

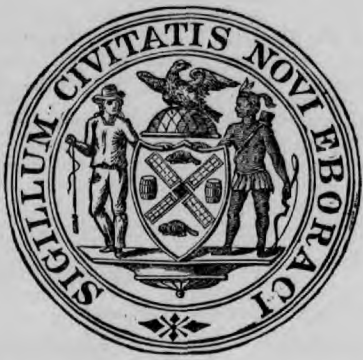
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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, June 3, 1890,
1 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT :

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President ;

ALDERMEN

Andrew A. Noonan,
Vice-President,
David Barry,
Nicholas T. Brown,
William Clancy,
Bernard Curry,
Cornelius Daly,
Alexander J. Dowd,

Charles H. Duffy,
Cornelius Flynn,
George Gregory,
Thomas M. Lynch,
James E. McLarney,
August Moebus,
William M. Montgomery,
George B. Morris,

Patrick N. Oakley,
William P. Rinckhoff,
David J. Roche,
Louis Schlamp,
William Tait,
Isaac H. Terrell,
William H. Walker.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the New York Cold Storage Company to lay pipes for conducting salt water and steam from No. 207 to Nos. 206 and 208 Fulton street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the permission asked for should be granted. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the "New York Ice and Cold Storage Company" to lay iron pipes, six inches in diameter, in wooden pipes, beneath the surface of the street, for conducting salt water and steam from the premises of said company, at No. 207 Fulton street, to the opposite building, also occupied by said company, Nos. 206 and 208, provided the company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage to any sewer, gas or water pipe or from any other cause that may arise from the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying such pipe, and subject to such compensation to be paid to the city as may be determined by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

CORNELIUS FLYNN, } Committee
WILLIAM P. RINCKHOFF, } on
ISAAC H. TERRELL, } Streets.

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

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the New York Refrigerating Construction Company to lay a four-inch iron pipe for the purpose of carrying cold air for refrigerating purposes from Nos. 530 to 534 West street to the New West Washington Market, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission should be granted. They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted, in place of the original resolution prepared by mistake, and which, as originally referred to this Committee, fixed the location at No. 1203 to 1205 Broadway.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York Refrigerating Construction Company to lay a four-inch iron pipe, in a wooden box, fifteen inches by twelve inches, from their warehouses, Nos. 530 to 534 West street, to the New West Washington Market, for the purpose of carrying cold air for refrigerating purposes, in accordance with the accompanying diagram; provided the said New York Refrigerating Construction Company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage to any gas or water pipe or sewer, or from any other cause that may occur during the progress or subsequent to the laying of such pipe that may be caused by the use of the privilege hereby given, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

CORNELIUS FLYNN, } Committee
ISAAC H. TERRELL, } on
DAVID J. ROCHE, } Streets.

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

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

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

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I would bring to the attention of your Honorable Body the communication of the Commissioner of Public Works, a copy of which is appended hereto, in which he directs the attention of the citizens of this community to the great scarcity of water at present existing in this city. In view of the fact that there is now before me a number of resolutions which provide for the erection and maintenance of watering-troughs, I deem it especially appropriate at this time to suggest that no more ordinances of this nature be passed until the New Aqueduct has been opened and an additional supply of water furnished to the city.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

To the People of the City of New York :

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

For a number of years past and up to the present time, the old Aqueduct and the Bronx river conduit have delivered in the city all the water which they are capable of carrying, the supply

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was ordered to be printed in the minutes, published in full in the CITY RECORD and placed on file.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 2, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

Herewith I transmit to you several communications from Artemas H. Holmes, Esq., who writes with regard to the opening of streets in this city by private corporations, together with a report of the Commissioner of Public Works on the same subject. I deem this matter to be of the utmost importance and I respectfully urge its speedy consideration by your Board, with a view to the adoption of such measures as will effectually meet and provide against the evils complained of.

I have also transmitted a copy of Mr. Holmes' communication to the Commissioner of Public Works and to the Counsel to the Corporation, for their consideration.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

LAW OFFICES OF HOLMES & ADAMS,
No. 35 WALL STREET,
NEW YORK, May 26, 1890.

Hon. LEICESTER HOLME, Secretary :

DEAR SIR—I have your favor of the 23d instant, enclosing, by the direction of his Honor the Mayor, the report of the Commissioner of Public Works upon my letter of the 8th instant, to the Mayor.

I have read and carefully considered the report, and return it herewith as requested.

I beg to submit, that having discussed this matter with the Commissioner of Public Works, and having again examined the legal aspects of the problem, I am still of the opinion that the remedy I suggest, by the passage of an ordinance by the Common Council under sections 85 and 86 of the Consolidated Act, may be lawfully applied; that it will be effectual; and that further action of the Legislature is not presently essential.

It is true, as pointed out by the Commissioner, that the Legislature has in numerous cases conferred rights and privileges in regard to public streets in this city, upon private corporations and Boards; and the Commissioner points out chapter 716 of the Laws of 1887, as a conspicuous instance. But the Court of Appeals, in *People ex rel. Third Avenue Railroad vs. Newton*, 112 N. Y., at pages 403 to 405, enunciated and applied certain rules of law upon which we may safely rely and act in the matter under consideration. It is there said :

"In the case of *People ex rel. vs. Thompson*, we held that no interference with the streets of the city, however slight, could be allowed in the absence of unmistakable language from the Legislature permitting it. * * * The city has as much and the same right to deny this use of its streets as a private owner would have to dispute the use of his property."

The use referred to was the right to excavate and then build in the streets a structure for operating a surface railroad by the cable system, without the consent of the city and without compensation to it. And this right was claimed under a general act of the Legislature.

The opinion then proceeds to consider the provisions of the Consolidated Act, under which I have suggested the remedy of the evils complained of may be applied, and says :

"By the Act of Consolidation relating to the City of New York (Laws of 1882, chapter 410), it is provided that the Common Council shall have power, among other things, 'to regulate the opening of street surfaces, the laying of gas and water mains, the building and repairing of sewers and the erecting of gas-lights' (Par. 86, sub. 5). They may also regulate the use of the streets for telegraph posts and 'other purposes' (Par. 86, sub. 8), among which, when duly authorized, would doubtless come the one proposed by the relator; and, by section 322, a removal of a pavement or of a street surface for any purpose is forbidden, until a permit is first obtained from the Department of Public Works. The exercise of this care and authority involves judgment and discretion on the part of the city officers. As construed by the relator, its grant requires the abrogation of these powers and duties and their surrender into the hands of a private corporation. A demand so extraordinary and subversive of necessary municipal control should be yielded to only when required by the explicit direction of the Legislature. We are referred to none. On the contrary, the streets in the City of New York are so regulated and controlled by statute that the fee is in the corporation of the city in trust, indeed, that the same be kept open for the public, but subject to that obligation and the easements belonging to the abutting owner, it can be deprived of no use of its surface, or the soil beneath, or the air above it, save by its own consent or the action of the Legislature, and may retain the exclusive use and have protection against interference with either, to the same extent that a private person might if he owned the fee."

What is said by the Court in regard to the Third Avenue Company and the application which the Court was considering, applies as well to all cases in which the Legislature has granted rights and privileges of interference with the public streets in this city, except in cases where there is "unmistakable language from the Legislature permitting it."

Let us take the case pointed out by the Commissioner, chapter 716 of the Laws of 1887. By section 1 it is provided that "All the powers and duties conferred or imposed by chapter 499 of the Laws of 1885 upon the Commissioners appointed thereunder, in and for the City of New York, and all the powers and duties heretofore by any law conferred or imposed upon the local authorities of said city, or any of them, in respect to or affecting the placing, erecting, construction, suspension, maintenance, use, regulation, or control of electrical conductors or conduits or subways for electrical conductors in said city, are hereby transferred to and conferred and imposed upon, and shall hereafter be exclusively exercised and performed by the said Board of Electrical Control, constituted as provided in this act, and its successors, as hereinafter provided."

Chapter 499 of the Laws of 1885, at the end of paragraph 3, and again in paragraph 4, limits and governs the construction of the subways or conduits beneath the surface of the streets, by the words "subject to the rules and regulations, not inconsistent herewith, prescribed or to be prescribed by the local authorities having control of such streets, avenues and other highways in such city."

Moreover, the language of the act of 1887, quoted above and underlined, does not limit, modify or repeal sections 85 and 86 of the Consolidated Act in respect to regulating the opening of street surfaces or the use of the streets in respect of "the placing, erecting, construction, etc., * * * of electrical conductors, or conduits or subways for electrical conductors."

It is to be borne in mind that the proposed ordinance is to regulate, not prevent, the opening of street surfaces and the use of the streets; but, to meet the main question as stated by the Commissioner, I suggest that the proposed ordinance should provide that, "except in cases otherwise expressly provided for by law, and except in cases when the Corporation of the City of New York shall require to open street surfaces for its municipal purposes, the surfaces of no street, avenue or other highway in this city shall be opened for any purpose, and no permit therefor shall be granted to any person or corporation except in conformity with the provisions hereof."

By this language cases where there is "unmistakable language from the Legislature permitting it" and the operations of the city for its municipal purposes, would be excluded from the operation of the ordinance; and in cases where the right was not clear the matter could be submitted to the Courts.

The Commissioner states that it would be impracticable in many cases to limit the period, for which a nominal fee per surface foot should be charged, to twenty-four hours. I submit that thirty-six hours would serve the same purposes, because, to avoid the heavy penalty for every subsequent twenty-four hours, the persons opening street surfaces could and should be required to perform their work at night, and so reduce the evils, loss and interference with public rights in the streets to the

minimum. Because it would be more expensive to do so is not an answer. The purpose of the proposed ordinance is dual, namely, (1) to reduce to a minimum the necessary evil and public nuisance of street openings, and (2) to obtain a revenue for the city from persons seeking private benefits at the expense of the public and the encroachment upon public and private rights. If thirty-six hours, when working under the most favorable circumstances, is not sufficient time in which to open street surfaces, perfect the work and restore the surface, why should not persons who invade the rights of others for their private gain pay for the exercise of such rights, and why should they not pay roundly for it.

I appreciate the attention the Mayor and Commissioner of Public Works have given to this matter, and I beg to offer to them and to the Corporation Counsel, to whom the legal questions involved are likely to be referred, my assistance and counsel in the matter. And I think I am safe in saying that there are public spirited men of my profession possessed of learning and experience in municipal law, such as Messrs. Bliss, Bowers, Carter, Root and Stetson, who will cordially unite in assisting with their advice, the promotion of the ends sought to be accomplished.

Yours very truly,

ARTEMAS H. HOLMES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 22, 1890.

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—I have carefully read the enclosed communication, addressed to you by Mr. Artemas H. Holmes, and received with letter of 12th instant, from your Secretary, on the subject of the frequent opening and reopening of our street surfaces by and for the benefit of private corporations, the evils resulting therefrom, and the remedy which he suggests.

There is no question or doubt whatever as to the many evils caused by the frequent opening of the streets for the benefit of private corporations and individuals, which extend even further than enumerated in the letter of Mr. Holmes, and you are familiar with the whole subject from your own knowledge and observation as well as from repeated reports made to you by this Department. You are, no doubt, also aware of the fact, that I have made it a special object to use all possible effort and energy and the full extent of authority vested in the Department to correct or abate these evils, but that in this I am too often hampered by the want of sufficient authority and by the excessive privileges conferred upon private corporations by legislative authority, both of the State and the City.

The principal remedy, or in fact the remedy, suggested by Mr. Holmes is the passage of an ordinance by the Common Council under the powers conferred upon it under sections 85 and 86 of the Consolidation Act, providing that (1) when the street surface shall be opened, the sub-surface work shall be performed and the surface restored in the shortest time possible; (2) no greater surface area shall be opened at one time than is absolutely necessary; (3) all unnecessary reopenings shall be prevented; (4) different kinds of surface work shall be done simultaneously as far as possible; (5) the city shall in all cases receive compensation for the exercise of the right of opening street surfaces.

Mr. Holmes further suggests that payment be made to the city, in advance of the issuance of permits, of a small sum per square foot for each opening, the permit to be limited to the period of twenty-four hours, and to be conditioned under penalties that if the sub-surface work shall not be completed and the surface satisfactorily restored within twenty-four hours, the applicant for the permit shall pay to the city a fixed sum per square foot for each and every day until the sub-surface work shall be completed, the opening closed and the surface restored to the satisfaction of this Department; also that the length of any opening in the public streets shall be limited to 200 feet.

I know of no objection to the passage of such an ordinance except that, in my opinion, it would hardly be practicable in all cases, or in fact only in a very few cases, to limit the time for making an opening; completing the sub-surface structure; filling in the opening and restoring the street surface, to twenty-four hours, or to limit the length of openings in all cases to two hundred feet. These matters must be largely governed by circumstances, such as the character of the sub-surface structure, the nature of the soil to be excavated and the difficulties in the way of such work on account of street traffic in crowded streets. Where rock is encountered it has to be excavated with the greatest care to prevent injury to surrounding sub-structures, making the work necessarily slow and certain kinds of sub-structures are of a character that the entire work could not be done within twenty-four hours and the opening could not be limited to two hundred feet in length without alternate prosecution and suspension of the work, thus lengthening the time for its final completion. These matters should, to a great extent, be left to the discretion and judgment of the Department which has charge of the public streets.

The main question as to such proposed ordinance, however, is: Would it have legal force as against the privileges conferred upon private corporations and other boards by acts of the Legislature and especially by chapter 716 of the Laws of 1887, and, in respect to that, it seems to me that the only effective way of securing the desired ends would be by legislative enactment.

To remedy, at least in part, the evils resulting from the frequent tearing up of the street pavements for making house connection with sewers, water-mains, gas-mains, steam-pipes, and electrical subways, a bill was introduced in the Legislature at my suggestion, which provides that property owners on new up-town streets where pavements are to be laid and paid for by local assessment, shall put in all such connections in front of their respective houses and lots in advance of the laying of the pavements, and that where they fail to comply with this requirement, this Department shall put in the connections, and the expense thereof shall be assessed on the property and be a lien on the same. I believe this bill is now before the Governor for his action, and its approval is urgently desired.

At this time and in the future, the greatest difficulty in the way of properly maintaining the pavement will be the necessity of tearing up the streets for subsidiary lateral connections from the main electrical subway to the buildings where electric service is required. The subways are provided with what are called hand-hole boxes, at distances fifty feet a part, from which the lateral connections with houses are to be made. Such tearing up of the street pavements will ruin the best pavements in the world, and it should be obviated by compelling the Subway Construction Company to put in these lateral connections from the hand-holes on the main subway at the distance of fifty feet apart to the curb at the time that the subways are built, and to put in all such lateral connections at once on the main subways already built, so that the street pavements will not have to be torn up thereafter for that purpose. The average distance between the subways and the curb-stones, and consequently the average length of such lateral connections under the street pavements, is not less than nine feet, and, as already stated, the tearing up of the streets for placing these connections would ruin any pavement. I suggest that the Board of Electrical Control use its authority to the fullest extent to compel the Subway Construction Company to put in the lateral subsidiary connections as herein recommended.

It would occupy too much space and too much of your time to enumerate the many ways and instances in which this Department has shown its earnest and constant endeavors to mitigate the evils resulting from the tearing up of the public streets by private corporations and individuals, and I can only say that these efforts will be continued without relaxation, and I shall gladly welcome any aid which can be given me in this matter by action of the Common Council and the State Legislature.

Very respectfully,

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

LAW OFFICES OF HOLMES & ADAMS,
No. 35 WALL STREET,
NEW YORK, May 8, 1890.

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor, etc.:

DEAR SIR—Permit me to call your attention to a subject of great interest and moment to all the inhabitants of the city, viz.: the frequent opening and reopening of our street surfaces by and chiefly for the benefit of private corporations; the consequent wrong, injury and inconvenience to public and private interests; and to suggest a remedy for this public nuisance, this invasion of public and private rights.

The frequency with which the streets have been opened and reopened during the past twelve months, for example, Broadway below Chambers, Cortlandt near Broadway, Wall near Broadway, Madison avenue, between Fifth and Fifty-ninth streets, and in many other localities, is a matter of common knowledge and complaint.

All street surface openings invade the rights of the public; the part opened and a large part of the street adjoining is withheld from public use; traffic is impeded; obnoxious and unhealthy odors are caused; dirt and rubbish are widely scattered about the neighborhood; accidents and injuries to persons and property are occasioned. After the surface has been imperfectly restored to its normal condition, it frequently happens that it is promptly torn up again, and the same performance repeated for a purpose which might as well have been accomplished upon the occasion of the former opening.

That the opening of street surfaces is a necessary evil and public burden must be conceded, and is ably shown in an interesting article in "Scribner's Magazine" for May, entitled "The Rights of the Citizen as a User of the Public Streets," by a lawyer who is generally recognized as an authority upon the municipal law of our city. It is also true that the exercise of the right to make street surface openings, by private corporations or individuals, should be restricted and regulated within reasonable limits, and if by such regulation, compensation to the city can be obtained, it is the duty of our public officers—the Government of the City—to secure it.

The remedy suggested for your consideration is that the Common Council have vested in them, and should exercise the power to make ordinances under the Consolidation Act, chapter 410, Laws

of 1882, section 86, and to enforce them by penalties as provided in the next preceding section (85), which shall so regulate the opening of the street surfaces by all persons, corporations and individuals, that the following results will be secured: (1) when the street surface shall be opened the sub-surface work shall be performed and the surface restored in the shortest time possible; (2) no greater surface area shall be opened at one time than is absolutely necessary; (3) all unnecessary reopenings shall be prevented; (4) different kinds of sub-surface work shall be done simultaneously as far as possible; (5) the city shall in all cases receive compensation for the exercise of the right of opening street surfaces.

These results would be obtained by an ordinance which shall require or secure the payment to the city of a small sum per square foot for each and every square foot of street surface to be opened, by any person or corporation, before a permit shall be granted for such surface opening for any purpose; the permit to be limited to the period of twenty-four hours, and to be conditioned, under penalties, that if the sub-surface work to be performed shall not be completed and the surface opening therefor shall not be closed, and the surface restored to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works, within twenty-four hours from the commencement of the opening of the surface, that the applicant for the permit shall make payment or secure payment to the city of a fixed sum of money per square foot, for each and every square foot of street surface, for each and every day during which said street surface, or any part thereof, shall be open and until the sub-surface work shall be completed and the entire surface opening shall be closed and restored to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works.

It is respectfully submitted that under such an ordinance the fee for the first day for a surface opening should be nominal, and for each subsequent day a substantial one; and that all the results indicated above will, to a greater or less degree, be secured.

At all events, the necessary evil and public nuisance would be greatly abated, or the revenues of the city greatly increased.

Yours, very truly,

ARTEMAS H. HOLMES.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 3, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted May 27, 1890, which grants permission for the erection of "an ornamental clock-shaped sign" in front of the premises No. 523 Sixth avenue, on the grounds of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works thereon, as follows:

"As the proposed structure would be merely a sign to advertise private business and not a clock it would not serve any public convenience and should not be allowed to occupy space on the public sidewalk. The Superintendent of Incumbrances also reports that the lessee of the store at No. 523 Sixth avenue, in front of which the sign is proposed to be erected, objects to the same."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. J. C. Schnoter to erect an ornamental clock-shaped sign in front of her premises, No. 523 Sixth avenue, provided that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), dial thirty-six inches in diameter, post ten feet high, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 3, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted May 27, 1890, which provides for the placing of an improved iron drinking-fountain in front of Nos. 75 and 77 Centre street, on the grounds of the report made thereon by the Commissioner of Public Works, as follows, viz.:

"There is now a drinking-fountain on Centre street almost directly opposite the above location, consequently there is no necessity for the additional drinking-fountain provided for in the resolution."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That an improved drinking-fountain be placed in front of the premises Nos. 75 and 77 Centre street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 29, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted May 20, 1890, authorizing the erection and maintenance of a lamp on the sidewalk opposite No. 8 Barclay street, on the ground of the following report made thereon by the Commissioner of Public Works, viz.:

"There would be no objection to this resolution if it provided that the lamp should be kept lighted during the same hours that the public lamps are lighted. * * * The lamp and lamp-post should be of a different pattern from the regular city lamps."

