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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

TUESDAY, JULY 1, 1890—ADJOURNED MEETING, 10 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Gallup (President), Borden, Hutchins.
The reading of minutes of previous meetings was dispensed with.
The President submitted the following report:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE.

The President reports the following business transacted since the last meeting:

The form of permit presented by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for the construction of a station at Bronx Park was sent to the Corporation Counsel for his approval, and having been approved as to form, was executed. Consideration, \$100 per year. One year's notice of revocation of permit.

Letter received from the Paymaster suggesting that the fortnightly pay-rolls be made out monthly, in view of the additional work caused by the new act providing for weekly pay-rolls for per diem Laborers. Referred to the Comptroller for his views concerning the proposed change. He replied that he saw no necessity therefor. Both communications are submitted.

Concerning the preservation of the Obelisk, appointments were requested with Professors Gallatin, Julien and Newberry. They were asked to conduct the experiment suggested in their report and have accepted, and the matter will be forwarded as fast as possible. The proposition of the Stone and Brick Water Proofing Company to make the experiment is laid before the Board.

The band-masters of the various regiments in New York were notified that, in accordance with a resolution passed by the Board, no musician who is a member of any band belonging out of the city shall be allowed to play in the public parks.

The President has received a request from residents at Riverdale for the repair of Bettner's lane, which is said to be used habitually as a thoroughfare. Doubt has arisen as to whether Bettner's lane is private property, and the President wishes instructions as to whether he shall cause any streets which are wholly private property, but used by the public, to be repaired at the expense of the Department. The opinion of the Corporation Counsel has been requested upon the subject.

The Captain of Police asks that a forge be placed at the Sheepfold for shoeing the police and light driving horses with hand-made shoes. The Purchasing Clerk reports the estimated cost at \$62.10 and informs the President that the outside cost will not exceed \$100.

Concerning the matter of weekly pay-rolls, the President, on June 24, appeared before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and requested, subject to the approval of this Department, that permission be given for the employment of two additional clerks for that purpose. The matter was referred to the Comptroller, and Mr. Coleman suggested that in the meantime details of Laborers would be proper. Mr. Phillips, of the Civil Service Board, concurred in that view; but the President stated that he did not concur in the propriety of making permanent details if the Civil Service Act required an examination.

The President, as a Committee of this Board, to determine the compensation of Mr. Boller, as Engineer of the new bridge at Seventh avenue, conferred with the Board of Estimate. Mr. Boller's agreement with them was that, in case he was retained as engineer of the bridge, his fees will be four per cent. for the bridge and the viaduct, instead of five; and that he would furnish inspectors and office facilities and would incur certain other liabilities to be paid out of his compensation. The President of the Department of Taxes suggested that there should be one set of engineers and inspectors employed by this Department and the Department of Public Works to save expense, whose pay could be apportioned and charged to the two accounts respectively. No action was, however, taken upon that suggestion. Recommend that Mr. Boller be employed upon the terms already agreed to by the Department of Public Works, if approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The President recommends that the amount paid last year for sprinkling the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, viz., \$4,000, be authorized to be expended this year out of the total amount allowed for the care of the streets in those wards by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The amount allowed this year was \$160,000, to include sprinkling. The amount allowed last year was \$150,000, and the sprinkling was extra.

Concerning the resolution for the sale of such houses in the New Parks as are not to be preserved permanently, the President reports that no intelligent selection has been ever made so far as he can learn, but that the views of the Inspector of the New Parks have heretofore been the only guide that the Department has received; and he asks instructions concerning the selection of the buildings to be preserved. The President of the Department of Taxes and the Comptroller have stated that, in their opinion, it is the duty of this Department to obtain all the rental possible from the buildings in the New Parks, and the Corporation Counsel has advised that it is the duty of this Department to do so. In this view the President recommends that the buildings to be sold shall be selected intelligently, but that the sale shall take place not earlier than the fall, when the present occupants shall have moved out and the buildings will bring a higher price when sold.

Concerning the sale of privileges to lease boats and to conduct refreshment places in the New Parks, the President, to whom was referred the question of compensation, reports that in his opinion those privileges should be sold to the highest bidder, provided that he is such a person as the Board is willing to place in charge. The President does not desire to make any arrangement with private business on his own responsibility.

The following communications were received:

From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting copies of the following ordinances:
1st. To pave with trap-block pavement One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Third avenue to Prospect avenue.

2d. To regulate, grade, etc., One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Third to Franklin avenue.

3d. To regulate, grade, etc., One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Jerome avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West.

Referred to the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

From the Clerk of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting a copy of resolution transferring the sum of two thousand dollars from the unexpended balance of the appropriation "Harlem River Bridges—Special Repairs," etc., for 1889, to the appropriation for "Maintenance, etc., for 1890," to be used for the purpose of improving the triangle at Seventy-second street and Tenth avenue.

On motion of Commissioner Gallup the Superintendent of Parks was directed to prepare plans for the improvement of the plot.

From the Comptroller, inclosing an application of the Memorial Arch Committee, asking that the sum of \$18,500 be set aside for the purpose of constructing foundations and doing certain other work in connection with the Arch. Filed. The Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller a copy of a communication received from the Committee having in charge the erection of the Arch, dated April 22, 1890, in which the Committee agreed to assume the cost of the work, and to also state that this Department has no available appropriation from which to make a transfer of funds for this purpose.

From W. E. D. Stokes, in relation to a site for the Zoological Garden. Filed.

From Lieutenant-Colonel G. L. Gillespie, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., in relation to the proposed reconstruction of McComb's Dam Bridge over Harlem river. Filed.

From Thomas E. Grace, asking that certain work of grading, etc., be done on Bristow street. Referred to the President.

From J. A. Paine, offering his services in connection with the proposed treatment of the Obelisk for its preservation. Filed.

