and distant 2,243 1/2 feet westerly from the easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence easterly and in a straight line, distance 2,666 1/2 feet, to the intersection of a point in the westerly line of a new street or avenue to be called Neagle Avenue, said point being 12,051 1/2 feet northerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and distant 1,019 1/2 feet from the westerly easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly and at an angle of 156° 29' and 57" distance 1,221 1/2 feet to the westerly side of Exterior street, being 102 feet westerly from the United States Canal line; thence southerly and northerly along said westerly line distance 177 1/2 feet; thence northerly 1,095 1/2 feet; thence westerly and at an angle of 156° 29' 57" distance 2,095 1/2 feet to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said road, distance 59 feet; thence southerly along said road distance 50 1/2 feet to a point or place of beginning.

And said Dyckman street to be 100 feet wide between the lines of Kingsbridge road and Exterior street at Harlem river.

Dated New York, May 25, 1888.

HENRY R. BECKMAN,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of BUNGAY STREET (formerly known as East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and extending to the Long Island Sound, 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 said Department.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice 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 these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 14th day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of July, 1888, 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 the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: 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, to wit: Northerly by the southerly side of Timpon place and the westerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-third street; easterly by the centre line of the block between Bungay street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Bungay street and Truxton street, and a line drawn parallel, or nearly so,

with and distant about one hundred and twenty-four feet easterly from the easterly side of Bungay street and extending from the northerly side of Edgewater road to Long Island Sound, southerly by the Long Island Sound, and westerly by the centre line of the block between Bungay street and Walnut Avenue, the centre line of the blocks between Bungay street and Wetmore Avenue, and the centre line of the block between Bungay street and St. Joseph's 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 or 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 204 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, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the third day of August, 1888, 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 18, 1888.

B. CASSERLY,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
ADOLPH L. SANGER,
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 the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth Avenue to Edgewater road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a third-class street or road by said Board.

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 the 28th day of June, 1888, 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-third street, from Tenth Avenue to Edgewater road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a third-class street or road by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 2,073 1/2 feet northerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, thence easterly and parallel with said street 53 1/2 feet to the westerly line of Edgewater road; thence northerly along said line 81 feet 2 1/2 inches; thence easterly and parallel with said street 1/2 of an acre to the easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 50 feet wide between the lines of Tenth Avenue and Edgewater road.

Dated New York, May 25, 1888.

HENRY R. BECKMAN,
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 to the lands required for the widening of FIFTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and one hundred feet north of the easterly line of Tenth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for a public place, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 471 of the Laws of 1886.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice 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 these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 10th day of June, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 10th day of June, 1888, 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 the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the nineteenth day of June, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: 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, to wit: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, and extending from the easterly side of Sixth Avenue to within 100 feet of the westerly side of Fifth Avenue, the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, and the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, the westerly side of Fourth Avenue, and by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Fifth Avenue, and extending from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street to the southerly side of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, the westerly side of Fourth Avenue, and by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Fifth Avenue, and extending from the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street; westerly by the easterly side of Fifth Avenue, the easterly side of Sixth Avenue, and a line parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Fifth Avenue, and extending from the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets to the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

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, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the sixth day of July, 1888, 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 2, 1888.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,
ADOLPH L. SANGER,
JOHN WHALEN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Eighth Avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth Avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice 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 these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the nineteenth day of June, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said nineteenth day of June, 1888, 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 the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the nineteenth day of June, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth Avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets, and westerly by the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the sixth day of July, 1888, 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 27, 1888.

JAMES J. KELSO,
DAVID DE VENNY,
GEO. CAULFIELD,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORD-ance with the provisions of section 105 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882; chapter 350 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 185 of the Laws of 1886, and of all other provisions of law relating thereto:

That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York deem it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out, opening and extending Fifty-fourth street, of a uniform width of sixty feet, between the lines of Tenth Avenue to the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river, in the Twelfth Ward, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue distant two hundred feet ten inches southerly from the southerly line of Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly, parallel with said street, eight hundred feet to the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty feet; thence easterly eight hundred feet to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty feet to the point or place of beginning; also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue distant two hundred feet ten inches southerly from the southerly line of Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street one thousand and fifty feet to the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river; thence southerly along said line sixty feet; thence easterly one thousand and fifty feet to the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty feet to the point or place of beginning, said street to be sixty feet wide between the lines of Tenth Avenue and the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river.

And that they propose to alter the map or plan of said City of New York by laying out, opening and extending said street aforesaid.

And that such proposed action of this Board has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.