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Al. Crawford Salle to place and keep an ordinary city lamp-post and lamp on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 8 Barclay street, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 3, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted May 20, 1890, to permit Thomas Noon to place and keep a watering-trough on the southeast corner of Thirty-second street and Lexington avenue, on the ground that asphalt pavement has recently been laid on the portion of Lexington avenue referred to in the resolution, and that the contractor who laid it is under guarantee and bond to maintain it in proper condition at his own expense for fifteen years, and objects to the proposed watering-trough on the ground that the overflow from the trough would very seriously damage and even rot new pavement.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Noon to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, on the southeast corner of Thirty-second street and Lexington avenue, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

(G. O. 403.)

By Alderman Barry—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 126 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 404.)

By Alderman Daly—

Resolved, That the roadway of Sixty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 405.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from the intersection of Manhattan street to the easterly line of the Boulevard, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 406.)

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Theodore F. Tone to pave with trap-block the roadway of Twelfth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 407.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Eightieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 408.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from St. Nicholas avenue to the west side of Edgecombe road, be regulated and graded, the curb set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 409.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted on the west side of the Boulevard, from One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Kingsbridge road, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 410.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in West Sixty-first street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 411.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Eighty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 412.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Eighth avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Dowd—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Matthew Conlin to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 95 King street, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That the Sinking Fund Commissioners of the City of New York be and they are hereby respectfully requested to lease the premises at Castle Garden, if it is in their power, to the Federal authorities, as a landing place for emigrants.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 413.)

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Creston avenue, from Donnybrook street to St. James street, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 414.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Creston avenue, from Donnybrook street to St. James street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed on Kingsbridge road, Fordham, opposite Edward's store, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

(G. O. 415.)

By Alderman Moebus—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Third avenue to Rider avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and the crosswalks at the terminating and intersecting avenues be laid, where not already laid, and relaid, where now laid and not on the established grade, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Foley to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Home street and the Southern Boulevard, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Montgomery—

Resolved, That an improved drinking-fountain be erected on the southeast corner of Thirty-eighth street and Eleventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and same is hereby given to Foley Brothers to place and keep a watering-trough in front of their premises, No. 1624 Tenth avenue, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

(G. O. 416.)

By Alderman Schlamp—

Resolved, That two street lamp-posts be erected and lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Synagogue of the Congregation Ohab Zedek, at No. 146 Norfolk street.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Walker—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. D. Winch, President of the New York City Ice Company, to place and keep a platform scale for weighing ice, not to exceed ten feet wide by sixteen feet long, in Thirteenth avenue, north of Horatio street, provided such scale shall be constructed flush with the surface of the street, so as to be no impediment or obstruction to the free uses thereof by the public, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That horses suitable for use in the Police Department of this city shall be furnished for the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York by purchase by the Board of Police from time to time as the same are needed, not by contract founded on sealed bids.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Health Departments.

By Alderman Roche—

Whereas, The passage of the ordinance May 20, 1890, requiring the several city railroads now running cars on the surface of any of the streets in this city, to cause their cars to be run and operated on their tracks not less than one car every twenty minutes each way, between the hours of twelve midnight and six o'clock A. M., may not be necessary for the convenience of the public.

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

Section 1. That in addition to the surface and elevated cars running on May 14, 1890, all night north and south, the following lines shall be added thereto; and their cars shall be operated and run each way, one car every twenty minutes between the hours of midnight and six A. M., viz.:

The Central Park, North and East River Railroad Company, on Fifty-ninth street.

Forty-second Street Crosstown, from Forty-second street, North river, to Thirty-fourth street, East river.

Twenty-third Street Crosstown, from Twenty-third street, North river, to Thirty-fourth street, East river.

Christopher and Tenth Street Line, from Christopher Ferry to Union Square, Fourteenth street.

Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery, on Grand street Ferry, East river, to Desbrosses Street Ferry, North river.

The Cable Road, on One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Tenth avenue.

Second Avenue Railroad.

Third Avenue Railroad.

Sixth Avenue Railroad.

Eighth Avenue Railroad.

Central Park, North and East River Railroad, West Side.

Fourth Avenue Railroad, below Eighty-sixth street, or New York and Harlem, and the Broadway Railroad.

Sec. 2. Each and every company of these lines who shall neglect to refuse to comply with the provisions of section one of this ordinance, shall incur a penalty of one hundred dollars for each and every such neglect or refusal, to be recovered by the Corporation Attorney, as in the case of other penalties.

Sec. 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This ordinance to take effect immediately.

Alderman McLarney moved that the ordinance be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the negative, on a division called by Alderman Morris, as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Clancy, Flynn, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, and Montgomery—6.

Negative—The President, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Brown, Curry, Daly,

Dowd, Duffy, Gregory, Morris, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—16.

Alderman Gregory moved that it be referred to the Committee on Railroads, with instructions to report at the next meeting.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, Pending the report of the Committee on Railroads in the matter first referred to them, the ordinance passed May 20, 1890, providing for the running and operating of the lines of the railroad companies mentioned in the resolution so referred, between 12 M. midnight and 6 o'clock A. M., be suspended.

Alderman Oakley moved that the resolution be laid on the table.

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

Which was decided in the negative on a division called by Alderman Clancy, as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Daly, Oakley, and Walker—3.

Negative—The President, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Brown, Clancy, Curry,

Dowd, Duffy, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Rinckhoff,

Roche, Schlamp, Tait, and Terrell—20.

Alderman Gregory moved to amend by adding to the resolution at the end thereof the following: "Until the Committee on Railroads reports, but in no case not to exceed a period of two weeks."

Which was accepted by Alderman Clancy.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That Isaac Kaplon be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Barry—

Resolved, That John C. Munzinger be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Benjamin—

Resolved, That James B. Murry be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That James R. Kiernan be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Daly—

Resolved, That Edward J. McGean be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Gregory—

Resolved, That George B. Speer be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Lynch—

Resolved, That Denis A. Spellissy be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That John J. Brady be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Public Works in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Alfred W. Ahrens be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Moebus—

Resolved, That Edward P. Kingsland be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That J. Ridgway Tiers be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Montgomery—

Resolved, That Richard T. Rhatigan be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Peter Verhoeven be and he is hereby reappointed as a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That Isaac J. Cahen be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Roche—

Resolved, That George P. Hotelling be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Storm—

Resolved, That M. H. Elkin and Charles C. Bull be and they are hereby reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Schlamp—

Resolved, That Thomas H. Flanagan be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Storm—

Resolved, That Frank D. Pavey be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That A. M. Ehrlich be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Tait—

Resolved, That Joseph E. Newburger be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Terrell—

Resolved, That Michael J. Cahill be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That William J. Wells be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Walker—

Resolved, That John P. Hilly be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Francis J. Gallagher be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk :

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1890.

President JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Board of Aldermen, City of New York :

DEAR SIR—Enclosed please find list of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire during the present month.

Yours, respectfully,

EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk.

Name.	Term Expires.
Joseph M. Alexander.....	June 12, 1890.
Michael F. Burke.....	" 12, "
Arthur L. Brigham.....	" 9, "
John J. Brady.....	" 12, "
John O. Ball.....	" 23, "
John Crow.....	" 12, "
Samuel M. Crane.....	" 12, "
Michael J. Cahill.....	" 10, "
Solomon Cohen.....	" 23, "
A. M. Ehrlich.....	" 30, "
Charles R. Fisher.....	" 12, "
Thomas H. Flanagan.....	" 9, "
Francis J. Gallagher.....	" 12, "
Edmund C. Gay.....	" 12, "
Abraham Hirsch.....	" 12, "
John P. Hilly.....	" 12, "
Henry M. Halsey.....	" 30, "
John T. Hinds.....	" 23, "
Joseph A. Jacobs.....	" 12, "
James R. Kiernan.....	" 12, "
Christian Kammerer.....	" 12, "
William E. Kennedy.....	" 12, "
Thomas J. McCabe.....	" 12, "
William E. McDonald.....	" 12, "
Elisha W. McGuire.....	" 12, "
John Martin.....	" 12, "
Marcus Moses.....	" 12, "
Joseph F. Mahon.....	" 10, "
Jacob Meyer.....	" 12, "
Thomas M. Marsac.....	" 23, "
Joseph E. Newburger.....	" 12, "
Ed. F. O'Dwyer.....	" 23, "
John J. Pollok.....	" 12, "
Charles E. Peterson.....	" 9, "
George Francis Roesch.....	" 12, "
Charles Rathfelder.....	" 12, "
Richard T. Rhatigan.....	" 12, "
George H. Rudolph.....	" 12, "
George Barker Speer.....	" 12, "
Denis A. Spellissy.....	" 9, "
Charles H. Smith.....	" 9, "
Hugh A. Taggart.....	" 23, "
Edward C. Underhill.....	" 12, "
Patrick H. Whalen.....	" 12, "
Paul Weill.....	" 12, "
Frank P. Young.....	" 12, "
Daniel M. Donegan.....	" 12, "
J. Rhinelander Dillon.....	" 12, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator :

LAW DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR,
NEW YORK, June 2, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

Pursuant to chapter 4, article III., section 24 of the Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, of January 1, 1881, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.

A transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled since the date of his last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions paid into the City Treasury.	Amount paid to Legatees or next of Kin.	Amount paid into City Treasury for unknown next of Kin.
Emily or Emilie Pietch.	May 2, 1890	\$474 08	\$285 07	\$20 20	\$98 81	.....
Catharine Duffy.....	" 9, "	131 56	15 58	6 57	109 41	.....
Hermann Ramminger..	" 9, "	413 68	126 50	20 69	266 49	.....
Henry Chaliol.....	" 9, "	781 76	22 92	39 08	719 76	.....
Leonardo Chivasos....	" 9, "	99 27	1 06	4 96	93 25	.....
Andrea Franco.....	" 13, "	820 83	785 49	41 34	.....	.....
Paul Humpel.....	" 13, "	639 25	240 62	31 96	.....	\$360 67
Louise Tettamanti.....	" 19, "	333 50	58 17	16 67	129 33	*\$129 33
Henry Keegan.....	" 9, "	8,226 48	447 64	268 16	6,670 01	1840 07
Henry L. Hastedt.....	" 21, "	151 40	12 78	7 57	131 05	.....
Frederick Leiser.....	" 21, "	1,891 19	82 59	94 55	1,714 05	.....
William S. Goble.....	Mar. 21, "	5,783 43	.....	.....	.....	{ \$462 22 \$5,321 21
Wilhelmina C. D. Lebtküchner.....	Closed by payment on account of burial, etc., expenses...	52 83	52 83	.....	.....	.....
Henry Niemann.....		62 32	62 32	.....	.....	.....
Edward Coffe.....		110 12	110 12	.....	.....	.....
Adolph Grubenmann..		26 50	26 50	.....	.....	.....
Sebastiano Ippolite....		7 05	7 05	.....	.....	.....
John Schaedle.....		3 77	3 77	.....	.....	.....
William Osborn and others, reported from Coroners' Office, as per list hereto attached.....		49 64	.....	.....	.....	49 64
		\$19,994 66	\$2,347 01	\$551 75	\$9,932 76	\$410 31 \$6,752 83

* Deposited with the Chamberlain of the City of New York for the benefit of Victoria Tettamanti, a minor, her distributive share in the estate of Louise Tettamanti, deceased.

† Retained for minor next of kin, pending qualification of general guardian and for payment of personal tax when due.

‡ Deposited with the Chamberlain of the City of New York for the benefit of Addison S. Goble, a minor, his distributive share in the estate of William S. Goble, deceased.

§ This amount pertaining to the estate of William S. Goble, deceased, has been accounted for in my report for month of March, 1890.

A statement of the title of any estate on which any money has been received since the date of the last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.	NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.
William B. Small.....	\$0 20	Thomas Simons.....	\$15 30
Henry Niemann.....	5 52	James Laughlin, or McLaughlin.....	485 90
John Murney.....	375 00	John Keegan.....	1,790 17
Thomas Connell.....	323 77	Sarah Keegan.....	1,740 17
Ida Amster.....	121 20	John Gordon.....	823 18
Ann McKenzie.....	732 13	David Scott.....	43 00
Isidor Weil.....	5,000 00	Margaret Norter, or Naughtier.....	33
William J. Mitchell.....	275 26	Alice Deven, etc.....	237 82
Julie Münnich.....	442 85	Sarah Keegan.....	200 00
John G. Ackermann.....	16 92	William Osborn and others, reported from Coroners' Office, as per list attached hereto.....	49 64
Peter Löhr.....	202 10	Interest on daily balances for month of April, 1890, from—	
Mary C. Sudlow.....	70 00	Importers and Traders' National Bank.....	\$88 95
Catharine A. Foster.....	1 83	Continental National Bank.....	116 16
Robert Burns.....	16 45	National Park Bank.....	160 12
John Senak.....	646 57	Mercantile Trust Company.....	76 08
William T. Matthews.....	160 85		
Isidor Weil.....	51 15	Total.....	\$16,346 49
Margaret Lowe.....	251 44		
John Gordon.....	712 35		
Mary B. Taylor.....	1 10		
Simon Sanger.....	22 00		
Jennie J. Rever.....	1,040 40		
Mary Hamilton.....	49 98		

Cash received from Coroners' Office in following Estates.

DATE OF DEATH.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF DEATH.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
May 18 1881.	William Osborn.....	\$0 60	Dec. 13 1889.	Unknown, foot West Eleventh st.	\$0 20
Jan. 29 1881.	John Connolly.....	04	" 12 " 1889.	Patrick McCarron.....	80
..... 1880.	Unknown.....	25	" 16 " 1889.	James Murphy, scrip sold for.....	27
May 20 1887.	Louis Baker.....	45	" 25 " 1889.	Arthur B. Ellman.....	1 31
Jan. 8 1879.	S. H. Weeks.....	4 04	" 27 " 1889.	James Harrington.....	10
June 5 1879.	Albert Mershang, 6 cents uncurrent.....	36	April 3 1890.	— Davenport.....	15
Dec. 11 1889.	John P. Badger.....	69	Feb. 5 " 1890.	B. F. Thomas.....	10
" 5 " 1889.	James L. Cheesman.....	01	Jan. 29 " 1890.	Nellie Davis.....	2 00
" 12 " 1889.	William Callahan.....	3 02	Feb. 6 " 1890.	Unknown woman.....	28
..... 1889.	Dennis Brady.....	50	Jan. 10 " 1890.	Thomas Thompson.....	65
Jan. 7 1889.	Unknown, No. 70 East Houston st.	16	" 8 " 1890.	Richard Steinberg.....	11 10
Dec. 21 1889.	Joseph Reily, less 20 cents car fares.....	1 10	" 13 " 1890.	Unknown woman, " M. W. ".....	27
" 22 " 1889.	Unknown, Twenty-eighth street and Third avenue.....	4 24	Dec. 6 " 1890.	S. A. Stewart.....	05
" 25 " 1889.	Nattie Wadleigh.....	15	Feb. 9 " 1890.	Unknown colored man.....	1 00
	David Peskin.....	1 20	" 5 " 1890.	Elizabeth Fisher.....	42
	Charles Shellenberg, less 10 cents car fares.....	58	Jan. 25 " 1890.	Peter Cronin.....	1 00
			Feb. 10 " 1890.	Unknown man, Twenty-eighth Precinct.....	10 90
			April 3 " 1890.	Alphonso Silvestro.....	1 50
			April 15 " 1890.	Herman E. Rose (75 cents counterfeit), 10 cents car fare.....	15
				Total.....	\$49 64

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Comptroller :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 31, 1890.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1890, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances :

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$2,000 00	\$50 00	\$1,950 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	.....	200 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	75,100 00	31,290 70	43,809 30

Which was ordered on file.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Comptroller:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 3, 1890.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

Section 212 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 provides as follows: "It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of said city to prepare and submit to the Board of Aldermen at least four weeks before their annual meeting, in each and every year, for the purpose of imposing the annual taxes, a statement setting forth the amounts by law authorized to be raised by tax in that year, on account of the corporation of the city of New York, or for city purposes within said city, and also an estimate of the probable amount of receipts into the city treasury during the then current year, from all the sources of revenue of said general fund, including surplus revenues from the sinking fund available in accordance with law, other than the surplus revenues of the sinking fund for the payment of the city debt; and the said Board of Aldermen are hereby authorized and directed to deduct the total amount of such estimated receipts from the aggregate amount of all the various sums which by law they are required to order and cause to be raised by tax in said year for the purposes aforesaid, and to cause to be raised by tax only the balance of said aggregate amount, after making such deduction."

In pursuance of the foregoing provision of law, I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Body a statement setting forth in detail the amount by law authorized and required to be raised by tax in and for the year 1890, on account of the Corporation of the City of New York, or for city purposes within said city, as follows, to wit:

The Final Estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and of the Board of Education, for the fiscal year 1890, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on Tuesday, December 31, 1889, for which appropriations were made, aggregating the sum of thirty-five million one hundred and forty-eight thousand and ninety-seven dollars and fifty-five cents (\$35,148,097.55), in which estimate is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of interest on the bonds of the said city and county which becomes due and payable within said year which is not otherwise provided for; also, such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable during the said year, which is not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised by tax annually, which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued to provide for the supply of water, pursuant to the provisions of section 11, of Article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884; also the amount appropriated to charitable institutions required by law, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year 1890.

From the aggregate amount of the Final Estimate for said year 1890 is to be deducted the sum of two million six hundred and forty-six thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars and twenty-three cents (\$2,646,960.23), supplied by the General Fund for the reduction of taxation, that sum being the total amount of the estimated receipts of said fund payable into the City Treasury during the said year 1890, derived from all sources of revenues applicable to and available for this object, including unexpended balances of appropriations of previous years and surplus moneys in the Excise Fund, transferred to the General Fund, as follows:

Estimated Revenues of the General Fund for 1890.

Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Costs.....	\$300 00
CITY RECORD, Sales of.....	1,500 00
County Clerk's Fees.....	60,000 00
Commissions—Public Administrator.....	8,000 00
Corporation Counsel—Costs.....	10,000 00
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	15,000 00
Department of Public Parks.....	15,000 00
Department of Street Cleaning.....	75,000 00
Health Department.....	3,000 00
Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures—Fees.....	3,000 00
Interest on Taxes.....	650,000 00
Interest on Assessments.....	250,000 00
Licenses—City Treasury.....	40,000 00
Railroad Franchises.....	10,000 00
Register's Office—Fees.....	115,000 00
School Moneys from State of New York.....	685,000 00
Sewers and Drains.....	30,000 00
Street Incumbrances.....	4,500 00
Surrogate's Court—Fees.....	4,500 00
Tapping Water-pipes.....	12,000 00
Miscellaneous.....	8,200 00

Total Estimated Revenues for 1890.....	\$2,000,000 00
Unexpended balances of 1888 and previous years to be transferred to General Fund.....	396,960 23
Amount of surplus in Excise License Fund to be transferred to General Fund.....	250,000 00

Total Estimated Revenues, etc., available for General Fund, 1890... \$2,646,960 23

The attention of your Honorable Body is respectfully called to the provisions of section 213 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as follows:

"Section 213. It shall be the duty of the board or body authorized to levy taxes to include in any and every ordinance or resolution passed by them, imposing and levying taxes for any purpose or purposes authorized by law, such sum, in addition to the aggregate amount required for such purposes, as they shall deem necessary, not exceeding three per cent. of said aggregate amount, to provide for deficiencies in the actual product of the amount imposed and levied therefor."

Your attention is also specially called to the provisions of section 831 of the same act, prescribing the method of preparing and disposing of the Assessment Rolls, and also to the provisions of section 833 of the same act, designating the first day of September as the date when the Assessment Roll for each Ward shall be finally completed, to be delivered to the Receiver of Taxes in and for the City of New York, with the proper warrant or warrants annexed thereto, directing him to collect the several sums mentioned in said rolls, and to pay the same from time to time, when so collected, to the Chamberlain of the said city.

Respectfully,
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 3, 1890.

Certificate of the Comptroller of the City of New York of the Aggregate Amount of the Final Estimate for the Year 1890.

I, Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller of the City of New York, in compliance with the provisions of section 214 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, do hereby certify to the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York that the aggregate amount estimated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said city, in its final estimate for the fiscal year 1890, made and adopted on Tuesday, December 31, 1889, and herewith submitted, is thirty-five million one hundred and forty-eight thousand and ninety-seven dollars and fifty-five cents (\$35,148,097.55), which is the total sum of the appropriations included therein to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the said fiscal year 1890, including the sums necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal and interest of stocks and bonds becoming due and payable by said city during said fiscal year, not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised by tax annually, which with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued as provided by section 11 of Article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884; also the amount required by law to be appropriated to various charitable institutions; and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year 1890, a copy of which said Final Estimate, made and adopted by the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 31st day of December, 1889, is hereto annexed.