From A. L. Tuckerman, architect, submitting the following estimates for repairing a chimney on the Metropolitan Museum of Art:

John Askey.....	\$550 00
John G. Lord.....	220 00
William Haw.....	190 00

On motion, an order was authorized to be issued to the lowest bidder for doing the work by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From Samuel Conover, General Inspector in charge of the New Parks, reporting upon a petition for the improvement of a portion of Crotona Park as a ball ground.

On motion, the President was authorized to have the work done as recommended by the General Inspector, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From the Topographical Engineer, reporting upon a petition to reduce the width of Prospect avenue north of Crotona Park. Filed.

From the Engineer of Construction:

1st. Submitting an approximate estimate of the cost of widening the bridle paths in Central Park.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the plan dated March 11, 1890, for widening the bridle paths in Central Park, approved by this Board March 12, 1890, be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for approval, with the request that the Comptroller be authorized and directed to issue bonds to the amount of \$15,500, as provided by chapter 575 of the Laws of 1887, for the purpose of carrying out so much of the work shown on said plan as provides for the widening of the bridle path.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

2d. Reporting in relation to the abandonment by the contractor of the work of paving walks, platforms and esplanades in Morningside Park.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the contractor for paving the walks, etc., in Morningside Park was ordered notified to discontinue all work under his contract, as provided by the terms thereof.

From George F. Doak, contractor, applying for an extension of time on his contract for repaving Transverse Road No. 3, crossing Central Park. Referred to the Engineer of Construction to report.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

1st. Submitting a plan and specifications for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

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

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

2d. Submitting a time statement on the work done under Treasurer's Order for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Third and Morris avenues. Filed.

3d. Submitting a time statement on the work of regulating, grading, etc., Rose street, from Third to Bergen avenues. Filed.

4th. Reporting relative to damage done the sewer in Railroad avenue, East, by William H. Monks, who opened the street without a permit and left the sewer exposed.

On motion, the matter was referred to the Corporation Attorney.

From the Property Clerk, submitting a statement of auction sale of wool, sheep and disabled horses, amounting to \$390. Filed.

From the Superintendent of Parks:

1st. Reporting upon an application of the Superintendent of Fire Telegraph for permission to establish testing stations at the Eighty-fifth street stables and at the shops. Referred to the President for examination and report.

2d. Recommending the acceptance of an offer of William Miller to deliver mould free of charge at Seventy-second street and Riverside Park.

On motion, the Superintendent was authorized to accept the mould offered.

From the Landscape Architect and Superintendent of Parks, reporting relative to a site for the statue of Alexander L. Holley and recommending as a proper location a point west of the central fountain in Washington square, as shown on accompanying diagram.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the site as recommended was approved and designated.

From the Captain of Police, reporting the death, on 29th ultimo, of Park Policeman James F. McGonigal. Filed.

Commissioner Hutchins offered the following:

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is authorized to have an analytical index of the minutes of this Board for the year ending April 30, 1890, prepared, at an expense not to exceed seventy-five dollars.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

The Secretary submitted the following reports of the Auditing Committee, and stated that, in the absence of a meeting, he had, by direction of a majority of the Commissioners, transmitted the bills therein audited to the Finance Department for payment:

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

Abeel Brothers, nails.....	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	\$8 16	
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc..	61 05	
			\$69 21
Bucki, Charles L. & Co., yellow pine.....	New Parks north Harlem River—Care and Maintenance of.....		54 00
Bucki, Charles L. & Co., plank, oak, etc.	Zoological Department.....	\$132 03	
	Morningside Park—Maintenance of.....	34 75	
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc..	245 68	
			412 46
Barron & Co., James S., axle grease, etc.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc..	12 66	
Barnes, John S., sod.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc..	200 00	
Bayne's 60th Regiment Band.....	Music.....	170 00	
Cooper, Hewitt & Co., wire.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc..	29 11	
Chalfin, S. F., petty disbursements.....	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	\$13 15	
	Surveying, Laying out, etc....	83 49	
			96 64
Colwell Lead Co., furnaces.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc..	18 40	
Coffin, Paul C., pails, etc.....	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....		28 95
Curley, M., wagon top, 1889.....	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance.....	85 00	
Curley, M., wagon top.....	Police—Supplies.....	85 00	
Conterno Luciano.....	Music.....	510 00	
Cappa, C. A.....	Music.....	920 00	
Decker & Sons, T. W., milk.....	Zoological Department.....	21 84	
Dunham, T. C., oil whitening.....	Zoological Department.....	\$1 80	
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc..	111 11	
			112 91
"Evening Sun," The, advertising.....	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....		70 20
Gillis & Geoghegan, boiler plates.....	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.....		2 50

Harrison, M. & Son, repairs, etc.	Zoological Department.	\$517 38
Higginum Mfg. Corporation, scythes, etc.	Riverside Park and Avenue—Maintenance.	\$19 74
	Morningside Park—Maintenance of.	12 39
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	123 62
Lovett, J. T. & Co., plants.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	74 25
		155 75
Merrill Wehle Charcoal Co., charcoal.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	6 00
Morris, Little & Son, phenyle.	Zoological Department.	7 50
Myers, C. H., petty disbursements.	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards	\$5 19
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.	26 18
		31 37
McGlone, Wm., sod.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	300 00
New York Belting and Packing Co., hose.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	36 00
O'Duffy, E., horses, etc.	Zoological Department.	43 00
Robitzek, G. & Bros., coal.	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.	90 00
Robitzek, G. & Bros., coal.	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards	118 75
Ridabock & Co., gold lace.	Police—Supplies	15 00
Sellew, T. G., desk.	Surveys, Maps and Plans.	60 00
Sloane, W. & J., linoleum.	Surveys, Maps and Plans.	54 52
Scott, D., fish	Zoological Department.	\$38 75
Temple & Beard, plants.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	105 00
Thorburn, James M. & Co., grass seed.	Morningside Park—Maintenance of.	15 20
Thorburn, James M. & Co., oats	Riverside Park—Construction.	7 50
Ward, Thomas, coal.	Riverside Park and Avenue—Maintenance of.	\$14 25
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	109 25
		123 50
“World” The, advertising.	Surveys, Maps, and Plans.	75 60
Young, Charles C., bread.	Zoological Department.	74 40
Young, William, sod.	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.	400 00
		\$5,248 35