Dated June 7, 1888.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER,
Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORD-ance with the provisions of section 105 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882; chapter 350 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 185 of the Laws of 1886, and of all other provisions of law relating thereto:

That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York deem it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out, opening and extending One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, of a uniform width of sixty feet, between the lines of the Boulevard and Tenth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence westerly and parallel with said street seven hundred and seventy-five feet to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line sixty feet; thence easterly seven hundred and seventy-five feet to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty feet to the point or place of beginning. Said street to be sixty feet wide between the lines of the Boulevard and Tenth Avenue.

And that they propose to alter the map or plan of said City of New York by laying out, opening and extending said street aforesaid.

And that such proposed action of this Board has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.

Dated June 7, 1888.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER,
Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORD-ance with the provisions of section 105 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882; chapter 350 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 185 of the Laws of 1886, and of all other provisions of law relating thereto:

That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York deem it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying

out, opening and extending Fifty-second street of a uniform width of sixty feet between the lines of Eleventh avenue and the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river, said street being more particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant two hundred feet ten inches northerly from the northerly line of Fifty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street one thousand and fifty feet to the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river; thence northerly along said line sixty feet; thence easterly one thousand and fifty feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty feet to the point or place of beginning, said street to be sixty feet wide between Eleventh avenue and bulkhead-line of the Hudson river.

And that they propose to alter the map or plan of said City of New York by laying out, opening and extending said street aforesaid.

And that such proposed action of this Board has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.

Dated June 7, 1888.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, JUNE 14, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, WITH THE TITLE OF THE WORK AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDICATED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE WORK AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1888, AT WHICH PLACE AND HOUR THEY WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED BY THE HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAYS OF ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET TO ITS INTERSECTION WITH TENTH AVENUE, AND KINGS-BRIDGE ROAD, FROM ITS INTERSECTION WITH TENTH AVENUE TO ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET.

NO. 2. FOR SEWER IN WEST END AVENUE, BETWEEN EIGHTY-NINTH AND NINETY-FIRST STREETS.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and if no other person is 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 it is made by the person making the same, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That it is made by the person making the same, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That it is made by the person making the same, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, 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-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 3, 4, 5, 6, No. 31 Chambers Street.

D. LOWBER SMITH,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, JUNE 9, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, WITH THE TITLE OF THE WORK AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDICATED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE WORK AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., FRIDAY, JUNE 23, 1888, AT WHICH PLACE AND HOUR THEY WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED BY THE HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, FROM WEST END AVENUE TO THE EVIDENCE DRIVE, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

NO. 2. FOR SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS ON WEST SIDE OF FOURTH AVENUE, FROM NINETY-SIXTH TO ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET, FROM NINTH AVENUE TO THE BOULEVARD, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO THE FIRST NEW AVENUE AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and if no other person is 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 it is made by the person making the same, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That it is made by the person making the same, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, 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-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 3, 4, 5, 6, No. 31 Chambers Street.

D. LOWBER SMITH,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS AND RULES GOVERNING THE USE OF WATER, FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY ORDER OF JOHN NEWTON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

UNDER CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 AND 353, AND AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 559, LAWS 1887, AS FOLLOWS:

"The Commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings as follows: To the first class, which shall include all buildings used for dwelling purposes, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, number of families or occupants, or consumption of water, as may be determined, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall be paid by the owner of the building, and not by the tenant, and shall be returned as arrears to the clerk of arrears. Such regular rents, including the extra charges above mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water. Said rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as herein provided, but no charge whatever shall be made against any building in which a water-meter may have been, or shall be placed as provided in this act. In all such cases the charge for water shall be determined only by the quantity of water actually used as shown by such water-meters."

"The said Commissioner of public works is hereby authorized to prescribe a penalty not exceeding the sum of five dollars for each offense, for permitting any person to use water in violation of such reasonable rules as he may, from time to time, prescribe for the prevention of the waste of water; such fines shall be added to the regular water rents."

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 10 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates.

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet.	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet.	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet.	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet.	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet.	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet.	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 feet.	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwellings-houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family, one dollar per year shall be charged.

METERS will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows to wit:

BAKERYES.—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, three dollars per annum.

BARBER SHOPS. shall be charged from five to twenty dollars per annum each in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works; an additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each bath tub therein.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, shall be charged at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding-houses, and bathing establishments. Combination stationary wash-tubs, having a movable division in the centre and capable of use for bathing, shall be charged the same as bathing tubs.