I further certify that the estimated amount of the revenues derived from all sources of the General Fund for the reduction of taxation, in the year 1890, is two million six hundred and forty-six thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars and twenty-three cents (\$2,646,960.23), as stated in detail in a communication to your Honorable Body herewith submitted, setting forth the amounts by law authorized to be imposed and raised by tax in and for the said year 1890.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

FINAL ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1890

Made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 31, 1889, pursuant to Section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 31st day of October, 1889, adopted the Provisional Estimate for the year eighteen hundred and ninety (1890), and have considered the objections to and rectifications of said estimate, made by the Board of Aldermen on

November 21, 1889, of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit: for the year eighteen hundred and ninety (1890), in which estimate is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of interest on the bonds of the said city and county which becomes due and payable within said year, which is not otherwise provided for; also, such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stock which become due and payable during the said year, which is not otherwise provided for; also, the amount to be raised by tax annually, which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued to provide for the supply of water, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of Article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year 1890, as provided by section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; which objections to and rectifications of said Provisional Estimate were transmitted by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen on November 27, 1889, and presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 11, 1889; therefore,

Resolved, That, after such consideration of the said objections to and rectifications of said Provisional Estimate, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment do hereby make this a

FINAL ESTIMATE

of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit: for the year eighteen hundred and ninety (1890), in which is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said city and county, and of the annexed territory, which becomes due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable during the said year, not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised for the supply of water by tax annually which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued as provided by section 11 of article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884; and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year, as follows:

FINAL ESTIMATE FOR 1890.

THE MAYORALTY.

Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office:		
Salary of the Mayor.....	\$10,000 00	
Salaries of Clerks and Subordinates, and Contingencies.....	16,000 00	\$26,000 00

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	
Salaries—Common Council:		
President of the Board of Aldermen (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 273, Laws of 1888).....	\$3,000 00	
Twenty-five Aldermen, at \$2,000 each per annum (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 74, Laws of 1884; chapter 292, Laws of 1887).....	50,000 00	
Clerks and Officers, Board of Aldermen (section 79, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), as follows:		
Clerk.....	\$5,000 00	
Deputy Clerk.....	2,500 00	
Five Clerks, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	6,000 00	
Four Engrossing Clerks, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	4,000 00	
One Sergeant-at-Arms.....	900 00	
One Librarian.....	1,000 00	
Three Messengers, at \$900 each per annum.....	2,700 00	
	22,100 00	
		75,100 00
		76,800 00

THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Expenses of Conducting the Department.

Cleaning Markets.....	\$40,000 00	
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	7,500 00	
Salaries—Finance Department:		
Salary of the Comptroller (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	\$10,000 00	
Salaries of Officers, Clerks and Employees.....	194,000 00	
Salaries of Temporary Clerks in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, at \$3 each per diem.....	8,000 00	
	212,000 00	
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office (section 165, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	25,000 00	
		284,500 00

Interest on the Debt of the Corporation of the City of New York.

INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT (INCLUDING INTEREST ON THE DEBT OF THE ANNEXED TERRITORY OF WESTCHESTER COUNTY), ON BONDS AND STOCKS ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING JANUARY 1, 1890, EXCLUSIVE OF FUNDED DEBT HELD BY THE SINKING FUND.

RATE PER CENT.	TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	WHEN DUE.	PRINCIPAL.	INTEREST.	TOTAL INTEREST.
3	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1899	\$500,000 00	\$15,000 00	
3½	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1895	240,000 00	8,400 00	
5	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1891	60,000 00	3,000 00	
6	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1891	100,000 00	6,000 00	
7	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1891	237,000 00	16,590 00	
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1904	5,000,000 00	\$150,000 00	\$48,990 00
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1905	5,000,000 00	150,000 00	
3½	Additional Water Stock.....	1904	1,500,000 00	52,500 00	
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1907	7,500,000 00	225,000 00	
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1913-1933	100,000 00	3,000 00	
3½	Additional Water Stock.....	1913-1933	300,000 00	10,500 00	591,000 00
3	Armory Bonds.....	1894	302,000 00	\$9,060 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1895	670,000 00	20,100 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1904	200,000 00	6,000 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1907	250,000 00	7,500 00	
					42,660 00
3½	Assessment Bonds.....	1890	950,000 00	.....	33,250 00
7	Assessment Fund Stock.....	1903	336,600 00	\$23,562 00	
6	Assessment Fund Stock.....	1910	535,600 00	32,136 00	55,698 00
5	Central Park Fund Stock.....	1898	359,800 00	\$17,990 00	
6	Central Park Fund Stock.....	1898	273,000 00	16,380 00	
					34,370 00
6	Central Park Improvement Fund Stock..	1895	815,300 00	.....	48,918 00
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock....	1901	266,500 00	\$15,990 00	
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock....	1903	100,000 00	6,000 00	
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock....	1904	100,000 00	6,000 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock....	1901	200,000 00	14,000 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock....	1902	465,000 00	32,550 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock....	1903	446,000 00	31,220 00	105,760 00

RATE PER CENT.	TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	WHEN DUE.	PRINCIPAL.	INTEREST.	TOTAL INTEREST.
5	City Improvement Stock (Consolidated) Stock	1896-1926	\$238,000 00	\$11,900 00	
6	City Improvement Stock (Consolidated) Stock	1896-1926	445,000 00	26,700 00	\$38,600 00
7	City Improvement Stock	1892	3,929,400 00	.....	275,058 00
6	Consolidated Stock—City Improvement Stock	1896	820,000 00	\$49,200 00	
6	Consolidated Stock	1896	1,564,000 00	93,840 00	143,040 00
7	Consolidated Stock	1894	1,955,000 00	.....	136,850 00
6	Consolidated Stock—County	1901	8,885,500 00	\$533,130 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City	1901	4,252,500 00	255,150 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—Dock	1901	1,000,000 00	60,000 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City Parks Improvement Fund Stock	1902	862,000 00	51,720 00	900,000 00
5	Consolidated Stock—City	1908-1928	6,900,000 00	.....	345,000 00
4	Consolidated Stock—City	1910	2,800,000 00	.....	112,000 00
5	Consolidated Stock—City (F)	1896-1916	300,000 00	\$15,000 00	
5	Consolidated Stock—City (G)	1897	31,000 00	1,550 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City (D)	1896-1926	1,436,000 00	26,150 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City (E)	1896-1916	120,000 00	7,200 00	109,910 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Riker's Island)	1894	180,000 00	.....	5,400 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge)	1907	500,000 00	\$27,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge)	1908	350,000 00	10,500 00	37,500 00
2½	Consolidated Stock—City (New Parks, etc.)	1909-1929	9,357,000 00	.....	233,935 96
7	Consolidated Stock—City (B)	1896	3,377,500 00	\$236,425 00	
7	Consolidated Stock—City (C)	1896	2,917,200 00	206,304 00	
7	Consolidated Stock—County (A)	1896	805,500 00	56,385 00	
7	Consolidated Stock—County (B)	1896	874,700 00	61,223 00	560,343 00
5	Croton Water-main Stock	1906	173,000 00	\$8,650 00	
6	Croton Water-main Stock	1900	284,000 00	17,040 00	
7	Croton Water-main Stock	1900	2,184,000 00	152,880 00	178,370 00
3	Dock Bonds	1914	355,000 00	\$10,650 00	
3	Dock Bonds	1916	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds	1917	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds	1918	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds	1919	1,000,000 00	30,000 00	
3½	Dock Bonds	1915	1,150,000 00	40,250 00	
5	Dock Bonds	1908	169,200 00	8,460 00	
5	Dock Bonds	1909	200,000 00	10,000 00	
6	Dock Bonds	1905	744,000 00	44,640 00	
7	Dock Bonds	1901	500,000 00	35,000 00	
7	Dock Bonds	1902	750,000 00	52,500 00	
7	Dock Bonds	1904	348,800 00	24,416 00	300,916 00
7	Market Stock	1894	75,000 00	\$5,250 00	
7	Market Stock	1897	40,000 00	2,800 00	8,050 00
5	New York Bridge Bonds (Consolidated) Stock	1896-1926	500,000 00	25,000 00	
5	New York Bridge Bonds (Consolidated) Stock	1900-1926	1,000,000 00	50,000 00	
6	New York Bridge Bonds (Consolidated) Stock	1896-1926	500,000 00	30,000 00	
6	New York Bridge Bonds	1905	248,000 00	14,880 00	119,880 00
6	New York County Court-house Stock, No. 1	1890	40,300 00	\$2,418 00	
6	New York County Court-house Stock, No. 1	1892	4,700 00	282 00	2,700 00
5	New York County Court-house Stock, No. 5	1898	150,000 00	\$7,500 00	
6	New York County Court-house Stock, No. 5	1896	40,200 00	2,412 00	9,912 00
7	Ninth District Court-house Bonds	1890	300,000 00	.....	21,000 00
6	Normal School Fund Stock	1891	10,000 00	.....	600 00
6	Public School Building Fund Stock	1891	105,600 00	.....	6,336 00
2½	Revenue Bonds, Chapter 185, Laws of 1889	1890	5,000 00	\$125 00	
2½	Revenue Bonds, Chapter 285, Laws of 1889	1890	500 00	12 50	
2½	Revenue Bonds, Chapter 405, Laws of 1888	1890	79,323 99	1,983 10	
2½	Revenue Bonds, Chapter 567, Laws of 1889	1890	19,763 42	494 09	2,614 69
3	School-house Bonds	1894	1,000,000 00	\$30,000 00	
3	School-house Bonds	1897	950,000 00	28,500 00	
3	School-house Bonds	1908	1,095,494 92	31,824 35	90,324 35
6	Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds	1890	234,300 00	.....	14,058 00
7	Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds, No. 3	1895	151,000 00	\$10,570 00	
7	Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds, No. 3	1896	301,600 00	21,112 00	
7	Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds, No. 3	1897	193,200 00	13,524 00	45,206 00
7	Soldiers' Bounty Fund Redemption Bonds, No. 2	1891	376,600 00	.....	26,362 00
7	Tax Relief Bonds, No. 2	1893	2,999,000 00	.....	209,930 00
	Interest on indebtedness of annexed territory of Westchester County:				
7	Town of West Farms		480,500 00	\$33,110 00	
7	Town of Morrisania		145,500 00	9,730 00	42,840 00
	Additional amount required to keep a sufficient sum of money on deposit with Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Sons, of London (in pursuance of agreement), for the payment of such coupons of the City and County of New York as may be presented to them.				15,000 00
	Total				\$4,952,582 00

INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT (ON STOCKS AND BONDS TO BE ISSUED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1890), ESTIMATED AS FOLLOWS:

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS AND ACTS OF THE LEGISLATURE AUTHORIZING THEIR ISSUE.	PURPOSES OF AUTHORIZATION.	LIMIT.	Estimated Amount required to be issued in 1890.	Estimated Amount required for interest in 1890, average 6 months, at 3 per cent. per annum.
Additional Croton Water Stock (Sec. 141, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To provide for a further supply of pure and wholesome water.....	\$1,000,000 00 annually..	\$1,000,000 00	\$15,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Chap. 420, Laws of 1886, and Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To provide means to pay indebtedness of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York due and becoming due on contracts for work of local improvement, made and entered into prior to January 1, 1885.....	Amount of liability under said contracts..	100,000 00	1,500 00
Assessment Bonds (Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To pay for street improvements.....	Unlimited..	500,000 00	7,500 00
Dock Bonds (Sec. 143, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To build docks, piers, etc.	3,000,000 00 annually..	2,000,000 00	30,000 00
Additional Water Stock (Chap. 490, Laws of 1883).....	For new reservoirs, dams, new aqueduct, etc.....	Unlimited..	4,000,000 00	60,000 00
School-house Bonds (Chaps. 136 and 191, Laws of 1883, and Chap. 252, Laws of 1889).....	For the purchase of new school sites and for the erection and furnishing of new school buildings.....	Cost of same	1,000,000 00	15,000 00
Armory Bonds (Chap. 487, Laws of 1886).....	For the purchase of land and the erection and furnishing of armories.....	Cost of same	600,000 00	9,000 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 581, Laws of 1887).....	For the completion and equipment of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	.....	100,000 00	1,500 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 44, Laws of 1887).....	For enlarging the American Museum of Natural History.....	.....	210,000 00	3,150 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 575, Laws of 1887).....	For the improvement of Central Park, Riverside Park, Morning-side Park, Mount Morris Park and East River Park.....	750,000 00	372,500 00	5,587 50
Bonds and Stocks authorized by law, other than those above mentioned, including Bonds for Repaving Streets, for the Erection of Buildings for Criminal Courts and for Municipal purposes, for Morning-side Park, Van Cortlandt Park, Zoological Buildings, for small Parks, and additional issues for the Museums of Art and Natural History, etc.....	.....	.....	4,000,000 00	60,000 00
Less interest on the amount of the above-described Stocks and Bonds, which, it is estimated, will be purchased by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the interest on which will be payable from the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt," as provided by section 1, chapter 178, Laws of 1889—				\$208,237 50
\$3,000,000 for six months, at three per cent. per annum				45,000 00
NOTE.—This appropriation shall be applicable to the payment of interest that may accrue on any of the above-mentioned Stocks and Bonds, according to the issues thereof that may be made.				\$163,237 50

INTEREST ON REVENUE BONDS OF 1889 AND 1890, ESTIMATED, AS FOLLOWS:

On, say, \$3,000,000 Bonds of 1889, average, four months, at three per cent. per annum..	\$30,000 00
On, say, \$16,000,000 Bonds of 1890, average, four months, at three per cent. per annum..	160,000 00
Total.....	190,000 00

FOR REDEMPTION OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE CITY DEBT.

For Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County (chapter 329, Laws of 1874)—	
Seven per cent. Bonds of Town of West Farms.....	\$16,000 00
Seven per cent. Bonds of Town of Morrisania.....	14,000 00
For Redemption of two and one-half per cent. Revenue Bond, issued in pursuance of chapter 185, Laws of 1889, payable November 1, 1890.....	5,000 00
For Redemption of two and one-half per cent. Revenue Bond, issued in pursuance of chapter 285, Laws of 1889, payable November 1, 1890.....	500 00
For Redemption of two and one-half per cent. Revenue Bond, issued in pursuance of chapter 567, Laws of 1889, payable November 1, 1890.....	19,763 42
For Redemption of two and one-half per cent. Revenue Bond, issued in pursuance of chapter 405, Laws of 1888, payable November 1, 1890.....	79,323 99
	134,587 41

FOR INSTALLMENT PAYABLE IN 1890.

For amount to be raised by tax annually, sufficient, with the accumulation of interest thereon, to redeem the Stocks payable from taxation, issued after December 31, 1884, pursuant to section 11 of the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of New York, adopted at the general election held November 4, 1884.....	946,030 14
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Expenses of Conducting the City Government.

FOR THE STATE.

State Taxes, and Common Schools for the State:	
For General Purposes, 1½ mill, as per chapter 311, Laws of 1889...	\$2,923,592 43
For Canals, 1½ mill, as per chapters 309, 311 and 335, Laws of 1889...	1,195,280 88
For Common Schools, 1½ mill, as per chapter 311, Laws of 1889...	1,566,787 10
	\$5,685,660 41
Deduct the proportion of the State tax imposed on the City and County of New York, for and on account of the several items of appropriation in the State Supply Bill which were vetoed by the Governor, amounting to \$1,803,550.13, which proportion is the sum of.....	\$818,767 41
Deduct also that portion of the State tax imposed on the sum of \$119,425,062, added by the State Board of Equalization to the assessed valuation of real estate in the City of New York, which said portion is.....	359,839 65
	1,178,607 06
	\$4,507,053 35
Shore Inspector—Salary and Expenses:	
For Compensation of the Shore Inspector, as per chapter 604, Laws of 1875.....	\$1,480 99
For Expenses of the Shore Inspector, as per section 6, chapter 414, Laws of 1885.....	11,107 49
	12,588 48
	4,519,641 83

Rents:

For payment of rent of property leased to the Corporation for public offices and other purposes, except Armories and Drill-rooms and Police Station-houses, as follows:

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1889, Apr. 27	Henry Hilton	Commissioners of Accounts	Rooms Nos. 114 and 115, Stewart Building			
		Commissioner of Jurors	Rooms Nos. 127 and 128, Stewart Building			
		Finance Department	1st floor of Stewart Building			
		Receiver of Taxes	Rooms "O," "P," "JJ," "OO," "PP"	May 1, 1891.	\$63,500 00	\$63,500 00
1888, Feb. 20	George Peabody Wetmore	Department of Public Works.	No. 31 Chambers st.	May 1, 1890.	12,000 00	6,000 00
			If renewed, estimated			6,000 00
1889, Feb. 21	New Yorker Staats Zeitung	Department of Taxes and Assessments	2d floor, Staats Zeitung Building	May 1, 1890.	8,000 00	4,000 00
			If renewed, estimated			4,000 00
1885, Dec. 29	New Yorker Staats Zeitung	Counsel to the Corporation ..	3d floor and part of 4th floor, Staats Zeitung Building ..	Nov. 1, 1890.	10,500 00	10,500 00
1889, Feb. 13	Mary A. Schanck, ex'x of Daniel S. Schanck, deceased.	Board of Assessors	1st loft, No. 27 Chambers street ..	Feb. 1, 1894.	2,500 00	2,500 00
1889, May 1	Cooper Union	Civil Service Commissioners	Rooms Nos. 21, 29 and 30, Cooper Union Building	May 1, 1890.	1,500 00	375 00
			If renewed, estimated			1,125 00
1884, Dec. 3	Ulysses L. Washburn	Reception Hospital	99th street, between 9th and 10th aves.	May 1, 1890.	1,500 00	750 00
1886, Feb. 1	Silas Downing, Henry C. Collins and Grace Collins.	Reception Hospital	Ward Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, Block 63, Twelfth Ward, north side of 120th street	Feb. 1, 1891.	3,322 00	3,322 00
1886, May 17	Edward Einstein	4th District Civil Court	N. E. corner of 2d avenue and 1st st.	May 1, 1891.	2,500 00	2,500 00
1889, Apr. 11	Catharine Bradley ..	6th District Civil Court	Upper part, S. W. corner of 4th avenue and 18th street	May 1, 1890.	2,000 00	1,000 00
			If renewed, estimated			1,000 00
1887, Jan. 13	Charles E. Johnson.	8th District Civil Court	Corner of 7th avenue and 22d street.	Jan. 1, 1892.	3,000 00	3,000 00
1884, Dec. 27	William A. Martin ..	9th District Civil Court	Rooms in Choral Hall Building, Lexington avenue and 125th street	Jan. 1, 1890.	4,500 00	5,000 00
			If renewed, estimated			5,000 00
1884, Dec. 2	New York Turn Verein, Bloomingdale	11th District Civil Court ..	2d story of Manhattan Hall, 8th avenue, near 54th st.	Jan. 1, 1890.	4,000 00	3,500 00
			If renewed, estimated			3,500 00
1885, Feb. 17	Andrew Soher	5th District Police Court	1st floor of Harlem Hall, 125th and 126th streets, 4th and Lexington aves	Jan. 1, 1890.	8,000 00	8,500 00
			If renewed, estimated			8,500 00
1887, Aug. 3	Moritz Bauer	6th District Police and 10th District Civil Courts	S. W. corner 3d avenue and 158th st. ...	May 1, 1891.	2,000 00	2,000 00
For allowance to the Recorder for office rent						2,000 00
						130,572 00

Armories and Drill-rooms—Rents:

For rent of the following premises for Armories and Drill-rooms, under leases made in conformity with section 62, chapter 299, Laws of 1883, as amended by section 3, chapter 91, Laws of 1884, and chapter 412, Laws of 1886:

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENT.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1889, Feb. 20	Katharina Schmuck	1st Battery	Nos. 334 to 340 West 44th street	May 1, 1890.	\$2,750 00	\$1,375 00
			If renewed, estimated			1,375 00
1889, Apr. 23	Robert T. Ford	71st Regiment ..	Stores Nos. 12, 13 and 14 in Ford's Block, and upper part of building known as Ford's Block, on Broadway, between 44th and 45th streets ..	May 1, 1890.	17,500 00	8,750 00
			If renewed, estimated			8,750 00
1889, Feb. 28	Marietta R. Stevens, executrix, John L. Melcher and Chas. G. Stevens, ex'rs of the estate of Paran Stevens, deceased	9th Regiment ..	26th street, between 7th and 8th avenues	May 1, 1890.	15,000 00	7,500 00
			If renewed, estimated			7,500 00

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1887, Apr. 19	John L. Tonnelé, as substituted trustee under the last will and testament of John Tonnelé, deceased, John Hall and others, as guardians of minors	22d Regiment ..	North side of 14th street, between 6th and 7th avenues, extending through to 15th street	May 1, 1890.	\$20,000 00	\$10,000 00
1888, Feb. 8	Amos R. Eno	2d Battery	53d street, 7th avenue and Broadway.	May 1, 1893.	5,000 00	5,000 00
						\$50,250 00

Armories and Drill-rooms—For Wages of Armors, Janitors and Engineers for the State National Guard, as provided by section 10, chapter 412, Laws of 1886:

10 Armors, at \$4.00 per day each	\$14,600 00	
10 Janitors, at \$4.00 per day each	14,600 00	
6 Engineers, at \$4.00 per day each	8,760 00	
		37,960 00

Judgments—For payment of judgments recovered against the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, not otherwise provided for 150,000 00 | || Real Estate, Expenses of | 5,000 00 | |
| Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of | 5,000 00 | |
| Seventh Regiment New Armory Fund, Trustees of—For amount as equivalent of and in lieu of rental for an armory for said regiment, under chapter 57, Laws of 1879 | 15,000 00 | |

THE LAW DEPARTMENT.