RECAPITULATION.	
Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, etc.	\$1,832 13
Labor, Maintenance—General Maintenance, 1889.	85 00
Police Supplies	100 00
Survey Maps and Plans.	307 81
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	152 89
Riverside Park—Construction.	7 50
New Parks north Harlem river—Care and Maintenance of.	54 00
Music.	1,600 00
Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.	92 50
Riverside Park and Avenue—Maintenance	33 99
Zoological Department.	836 70
Surveying, Laying Out, etc.	83 49
Morningside Park—Maintenance of.	62 34
	\$5,248 35

Amounting to the sum of five thousand two hundred and forty-eight dollars and thirty-five cents.

NEW YORK, June 30, 1890.

A. GALLUP, Auditing Committee.	
The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:	
Babcock, George E., payment on acceptance. Regulating Rose street, from Third avenue to Bergen avenue.	\$635 86
Babcock, George E., payment on acceptance. Regulating 140th street, from Third avenue to Morris avenue.	768 33
Curran, John & Co., Estimate No. 5. Sewer in Bungay street, Westchester, Wales avenue and 156th street.	6,532 40
O'Grady, J. W., Estimate No. 5. Sewer Burnside avenue, between Webster and Creston avenues.	1,551 90
McQuade, John, Estimate No. 32. Regulating Brook avenue, N. Y. & H. R. R., 487 feet south of 132d street.	2,709 00
Montgomery & Pease, Estimate No. 2. Sewer 152d street, Railroad avenue, East, to Courtland avenue.	1,161 26
	\$13,358 75

RECAPITULATION.	
Street Improvement Fund.	\$10,649 75
Local Improvement Fund.	2,709 00
	\$13,358 75

Amounting to the sum of thirteen thousand three hundred and fifty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents.

NEW YORK, June 30, 1890.

On motion, the action of the Secretary in forwarding the above-mentioned bills to the Finance Department for payment at the direction of a majority of the Commissioners was approved, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

On motion, at 11.10 A. M., the Board went into executive session.

The following communications were received:

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board:

1st. Submitting the following list of persons eligible for appointment as Park Policemen:

James O'Connor.

J. F. McCarthy.

James Hayes.

Charles Hodgins.

James A. Doyle.

Thomas H. Finn.

James E. Young.

Filed.

2d. Reporting Joseph P. Ryan as eligible for promotion, from the first to second grade of Clerkship. Filed.

3d. Reporting W. E. Dey as eligible for promotion from the grade of Computer to that of Assistant.

On motion, the designation of W. E. Dey was changed from Computer to Assistant, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, recommending that the pay of certain employees under him be increased.

Commissioner Borden offered the following:

Resolved, That the pay of the following-named employees be fixed at the amounts placed opposite their respective names, viz.:

Charles H. Graham, Assistant Engineer.....	\$2,000 00 per annum.
E. F. Austin, Assistant.....	1,200 00 “
W. E. Dey, Assistant.....	1,100 00 “
J. C. L. Rogge, Rodman.....	900 00 “
H. Palmer, Jr., Clerk.....	1,200 00 “

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

W. HUTCHINS, } Auditing Committee.

A. GALLUP, }

From George S. Welsh, Assistant Engineer, applying for an extension of his leave of absence for three months from May 15.

On motion, an extension of leave of absence was granted for three months, without pay.

From Edgar Schroeders, Draughtsman and Computer, applying for an increase of salary.

On motion, the pay of Edgar Schroeders was fixed at \$1,200 per annum, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From the Captain of Police:

1st. Recommending the appointment of an additional Sergeant.

On motion, the Roundsmen were ordered sent to the Civil Service Examining Board for examination as to their qualifications for promotion.

2d. Recommending the establishment of a blacksmith's shop at the Sheepfold in Central Park for making horseshoes and shoeing horses.

Referred to the Superintendent of Parks for report.

From the Surgeon of Police, reporting relative to the condition of Park Policeman John Powers. Referred to the President.

From Park Policemen who have been on the force for over one year, applying for an increase of salary. Filed.

The Board then proceeded to consider evidence taken in the trials of Park Policemen:

John F. Mooney—Charged with conduct unbecoming an officer.

On motion, charge dismissed.

Cerdes Schaefer—Charged with violation of rules and conduct unbecoming an officer, was found guilty as charged and cautioned.

John F. Purcell—Charged with violation of rules and conduct unbecoming an officer, was found guilty as charged and cautioned.

James Ryan—Charged with being off post and in a large beer saloon. On motion, charge dismissed.

On motion, at 11.50 A. M., the Executive Session arose and the Board adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. DURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 9, 1890.—STATED MEETING 11 A. M.

Present Commissioner Gallup, President.

A quorum not being present, no business was transacted.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

MONDAY, JULY 14, 1890.—SPECIAL MEETING, 11 A. M.

Pursuant to the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
July 9, 1890.

Mr. CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, etc.:

SIR—You will please issue notices for a meeting of the Board to be held on Monday next, 14th instant, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the purpose of transacting miscellaneous business.

Respectfully,

A. GALLUP, President D. P. P.

Present—Commissioner Gallup, President.

A quorum not being present, no business was transacted.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16, 1890.—SPECIAL MEETING, 11 A. M.

Pursuant to the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
July 14, 1890.

Mr. CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, etc.:

SIR—You will please issue notices for a meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday, 16th instant, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the transaction of miscellaneous business.

Respectfully,

A. GALLUP, President, D. P. P.

Present—Commissioners Gallup (President), Borden, Hutchins.

On motion, the reading of minutes of previous meetings was dispensed with.