BUILDING PURPOSES.—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick—ten cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

COWS.—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum. **DINING SALOONS.** shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

FISH STANDS (retail) shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows: **HORSES, PRIVATE.**—For two horses there shall be charged six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, two dollars.

HORSES, LIVERY.—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, one dollar.

HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART.—For each horse, one dollar per annum.

HORSE TROUGHS.—For each trough, and for each half barrel or tub on sidewalk or street, twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper bull-head to prevent waste.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families, be charged for each lodging room, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LAUNDRIES shall be charged from eight to twenty dollars per annum, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LIQUOR AND LAGER BEER SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of ten dollars each. An additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each tap or wash-box.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERIES shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

PRINTING OFFICES, when not metered, shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

SODA, MINERAL WATER AND ROOT BEER FOUNTAINS shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

STEAM ENGINES, where not metered, shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: For each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; for each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge; each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets connected in any manner with sewer shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on any other portion of the premises.

Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each. **WATER-CLOSES AND URINALS.**—For hoppers of any form, when water is supplied direct from the Croton supply through any form of the so-called single or double valves, hopper-clocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each, per year, twenty dollars.

For any pan closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied with the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock, and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, such overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so connected that not more than seven gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle, or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but shall run like a safe-waste, as provided by the Board of Health regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 352, Consolidated Act 1882, water-meters, of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

It is provided by section 352, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law."

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
75	05	9 00
100	05	10 50
125	05	12 00
150	05	13 50
175	05	15 00
200	05	16 50
225	05	18 00
250	04½	33 75
300	04½	36 00
350	04½	36 75
400	04½	41 00
500	03½	52 50
600	03½	63 00
700	03½	73 50
800	03½	84 00
900	03½	94 50
1,000	03½	105 00
1,500	03	135 00
2,000	02½	150 00
2,500	02½	180 00
3,000	02½	225 00
4,000	02½	280 00
4,500	02½	315 00
5,000	02½	350 00
6,000	02	420 00
7,000	02	480 00
8,000	02	540 00
10,000	02	600 00

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water daily or belonging to daily lines, is one-half cent, per ton (Custom House measurement) for each time they take water.

Steamers taking water other than daily, one cent per ton (Custom House measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not hereinbefore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

HYDRANTS, HOSE, TROUGHS, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.

No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to another person or persons.

All persons taking water from the City must keep their own service-pipes, street tap, and all fixtures connected therewith, in good repair, protected from frost, at their own risk and expense, and shall prevent all waste of water.

The use of hose to wash coaches, omnibuses, railways cars or other vehicles or horses, cannot be permitted.

No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except upon a license or permit taken out for that purpose. All licenses or permits must be annually renewed on the first of May. Such fixtures must be kept in good order and the water not allowed to drip or waste by overflowing the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous in winter by freezing in and about such troughs or fixtures.

No hydrant will be permitted on the sidewalk or in the front area, and any hydrant standing in a yard or alley, attached to any dwelling or building, must not be left running when not in actual use, and if the drip or waste from such hydrant freezes and becomes dangerous in winter, the supply will be shut off in addition to the penalty of five dollars imposed.

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, baths and urinals must not be left running, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense, which will be strictly enforced.

Fountains or jets in hotels, porter-houses, eating-saloons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, yards, court-yards, gardens, and about stables, is prohibited. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the police or inspectors of this department may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

Opening fire-hydrants to fill hand sprinklers or other vessels will not be allowed.

The penalty for a violation of any of the preceding rules and regulations will be five dollars for each offense, and if not paid when imposed, will become a lien on the premises in like manner as all other charges for unpaid water rates.

By order, JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, JUNE 21, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 352 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1. 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.

2. 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.

3. 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 charges and penalties of every nature.

4. 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 in violation of the provisions of the laws, 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.

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

D. LOWBER SMITH,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING ANY BUSINESS IN THIS Department which is not assigned to or transacted by the several Bureaux in the Department, and which should come under the immediate notice of the Commissioner of Public Works, are requested to communicate directly in person, or by letter, with the Commissioner.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1886.

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN made to this Department by citizens claiming reductions or rebates on bills for water supplied through meters, on the alleged ground of leakage caused by defective plumbing and worn-out service pipes, or by willful waste of water by tenants allowing the faucets to be turned on in full force in water-closets, sinks, etc., without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the premises.

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted.

Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

House-owners are further notified that whenever their premises become vacant, and are likely to remain vacant, they must notify this Department in writing, and that unless this requirement is complied with no deductions in extra water rents will be allowed for any portion of one year.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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