Contingencies—Law Department:

General Contingencies	\$18,000 00	
Contingent Counsel Fees	25,000 00	
		\$43,000 00

Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office:

To provide for post-office box, insurance, safe deposit vault, stamps, and extra help at certain seasons of the year 300 00 || Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office | 100 00 | |
		100 00
Salaries—Law Department:		
(Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.)		
Salary of the Counsel to the Corporation	\$12,000 00	
Salaries of Assistants, Clerks, Employees and Subordinates	97,000 00	\$109,000 00
(Bureau of the Corporation Attorney.)		
Salary of the Corporation Attorney	\$4,000 00	
Salaries of Assistants, Clerks, Messengers and Janitor ..	7,000 00	
Salary of Process Clerk	900 00	
Salaries of three Process Servers, at \$1,200 each per annum	3,600 00	
		15,500 00
(Bureau of Public Administrator.)		
Salary of the Public Administrator	\$4,000 00	
Salaries of Clerks and Employees	8,400 00	12,400 00
(Bureau of the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.)		
Salary of the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes	\$4,000 00	
Salaries of Clerks	2,300 00	6,300 00
		143,200 00
For Prosecuting Delinquents for Arrears of Personal Taxes and for Service of Process, Postage, etc.		600 00
For Procuring and Presenting Evidence as to the Value of Lands to be taken for Small Parks (chapter 320, Laws of 1887)		6,000 00
To Defray the Expenses of Proceedings in Street Openings		6,000 00
		199,200 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening:

Care, Maintenance and Repairs	\$175,000 00	
Completing the Excavation in the Old Central Park Reservoir	150,000 00	
Building New Gate-house and Removing the Old Gate-house	24,000 00	
		\$349,000 00

Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts 3,600 00 | || Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of | 100,000 00 | |
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs	25,000 00	
Contingencies—Department of Public Works	4,000 00	
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property	3,000 00	
Free Floating Baths—Care and Maintenance	22,000 00	
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting, including a sum not exceeding \$1,000 for Governors	700,000 00	
Laying Croton Pipes (chapter 381, Laws of 1879; section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882)	232,000 00	
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs, including \$1,345 for repairs to Soldiers' Monuments in Greenwood and Calvary Cemeteries	91,345 00	
Public Drinking-hydrants	25,000 00	
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues, including rents for Corporation Yards.	40,000 00	
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	220,000 00	
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading	350,000 00	
Repaving Streets and Avenues (chapter 476, Laws of 1875; section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882)	400,000 00	
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling	25,000 00	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	160,000 00	
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets	3,000 00	
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	135,000 00	
Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward	7,800 00	
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning	250 00	
Retaining-walls in East Fifty-first Street and East Forty-second Street	15,000 00	
Salaries—Department of Public Works:		
To pay entirely the salaries of all Officers, Engineers, Superintendents, Inspectors, Clerks, and all other salaried employees of the Department		\$92,000 00
Salaries of Engineer, Clerks, Inspectors and Measurers in the Bureau of the Water Register, engaged in the supervision and management of the distributing system and the water-meter system		52,000 00
For Salaries chargeable to—		
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening		27,000 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of		2,500 00
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs		2,400 00
Free Floating Baths		32,000 00
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting		6,500 00
Laying Croton Pipes		18,000 00
Public Drinking-hydrants		1,200 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues		7,800 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading		17,000 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues		13,000 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning		10,000 00
Sewerage System		8,600 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices		18,020 00
Supplying Water to Shipping and for Building Purposes		10,000 00
Surveys, Maps, etc., for Street Openings and New Streets		7,100 00
Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward		1,200 00
		\$327,220 00
		3,216,215 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places:

Salaries—To pay entirely the salaries of the President, Secretary, and Clerical Force in the Office of the Commissioners; the Property Clerk and Clerks in his Office; the Superintendent of Parks, and Clerks in his Office; the Engineer of Construction; the Meteorologist, and Director of the Menagerie:

President	\$5,000 00	
Secretary, Superintendent, Engineer, Clerks, etc.	36,000 00	
		\$41,000 00

Police:

Salaries of Captains, Surgeons, Sergeants, Roundsmen, Patrolmen, Special Keepers and Police Tailors, and wages of all persons employed in the Police Stables	\$260,325 00	
For Purchase of Uniforms and Supplies, including Supplies and Repairs for two Sub-stations	16,175 00	
		276,500 00

(The above includes provision for additional force required for New Parks north of Harlem river.)

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, Construction and Repairs—For all supplies, excepting those for which specific appropriations are made, and wages of all persons employed on the works of maintenance, excepting those employed in the Zoological Department and Police Stables, and including the maintenance of the Meteorological Observatory:

General Maintenance, including Reconstruction of Downtown Parks, Settees, Care and Maintenance of Seventy-second, One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets and Fifth and Morningside avenues (chapter 179, Laws of 1887)	360,000 00
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Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places:

Zoological Department—For the increase and the keeping, preservation, additions to, and exhibition of the collection in the Zoological Department of the Central Park, including repairs to buildings used for that purpose.	\$30,000 00
Maintenance of Museums—For the keeping, preservation and exhibition of the collection in the American Museum of Natural History and the Metropolitan Museum of Art.	\$30,000 00
Additional amount of \$10,000 for each Museum, upon condition that said Museums are opened on Sundays, after 12 o'clock M., or for two evenings per week, from 8 to 10 o'clock, one of which evenings shall be Saturday evening.	20,000 00
	50,000 00
Music—Central Park and the City Parks.	\$757,700 00
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance:	25,000 00
Wages.	\$24,282 00
Maintenance and Special Repairs.	8,718 00
	33,000 00
Riverside Park and Avenue, for the Improvement and Maintenance of.	25,000 00
Morningside Park, for the Improvement and Maintenance of.	6,000 00
Telephonic Service—For Maintaining Telephonic Service for the Department.	4,000 00
Rents and Repairs—Department of Public Parks—To pay Rents and make Repairs of Offices, Stables, and Yards for the use of the Department, under agreements entered into by the Comptroller, by order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.	8,500 00
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Maintenance and Government of Public Parks, Places, Streets, Roads and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including supplies, salary of Superintendent, and wages of all persons employed on the work.	160,000 00
Bronx River Bridges—For the Repairing and Maintenance of Bridges over the Bronx River, within the City limits.	1,000 00
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For the rebuilding, cleaning and repairing of sewers and drains, and for the construction of temporary drains, as ordered by the Health Department, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including \$5,000 for cleaning Brook avenue sewer.	15,000 00
Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For Surveying, Laying-out and Monumenting Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards and the northerly end of Manhattan Island, north of the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, including salaries and wages of all persons employed on the work, and for making and completing maps, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for the use of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.	25,000 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans—For making surveys and maps for the opening of streets and avenues, for the use of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and for making preliminary surveys and plans of projected sewers, drains and other improvements, including rent of offices for Engineers, and making maps for acquiring right of way for building drains, and also advertising notices for street changes.	32,000 00
Cromwell's Creek Bridges and Bridges other than those of Harlem River and Bronx River.	500 00
New Parks North of Harlem River:	
(Chapter 522, Laws of 1884.)	
(Chapter 421, Laws of 1888.)	
For Care and Maintenance of said New Parks, including Roads and Bridges, and one-half of City Island Bridge.	20,000 00
For Locating and Monumenting the Boundary Lines of the Bronx Park in Westchester County, the Bronx and Pelham Parkways and Pelham Park (chapter 421, Laws of 1888).	8,000 00
	\$1,120,700 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Public Charities and Correction:

For Salaries, as follows:

Commissioners.	
Central Office.	
Out-door Poor.	
Bureau of Medical and Surgical Relief.	
Central Office Stables.	
Storehouse.	
General Drug Department.	
Steamboats.	
City Prison (Tombs).	
District Prisons.	
Bellevue Hospital.	
Ninety-ninth Street Hospital.	
Gouverneur Hospital.	
Harlem Hospital.	
Charity Hospital.	
Penitentiary.	
Almshouse.	
Incurable Hospital.	
Workhouse.	
Homeopathic Hospital.	
Randall's Island Schools.	
Randall's Island Hospital.	
Infants' Hospital (Farmed-out Children).	
Branch Workhouse.	
Training School for Male Nurses, at Bellevue Hospital.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Blackwell's Island.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Hart's Island.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Long Island.	
	\$350,000 00

For Supplies—For all supplies for the Department of Public Charities and Correction, and for the maintenance of inmates of the Colored Home and Hospital, sent there by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, and also the children transferred from Randall's Island Nursery to various institutions, and for the board of 60 trained nurses at Bellevue Hospital, at \$10 each per month, as follows:

City Prison (Tombs).	
District Prisons.	
Bellevue, three Reception Hospitals and Male Training School.	
Charity Hospital.	
Penitentiary.	
Almshouse.	
Incurable Hospital.	
Workhouse.	
Homeopathic Hospital.	
Randall's Island Hospital.	
Infants' Hospital.	
Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Blackwell's Island.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Hart's Island.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Long Island.	
Central Office.	
Central Office Stables.	
Storehouse.	
Drug Department.	
Bureau of Medical and Surgical Relief.	
Steamboats.	
Island Improvements.	
Gardens.	
Maintenance—Colored Home and Hospital.	
Infants' Hospital (Farmed-out Children).	
	1,225,000 00

Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus:

Central Office and Stables.	
City Prisons.	
Bellevue and three Reception Hospitals.	
Charity Hospital.	
Penitentiary.	
Almshouse and Incurable Hospital.	
Workhouse.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Blackwell's Island.	
Homeopathic Hospital and Inebriate Asylum.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island.	
Randall's Island Hospital.	
Infants' Hospital.	
Branch Workhouse.	
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Hart's Island.	
New Roof on Stables—Ward's Island.	
Steamboats.	
	\$39,300 00

Distribution of Coal to Out-door Poor.	52,000 00
Poor Adult Blind.	20,000 00
Transportation of Paupers, Medicines, Coffins and Support of Out-door Poor.	20,000 00
Transportation, Maintenance and Expenses of Insane Criminals at Auburn, N. Y., in accordance with chapter 298, Laws of 1884; also for Transportation and Maintenance of the Insane in other State Institutions, in accordance with section 296, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.	6,000 00
Donations to Discharged Prisoners—For money, clothing and mileage to be furnished prisoners on their discharge from the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, as required by chapter 471, Laws of 1879 (the entire sum paid out under this statute is refunded to the City of New York by the State at the close of each fiscal year, September 30).	500 00
	2,000 00

Construction of New Buildings and Repairs, as follows:

Bellevue Hospital:	
New amphitheatre under dome and new roofs to main portion of building.	\$14,000 00
Almshouse:	
Repairing roofs and pointing-up walls of Almshouse building.	1,000 00

Public Charities and Correction:

Construction of New Buildings and Repairs, as follows:

New York City Asylum for the Insane, Blackwell's Island:	
Two two-story brick or frame pavilions in place of present decayed wooden one.	\$25,000 00
For electric alarm system of call-bells to various wards and buildings.	500 00
	\$25,500 00
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island:	
Electric system of call-bells to various wards and buildings.	500 00
Randall's Island:	
For storehouse on dock.	600 00
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Long Island:	
For the erection of a house for Medical Home, Central Islip.	\$6,000 00
For machinery for the laundry, Central Islip.	1,000 00
	7,000 00

For Rent for 1890, Ward's Island Emigration Buildings.	\$48,600 00
	5,000 00
	\$1,949,100 00

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Fund—For the following purposes and amounts, respectively:

For Salaries—	
Commissioners.	
Secretary's Office.	
Attorney and Counsel's Office.	
Sanitary Bureau (Sanitary Superintendent's Office).	
Sanitary Bureau (Division of Contagious Diseases).	
Sanitary Bureau (Division of Plumbing and Ventilation).	
Sanitary Bureau (Division of Vital Statistics).	
Hospitals (Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island; Willard Parker Hospital, foot of East Sixteenth street; Reception Hospital, foot of East Sixteenth street, and steamboat "Franklin Edson").	\$222,000 00
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.	10,000 00
Health Fund—For Disinfection.	14,000 00
Health Fund—For Law Expenses, including Marshal's Fees.	2,000 00
Health Fund—For Payment to the Board of Police for the Services of one Sergeant and forty-four Policemen, detailed for the enforcement of the provisions of section 296 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 84, Laws of 1887.	54,800 00
For Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals.	30,000 00
Night Medical Service Fund (sections 194 and 298, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).	1,200 00
Rents—Health Department (section 581, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882):	
No. 309 Mulberry street.	\$2,000 00
No. 42 Bleeker street.	1,200 00
	3,200 00
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island, and foot of East Sixteenth street, and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases (sections 549, 550 and 551, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).	49,000 00
	392,200 00

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Inspectors, Surgeons, Captains, Sergeants, Roundsmen, Patrolmen, Doormen and Detective Sergeants and Provisional Employment, as follows:

For salaries of Commissioners of Police.	\$20,000 00
For salary of Superintendent of Police.	6,000 00
For salary of Chief Inspector of Police.	5,000 00
For salaries of 3 Inspectors of Police, at \$3,500 each.	10,500 00
For salaries of 18 Sergeants of Police, at \$2,250 each.	40,500 00
For salaries of 36 Captains of Police, at \$2,750 each (chapter 450, Laws of 1886).	99,000 00
For salaries of 159 Sergeants of Police, at \$2,000 each (chapter 572, Laws of 1887).	318,000 00
For salaries of 170 Roundsmen of Police, at \$1,300 each.	221,000 00
For salaries of 2,469 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,200 each.	2,962,800 00
For salaries of 141 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,000 each, from January 1 to various dates.	42,228 99
For salaries of 77 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,000 each.	77,000 00
For salaries of 141 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,100 each, from various dates to December 31, inclusive, promotions.	104,792 33
For salaries of 247 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,100 each, from January 1 to various dates.	149,884 73
For salaries of 247 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,200 each, from various dates to December 31, inclusive, promotions.	134,080 39
For salaries of 80 Doormen of Police, at \$1,000 each.	80,000 00
For salaries of 40 Detective Sergeants, at \$2,000 each (chapter 572, Laws of 1887).	80,000 00
For salaries of 50 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,000 each (section 265, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), increase of force.	25,000 00
	\$4,325,786 44

(The salaries of 1 Sergeant and 44 Patrolmen having been provided for in the appropriation made to the Health Department.)

For salaries of Provisional Employment for Patrolmen, 30 days each, for 240 men, 7,200 days, at \$2.73; for Doormen, 6 months each, 1,440 days, at \$2.73.	\$23,641 80
For salaries of Provisional Employment, 3,000 days, at \$2.73 each per day, for 100 men, as authorized by chapter 597, Laws of 1886.	8,190 00
	\$31,831 80

(This amount to be deducted from Patrolmen drawing \$1,000 per annum, and the said amount to be appropriated for provisional employment, for payment of men employed on probation.)

Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force, etc., as follows:

For salaries of Chief Clerk, First and Second Deputy Clerks, Deputies, Stenographers, Treasurer's Bookkeeper and Secretary of Police Pension Fund, Clerk of Superintendent, and Property Clerk.	\$54,350 00
For salaries of Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephones, Assistant Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephones, Telegraph and Telephone Operators, Lineman and Batteryman.	13,800 00
For salaries and wages of Janitor, Matron, Messenger, Cleaners, and Laborers at Central Department, Cleaner at Twenty-eighth Precinct, Hostlers for mounted police, and employees on steamboat.	22,090 00
	90,240 00

Supplies for Police (not including salaries or wages).

Supplies for Police—Expenses of placing Telegraph and Telephone Wires Underground.

Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to and Repairs of Station-houses, Stables, House of Detention, Central Department and Steamboat "Patrol," also for drafting of plans and specifications and superintendence of construction and repairs of station-houses, prisons and stables.	15,000 00
Contingent Expenses of Central Department and Station-houses, including meals furnished prisoners and destitute lodgers, cartage, directories, ice, expenses of Patrolmen and others, Surgeons' supplies, expenses of Detectives, execution of criminal process and arrest or apprehension of criminals, etc.	30,000 00
For Construction of a Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison for the Twenty-sixth Precinct.	11,500 00
For the Purchase of a Suitable Site for the Location of a New Station-house for a new Precinct to be established, taking portions of the Twenty-fifth and Twenty-seventh Precincts.	75,000 00
	20,000 00

DATE OF LEASE.	NAMES OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1889. May 17	Andrew H. Green, ex'r and trustee of Wm. B. Ogden, deceased.	1st Precinct Police.	Lots 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 4, easterly side of Sedgwick avenue, 23d Ward, Croton water.	May 1, 1893.	\$1,800 00	\$1,800 00
1886. Apr. 5	Robert Goellet and Ogden Goellet.	25th Precinct Police.	No. 34 East 29th street.	May 1, 1890.	2,000 00	1,000 00
			If renewed, estimated. Croton water, taxes and assessments and repairs.		2,000 00	1,000 00
	Joseph H. Godwin.	35th Precinct Police.	24th Ward.	Aug. 1, 1890.	2,000 00	1,500 00
			If renewed, estimated.			500 00
						\$5,800 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning:

Administration.....	\$118,000 00
Sweeping.....	380,000 00
Carting.....	500,000 00
Removal of Snow and Ice.....	25,000 00
Final Disposition of Material.....	200,000 00
New Stock.....	17,000 00
Rents and Contingencies.....	15,835 00
	\$1,255,835 00

(The above amount, or any part thereof, may be applied to payments on contracts that may be entered into by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for any of the purposes of the Department of Street Cleaning, as authorized by chapter 367, Laws of 1881, and section 708, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Department Fund:

For Salaries, viz.:	
Headquarters Pay-roll, including salary of Sappers and Miners.....	\$53,570 00
Attorney to the Fire Department (chapter 521, Laws of 1880; section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	4,000 00
Chief of Department and Assistants Pay-roll.....	45,000 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-rolls—For pay of Foremen, Assistant Foremen, Engineers and Firemen of Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, and of the Fire Steamboats, and of the Ununiformed Firemen on probation.....	1,315,000 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	15,000 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	7,400 00
Bureau of Inspection of Buildings Pay-roll.....	101,300 00
Telegraph Force Pay-roll.....	26,945 00
Repair Shops Pay-roll.....	61,878 00
Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll.....	6,250 00
	\$1,636,343 00
For Apparatus, Supplies, etc.—For new apparatus, horses, rents, hose, and all supplies and expenses of the Department not otherwise provided for, including maintenance of Fire Steamboats, and \$70,000 for repairs and alterations of buildings; and also including Contingent Expenses of the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, and including \$1,200 for special work for Board of Education in matter of Fire-alarm Telegraph Conductors.....	361,200 00
For Placing and Connecting Fire-alarm Electrical Conductors Underground, including connections to School-houses of the Board of Education.....	58,000 00
For New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, as follows:	
Engine Co. No. 35, No. 233 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street.....	40,000 00
Engine Co. No. 18, No. 132 West Tenth street.....	43,000 00
To Complete the New Floating Engine.....	43,000 00
	2,138,543 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	\$1,500 00
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments:	
Salaries of the Commissioners.....	\$13,000 00
Salaries of Secretary, Deputies and Employees.....	88,100 00
	101,100 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors:	
Salaries of the Assessors and their Clerks.....	16,800 00
	118,800 00

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Public Instruction:	
Salaries, Wages, etc.:	
For Salaries of Teachers in Grammar and Primary Schools.....	\$3,000,000 00
For Salaries of Janitors in Grammar and Primary Schools.....	144,542 00
For Salaries of Teachers and Janitors in Evening Schools.....	130,000 00
For Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other employees of the Board of Education.....	41,667 00
For Salary of Counsel to the Board of Education.....	3,000 00
For Salaries of City Superintendent and Assistants.....	35,208 00
For Enforcement of the Act entitled "An act to secure to children the benefits of an elementary education," passed May 11, 1874—Salaries of Truant Agents.....	13,200 00
For Salaries of the Clerks of the Boards of School Trustees.....	2,700 00
For Support of the Nautical School—Wages, current expenses, repairs, etc.....	25,000 00
For Workshop—Salary of Foreman of Workshop and Wages of Truckman.....	2,800 00
Supplies, Temporary Housing, etc.:	
For Supplies, Books, Maps, Slates, Stationery, etc., for the use of all the Schools.....	175,000 00
For Rents of School Premises and the Erection of Temporary School Buildings.....	55,000 00
For Fuel for all the Schools and the Hall of the Board of Education.....	105,000 00
For Gas and other methods of lighting for all the Schools and the Hall of the Board of Education.....	20,000 00
Incidental Expenses:	
For Incidental Expenses of the Board of Education.....	16,300 00
For Incidental Expenses of the Evening Schools.....	1,500 00
For Incidental Expenses of Ward Schools—Repairs.....	45,000 00
Alterations, Repairs, etc.:	
For Buildings Contingent Fund.....	42,000 00
For Pianos and Special Repairs of.....	3,500 00
For Furniture and Repairs of—Special.....	40,000 00
For Repairs to Buildings—Special.....	105,000 00
For Heating Apparatus, Changes and Repairs of—Special.....	30,000 00
For Sanitary Work, Changes and Repairs of—Special.....	46,000 00
For Corporate Schools, as per acts of the Legislature.....	100,000 00
For Technical, Manual and Industrial Education.....	27,000 00
For Lectures to "Workingmen" and "Workingwomen"—Free.....	15,000 00
	4,224,417 00

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

College of the City of New York:

For Salaries of Professors and Officers, Scientific Apparatus, Books and Supplies, Support and Maintenance, and all other expenses, including alterations and repairs to buildings.....	147,000 00
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THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The Normal College:

For Salaries of Professors, Tutors and others in the Normal College and in the Training Department of the Normal College; for Scientific Apparatus, Books and all necessary Supplies therefor; for Repairing and Altering the College Buildings, and for the Support, Maintenance and General Expenses of the same, pursuant to chapter 580, Laws of 1888.....	125,000 00
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ADVERTISING, PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.