The President submitted the following report:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
July 14, 1890.

President's report since the last meeting of business transacted:

Upon the question of procuring assistance for the Paymaster and Property Clerk, in view of the large demands upon his office because of the Weekly Payment law, I have detailed a Laborer temporarily to perform clerical work upon the suggestion of the Secretary of the Civil Service Board, Mr. Phillips, and the President of the Department of Taxes, made at the last meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Upon this question, inasmuch as Civil Service Regulation No. 1 makes certain exceptions to the operation of the rules in the case of assistants to officers who are responsible for the public funds and who may have given bonds to the City, I have asked the opinion of the Corporation Counsel as to whether such an appointment comes under the Civil Service Act. If not, then the detail can be continued. If it does, an application (which has already been made by me informally to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment) for the transfer of sufficient funds to pay clerk hire will have to be pressed, inasmuch as the special appropriation of this Department for clerk hire will not be sufficient.

Application has been made by the Chairman of the Grand Army Committee for the reinstatement of one Carpenter and four Painters whose names are given by him. Doubtless these men would be regarded as applicants for appointment and would have the preference.

Concerning vacancies among other mechanics in the Park, in case any should occur, I have asked the opinion of the Corporation Counsel as to whether the former employees who are discharged soldiers should have preference for reinstatement, although they are not applicants for the places. The Superintendent of Parks informs me that he is not disposed to recommend the reinstatement of all the Grand Army men who have been discharged. Both opinions will be laid before the Board when received.

Pursuant to the resolution heretofore passed for the removal of houses in the New Parks, the President, on July 4, 5 and 6, made an inspection of all houses in Pelham Park and of almost all houses and buildings in the Bronx Park, and a report in detail is now being prepared.

In the course of this examination it was found that several abuses had existed in those parks for some time past; several boarding-houses were being conducted, in one case with twenty boarders, in another of seventeen.

A Mrs. Hyatt, who pays \$5 per month and who is in arrears, and who is occupying one of the houses in Bronx Park, has seventeen cows and four horses which pasture on the park, although she hires another pasture outside of the limits.

A man named Dougherty has a dairy with sixty or seventy cows (as I was informed) in the Bronx Park, on the western boundary of it. Dougherty, however, says he has only twenty-three.

Next to Mrs. Hyatt's place, between her house and the Southern Boulevard in the Bronx Park, a Frenchman, named "Francois," runs a lager-beer saloon. It is said that he has lived there for several years, and that, although his business was notorious, as I am informed by Mr. Parsons, he has never been removed. His house had empty beer kegs around the door. He came to the door with a barkeeper's apron on, and persons were drinking beer from bottles on the road leading from there. Orders have been given to the police to eject him forthwith and shut up the place.

Concerning the privileges asked for to rent boats and to sell refreshments on Pelham Bay, I report that Flynn, whose place is at the western end of the City Island Bridge, is said to own the buildings that he is in, they not having been purchased by the City. If this is so, the Department cannot interfere with him, unless his buildings are to be removed. He has, however, paid rent and has offered to pay a license fee for his privileges, which I recommend should be granted.

Lawrence's place, near Pelham Bridge, is very respectable, as the police report. Watson, who has just purchased thirty new boats, and who wishes to rent them on a part of Pelham Bay on City Island road, relying upon Mr. Parsons' assurance that he would approve his application as he states, is well spoken of by the police. Although at first the necessity for establishing these places did not seem great, yet, after having gone all over the ground, it seems quite proper that such privileges should be granted, as at present the parks do not furnish much recreation; and if fishing is not permitted, there will be little or no attraction for visitors from the city. I have, therefore, subject to the Board's approval, given Watson a permit at a five per cent. fee upon his gross receipts, and the same to Lawrence. In Lawrence's case he will, in addition, pay the rent fixed for his cottage until it is removed. I recommend that Flynn be required to pay five per cent. also.

I also examined the roads through Pelham and in the vicinity of the Bronx Park, which are in very bad condition. Pelham Road is about three miles long, and is the only thoroughfare to New Rochelle from Pelham. An estimate is being made of the cost of repairing. The foundation can be made of stones taken from the stone walls in the fields, and there is plenty of gravel on the beaches, and the top covering can be made from cinders which can be purchased undoubtedly very cheaply from the railroad company at Fordham and carried up on freight cars.

Repairs are necessary to the Cromwell's Creek bridges, particularly the one leading up to Fleetwood Park. Inasmuch as the Engineer of Construction is the proper person, in my opinion, to supervise all such engineering work, I recommend that the care and inspection of all bridges whatever north of the Harlem river shall be turned over to him, instead of being in charge of the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Although these bridges are smaller than the Harlem river bridges, yet the travel over them is great, and it is, of course, essential that they should be kept in a safe condition.

A communication was received from Charles E. Coddington, Attorney for the New York Jockey Club, making the following proposition with regard to the plot of land on the Pelham Parkway of which the title is in litigation between the club and the City, and which forms a part of the Morris Race Course. The communication denies the validity of the condemnation proceedings, but Mr. Morris agrees to accept the award and concede their validity, and withdraw his action on appeal, provided that he may continue in the peaceable occupation of the land until the same may be actually needed for the Parkway and until the Parkway is to be actually laid out; he, meanwhile, to pay a fair rent, the amount to be suggested by this Board. In reply, Mr. Coddington was informed that the communication would be laid before the Board for its action.

In order that the Board might be fully informed in the premises, the application was sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for his opinion as to the powers of the Board in this regard, and the same, together with his opinion, will be submitted.

Pursuant to the direction of the Board heretofore given, after consultation with Professors Newberry and Julien and Mr. Caffall, the Superintendent was ordered to erect a scaffolding around the Obelisk, in order that unsound places in the stone might be again treated during the warm weather. The experiment to ascertain the depth of penetration will have already taken place by this time.

Concerning the condition of the Madison Avenue Bridge, a report has been received from the Superintendent of Parks to the effect that he will consult with the Engineer of Construction concerning the repairs. He says that the appropriation for the maintenance of the Harlem River Bridges is insufficient, and consequently the repairs must be limited. At the proper time I shall recommend to the Board that the condition of these bridges be made the subject of special remark before the Board of Estimate.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the action of the President in issuing licenses to Augustus Lawrence and R. M. Watson for letting boats at Pelham Bay Park, was approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

The following communications were received:

From the Comptroller, transmitting a report made by him to the Sinking Fund Commission, upon an application of property-owners, to widen One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Third and Elton avenues, and also a copy of resolution adopted by said Commission uniting in application to widen One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, as provided by chapter 446 of the Laws of 1889. Referred to the Topographical Engineer for report.

From the House and Real Estate Owners' Association of the Twelfth and Nineteenth Wards, transmitting copies of resolutions approving of the site selected for a Zoological Garden in Central Park. Filed.

From E. M. Harrison, asking the consent of this Department for changing the location of a fire hydrant at Duane Street Park. Approved.

From the Stone and Brick Water Proofing Company, proposing to make a test upon a block of granite to determine the depth of penetration of paraffine and the best conditions for its application to the surface of the Obelisk, as recommended by the committee who examined the Obelisk, at an expense not to exceed \$200.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the proposition was accepted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From Alfred P. Boller, in relation to his compensation for planning and supervising the construction of the proposed bridge over the Harlem river, near Seventh avenue.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the proposition made by A. P. Boller for the planning and construction of a bridge over Harlem river, near Seventh avenue, be approved and accepted, and that Mr. Boller's compensation be fixed at four per cent. of the cost of the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From District Assembly No. 49, K. of L., requesting that all the railings around the city parks be removed. Filed.

From H. B. Helmke, applying for permission to erect projections on an apartment house at the northwest corner of Eighty-third street and Central Park, West. Referred to the Architect for report and recommendation.

From J. C. Cady & Co., architects, submitting estimates for furnishing a sample iron exhibition case for the American Museum of Natural History.

On motion, an order for doing the work was authorized to be issued to William R. Pitt, the lowest bidder, at a cost not to exceed \$550, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From Edward Flynn, applying for the privilege of renting boats and selling refreshments from the building at the westerly end of City Island Bridge, Pelham Bay Park.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the President was authorized to issue a license to Edward Flynn for the privilege applied for, upon his agreeing to pay a sum equal to five per cent. of his gross receipts, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From Cyrus O. Hubbell, applying for a permit for Mrs. Julia A. Flynn to sell candy, etc., at the entrance to Mount Morris Park. Filed.

From the Property Clerk and J. Thomas Stearns, auctioneer, submitting statements of an auction sale of buildings, fences, etc., on Jennings, Bristow and Chisholm streets, amounting to \$184.50. Filed.

From the Topographical Engineer:

1st. Reporting upon a petition to change the lines of Tremont avenue at the intersections of two unnamed streets, as shown on an accompanying plan.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, said plan was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

2d. Submitting a map showing the proposed discontinuance of a street on the north line of the Wetmore estate, from Riverdale avenue to the first street west of it, Twenty-fourth Ward.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, said map was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

3d. Reporting upon a petition to change the width of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Carter to Third avenue, and submitting a plan showing the proposed change.

On motion of Commissioner Hutchins, said plan was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

4th. In relation to a proposed change in the lines of Fairmount place, from Prospect avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

On motion, a map showing the proposed change, was ordered placed on exhibition and advertised by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

5th. Reporting upon a petition of Dr. J. W. Chisholm to change the lines of Beekman and Crimmins avenues, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets. Filed.

6th. Reporting upon a communication from John Eichler in relation to the width of Fulton and Franklin avenues, between Third avenue and the Twenty-third Ward line. Filed.

From the Engineer of Construction:

1st. Reporting upon a communication from Wm. I. Martin, asking that Seventy-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, be paved with asphalt. Filed.

2d. Reporting as to the quality of the timber being used for the rebuilding of the draw span of McComb's Dam Bridge. Filed.

3d. Reporting upon an application of George F. Doak for an extension of time on his contract for relaying pavement, etc., on Transverse Road No. 3, crossing Central Park.

On motion of Commissioner Borden, the time for the completion of contracts with George F. Doak and the Johnson Company for repaving and laying railway tracks in Transverse Road No. 3, was extended twenty-five days on each by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From the Superintendent of Parks, reporting upon a communication from Alderman David Barry and others, complaining of the condition of Fifth avenue, between Ninetieth and Ninety-sixth streets. Filed.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Inclosing bills of the Central Gas-light Company and the Northern Gas-light Company for alterations and repairs to gas-mains of said companies in consequence of certain street improvements.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the bills of the Northern Gas-light Company, amounting to \$261.05, for alterations, removal, replacing, etc., gas-mains, necessitated by the prosecution of the following-named works, and chargeable to the assessment accounts for the same, viz.:

Constructing sewer in Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth streets, \$132.50.

Constructing a sewer in Third avenue, between the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards' line and One Hundred and Seventy-first street, \$128.55.

—be, and the same hereby are audited, approved, and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

Resolved, That the bills of the Central Gas-light Company, amounting to \$68.77, for alterations and repairs to gas mains, necessitated by the prosecution of the following-named works, and chargeable to the assessment accounts for the same, viz.:

Regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue, \$41.59.

Constructing outlet sewer in Railroad avenue, East, between Harlem river and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, \$27.18.

—be and the same hereby are audited, approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

2d. Submitting plans and specifications for sewers in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, with branch in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets; also in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and a point south of Carr street.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

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

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

3d. In relation to the importance of acquiring title to Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Moshulu Parkway, and recommending that every endeavor be made to secure an early confirmation of the proceeding for opening said avenue. Approved.

4th. Reporting relative to the importance of opening that portion of Brook avenue on the west side of the Port Morris Branch Railroad, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Third avenue, and recommending that its opening be urged by this Department.