Publication of the CITY RECORD, including the Preparation and Printing of the Registry of Voters.....	\$68,000 00
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	7,200 00
Advertising.....	7,500 00
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—For all printing, stationery and blank books required by the Common Council, and the Departments and Offices of the City Government, except printing the CITY RECORD, including the Publishing of Calendars of Courts, under chapter 656, Laws of 1874, and including the printing of Indices of Vital Statistics for the Board of Health, and including arrearages of \$9,000.....	164,000 00
	246,700 00

MUNICIPAL SERVICE EXAMINING BOARDS.

Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of:

For Salaries and Contingencies, and for pay of Experts and Examiners, to be expended under direction of the Mayor.....	25,000 00
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THE CORONERS.

Coroners—Salaries and Expenses (section 1767, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882):

Salaries of four Coroners, at \$5,000 each.....	\$20,000 00
Salaries of four Physicians, at \$3,000 each (sections 1769 and 1770, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	12,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coroners (section 1768, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	3,500 00
Contingent Expenses of four Coroners, including clerk and office hire, at \$3,000 each (section 1767, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	12,000 00
Post-mortem examinations—Chemical analyses (sections 1771 and 1772, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	2,500 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coroners (section 1768, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 443, Laws of 1889), such salary to include all copies furnished to the District Attorney, or any stenographic work connected with the Coroners' Office.....	2,500 00
For all Arrearages of Stenographic Work and for pay of Experts in the matter of the investigation into the death of Telegraph Lineman Feeks.....	1,355 00
	53,855 00

THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts (chapter 516, Laws of 1884):

Salaries of two Commissioners, at \$5,000 each.....	\$10,000 00
Salaries of Assistants and Contingencies.....	17,500 00
	27,500 00

THE SHERIFF.

(Expenses of the Sheriff's Office and the County Jail.)

Sheriff's Fees—For procuring statistics of criminal convictions, making returns, and filing the same with the Secretary of State; conveying prisoners from the City Prison to the Courts of General Sessions and Oyer and Terminer and back to Prison; from said Courts to the Penitentiary, to the House of Refuge, to the Catholic Protectory and to such other institutions as the Courts may direct; conveying witnesses from the House of Detention to the Courts of General Sessions and Oyer and Terminer and District Attorney's Office and back to House of Detention; conveying prisoners to lunatic asylums; summoning jurors, and attendance at drawing of jurors, according to law; meals for civil and criminal jurors; serving orders to show cause upon delinquent jurors; serving Surrogate's mandates and other orders and mandates of Courts; attendance of Sheriff and Deputies upon Courts, and at the execution of criminals, and all other expenses connected with and prior to execution, including board of prisoners under sentence of death, services of barber and publication of certificate of execution; transportation of prisoners from State to City Prison; serving notices of special and general elections on Supervisors and the Board of Supervisors and insertion of said notice in fifteen newspapers, including arrearages for month of December, 1889.....	\$42,900 00
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Support of Prisoners in County Jail, including wages of cooks, cleaners, etc., and fuel, furniture, bedding and other supplies.....	\$10,000 00
For Salaries of Warden and Keepers of the County Jail (chapter 676, Laws of 1886):	
Salary of the Warden.....	\$3,000 00
Salaries of seven Keepers, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	7,000 00
	10,000 00
Salary of the Physician to the County Jail (New Code of Civil Procedure).....	1,000 00
Salaries of the Engineer and Assistant Engineer of the County Jail:	
Engineer.....	\$1,000 00
Assistant Engineer.....	800 00
	1,800 00
	\$65,700 00

THE REGISTER.

Salaries—Register's Office:	
Salary of the Register.....	\$12,000 00
Salaries of Deputy, Assistant Deputy, Searchers, two Examiners, Clerks, Recording Clerks, two Satisfaction Clerks, two Readers, Custodians, Watchmen, Messengers, etc.....	113,150 00
	\$125,150 00
Contingencies—Register's Office.....	500 00
	125,650 00

THE BUREAU OF ELECTIONS.

Election Expenses:

For Compensation of Inspectors and Poll Clerks (section 1854, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 348, Laws of 1889).....	\$171,192 00
For Rent of Polling Places.....	35,665 00
Contingencies—Fitting-up Polling Places, new Ballot-boxes, carting Ballot-boxes, Stationery, Maps, Printing, etc. (section 1930, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), including \$100 for refreshments for Clerks on Election night.....	14,000 00
For Advertising Election Districts, Polling Places, and the Official Canvass; for advertising election notices by the Clerk of the Common Council; for advertising election notices by the Sheriff; and for serving Supervisors, Board of Supervisors and fifteen newspapers with notices of elections by the Sheriff (sections 1930 and 1931, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	30,000 00
For Compensation of Clerks to Board of County Canvassers.....	2,000 00
	\$252,857 00

Election Expenses—Deficiencies of 1889:

For additional amount required on account of the Re-districting of the City, increasing the number of Election Districts, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 27, Laws of 1889; for pay of Inspectors and Poll Clerks; rent of and fitting Polling Places, and other expenses connected therewith.....	\$38,798 00
For Expenses of the Special Election in the Sixth Congressional District, held on November 30, 1889—For pay of Inspectors and Poll Clerks, rent of and fitting up Polling Places, Advertising, and all other expenses.....	17,464 00
	56,262 00
Salary of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections (section 1845, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	\$4,000 00
Salary of the Chief Clerk (section 1849, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	2,000 00
	6,000 00
	315,119 00

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials, including Arrearages.....	40,000 00
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	3,000 00
Bureau of Licenses:	
Salaries.....	\$12,500 00
Contingencies.....	500 00
	13,000 00

Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

For Salary of the Recorder as a Member of the Sinking Fund Commission.....	1,000 00
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Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments:

For Salary of the Recorder as a Member of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	1,000 00
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For the Preservation of Public Records (chapter 57, Laws of 1883):

The Register's Office—For the recopying of the mutilated records in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and for additional libers, including examiner, reader, map clerk, index clerk, recording clerks, stationery and materials for map clerk.....	\$22,000 00
The County Clerk's Office—For the recopying and binding of records in the office of the County Clerk of the County of New York, binders' materials, stationery, etc.....	18,500 00
The Surrogate's Office—For the recopying of the mutilated records in the office of the Surrogate of the County of New York, including new libers.....	8,700 00
	49,200 00

For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines, as provided by chapter 247, Laws of 1883.....

	10,000 00
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For Salaries of Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures:

For salaries of two Inspectors, at \$1,500 each per annum.....	\$3,000 00
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For salaries of two Sealers, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	2,400 00
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	5,400 00
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Fund for Street and Park Openings.....

	204,247 28
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Contingencies—District Attorney's Office, including arrearages not exceeding \$1,100, and also including the expenses of the McQuade trial in Saratoga County, the amount of such expenses to be reimbursed to this appropriation when received from the State.....

	15,000 00
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Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses, exclusive of Sheriff's and Stenographer's Fees, and including expenses under section 26 of article II, of chapter 446, Laws of 1874, and section 658, Code of Criminal Procedure, and also including arrearages.....

	5,000 00
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For Allowance to the New York Free Circulating Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 666, Laws of 1886).....

	12,500 00
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For Allowance to the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of the City of New York, for Apprentices' Library (chapter 666, Laws of 1886).....

	7,500 00
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For Allowance to the Aquilar Free Library Society, for Library Purposes (chapter 666, Laws of 1886).....

	5,000 00
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For Salary of Secretary to Board of Street Openings.....

	1,500 00
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Claims against the City of New York, audited and allowed under special acts of the Legislature and provisions of law:

Claim of Nicholas Haughton, William P. Mitchell and John J. Morris, as Excise Commissioners, for counsel fees and disbursements, as per bills rendered, viz.:

Bill of Richard S. Newcombe, as counsel for William P. Mitchell:	
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Professional services, November 19, 1885, to	
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April 14, 1886.....	\$3,500 00
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Disbursements.....	250 00
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	\$3,750 00
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Bill of R. E. Deyo, as counsel for John J. Morris:

Professional services from November 19, 1885, to April 14, 1886.....	3,500 00
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Bill of W. Bourke Cockran:

Professional services.....	3,500 00
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	\$10,750 00
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The foregoing claim is audited and allowed in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 680, Laws of 1887, and chapter 574, Laws of 1888, for settlement in full and adjustment by the Comptroller, without interest, at the sum of..

	\$9,000 00
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Claim of William J. Duggett and others for services as Clerks of the Commissioners of Accounts for different periods after January 1, 1884, viz.:

William J. Duggett, 5 months, January, 1884, to May, 1884, inclusive.....	\$500 00
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J. B. Devoe, 6 months, January, 1884, to June, 1884, inclusive.....	750 00
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James A. Mulligan, January 1 to 17, 1884, inclusive.....	82 25
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William M. McMechen, January 1 to February 12, 1884, inclusive.....	212 07
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W. H. Eiton, January and February, 1884.....	250 00
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H. C. Archer, January and February, 1884.....	250 00
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Charles J. Fibre, January 1 to February 12, 1884, inclusive.....	176 72
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Maurice Moore, January and February, 1884.....	250 00
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Ed. R. Brown, January and February, 1884.....	200 00
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Stephen P. Sears, January 1 to February 12, 1884, inclusive.....	141 38
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William L. Finn, February 1 to 27, 1884, inclusive.....	72 42
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Total.....	\$2,884 84
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The foregoing claims are audited and allowed, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 639, Laws of 1886, for settlement in full, and adjustment by the Comptroller, without interest, at the sum of.....

	\$2,000 00
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Claim of John McCabe for legal expenses in contesting his position as Second Assistant Chief of the Fire Department in 1887, for the sum of.....

	\$1,802 85
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This claim is allowed and audited under the provisions of chapter 16, Laws of 1889, without interest, at the sum of.....

	1,802 85
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Claim of Thomas F. Gilroy for counsel fees paid or incurred by him in certain proceedings for securing his office as Commissioner of Public Works, instituted in the Supreme Court, on May 1, 1889, viz.:

W. Bourke Cockran.....	\$2,500 00
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James C. Carter.....	2,500 00
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Total.....	\$5,000 00
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The foregoing claim is audited and allowed under the provisions of chapter 574, Laws of 1888, amending chapter 410, Laws of 1882, for settlement in full, without interest, at the sum of.....

	5,000 00
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Claim of F. R. Coudert for legal services in matter of Gansevoort Market investigation, on account of the Finance Department.....

	\$3,500 00
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This claim is audited and allowed under the provisions of chapter 574, Laws of 1888, amending chapter 410, Laws of 1882, in full at the sum of.....

	3,000 00
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Claims against the City of New York, audited and allowed under special acts of the Legislature and provisions of law:	
Claim of the Volunteer Firemen's Association for expenses of entertaining visiting Firemen at the Centennial Celebration of the Inauguration of George Washington, amounting to.....	\$788 26
This claim is audited and allowed, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 179, Laws of 1889, in full settlement thereof, and adjustment by the Comptroller, at the sum of.....	
	\$500 00
Claim of Arnoux, Ritch and Woodford for professional services in the matter of the Brooklyn Bridge before the Assembly Committee in 1879, amounting to.....	\$1,786 80
This claim is audited and allowed under the provisions of chapter 250, Laws of 1889, in full settlement, without interest, at the sum of.....	
Deficiencies for advertising in various newspapers, prior to the year 1889, excepting for election purposes:	1,585 00
Sundry bills for advertisements, provided for by law.....	3,323 20
This amount is allowed for settlement in full of all the bills, and adjustment to be made by the Comptroller.	
	\$26,212 05

THE JUDICIARY.

Salaries—City Courts:	
(Police Courts.)	
Salaries of fifteen Police Justices, at \$3,000 each per annum.....	\$120,000 00
Salaries of six clerks, fifteen assistant clerks, four stenographers, at \$2,000 each per annum, one attendant, at \$1,200 per annum, four interpreters, at \$1,200 each per annum, and secretary of the Board of Police Justices.....	63,000 00
	\$183,000 00
(District Courts.)	
Salaries of eleven District Court Justices, at \$6,000 each per annum....	\$66,000 00
Salaries of clerks, stenographers, interpreters and two attendants for each Court.....	124,000 00
Salaries of eleven janitors, at \$900 each per annum (section 1435, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	9,900 00
	199,900 00
Salaries—Judiciary:	382,900 00
(The Supreme Court.)	
Seven Justices, at \$11,500 each per annum.....	\$80,500 00
Clerks, crier, librarian and eight stenographers.....	51,200 00
Thirteen attendants, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	15,600 00
Twenty-one attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	21,000 00
Additional amount for seven attendants, to act as Justices' Clerks (as per chapter 302, Laws of 1889), at \$800 each.....	5,600 00
Compensation of Judges from other districts.....	5,000 00
	\$178,900 00
(The Superior Court.)	
Six Justices, at \$15,000 each per annum.....	\$90,000 00
Clerk, deputy clerk, assistant clerks, four stenographers and crier and extra stenographer.....	48,000 00
Four attendants, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	4,800 00
Sixteen attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	16,000 00
	158,800 00
(The Court of Common Pleas.)	
Six Justices, at \$15,000 each per annum.....	\$90,000 00
Clerk, deputy clerk, assistant clerks, three stenographers, at \$2,500 each per annum, and \$500 for assistant stenographer.....	41,500 00
Nine attendants, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	10,800 00
Six attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	6,000 00
	148,300 00
(The City Court of New York.)	
Five Justices, at \$10,000 each per annum.....	\$50,000 00
Clerk, deputy clerks and assistant clerks.....	25,000 00
Stenographers and interpreter.....	11,500 00
One attendant, at \$1,200 per annum.....	1,200 00
Ten attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	10,000 00
	97,700 00
(The Court of General Sessions and Oyer and Terminer.)	
Clerk.....	\$7,000 00
Deputy clerk.....	5,000 00
Assistant clerks.....	9,200 00
Three stenographers, at \$2,500 each per annum (chapter 558, Laws of 1886).....	7,500 00
Two interpreters, one at \$2,500 and one at \$2,000 per annum (chapter 558, Laws of 1886).....	4,500 00
Twenty-one attendants, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	25,200 00
Nineteen attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	19,000 00
	77,400 00
(The Court of Special Sessions.)	
Clerk.....	\$6,000 00
Deputy clerk.....	5,000 00
Stenographer.....	2,500 00
Interpreter.....	2,000 00
Three subpoena clerks, at \$2,000 each per annum.....	6,000 00
Messenger.....	1,500 00
	23,000 00
(The Surrogate's Office.)	
The Surrogate (chapter 290, Laws of 1889).....	\$15,000 00
Law assistants, chief clerk, deputy clerk, deputy clerk of court, stenographers, interpreter, clerks, searchers, attendants, messengers, copyists and stenographer's amanuensis.....	81,350 00
Contingencies.....	1,200 00
	97,550 00
(The District Attorney's Office.)	
The District Attorney.....	\$12,000 00
Assistants, clerks, stenographers, typewriter, librarian, subpoena servers, messengers, and also including stenographer for the Grand Jury.....	107,790 00
	119,790 00
(The County Clerk's Office.)	
The County Clerk (chapter 299, Laws of 1884).....	\$15,000 00
Deputy, law clerk, cashier, index clerks, comparing clerks, recording clerks, custodians, messengers and janitor.....	44,750 00
For Searching Department.....	25,150 00
Contingencies.....	400 00
	85,300 00
(The Recorder's Office.)	
Salary of the Recorder.....	12,000 00
(The City Judge's Office.)	
Salary of the City Judge.....	12,000 00
(Judge of the Court of General Sessions.)	
Salary of the Judge of the Court of General Sessions.....	12,000 00
Salary of Additional Judge of the Court of General Sessions (chapter 564, Laws of 1887).....	12,000 00
(The Commissioner of Jurors' Office.)	
Salary of the Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$5,000 00
For contingent expenses, including clerk hire and all other incidental expenses (chapter 426, Laws of 1883), and for perfecting liable and exempt list of jurors.....	29,100 00
	34,100 00
	1,068,840 00

ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

New York Asylum for Idiots:	
(Chapter 739, Laws of 1867.)	
For furnishing clothing for 53 inmates.....	\$1,010 00
American Female Guardian Society.....	25,000 00
(Sections 194, 210 and 1066 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Children's Aid Society.....	70,000 00
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
The Children's Fold of the City of New York:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of children, 144, at \$2 per week each.....	15,000 00
Hebrew Benevolent Society of the City of New York:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 546, at \$110 each per annum.....	60,000 00
Foundling Asylum of the Sisters of Charity:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of children, 1,664, at 38 cents per day each.....	\$230,832 00
Estimated number of needy and homeless mothers, 98, at \$18 per month each.....	21,168 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	9,838 00
	261,838 00
Hudson River State Hospital:	
(Chapter 446, Laws of 1874.)	
(Chapter 515, Laws of 1884.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 33, at \$4.20 per week each.....	\$7,200 00
Clothing, etc., for the same.....	500 00
Expenses incurred in transferring insane criminals to Auburn, by order of Court (chapter 515, Laws of 1884).....	250 00
	7,950 00
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes:	
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)	
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1870.)	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
For education and support of 50 county pupils, at \$300 each per annum.....	\$15,000 00
For clothing 36 State pupils, at \$30 each.....	1,080 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	2,498 00
	18,578 00

New York Institution for the Blind:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
For clothing 175 pupils, at \$50 each.....	\$8,750 00
New York Catholic Protectory:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 2,310, at \$110 per annum each.....	254,000 00
New York Institution for Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb:	
(Chapter 325, Laws of 1863.)	
(Chapter 386, Laws of 1864.)	
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)	
(Chapter 253, Laws of 1874.)	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
For furnishing clothing for 123 State pupils, by order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, at \$30 each.....	\$3,690 00
For education and support of 43 county pupils, at \$300 each.....	12,900 00
	16,590 00
New York Infirmary for Women and Children:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of obstetrical cases, 145, at \$25 each.....	\$3,625 00
Estimated average number of homeless and needy mothers nursing their own infants, 4, at \$18 per month each.....	865 00
	4,500 00
New York Juvenile Asylum:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 1,000, at \$110 per annum each.....	\$110,000 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	3,000 00
	113,000 00
New York Infant Asylum:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of children, 365, at 38 cents per day each....	\$50,625 50
Estimated number of homeless or needy mothers nursing their own infants, 142, at \$18 per month each.....	30,672 00
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 30, at \$25 each per month.....	9,000 00
	90,297 50
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 175, at \$150 per annum each.....	26,250 00
New York State Lunatic Asylum:	
(Chapter 416, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 4, at \$240 each per annum.....	960 00
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
(Chapter 353, Laws of 1886.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 60, at \$110 per annum each.....	\$6,600 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	845 00
	7,345 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of children, 620, at \$10 per month each, say.....	\$74,500 00
Estimated average number of lying-in women, 100, at \$5 per week each.....	25,500 00
	100,000 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 77, at \$110 per annum each, say.....	\$8,500 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	4,700 00
	13,200 00
St. Joseph's Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes:	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1877.)	
For education and support of 62 county pupils, at \$300 each per annum.....	\$18,600 00
For clothing 70 State pupils, at \$30 each.....	2,100 00
	20,700 00
State Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn:	
(Chapter 416, Laws of 1874.)	
(Chapter 574, Laws of 1875.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 17, at \$3.75 each per week, and for expenses of transferring patients, etc.....	4,000 00
The Shepherd's Fold of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York...	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
	5,000 00
State Homeopathic Asylum for the Insane:	
(Chapter 446, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 12, at \$3.75 each per week, and for clothing, etc.....	\$3,000 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	352 00
	3,352 00
Five Points House of Industry.....	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 140, at \$1 per week each.....	\$7,000 00
Arrears of 1889.....	211 00
	7,211 00
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society:	
(Chapter 485, Laws of 1889.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 673, at \$104 each per annum, say.....	70,000 00
New York Magdalen Benevolent Asylum and Home for Fallen Women:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 4, at \$110 per annum each.....	440 00
	1,215,311 50
Total appropriations.....	\$35,148,097 55
Deduct amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund not otherwise specifically appropriated by law.....	2,646,960 23
Total.....	\$32,501,137 32

Thirty-two millions five hundred and one thousand one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and thirty-two cents.