On motion, the recommendation of the Engineer was approved, and the matter was referred to the Board of Street Opening and Improvement.

5th. Inclosing a communication from G. F. Boulard, Resident Engineer of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, asking whether the said company could be allowed to raise the grade of its tracks at the point where the railroad crosses Eastchester road, at Woodlawn station. Referred back to the Engineer for his recommendation.

6th. Reporting relative to delay in the work under contract for constructing an outlet sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Long Island Sound and Trinity avenue.

The Engineer appeared before the Board and was heard on the subject matter of his report.

Matthew P. Breen and Charles Jones, representing the contractor, appeared before the Board and were heard upon the subject of securing permission to open a trench to a sufficient extent in connection with the work on One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street sewer.

From John M. Tierney, asking the consent of this Department to the erection of a pavilion to be used as a restaurant at the Moshulu station of the New York and Northern Railroad. Referred to the President.

From the Captain of Police, inclosing an application from Roundsman William C. Egan for an allowance of full pay for time lost on account of sickness, 19 days.

On motion, the application of Roundsman Egan was granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Parks and Landscape Architect be directed to make plans forthwith, and submit them to the Board, for a drive connecting the East Side Drive with One Hundred and Tenth street, at Fifth avenue, in the Central Park.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

The President, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following reports:

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

Brown & Fleming, Estimate No. 1.....	Roa Hook gravel—Central Park.....	\$3,753 76
Gillis, Thomas J., Estimate No. 13.....	Sewer—Railroad avenue, East, across Harlem Railroad property, 161st street to Sherman avenue.....	1,088 26
Hanna, Robert, & Co., Estimate No. 1....	Parade Ground, Van Courtland Park—Drainage, grading, etc.....	5,126 62
O'Grady, Cornelius, Estimate No. 2.....	Regulating 138th street, St. Ann's avenue to Southern Boulevard.....	1,747 55
Warke, Robert L., payment on acceptance.	Madison Square Cottage—Alterations and additions..	1,383 00
		<u>\$13,099 19</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, etc.....	\$5,136 76
Street Improvement Fund.....	2,835 81
Parade Ground, Van Courtland Park—Drainage, grading, etc.....	5,126 62
<u>\$13,099 19</u>	

Amounting to the sum of thirteen thousand and ninety-nine dollars and nineteen cents.

NEW YORK, July 16, 1890.

W. HUTCHINS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

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

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

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

Del Genovese & Towle, Estimate No. 5....	Regulating Gerard avenue, from 138th street to Jerome avenue.....	\$1,137 50
Gerry, Allston & Co. Estimate No. 5.....	Regulating 3d avenue line, 23d and 24th Wards, to Pelham avenue.....	3,675 00
		<u>\$4,812 50</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Street Improvement Fund.....	\$4,812 50
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Amounting to the sum of four thousand eight hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.

NEW YORK, July 16, 1890.

W. HUTCHINS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

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

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

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

Doran, Charles L., sod.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc..	\$100 00
Central Park, Construction of, Approaches to Metropolitan Museum of Art.....		60 00
		<u>\$160 00</u>
Neuchatel Asphalt Company (The), repairs to walks.....	Zoological Department.....	631 50
Stern, Louis, police uniforms, payment on acceptance.....	Police—Supplies.....	4,459 20
Wootton, E. H., Seyssel rock.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc....	500 00
		<u>\$5,750 70</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, etc.....	\$600 00
Central Park, Construction of, Approaches Metropolitan Museum of Art..	60 00
Zoological Department.....	631 50
Police—Supplies.....	4,459 20
	<u>\$5,750 70</u>

Amounting to the sum of five thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars and seventy cents.
NEW YORK, July 16, 1890.

W. HUTCHINS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

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

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

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

Cady, J. C. & Co., services.....	American Museum Natural History, enlargement of.....	\$892 02
Smith, J. B., Estimate No. 2.....	American Museum Natural History, enlargement of.....	35,680 80
		<u>\$36,572 82</u>

RECAPITULATION.

American Museum of Natural History, enlargement of.....	\$36,572 82
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Amounting to the sum of thirty-six thousand five hundred and seventy-two dollars and eighty-two cents.
NEW YORK, July 16, 1890.

W. HUTCHINS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

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

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

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

American District Telegraph Co., messenger service.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	\$12 28
Abeel Brothers, steel.....	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	7 32
Bayne's 69th Regiment Band.....	Music.....	170 00
Brandes Mfg. Co., metallic tape.....	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	8 10
Brown, Martin B., binding, etc.....	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	100 00
Coffin, Paul C., drinking cups.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	7 00
Cooper, Hewitt & Co., wire.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	3 78
Chadborn & Coldwell Mfg. Co., repairs, etc.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	56 94
Colgate & Co., soap.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	11 80
Cappa, C. A., music.....	Music.....	230 00
Connor, George A., music.....	Music.....	110 00
Conterno, Luciano, music.....	Music.....	340 00
Dickinson Bros. & King, cement.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	132 50
Decker, Thompson W. & Son, milk.....	Zoological Department.....	14 70
Huffman, Theo. P. & Co., feed, etc.....	Zoological Department.....	\$49 00
	Police—Supplies.....	3 00
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	11 25
		<u>63 25</u>
Higginum Mfg. Corporation.....	Zoological Department.....	55
Knickerbocker Ice Co., The, ice.....	Zoological Department.....	25 12
Kueffel & Esser Co., tracing cloth.....	Riverside Park, Construction of, 72d to 79th streets.....	17 25
Lieboldt's 12th Regiment Band.....	Music.....	170 00
Mott, The, J. L. Iron Works, manhole covers, etc.....	Sewer and Drains.....	\$87 50
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	23 05
		<u>110 55</u>
Mutual District Messenger Co.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	92
McKesson & Robbins, drugs.....	Police—Supplies.....	28 63
Otis & Gorsline, drain pipes.....	Riverside Park, Construction, 72d to 79th streets.....	12 60
Otis & Gorsline, drain pipes.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	108 00
O'Duffy, E., birds.....	Zoological Department.....	6 00
Sturtevant, E. D., plants.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	200 00
Tucker, Cummings H., Jr., & Bro., wire.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	27 65
Willson, Adams & Co., timber.....	Bronx River Bridges.....	\$473 44
	Cromwell's Creek and other bridges.....	88 00
		<u>561 44</u>
		<u>\$2,536 38</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, etc.....	\$595 17
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	115 42
Music.....	1,020 00
Zoological Department.....	95 37
Police—Supplies.....	31 63
Cromwell's Creek and other bridges.....	88 00
Bronx River Bridges.....	473 44
Sewers and Drains.....	87 50
Riverside Park, Construction of, 72d to 79th streets.....	29 85
	<u>\$2,536 38</u>