Dated NEW YORK CITY, MAYOR'S OFFICE, December 31, 1889.

HUGH J. GRANT,	Mayor;	Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
THEO. W. MYERS,	Comptroller;	
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD,	President of the Board of Aldermen;	
MICHAEL COLEMAN,	President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments,	

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

INVITATIONS.

An invitation was received from the B. J. Gorman Association to attend a Summer-night's Festival at Washington Park, Seventieth street and East river, on June 3.
Which was accepted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Gregory called up G. O. 388, being a resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That gas mains or pipes be laid from the intersection of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Mott avenue, northerly a distance therefrom two hundred and sixty feet, and that gas-lamps be placed in said Mott avenue north of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—21.

Alderman Gregory called up G. O. 389, being a resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That a lamp-post be erected and a street-lamp placed thereon and lighted on the south side of Fifty-sixth street, about one hundred and twenty-five feet east of Avenue A, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Oakley, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—22.

The President called up G. O. 402, being a resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of Nicholas W. Day, Treasurer of the Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, for the sum of five hundred dollars, to be applied in aid of the Grand Army in celebrating Decoration Day, May 30, 1890, and charge the amount to the appropriation for "City Contingencies," that sum having been transferred to that appropriation, for that purpose, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Noonan, Aldermen Barry, Brown, Clancy, Curry, Daly, Dowd, Flynn, Gregory, Lynch, McLarney, Moebus, Montgomery, Morris, Rinckhoff, Roche, Schlamp, Tait, Terrell, and Walker—21.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

† Deaths reported as due to *diarrhoeal* forms of these diseases are included in the title Diarrhoeal Diseases.

Deaths from Zymotic and Certain Other Preventable Diseases, by Wards,* for Week ending Saturday, May 24, 1890.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	POPULATION, CENSUS OF 1880.	NUMBER OF PERSONS TO THE ACRE.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diphtheria.	Enteric Fever.	Erysipelas.	Malarial Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Small-pox.	Typhus Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Rheumatism.	Phthisis.	Bronchitis.	Croup.	Pneumonia.	Puerperal Diseases.	Alcoholism.	Bright's Disease and Nephritis.	All Causes.	In Institutions, not Redistributed.
First.....	154	17,939	116.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	..	..	3	14	..
Second.....	81	1,608	19.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Third.....	95	3,582	37.7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	1	..
Fourth.....	83	20,996	252.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	3	11	..
Fifth.....	168	15,845	94.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	5	..
Sixth.....	86	20,196	234.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	1	17	..
Seventh.....	198	50,066	252.8	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	2	2	..	7	..	..	2	30	1
Eighth.....	183	35,879	196	..	..	1	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	1	5	..	..	2	37	..
Ninth.....	322	54,596	169.5	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	4	..	1	1	..	3	29	1
Tenth.....	110	47,554	432.3	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	1	2	1	..	2	21	..
Eleventh.....	196	68,778	350.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	5	1	1	8	..	..	..	31	1
Twelfth.....	5,504.13	81,800	14.8	..	..	10	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	1	2	..	7	7	..	16	2	1	5	112	16
Thirteenth.....	107	37,797	353.2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	1	..	3	..	..	2	17	..
Fourteenth.....	96	30,171	314.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	4	..	..	..	..	1	20	..
Fifteenth.....	198	31,882	161	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	2	..	..	3	17	..
Sixteenth.....	348.77	52,188	149.6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	2	..	..	3	20	1
Seventeenth.....	331	104,837	316.7	..	1	2	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	7	..	..	7	..	..	5	53	1
Eighteenth.....	449.89	66,611	148	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7	2	..	4	..	..	3	33	2
Nineteenth.....	1,480.60	158,191	106.5	..	2	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	18	..	1	10	2	..	10	114	28
Twentieth.....	444	86,015	193.7	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	5	1	..	3	..	1	8	44	..
Twenty-first.....	411	66,536	161.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	4	..	1	..	1	..	23	4
Twenty-second.....	1,529.42	111,606	72.9	..	1	4	..	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	3	10	2	1	6	..	..	5	67	..
Twenty-third.....	4,267.023	28,338	6.6	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	1	4	..	..	..	23	..
Twenty-fourth.....	8,050.523	13,288	1.6	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	10	3
Total.....	24,890.827	1,206,299	48.4	..	4	26	1	4	4	30	6	..	..	4	20	5	104	34	6	86	8	4	63	751	59

Buried in City Cemetery (pauper burial-ground), 71; others outside of the city, 650; inside of the city, 30, including on Ward's Island (immigrants recently arrived).

* Deaths in institutions redistributed according to residence, where residence was known.

Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Tables.

Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Tables.										Accidents.		Homicide.	
Syphilis.....	2	Epilepsy.....	1	Congestion of lungs.....	3	Indigestion.....	2	Burns, scalds.....	4	Blows.....	0	Cut, stab.....	0
Mumps.....	2	Myelitis.....	1	Emphysema.....	2	Disease of bladder and prostate gland.....	1	Drowning.....	7	Gunshot.....	1	Poison.....	0
Tubercular meningitis.....	14	Tabes dorsalis.....	1	Pleurisy.....	3	Diseases of uterus and vagina.....	2	Falls.....	8	Other methods.....	0	Other methods.....	0
Anæmia, etc.....	2	Sclerosis.....	1	Hemorrhage of lungs.....	4	Pyosalpinx.....	1	Street vehicles.....	0	Suicide.			
Diabetes.....	1	Cerebral cyst.....	1	Chronic bronchitis.....	6	Spinal disease.....	2	Street cars.....	0	Cut, stab.....	0	Cut, stab.....	0
Scrofula and tuberculosis.....	1	Otitis, etc.....	2	Obstruction of intestines.....	1	Ulcers.....	1	Railroads.....	0	Drowning.....	0	Drowning.....	0
Rickets.....	2	Embolism.....	1	Typhilitis, etc.....	1	Cervical adenitis.....	1	Explosions.....	0	Gunshot.....	1	Gunshot.....	1
Tuberculosis of ilium and pelvis.....	1	Senile gangrene.....	1	Tonsillitis.....	1	Umbilical hemorrhage.....	1	Poison.....	1	Hanging.....	0	Hanging.....	0
Paralysis.....	3	Lymphadenoma.....	1	Dentition.....	6	Imperforate rectum.....	1	Suffocation.....	1	Leap.....	1	Leap.....	1
Insanity.....	4	Enlarged cervical glands.....	1	Ulceration of intestines, etc.....	1	Inanition, marasmus, etc.....	20	Electric current.....	1	Poison.....	1	Poison.....	1
Softening of brain.....	2	Laryngitis.....	3	Tubercular peritonitis.....	1			Other causes.....	8	Other methods.....	0	Other methods.....	0

Particulars Regarding Births, Deaths, Marriages and Still-births for Week ending Saturday, May 24, 1890.

	TOTAL.	WHITE.		COLORED.		NATIVE PARENTS.		FOREIGN PARENTS.		PARENTAGE OF MIXED NATIVITIES.		PARENTAGE UNKNWN.		SINGLE.		MARRIED.		WIDOWED.		NOT STATED.		NON-RESIDENTS.	The Returns of Births, Marriages and Still-births are incomplete.													
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		MONTH OF UTERO-GESTATION.													
																							1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Not Sated.			
Marriages.....	300	296	296	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	249	250	..	..	51	50	..	..	..	..	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Not Sated.
Births.....	744	388	345	9	4	88	81	217	215	73	43	19	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Deaths.....	751	392	346	6	7	55	66	275	223	47	46	21	18	235	209	118	94	35	50	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Still-births.....	761	34	23	2	1	11	3	22	17	3	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

* Sex not stated, one.

Statistics of American and Foreign Cities.

CITIES.	ESTIMATED PRESENT POPULATION.	Births.	Marriages.	Still-Births.	Deaths.	WEEK ENDING	Annual Death Rate per 1,000.	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Enteric Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Small-pox.	Typhus Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Cholera (Asiatic).	Diarrheal Diseases.	Bronchitis.	Phthisis.	Pneumonia.	Under 5 Years.	Mean Temperature, Fahr.	Mean Humidity.	
New York.....	1,613,507	744	300	61	751	May 25.....	24.29	4	32	1	4	30	6	..	..	4	..	20	34	104	86	299	59.5	76.
Baltimore.....	500,343	199	..	14	199	" 17.....	20.06	..	1	3	2	8	..	..	..	..	..	15	6	25	16	90	65.3	.....
Boston.....	478,110	179	..	..	179	" 3.....	22.26	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	45	..	.....
Brooklyn.....	852,467	183	123	24	304	" 17.....	18.45	..	27	..	1	3	3	..	..	1	..	2	17	37	32	108	61.28	81.28
Chicago.....	1,100,000	..	..	116	1,643	Month of April.....	17.92	10	120	45	9	1	12	..	..	8	..	38	109	166	172	754	45.7	.....
District of Columbia (Washington).....	250,000	..	..	..	99	Nov. 16.....	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.....
New Orleans.....	254,000	..	..	10	129	May 10.....	26.50	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	2	15	1	47	71.0	77.
Philadelphia.....	1,064,277	..	..	22	384	" 17.....	18.82	..	16	8	1	3	6	..	..	4	..	1	9	49	48	145	62.2	..
San Francisco.....	330,000	..	..	27	600	Month of March.....	17.70	3	18	7	1	4	1	..	..	3	..	3	30	113	87	168	53.8	72.7
St. Louis.....	450,000	862	..	57	577	" April.....	15.38	1	8	4	9	..	9	..	..	3	..	14	31	73	58	179	57.0	.....
FOREIGN.																									
London.....	4,421,661	2,308	..	..	1,469	May 10.....	17.3	..	34	3	..	62	12	..	..	99	..	11	151	139	112	611	52.4	80.
Liverpool.....	613,463	325	..	..	238	" 10.....	20.2	..	..	..	..	11	6	..	..	7	..	3	..	..	..	..	51.8	..
Birmingham.....	461,805	288	..	..	177	" 10.....	20.0	..	..	..	..	9	4	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manchester.....	379,437	256	..	..	228	" 10.....	31.3	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Glasgow.....	530,208	420	43	..	278	" 10.....	27.3	..	..	..	..	22	5	..	..	16	..	4	..	..	..	..	51.9	..
Dublin.....	353,082	212	..	..	160	" 10.....	23.6	..	1	3	..	2	1	..	..	3	..	1	17	30	13	40	50.0	93.
Copenhagen.....	307,000	171	84	6	120	" 3.....	20.4	..	7	..	..	..	2	..	..	3	..	3	8	16	5	57	..	..
Christiania.....	138,300	64	..	5	56	" 10.....	20.33	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	9	5	9	26	..	..
Stockholm.....	228,218	129	..	2	100	" 3.....	22.0	..	1	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	7	9	17	6	40	..	..
St. Petersburg.....	924,106	532	123	29	590	" 3.....	33.3	..	6	5	..	24	23	1	..	4	..	1	..	87	..	291	..	..
Amsterdam.....	403,083	254	..	..	189	" 3.....	24.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rotterdam.....	197,723	139	..	..	81	" 3.....	20.7	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Antwerp.....	225,087	140	..	..	79	" 3.....	17.7	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	9	..	30	..	..
Brussels.....	182,836	92	42	5	62	" 3.....	17.7	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	6	..	8	..	25	..	..
Paris.....	2,260,945	1,076	505	80	1,076	" 10.....	24.75	..	43	16	..	30	5	3	..	9	..	79	74	231	83	316	..	..
Rome.....	393,496	182	39	14	138	April 12.....	18.7	2	3	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	5	9	9	31	..	53.42	72.
Venice.....	156,515	59	25	3	55	May 3.....	16.9	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Berlin.....	1,536,459	871	465	27	611	April 26.....	20.7	..	41	2	..	11	11	..	..	15	..	35	17	113	42	316	..	..
Munich.....	298,000	222	..	10	164	May 3.....	28.6	..	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	15	..	89	..	..
Prague.....	300,828	..	..	8	149	" 3.....	24.64	..	7	..	..	5	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	26	..	70	..	..
Vienna.....	822,176	544	131	31	435	" 3.....	27.6	..	10	..	..	11	1	1	..	2	..	38	..	100	..	182	..	..
Buda-Pesth.....	442,787	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bombay.....	773,196	..	29	..	454	April 22.....	25.44	..	..	2	138	7	..	8	..	..	..	35	..	75	..	..	..	..
Calcutta.....	453,219	..	..	..	227	Mar. 29.....	39.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	81	..	..	18	36	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras.....	398,777	..	..	280	291	" 28.....	37.9	..	..	..	..	16	..	..	..	..	1	39	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cairo.....	374,838	351	..	15	313	Apr. 24.....	43.4	..	1	12	2	1	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	30	12	165	87.18	50.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, May 9, 1890.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the Chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Communications, etc.—Filed.

Chairman Committee on Telegraph and Supplies—Returning recommendation of the Superintendent of Telegraph to discontinue certain signals, and the substitution of revised code of alarms and calls as submitted, with report of having directed the Chief of Department to prepare, for promulgation, the changes named. Approved.

Chairman Committee on Buildings and Apparatus—Returning communication of Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings in relation to alterations and repairs required at quarters of Engine Companies 2 and 19, with the information that directions have been given to have contracts prepared with a view to advertising for proposals. Approved.

Same—Returning proposition of the Prunty Manufacturing Company to furnish revolvable nozzles for the new floating engine, also for fire ladder, for test, without expense, to the Department, with recommendation. Approved.

Attorney to Department—Returning report of William Cowles, Supervising Engineer, as to defects in the hull of the new floating engine, with report and recommendation.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder 16—Reporting the return of theatre detail badge. To remit fine.

Bills Audited.

Schedule No. 21 of the current year on this date.

Beyer, Charles, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$12 00
Carlin, William, "	48 00
Casey, Patrick, "	27 00
Cleary & Donnelly, "	24 00
Dean, Jeremiah, "	33 00
Donohue, M., "	15 00
Dowd, James, "	12 00
Duane, J., "	6 00
Dunn, John F., "	34 12
Fallon, Owen, "	84 00
Fitzgerald, Edward, "	24 00
Fitzpatrick, John, "	51 00
Fox, C., "	24 00
Gallon, Thomas J., "	39 00
Glendon, John, "	5 25
Graham, John, "	31 50
Graley, Benjamin F., "	26 62
Hassler, John A., "	18 00
Hayes, Dennis, "	12 00
Hayes, John, "	3 00
Kenny, Berwald, "	45 00
Kiernan, B., "	45 00
Lally, John, "	66 00
Lattimore & Dougherty, "	33 00
Leighton, J. A., "	9 00
McAvoy, John, "	18 00
McCann, Henry, "	51 00
McCann, Patrick, "	30 00
McFaull, Charles, "	21 00
McKenna, Patrick, "	12 00
McKenna, William, "	45 00
McNally, John, "	15 00
Malone, P., "	18 00
Moffit, Edward, "	42 00
Nimphius, Adams, "	21 00
Quilty, Patrick, "	48 00
Roche, James, "	24 00
Woods, Thomas F., "	18 00

\$1,090 49

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, May 14, 1890.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Proposals Opened.

Affidavit of publication in the CITY RECORD read and filed. Approved forms of contract submitted.

For Furnishing Forage.

No. 1. From John Moonan (Security deposit for \$200).....	\$10,670 00
No. 2. From Horace Ingersoll (Security deposit for \$200).....	10,910 00

No. 1 forwarded to the Comptroller for his action on the sureties, with the security deposits and No. 2 filed.

Recess was then taken to 11 o'clock A. M.

The Board reconvened at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—Commissioners S. Howland Robbins in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Trials.

Fireman 1st grade John S. Cleary, Engine 27, for "conduct injurious to the public welfare," and "immoral conduct," and "conduct prejudicial to the good reputation, order and discipline of the Department." Upon request of accused the case was adjourned to 11 o'clock A. M. on the 15th instant.

Fireman 2d grade George J. Maguire, Engine 27, for "conduct injurious to the public welfare," and "immoral conduct," and "conduct prejudicial to the good reputation, order and discipline of the Department." Upon request of accused the case was adjourned to 11 o'clock A. M. on the 15th instant.

Fireman 1st grade Edward S. Mulligan, of Hook and Ladder 8, for "absence without leave." Fined one day's pay.

Fireman 1st grade Michael H. Dynan, Engine 17, for "conduct prejudicial to good order." Charges not proven and complaint withdrawn and filed.

Fireman 1st grade Michael F. Power, Engine 19, for "absence without leave." Fined three days' pay.

Inspector Michael Dunne, Bureau Inspection of Buildings—For violation of Section 2 Par. V., G. O. No. 1, O. B. C., series of 1881. Fined five days' pay.

Requisitions, etc.

Expenditures Authorized.

Caulking at quarters of Engine 6.....	\$125 00
Masonry " 26.....	89 00
" " 21.....	117 00
Plumbing at quarters of Hook and Ladder 18.....	48 43
" " Engine 2.....	60 17
" " 55.....	98 00
" " 37.....	145 00

Referred.

Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops—Recommending that engines, registered numbers 142 and 195, be broken up, portions of same retained, and the remainder disposed of at auction. To Chief of Department for inspection, report and recommendation.

Filed.

Finance Department—Returning proposals of John H. Deeves & Bro. and George Vassar & Son, for erecting a building for Engine 35, and for repairing building for storehouse No. 180 Clinton street, with approval of the sureties. Award of contract thereon, by the President pro tem., approved.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—Recommending that proposals for alterations and repairs required at quarters of Engine 38, be advertised for, as per specifications; approved by Chairman of Committee on Buildings and Apparatus. Ordered that contracts be prepared for advertisement.

Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops—Reporting receipt of 15,000 feet of hose from the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company, and test of same.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of condition of the appropriation.