Amounting to the sum of two thousand five hundred and thirty-six dollars and thirty-eight cents.
NEW YORK, July 16, 1890.

A. GALLUP, Auditing Committee.

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

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

The Secretary submitted the following reports of the Auditing Committee, and stated that, in the absence of a meeting, and by direction of a majority of the Commissioners, he had transmitted the bills therein audited to the Finance Department for payment.

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

Brown & Fleming, Estimate No. 2, trap-rock, gravel, etc.....	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	\$10,055 13
Dwyer, Thomas, payment on acceptance.....	Studio, etc., Metropolitan Museum of Art, completion of.....	1,811 00
Edison Electric Light Co., Estimate No. 2.....	Metropolitan Museum of Art, completion of.....	13,976 00
Leahy, M. J., Estimate No. 2.....	Sewer—Third avenue, 165th to 168th street.....	4,089 99
Morgan, J. Pierpont, Treasurer American Museum Natural History, salaries and wages, June.....	Maintenance—Museums.....	2,399 47
Morgan, J. Pierpont, Treasurer American Museum Natural History, gas, June.....	Maintenance—Museums.....	130 25
Ringle, Jacob & Sons, ventilators.....	Completion of.....	350 00
Weston, Theodore, services.....	Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion of.....	412 17
Wales, Salem H., Treasurer, salaries and wages, June, Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	Maintenance—Museums.....	3,361 75
		<u>\$36,585 76</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	\$10,055 13
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion of.....	16,549 17
Street Improvement Fund.....	4,089 99
Maintenance—Museums.....	5,891 47
	<u>\$36,585 76</u>

Amounting to the sum of thirty-six thousand five hundred and eighty-five dollars and seventy-six cents.
NEW YORK, July 10, 1890.

A. GALLUP, Auditing Committee.

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

Abeel Bros., steel.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	\$6 00
Anderson, Niles & Co., hay, etc.....	New Parks, north of Harlem river—Care and Maintenance of.....	26 84
Barron, Jas. S., & Co. bung, etc.....	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	\$14 25
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	3 00
		<u>17 25</u>
Brandis, Mfg. Co., engineer's level.....	Parade Ground in Van Courtland Park.....	140 00
Barnes, J. S., sod.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	100 00
Baynes, 69th Regiment Band, music.....	Music.....	510 00
Consolidated Gas Co., gas.....	Zoological Department.....	\$13 88
	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.....	11 88
	Police Supplies.....	17 62
	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	70 99
		<u>114 37</u>
Chadborn & Coldwell, Mfg. Co., mowers.....	Morningside Park, Maintenance of.....	88 76
Coffin, Paul C., sash cord, etc.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	18 00
Canda and Kane, sand.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	1 00
Chester, John, manure.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	360 00
Colwell Lead Co., valves, etc.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	\$7 43
	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.....	2 92
		<u>10 35</u>
Cappa, C. A., music.....	Music.....	1,150 00
Conterno, L., music.....	Music.....	170 00
Elizabeth Nursery Co., plants.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	70 00
Eben, Felix L., music.....	Music.....	680 00
French, S. A., whistles.....	Police—Supplies.....	15 00
Ferris, Edwin & Co., salt.....	Zoological Department.....	4 00
Hodgman Rubber Co., cloth.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	7 53
Harmer, Hays & Co., lap robe, etc.....	Zoological Department.....	\$0 38
	Parade Ground in Van Courtland Park.....	6 00
		<u>6 38</u>
Haggerty, J. Henry, oil.....	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.....	29 10
Higginum Mfg. Corporation, scythes.....	Riverside Park, Construction.....	20 05
Higginum Mfg. Corporation, scythes.....	Morningside Park, Maintenance of.....	\$3 13
Higginum Mfg. Corporation, scythes.....	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	4 46
		<u>7 59</u>
Howard & Morse, painting, etc.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	106 00
International News Co., books, etc.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	44 18
Kueffel & Esser Co., triangles, etc.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	19 72
Lieboldt's 12th Regiment Band, music.....	Music.....	805 00
Morgan, Geo. P., settees.....	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	9 00
McKesson & Robbins, gum, camphor, etc.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	24 99
New York Mutual Gas-light Co., gas.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	38 25
Nuhn & Strohaecker, screens.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	98 00
Paynes, B. W. & Sons, engine, etc.....	Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.....	834 00
Sury, P., insect powder.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	53 75
Stern, B. & Son, thread.....	Police—Supplies.....	8 00
Thorburn, J. M. & Co., peat, etc.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	\$15 00
	Zoological Department.....	2 80
		<u>17 80</u>
Tucker, Cummings, H., Jr., & Bro., waste.....	Harlem River Bridge Maintenance, and Special Repairs.....	10 54
Mason, F. H. D., petty disbursements, June.....	Labor, Maint., Supplies, etc.....	\$139 80
	Zoological Department.....	58 18
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	31 15
	New Parks, north of Harlem river—Care and Maintenance of.....	25 00
	Morningside Park, Maintenance of.....	7 60
	Parade Ground in Van Courtland Park.....	9 00
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards, 1889.....	11 00
		<u>281 73</u>
		<u>\$5,903 18</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, etc.....	\$1,183 64
New Parks, north of Harlem river—Care and Maintenance of.....	51 84
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	23 25
Parade Ground in Van Courtland Park.....	155 00
Music.....	3,315 00
Zoological Department.....	79 24
Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Special Repairs.....	888 44
Police—Supplies.....	40 62
Morningside Park, Maintenance of.....	99 49
Riverside Park, Construction of, Seventy-second to Seventy-ninth streets.....	20 05
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	35 61
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 1889.....	11 00
	<u>\$5,903 18</u>

Amounting to the sum of five thousand nine hundred and three dollars and eighteen cents.
NEW YORK, July 10, 1890.