Same—Receipt for security deposits accompanying proposals opened on the 7th instant.

Laid Over.

William Cowles, Supervising Engineer—Returning request of McNeil & McLachlan for an extension of sixty days' time from the 21st instant, on contract for furnishing boilers for new floating engine, with report.

Bills Audited.

Schedule No. 89 for 1889, on this date.

Christie, George H., new houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies.....	\$3,119 40
Pearce & Jones, placing fire-alarm conductor underground.....	171 00
Stander Underground Cable Company, placing fire-alarm conductors underground...	7,038 21
	\$10,328 61

Schedule No. 22 of the current year on this date.

Arctander & Seabold, repairs and alterations to buildings.....	\$484 00
Bassett, John W., " ".....	251 00
Breen, M., " ".....	440 00
Chesebro & Whitman, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	76 39
Cole, W. L. & Co., " ".....	24 00
Collins & Nuttall, " ".....	30 00
East River Electric Construction Co., placing fire-alarm conductors underground....	388 70
Gallagher, C., placing fire-alarm conductors underground.....	21 00
Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	15,000 00
Jussen, Carl, Secretary, " ".....	63 61
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, " ".....	50 45
Pearce & Jones, placing fire-alarm conductors underground.....	629 10
Seery, Peter, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	50 20
Smi.h, J. Elliot, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	64 35
Sullivan, John W., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	600 00

\$18,172 80

Communications, etc.—Referred.

Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violations of law. Back, with directions to enforce collection of the penalties.

Same—Recommending discontinuance of legal proceedings. Approved. To Attorney to Department for proper action.

Same—Recommending the remission of penalties. Approved. Back, with directions to carry out.

Deputy Superintendent of Buildings—Forwarding request of George F. Johnson to have penalty remitted for reasons stated, with recommendation. Back for report as to whether the work has been done.

Attorney to Department—Returning three violation cases of 1888 and 1889, with recommendation that the complaints be dismissed. To Chairman of Committee on Buildings and Apparatus.

Filed.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Stating that line of poles on Eighth avenue, between Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, must either be reconstructed and a number of new poles set, or subway facilities provided in place thereof, with recommendations. Approved by Chairman of Committee on Telegraph and Supplies, who reported that he had communicated the same to the Department of Public Works. Action of the Chairman in communicating to the Department of Public Works, approved.

Same—Forwarding communication of Superintendent of Construction, Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, proposing to build a line of poles to be used jointly by the Fire Department and the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company on Third avenue north of One Hundred and Seventieth street to Tremont, to Boston road, the poles to become the property of the Department, with report. Approved and ordered that the Superintendent of Telegraph be instructed to have the work done.

Chief of Department—Forwarding reports of company commanders of violations of law, with recommendation. Action of the President pro tem. referring the reports of violations of law to the Superintendent of Buildings and Inspector of Combustibles, approved.

Same—Recommending the organization of Hook and Ladder 21, to be located at No. 432 West Thirty-sixth street. Approved.

Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Reporting the death of Machinist Thomas Halleran on the 8th instant.

William McNair, D. R., Secretary of D. A. 49, K. of L.—Protesting against the appointment of John Kelly, of Verplank, N. Y., on the fire-boat William F. Havemeyer.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, May 15, 1890.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Trials.

Fireman 1st grade John S. Cleary, Engine 27, for "conduct injurious to the public welfare," and "immoral conduct, and conduct prejudicial to the good reputation, order and discipline of the Department." Testimony taken and laid over.

Fireman 2d grade George J. Maguire, Engine 27, for "conduct injurious to the public welfare, and immoral conduct, and conduct prejudicial to the good reputation, order and discipline of the Department." Testimony taken and laid over.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, May 17, 1890.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Decisions

in cases tried on the 15th instant.

Fireman 1st grade John S. Cleary, and Fireman 2d grade George J. Maguire, Engine 27. Both sentenced to be dismissed from the service of the Department, to take effect on this date.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Smith to place and keep a watering-trough on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Kingsbridge road, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 13, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, May 26, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mark Ryan to place and keep a watering-trough in front of No. 704 Western Boulevard, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 13, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, May 26, 1890.

Resolved, That Otto Hufeland, Theodore S. Oxholm and Henry C. Thompson be and they are hereby respectively appointed City Surveyors.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 13, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, May 26, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Cooper to place and keep a watering-trough on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Eighth avenue, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 13, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, May 26, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Schroeder to place and keep a watering-trough on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Sixth street and Ninth avenue, the water to be supplied and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 13, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, May 26, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Arnowitz to erect an ornamental clock in front of his premises, No. 365 Tenth avenue, provided that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches at the base), the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 13, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, May 26, 1890.

Resolved, That the bridge-stones from the northwest corner to the northeast corner, and from the southeast corner to the northeast corner of Avenue A and Twenty-third street, be relaid and reset, and that new bridge-stone be laid where the present bridge-stone is worn or broken so as to be unfit for use, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Street Pavements and Regrading."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 13, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, May 26, 1890.

EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT.

EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT,
CORNER 22D STREET AND 7TH AVENUE,
NEW YORK CITY, June 3, 1890.

Board of City Record:

GENTLEMEN—You will please take notice that I have this date appointed Thomas Costigan, Esq., Clerk in the District Court in the City of New York for the Eighth Judicial District, in place of Henry G. Leask, whose term of office expired on the 2d day of June, 1890.

Very respectfully,

JOHN JEROLMAN,
Justice Eighth Judicial District Court.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES H. FARRELL, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
WALDO HUTCHINS, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
EDWIN A. POST, President; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HANS S. BEATTIE, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; GILBERT O. F. NICOLL, Secretary; HENRY W. BEARDSLEY, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES THOMSON, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADER, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER MEAKIM, President; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL E. SICKLES, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; JOHN M. TRACY, Order of Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SURROGATE'S COURT.

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

SUPREME COURT

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk. General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk. Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.

Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. MCCALL, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Equity Term, Room No. 30.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 37, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.
PETER MITCHELL, Justice.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

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

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

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB M. PATTERSON, JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY, DANIEL F. McMAHON, EDW. HOGAN, JOHN COCHRANE, CHARLES N. TANTOR.

Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
First District—Tomb, 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
ROOM 9, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, May 27, 1890.

SEVENTEENTH AUCTION SALE, ON THURSDAY, JUNE 26, 1890, at Police Headquarters, at 10 A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, of Police, Cartage and Unclaimed Property, consisting of Watches, Jewelry and Silverware, Male and Female Clothing, Shoes, etc., Revolvers, Pistols, Guns, Knives, Pocket-books, Umbrellas, Cans, Canned Goods, Iron, Lead, Brass, Copper, Glass, Wardrobes, Bedsteads, Carpet, Furniture, Harness, Chairs, and a lot of miscellaneous articles.

For particulars see catalogues on day of sale.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, May 21, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT four Horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, June 6, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

JURORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 28, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment lists in the matter of acquiring title to West One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Tenth avenue and Morningside avenue, and West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Tenth avenue and Morningside avenue, which were confirmed by the Supreme Court, May 17, 1890, and entered on the 23d day of May, 1890, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property

shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above 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," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 23, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantees, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price..... \$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound..... 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding..... 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound..... 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 27, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing and altering the following buildings of this Department, viz.: Quarters of Engine Company No. 2, at No. 530 West Forty-third street, and of Engine Company No. 19, at No. 355 West Twenty-fifth street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, June 11, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

A separate estimate must be made for each building. No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, and drawings (for the quarters of Engine Co. No. 2 only), which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at ten (10) dollars.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of eight hundred (800) dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of forty (40) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the

same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house 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, to be delivered in barrels only:

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.
2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.
will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, June 13, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The 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 certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 2, 1890.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY-GOODS, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

8,521 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, June 12, 1890.

1,500 pounds Dried Apples.
2,400 pounds Barley, price to include packages.
4,600 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
1,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.
4,600 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
6,000 pounds Rice.
1,000 pounds Macaroni.
16,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
2,500 pounds Coffee Sugar.
1,200 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.
2,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.
2,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
1,200 gallons Syrup, in barrels.
10 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels; 2,000 per barrel.

50 barrels first quality Sal-Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.

3,600 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
50 dozen Canned Corn.
40 dozen Canned Peas.
40 dozen Canned Peaches.

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

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

21 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

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

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

300 barrels first quality Kale.

120 bales first quality long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

75 bales first quality Timothy Hay, tare and weight same as on straw.

CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, ETC.

2 gross Chambers.
5 gross Shoe Binding.
500 pounds pure S. A. Curled Hair.
50 dozen Handkerchiefs.
25 barrels first quality Plaster Paris.
50 barrels first quality Common Lime.
25 barrels first quality Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of chlorine.

LUMBER.

50,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Boards, 1" x 12 to 15" x 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.
175 first quality, White Pine Boards, 1 1/4" x 4 1/2" x 12 feet, tongued, grooved and dressed.
30 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 12" x 26 feet.
30 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 12" x 17 feet.
200 lineal feet first quality Spruce, 2" x 3".
200 pieces first quality Spruce Furring, 1 1/4" x 2".
2,500 superficial feet first quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, cone or vertical grained, 1 1/4" x 3 1/2", dressed, tongued and grooved.
75 first quality White Pine Boards, 1" x 9" x 13 feet dressed, tongued and grooved.
25 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 7" x 20 feet.
35 pieces first quality Spruce, 2" x 10" x 13 feet.
25 pieces first quality Spruce, 1 1/4" x 10" x 13 feet.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, June 13, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 2, 1890.

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

Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 27, 1890.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Market street—Unknown woman, aged about 65 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair. Had on black cashmere waist and skirt, red and white striped petticoat, red flannel petticoat, white flannel petticoat, brown woolen stockings, laced shoes, black bonnet, gray woolen shawl.

Unknown man, from Pier 11, North river, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair and moustache. Had on blue flannel coat and vest, black pants, white shirt, red flannel undershirt and drawers, white socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-eighth street, East river, 5 feet 11 inches high. Had on brown overcoat, black coat, vest and pants, brown woolen shirt, gray and white striped shirt, red and brown woolen drawers, brown socks, boots; body about four months in water.

At Penitentiary—Valentine Eder, aged 44 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when received black coat and vest, brown striped pants, brown striped shirt, white undershirt and drawers, gaiters, derby hat.

Bernard Devlin, aged 62 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; gray hair, blue eyes. Had on when received brown overcoat, black coat, brown pants, brown striped vest, blue shirt, gray undershirt, brogan shoes, derby hat.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Joseph Dicallo, aged 45 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black coat, brown vest, gray pants, laced shoes, brown felt hat.

Charles Ebbert, aged 38 years; 6 feet high; gray hair and eyes. Had on when admitted brown tweed coat, dark mixed tweed vest, brown pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

John Murphy, aged 37 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black coat, gray striped vest and pants, rubber overshoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

MANHATTAN ISLAND SECTION— ADDITIONAL LANDS.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

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

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

Public notice is hereby given that I shall make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in the village of White Plains, in the County of Westchester, on the 7th day of June, 1890, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the confirmation of the report, as to a part of Parcel Number Eighty-one (81), and as to claims for damages

to property contiguous to Parcel Number Forty-five (45), of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above-entitled matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the fifth day of April, 1890, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day.

Dated NEW YORK, May 7, 1890.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,

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

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Wednesday, June 4, 1890, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

By order,

J. EDWARD SIMMONS,

Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN,

Secretary.

Dated NEW YORK, May 28, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BLOCK INDEX MAPS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING the Block Index Maps under the provisions of chapter 349 of the Laws of 1889, and the amendments thereto, as called for in the approved forms of contracts and specifications on file in the office of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, will be received at this office until two o'clock P. M. on the 16th day of June, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, and the award for furnishing said maps will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Any person making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Block Index Maps," and also the name of the person making it, and the date of its presentation.

Each 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 estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Should the person 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 bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

No estimate will be accepted from, or a 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, and no estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the preliminary 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 Secretary of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments 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 Secretary 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 be 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.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

Blank forms of contracts and specifications therefor are on file and may be examined at the office of the Commissioners aforesaid. Blank forms for bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their enclosure can also be obtained at the above office of the Commissioners on application.

By order of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

MICHAEL COLEMAN,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
EDWARD L. PARRIS.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, May 29, 1890.

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

MILK INSPECTOR, Board of Health, Friday, June 6.

STEAM ENGINEER, Tuesday, June 10.

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

LEE PHILLIPS,

Secretary and Executive Officer.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, July 20, 1889.

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEE PHILLIPS,

Secretary and Executive Officer.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 3261, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Boulevard and Hamilton place.

List 3262, No. 2. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between Tenth avenue and summit east of Tenth avenue.

List 3263, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Manhattan street and Tenth avenue.

List 3264, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Broadway and Tenth avenue.

List 3265, No. 5. Extension of sewer in Grove street, between West Fourth and Bleeker streets.

List 3266, No. 6. Curbing and recurbing, flagging and reflagging both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Madison to Park avenue.

List 3267, No. 7. Receiving-basins on the southeast and southwest corners of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Eighth avenue.

List 3268, No. 8. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Lexington avenue.

List 3269, No. 9. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixth street and Madison avenue.

List 3270, No. 10. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Fortieth street, between First and Second avenues.

List 3271, No. 11. Fencing the vacant lots on the block bounded by Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets, First and Second avenues.

List 3272, No. 12. Fencing the vacant lots on the west side of the Boulevard, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street; on the north side of Seventy-third and south side of Seventy-fourth streets, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

List 3273, No. 13. Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Tenth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

List 3274, No. 14. Fencing the vacant lots on Lexington avenue and Seventy-second street, being about 100 feet on the avenue and 150 feet on the street, comprising the northwest corner of said Lexington avenue and Seventy-second street.

List 3275, No. 15. Fencing the vacant lot No. 1078 Madison avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fortieth street, from the Boulevard to Hamilton place.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Tenth avenue to a point distant about 321 feet easterly.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to Tenth avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Broadway to Tenth avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Grove street, between West Fourth and Bleeker streets, upon lots known as Ward Nos. 2314, 2315, 2316, 2326, 2327 and 2353.

No. 6. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Park to Madison avenue, extending on the north side of Eighty-eighth street about 165 feet easterly from Madison avenue, and south side of Eighty-eighth street, about 252 feet easterly from Madison avenue.

No. 7. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets, Bradhurst and Seventh avenues, excepting the north side of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Bradhurst to Seventh avenue.

No. 8. North side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenues.

No. 9. East side of Madison avenue, extending northerly from One Hundred and Sixth street, about 101 feet.

No. 10. North side of Fortieth street, between First and Second avenues, upon lot known as Ward No. 13, Block 156.

No. 11. South side of Eighty-ninth street, between First and Second avenues, on Block 204, Ward Nos. 42 and 43.

No. 12. West side of Boulevard, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street, north side of Seventy-third street, extending westerly from Boulevard about 250 feet and south side of Seventy-fourth street, extending westerly from Boulevard, about 162 feet.

No. 13. South side of One Hundred and Tenth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, upon lots known as Block 404, Ward Nos. 44, 44½, 45, 47, 48 and 49.

No. 14. West side of Lexington avenue, extending northerly from Seventy-second street, about 122 feet and north side of Seventy-second street, extending westerly from Lexington avenue, about 155 feet.

No. 15. West side of Madison avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets, upon lot known as Ward No. 16, Block 466.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 30th day of June, 1890.

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

Board of Assessors

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 29, 1890.

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

List 3130, No. 1. Paving with macadam pavement St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to its intersection with Tenth avenue, and Kingsbridge road, from its intersection with Tenth avenue to One Hundred and Ninetieth street; and laying crosswalks.

List 3244, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the easterly side of Third avenue to the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue, with granite blocks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of St. Nicholas avenue and Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Ninetieth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Third to St. Ann's avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 30th day of June, 1890.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,
CHARLES E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1890.

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

List 3097, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

List 3176, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

List 3240, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the westerly crosswalk of Third avenue to the westerly crosswalk of Rider avenue, with granite-blocks, and laying crosswalks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from the Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Third avenue to the westerly side of Rider avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues, which includes the westerly side of Rider avenue, from a point distant about 414 feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to a point distant about 804 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

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

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

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

Board of Assessors.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 334.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE CRIB-BULKHEAD BETWEEN PIER, OLD 56, AT THE FOOT OF GANSEVOORT STREET, AND PIER, OLD 57, SOUTHERLY OF BLOOMFIELD STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER, AND FOR REPAIRING THE CRIB-BULKHEAD FROM THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF PIER, OLD 58, NORTHERLY OF BLOOMFIELD STREET, TO A POINT ABOUT THIRTY-FIVE FEET SOUTHERLY OF THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE PIER AT LITTLE WEST TWELFTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE CRIB-BULKHEAD between Pier, old 56, at the foot of Gansevoort street, and Pier, old 57, southerly of Bloomfield street, on the North river, and for repairing the crib-bulkhead from the northerly side of Pier, old 58, northerly of Bloomfield street, to a point about thirty-five feet southerly of the south side of the Pier at Little West Twelfth street, on the North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 1890,

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

CLASS I.—REPAIRS TO BULKHEAD BETWEEN PIERS, OLD 56 AND 57.

1. New cribwork complete, including all timbers and iron-work, backing-logs, earth and stone-filling, box-drains, mooring-posts, fenders, etc., measured from the top of the old facing timbers left in place to the under side of the backing-log, and from front of facing timber to rear of cross-ties, about.....	28,499 cubic feet.
	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	972
" " 8" x 12".....	120
" " 6" x 12".....	984
" " 6" x 6".....	96
Total.....	2,172

NOTE.—The above quantity of timber is inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but is exclusive of waste, and does not include the yellow pine in the cribwork estimated above in item No. 1.

3. Excavation of old cribwork, etc., about.....	1,421 cubic yards.
4. $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 20", and $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 10" Square Wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about.....	113 pounds.
NOTE.—The above quantity of dock spikes is exclusive of the dock spikes in the cribwork estimated above in item No. 1.	
5. Back-filling and grading, about.....	366 cubic yards.
6. Top dressing, about.....	155
7. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, spiking, back-filling, etc., as set forth in the specifications.	

CLASS II.—REPAIRS TO BULKHEAD BETWEEN PIER, OLD 58, AND LITTLE WEST TWELFTH STREET.

1. New cribwork complete, including all timbers and iron-work, backing-logs, earth and stone-filling, box-drains, mooring-posts, fenders, etc., measured from the top of the old facing timbers left in place to the under side of the backing log, and from front of facing timber to rear of cross-ties, about.....	23,491 cubic feet.
	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	624
" " 8" x 12".....	444
" " 6" x 12".....	45
Total.....	1,113

NOTE.—The above quantity of timber is inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but is exclusive of waste, and does not include the yellow pine in the cribwork estimated above in item No. 1.

3. Excavation of old cribwork, etc., about.....	1,157 cubic yards.
4. $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 20", and $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 10" Square Wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about.....	54 pounds.
NOTE.—The above quantity of dock spikes is exclusive of the dock spikes in the cribwork estimated above in item No. 1.	
5. Back-filling and grading, about.....	287 cubic yards.
6. Top dressing, about.....	200
7. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, spiking, back-filling, etc., as set forth in the specifications.	

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 20th day of September, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the old structures to be removed under the contract will be relinquished to the Contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in each class, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work comprised in both classes, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the

Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, May 27, 1890.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 335.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET PIER, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 1890,

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

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

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

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

For the half slips adjoining Pier at West Thirty-fourth street, North river.....	62,500 cubic yards.
Total.....	62,500

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 20th day of August, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic yard for doing such dredging in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind

involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, May 27, 1890.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 333.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, INCLUDING A SEWER-BOX, AT THE FOOT OF EAST NINETY-FIFTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND Building a New Wooden Pier, with Appurtenances, including a Sewer-box, at the foot of East Ninety-fifth street, East River, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1890,

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

CLASS I.	
(a) New Pier—	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	6,606
" " 12" x 12".....	61,895
" " 11" x 12".....	169
" " 10" x 12".....	1,758
" " 8" x 16".....	334
" " 8" x 15".....	1,160

Yellow Pine Timber 8" x 12".....	3,371
" " 8" x 8".....	2,971
" " 7" x 14".....	490
" " 7" x 12".....	1,218
" " 7" x 9".....	55
" " 10" x 10".....	480
" " 6" x 12".....	2,952
" " 6" x 6".....	173
" " 5" x 12".....	3,162
" " 5" x 11".....	5,145
" " 4" x 12".....	189
" " 3" x 12".....	36
" " 3" x 10".....	11,970
" " 2" x 10".....	3,913
" " 2" x 4".....	1,858
Total.....	109,855

Feet, B. M., measured in the work.

2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10".....	40,476
3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12".....	2,688

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber, in items 1, 2 and 3, are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles for Pier.....

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(It is expected that about 223 of these piles will have to be from about 60 feet in length to about 70 feet in length, and the remainder to average about 80 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

5. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 to about 70 feet long.....

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6. $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 28", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 26", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 16", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 10", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 8", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 6", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 4", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 3", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 2", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 1", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{8}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{16}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{32}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{64}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{128}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{256}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{512}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1024}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2048}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4096}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{8192}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{16384}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{32768}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{65536}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{131072}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{262144}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{524288}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1048576}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2097152}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4194304}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{8388608}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{16777216}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{33554432}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{67108864}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{134217728}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{268435456}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{536870912}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1073741824}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2147483648}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4294967296}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{8589934592}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{17179869184}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{34359738368}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{68719476736}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{137438953472}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{274877906944}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{549755813888}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1099511627776}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2199023255552}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4398046511104}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{8796093022208}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{17592186044416}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{35184372088832}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{70368744177664}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{140737488355328}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{281474976710656}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{562949953421312}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1125899906842624}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2251799813685248}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4503599627370496}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{9007199254740992}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{18014398509481984}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{36028797018963968}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{72057594037927936}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{144115188075855872}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{288230376151711744}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{576460752303423488}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1152921504606846976}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2305843009213693952}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4611686018427387904}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{9223372036854775808}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{18446744073709551616}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{36893488147419103232}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{73786976294838206464}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{147573952589676412928}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{295147905179352825856}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{590295810358705651712}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1180591620717411303424}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2361183241434822606848}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4722366482869645213696}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{9444732965739290427392}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{18889465931478580854784}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{37778931862957161709568}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{75557863725914323419136}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{151115727451828646838272}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{302231454903657293676544}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{604462909807314587353088}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1208925819614629174706176}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2417851639229258349412352}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4835703278458516698824704}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{9671406556917033397649408}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{19342813113834066795298816}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{38685626227668133590597632}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{77371252455336267181195264}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{154742504910672534362390528}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{309485009821345068724781056}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{6189700196$

nection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, May 23, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, May 23, 1890.

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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 1890,

at 12 o'clock noon, for and on account of the Department of Docks, the right to dump and fill in behind the new bulkhead or river wall on the Laight Street Section, between Laight and Vestry streets, N. R., when built. The right or privilege to fill in the said premises will be sold to the highest bidder, and the price for such right or privilege must be paid at the time of sale. The material to be dumped or filled in must be composed of clean ashes, sand, loam, earth, etc., or of stone; if of stone, no piece of stone must be greater than 16 inches in its largest dimensions, and all material must be dumped and filled in only at such times and places and in such manner as shall be directed by the Engineer-in-chief of the Department of Docks, or such other officer or employee of the Department of Docks as may be designated by him, and all the work of dumping and filling-in must be done under the direction of the Engineer-in-chief or designated employee.

The estimated quantity to be filled in at the said premises is about 20,000 loads, more or less, but this quantity is approximate only, and the Department is not bound in any way by such estimate, and bidders must satisfy themselves by the quantities required to fill in at the place named by examination of the premises, or such other means as they may prefer, the intention of the Department being to fill in the whole of the said premises behind the bulkhead or river wall when it is built and ready to have filling put in behind it.

In case the party who is the highest bidder does not proceed with the work of filling-in to the satisfaction of the Board of Docks, the said Board will at once proceed to have the filling-in done by other parties in such way and manner as it deems proper.

The Auctioneer's fees (\$25) for filling-in on the said sections must be paid by the highest bidder thereon at time of sale.

Dated, New York, May 23, 1890.

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

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 332.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING CERTAIN PORTIONS OF, AND FOR REPAIRING, THE OUTER 140 FEET OF THE OLD WOODEN PIER, AND FOR BUILDING COMPLETE THE INNER LENGTH OF THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING CERTAIN portions of, and for repairing, the outer 140 feet of the Old Wooden Pier, and for building complete the inner length of the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-fourth street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1890.

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	735
" " " " 12" x 12".....	85,305
" " " " 10" x 12".....	1,843
" " " " 9" x 9".....	61
" " " " 8" x 12".....	1,985
" " " " 8" x 10".....	628
" " " " 8" x 8".....	5,971
" " " " 6" x 12".....	5,870
" " " " 6" x 11".....	2,655
" " " " 7" x 9".....	16
" " " " 5" x 12".....	602
" " " " 5" x 11".....	1,103
" " " " 5" x 10".....	13,256
" " " " 5" x 8".....	38
" " " " 4" x 12".....	240
" " " " 4" x 10".....	52,914
" " " " 2" x 4".....	960
Total.....	174,183

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. Spruce Timber 4" Plank.....	61,923

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12".....	5,824

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber, in items 1, 2 and 3, are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine, or Cypress Piles.....	168
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(It is expected that these piles will require to be from about 50 feet to about 55 feet in length.)

5. White Oak Fender Piles, about 50 feet to about 55 feet long.....	8
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6. $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 28", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 26", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 16", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 8", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 7", square, and $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 8", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 8", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 8", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 5", and $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 5" round, Wrought-iron Dock Spikes and 40d Nails, about.....	14,833 pounds.
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7. Boiler-plate Armatures, Wrought-iron Straps and Washers, about.....	2,623 "
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8. $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", $1\frac{1}{2}$ " and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts, with their Nuts, about.....	6,294 "
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9. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about.....	6,300 pounds.
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10. Cast-iron Washers for $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", $1\frac{1}{2}$ " and 1" Screw-bolts, about.....	2,990 "
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11. Labor of removing all of the material in the outer 140 feet of the Old Wooden Pier, except the bearing piles, and of removing such material from the premises.....	
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12. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving and rafting of Timber, Joining, Planing, Bolting, Spiking, Stay-lathing, Painting, Oiling or Tarring, and furnishing the materials for Stay-lathing, Painting, Oiling or Tarring, and labor of every description, as set forth in the specifications, for an area of about 15,377 square feet of pier.....	
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N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all work to be done under the contract (except about 118 feet of the shore end of the pier, which will not be constructed until the bulkhead-wall is constructed by the Department of Docks), is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of October, 1890; and the said about 118 feet is to be completed within sixty days after notice shall be given to the Contractor by said Department of Docks that work on the said about 118 feet may be begun; and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said old pier at the foot of East Twenty-fourth street, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work comprised in the two classes, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief

of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

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

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

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

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

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

Dated New York, May 23, 1890.

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

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND IMPROVING LANDS ADJACENT TO THE HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE, AND FOR REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING AND IMPROVING UNDERCLIFF PLACE AND A PORTION OF UNDERCLIFF AVENUE.

SEALD ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE work, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Harlem River Bridge Commission, No. 1 Broadway, New York City, until 2 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, the 4th day of June, 1890, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by the said Commission and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Commission, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or estimate, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work will be relet. The work to commence at such time as the Harlem River Bridge Commission may determine.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate, and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items called for in these specifications, or which contain bids for items not called for therein. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Harlem River Bridge Commission to reject any or all estimates which it may deem prejudicial to the public interests. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the 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 Secretary of the Commission, and no estimate can be deposited until such check or money has been examined by said Secretary 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 neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, and that the sureties offered by him have been approved by the Comptroller, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that such estimate is made without any con-

nection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the same purpose; and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making such estimate, that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. When more than one person is interested in the estimate, the verification must be made by all the parties interested.

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

Bidders are required to state in writing, also in figures, a price for each of the items mentioned in the Engineer's estimate.

These prices are to cover the furnishing of all the necessary materials and labor, and the performance of all the work as set forth in the specification and form of agreement hereto annexed and the completion of the entire work.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:

25,000 cubic yards excavation of earth.
3,500 cubic yards excavation of rock.
700 cubic yards dry rubble masonry.
200 cubic yards special retaining-wall.
350 cubic yards rock-faced masonry in bridge approaches and abutments.
780 cubic yards rubble masonry in cement.
50 cubic yards concrete.
1,640 cubic feet granite coping, platforms, posts, caps and steps in bridge approaches and boat landing.
130 cubic yards fine-cut granite masonry in boat landing.
600 cubic feet granite steps for walks.
600 lineal feet 12-inch vitrified pipe.
1,200 lineal feet 8-inch vitrified pipe.
1,600 lineal feet 6-inch vitrified pipe.
100 cubic yards brick masonry.
7,500 lineal feet, piles.
25,600 feet, board measure, spruce or pine plank or timber.
2,000 pounds cast iron.
300 pounds wrought iron.
23,500 square feet walks.
5,000 cubic yards rip-rap.
1,500 lineal feet blue-stone curb.
5,600 square feet blue-stone flagging.
600 square feet granite bridge-stone for cross-walks.
3,100 square yards granite-block pavement.
2 receiving-basins.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received.

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

The foregoing estimates being approximate only are not to be held as entitling the contractor to any claim for extra time in the completion of the work, nor to any claim for damages, if the quantity of work should prove to be greater or less than is here estimated, and the Harlem River Bridge Commission expressly reserves the right of increasing or diminishing the said quantities, as in its opinion become necessary.

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

Bidders are particularly cautioned that a provision in the contract authorizes the sum of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS per lineal foot (measured on the centre line of the street) of the work done upon Undercliff place and upon Undercliff avenue under this agreement, to be retained out of the contract moneys as security for keeping the whole work, when completed, in good order for a period of six months from the date of its acceptance by the Harlem River Bridge Commission, not including in the computation of the said period the months of December, January, February and March.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Harlem River Bridge Commission.

Bidders are specially notified that the Harlem River Bridge Commission reserves the right to determine the times and places for commencing and prosecuting the work, and that postponement or delay on the whole, or any part thereof, occasioned by the precedence of other contracts, cannot constitute a claim for damages.

Bidders are notified that the Harlem River Bridge Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Blank forms of proposals can be obtained on application to the Secretary at this office.

JACOB LORILLARD,
VERNON H. BROWN,
DAVID JAMES KING,
Commissioners.

No. 1 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Fourteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 16, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 21.

JOHN A. O'BRIEN, Chairman,
M. B. FEENEY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Fifth Ward, until 3.30 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 16, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 44.

SAMUEL W. WILEY, Chairman,
HENRY C. WEST, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fifth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 3, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, June 11, 1890, for Repairing, etc., the Heating Apparatus of Grammar Schools Nos. 52, 63 and 78.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 29, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, June 10, 1890, for Repairing, Altering, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 39, 57, 68, 72 and 78 and Primary School No. 32.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 28, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 3:30 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 9, 1890, for making Sanitary Changes, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 57, 72 and 83.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 26, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-fourth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 9, 1890, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 63, 65 and Primary School No. 45; also for Repairing, etc., the Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 64.

ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman,
LOUIS EICKWORTH, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 26, 1890.

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 ELTON AVENUE, (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third Avenue to Brook Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the fourteenth day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said fourteenth day of July, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, to remain until the fifteenth day of July, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly line of Brook Avenue; easterly by the centre line of the block between Elton Avenue and Washington Avenue, a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly line of Elton

avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Elton Avenue and Third Avenue; southerly by the northerly line of Third Avenue and by a line drawn at right angles with the westerly line of Elton Avenue at its intersection with the westerly line of Third Avenue, and extending 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Elton Avenue; westerly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Elton Avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twenty-eighth day of July, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, June 2, 1890.
ROBERT W. TODD, Chairman,
FRANCIS C. DEVLIN,
J. P. SOLOMON,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 280 Broadway (Room 4), in the said city, on or before the twelfth day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said twelfth day of July, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, to remain until the fourteenth day of July, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street and One Hundred and Seventieth Street, from Tenth Avenue to Eleventh Avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth Street, from Tenth Avenue to the Kingsbridge Road; and westerly by the easterly line of the Kingsbridge Road and Eleventh Avenue; excepting from said area all the land included within the line of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twenty-eighth day of July, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, June 2, 1890.
JOHN H. ROGAN, Chairman,
CHARLES D. METZ,
JOHN N. EMRA,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Cedar Place, extending from Eagle Avenue to Union Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Forest Avenue, distant 650 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Clifton Street with the western line of Forest Avenue;
1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Forest Avenue for 50 feet;
2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right, for 970 feet;
3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 90° to the right, for 50 feet;
4th. Thence easterly for 970 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Forest Avenue, distant 650 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Clifton Street, with the eastern line of Forest Avenue;
1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Forest Avenue for 50 feet;
2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 270 feet to the western line of Tinton Avenue;
3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Tinton Avenue for 50 feet;
4th. Thence westerly for 270 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Forest Avenue, distant 650 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Clifton Street, with the eastern line of Forest Avenue;
1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Forest Avenue for 50 feet;
2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 270 feet to the western line of Tinton Avenue;
3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Tinton Avenue for 50 feet;
4th. Thence westerly for 270 feet to the point of beginning.

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Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Tinton Avenue, distant 650 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Clifton Street with the eastern line of Tinton Avenue;

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Tinton Avenue for 50 feet;
2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 270.71 feet;
3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 50 feet;
4th. Thence westerly for 270.71 feet to the point of beginning.

Cedar Place is designated a street of the first class and is 50 feet wide.

And as shown on a certain map on file in the Department of Public Parks.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Independence Avenue, extending from Spuyten Duyvil Parkway to Morrison Street in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, distant 19,010.58 feet northerly, from the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, measured at right angles to the same from a point 3,018.41 feet westerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Tenth Avenue with the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street;

1st. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, for 60 feet;
2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90° 32' 26" to the left, for 50 feet;

3d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 27° 30' to the right, for 459.46 feet;

4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 17° 48' 08" to the left, for 79.30 feet;

5th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left for 60 feet;

6th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 749.90 feet;

7th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 17° 48' 08" to the right, for 449.99 feet;

8th. Thence southwesterly, for 50 feet, to the point of beginning.

Independence Avenue is a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide.

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

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

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

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 Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street, extending from Carter Avenue to Third Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Webster Avenue, distant 736.60 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Tremont Avenue with the western line of Webster Avenue;

1st. Thence southerly, along the western line of Webster Avenue, for 60 feet;

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° 22' 43" to the right, for 110.39 feet;

3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 89° 38' 48" to the right, for 60 feet;

4th. Thence easterly, for 110.36 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster Avenue, distant 740.84 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Tremont Avenue with the eastern line of Webster Avenue;

1st. Thence southerly, along the eastern line of Webster Avenue, for 60 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 37' 17" to the left, for 1,308.98 feet to the western line of Third Avenue;

3d. Thence northerly, along the western line of Third Avenue, for 60.06 feet;

4th. Thence westerly, for 1,306.80 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street, from Carter Avenue to Third Avenue, is designated a street of the first-class and is 60 feet wide.

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

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Bailey Avenue, extending from Boston Avenue to Van Cortlandt Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of eastern line of Bailey Avenue (confirmed March 4, 1887), with the northern line of said Avenue;

1st. Thence northwesterly, along the northern line of said Bailey Avenue, for 64.72 feet;

2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 75° 41' 43" to the right, for 13.06 feet;

3d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 5° 53' 21" to the left, for 1,061.61 feet;

4th. Thence northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,160 feet, for 176.61 feet;

5th. Thence northeasterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 100 feet;

6th. Thence northeasterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 560 feet, for 192.71 feet to a point of reverse curve;

7th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,090 feet, for 152.19 feet to a point of reverse curve;

8th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,210 feet, for 228.61 feet to a point of reverse curve;

9th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 3,396.16 feet, for 274.4 feet to a point of reverse curve;

10th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 4,193.94 feet, for 59.15 feet to a point of reverse curve;

11th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet, for 182.49 feet to a point of reverse curve;

12th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 317.76 feet, for 235.94 feet to a point of reverse curve;

13th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet, for 376.29 feet to a point of reverse curve;

14th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 560 feet, for 242.95 feet to a point of compound curve;

15th. Thence easterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 340 feet, for 537.73 feet to a point of reverse curve;

16th. Thence easterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 215.36 feet, for 233.43 feet to a point of compound curve;

17th. Thence northerly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 37.81 feet, for 58.71 feet;

18th. Thence southeasterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 133.13 feet;

19th. Thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 35.4 feet, for 56.25 feet to a point of reverse curve;

20th. Thence westerly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 275.36 feet, for 298.47 feet to a point of reverse curve;

21st. Thence westerly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 280 feet, for 442.84 feet to a point of compound curve;

22d. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 930 feet, for 227.76 feet to a point of reverse curve;

23d. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 560 feet, for 421.44 feet to a point of reverse curve;

24th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 257.76 feet, for 191.39 feet to a point of reverse curve;

25th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 560 feet, for 204.39 feet to a point of reverse curve;

26th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 363.94 feet, for 50.78 feet to a point of reverse curve;

27th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 3,456.16 feet, for 279.09 feet to a point of reverse curve;

28th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,150 feet, for 217.27 feet to a point of reverse curve;

29th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,150 feet, for 161.57 feet to a point of reverse curve;

30th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet, for 172.07 feet;

31st. Thence southwesterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 100 feet;

32d. Thence southwesterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,220 feet, for 185.73 feet;

33d. Thence southwesterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 1,072.48 feet;

34th. Thence southwesterly for 24.46 feet to the point of beginning.

occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 280 Broadway (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 7th day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said 7th day of July, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 8th day of July, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-second street and East One Hundred and Thirty-third street; easterly by the westerly line of the Boulevard; southerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Thirty-second street and East One Hundred and Thirty-third street; westerly by the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; excepting from said area all the land included within the line of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 21st day of July, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 24, 1890.

CHARLES D. METZ, Chairman,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
JOHN C. WILLIAMSON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-fifth day of June, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-fifth day of June, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-sixth day of June, 1890.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the eighth day of July, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 15, 1890.

GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, Chairman,
G. M. SPEIR, Jr.,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the ninth day of June, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said ninth day of June, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been

deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the tenth day of June, 1890.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twenty-third day of June, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 24, 1890.

G. M. SPEIR, Jr., Chairman,
WILLIAM N. ARMSTRONG,
TERENCE DUFFY,
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk, Commissioners.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-sixth day of May, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-sixth day of May, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-seventh day of May, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Seventieth streets, from Third avenue to Franklin avenue, the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Jefferson street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road and a line parallel with, and distant 1,000 feet northerly from, the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and extending from Boston road to Southern Boulevard; easterly by the westerly line of Southern Boulevard; southerly by a line parallel with, and distant 600 feet southerly from, the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and extending from Southern Boulevard to Union avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Union avenue to Third avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Union avenue, the easterly line of Third avenue and the easterly line of Boston road; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of June, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 14, 1890.

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

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held in the Mayor's Office, on Friday, June 6, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business, and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated June 3, 1890.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 & 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
June 4, 1890.

AUCTION SALE OF GRASS.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at Public Auction on Thursday, June 12, 1890, all the grass now standing on Van Cortlandt, Bronx and Pelham Bay Parks.

The sale will take place at the following-named places at the hour respectively designated:

Tremper House, on Van Cortlandt Park, at 10 A.M.
Lorillard House, on Bronx Park, at 12 M.
Pelham Bridge, on Pelham Bay Park, at 2 P.M.

The grass on each Park will be sold in lots, particulars of which will be announced at time of sale.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 14, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, June 11, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the contemplated revision of the street system of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, viz.:

1st. In that part of the Hunt's Point and West Farms districts, bounded by Wilkins place, Boston road, Broadway, East One Hundred and Seventieth street, Third avenue, Tremont avenue and Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

2d. Proposed discontinuance and closing Carlin place, from Gambrell to Summit street, and Emma place, from Mott to Walton avenue; and laying-out Charles place, from Mott to Sheridan avenue.

3d. Proposed change of grade of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, between Webster avenue and Topping street.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the location, width, course, windings, lines, class and grades of, and discontinuing and closing, in whole or in part, certain avenues, streets and roads, extending and laying out others to take their places, and fixing and establishing the grades.

Maps showing the contemplated change are now on exhibition in said office.

WALDO HUTCHINS,
J. HAMPDEN ROBB,
M. C. D. BORDEN,
ALBERT GALLUP,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK:

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Tuesday, July 1, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from St. Nicholas place to McComb's Dam Bridge.

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

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

upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 921 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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W. J. K. KENNY,
Supervisor.