W. HUTCHINS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

On motion, the action of the Secretary, in forwarding the above-mentioned bills to the Finance Department for payment, at the direction of a majority of the Commissioners, was approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the bill of P. J. Andrews, amounting to \$863.29, for plumbing work in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, be and the same hereby is audited, approved, and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From Theodore Weston, architect, transmitting the final estimate of work done under contract with the Wallis Iron Works for iron work, etc., on the enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and inclosing memoranda of bills for damage caused by neglect and carelessness of the workmen of the Wallis Iron Works and the Edison Electric Light Company. Referred to the President.

On motion, at 12 o'clock M., the Board went into executive session.

The following communications were received:

From the Comptroller, calling attention to the wages paid to double teams. Referred to the Superintendent of Parks and the Superintendent of Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards for report.

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board :

1st. Submitting the following list of persons eligible for appointment as Inspector of Paving :
Timothy S. Wheeler. John J. Farrell. Robert T. Creamer.
Filed.
2. Submitting the following eligible list for position of Inspector of Regulating and Grading :
C. J. Paradine. James L. Brown. Robert McParlan.
Filed.

From the Captain of Police, reporting favorably upon the probationary service of John W. Bagley, James McNerney and William A. Ryan.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following :

Resolved, That John W. Bagley, James McNerney and William A. Ryan be and they hereby are appointed Park Policemen.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From S. B. Downes, Assistant Engineer, applying for an increase of salary.

On motion, the salary of S. B. Downes was fixed at the rate of \$1,600 per annum, by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From the Mounted Squad of the Park Police, applying for leave of absence for one day of each month.

On motion of Commissioner Gallup, the application was granted by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From Robert McGinness, Inspector, applying for an increase of pay. Referred to the Architect for report.

From the Landscape Architect, applying for leave of absence for two months for the purpose of visiting Europe.

On motion, said application was granted by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

From Rev. George Nixon and others, requesting that a hydrant be placed in Crotona Park.

On motion of Commissioner Gallup, the request was approved and referred to the Superintendent of Parks for compliance.

The Board then proceeded to consider evidence taken in the trials of Park Policemen.

George Edwards—Charged with being off post, was found guilty and cautioned.

George Edwards—Charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged and again cautioned.

George Edwards—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

George Edwards—Charged with violation of rules and conduct unbecoming an officer, was found not guilty and acquitted.

George Edwards—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged and reprimanded by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Alfred C. Newell—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Henry Terpeny—Charged with neglect of duty, was found guilty as charge and cautioned.

Thomas Dillon—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged and cautioned.

Thomas Flynn—Charged with sleeping on post and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and reprimanded by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Thomas Flynn—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged, and reprimanded by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Thomas O'Shea—Charged with violation of rules and conduct unbecoming an officer, was found not guilty and acquitted.

Thomas A. Howard—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found not guilty and acquitted.

Thomas H. Armstrong—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged, and fined one day's pay by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Francis Coyle—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged, and reprimanded by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Thomas Dalton—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged, and fined one day's pay by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

John F. Mahoney—Charged with not properly patrolling, was found not guilty and acquitted.

Michael J. Nolan—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged and cautioned.

George Hampshire—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty and cautioned.

Joseph O'Brien—Charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found not guilty and acquitted.

John Maguire—Charged with intoxication, was found not guilty and acquitted.

John Maguire—Charged with disobedience of orders, was found guilty as charged, and fined two days' pay by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

Patrick Conroy—Charged with disobedience of orders, was found guilty as charged, and fined two days' pay by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Gallup, Borden, Hutchins—3.

On motion, at 12.25 P. M., the executive session arose and the Board adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 23, 1890—STATED MEETING, 11 A. M.

Present—Commissioner Hutchins.

A quorum not being present, no business was transacted.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 29th day of July, 1890.

Present—Commissioners MacLean, McClave, Voorhis and Martin.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Surgeon S. B. W. McLeod, twenty days, with pay.

C. Van Keuren, twenty days, with pay.

B. F. Dexter, twenty days, with pay.

B. F. Dexter, twenty days, without pay.

Captain William Thompson, Eighth Precinct, twenty days, with pay.

The Chief Clerk submitted a report of the operations and transactions of the Police Department and Force for the quarter ending June 30, 1890, which was ordered to be signed by the President and Chief Clerk, and forwarded to the Mayor.

Reports, Applications, etc., Ordered on File.

Death—Patrolman Patrick Hand, Twenty-first Precinct, 22d instant.

Charles Bull, General Theological Seminary—Asking extension of time for uniforming Special Patrolmen.

Superintendent—On request of the Commissioner of Public Works, for detail of additional officers at certain baths.

Charles P. Van Dyke—Relative to appointment on Police force.

A. A. Farley—Relative to new Police Precinct, between Ninety-ninth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets.

Ellen Ruin—For appointment as Matron.

Corporation Counsel—Relative to form of contract for new station-house in West Sixty-eighth street.

Roosevelt Hospital—Relative to ambulance service in Twenty-sixth Precinct.

Patrolman Nathan Hertz, Twenty-third Precinct—For transfer.

Charles L. Williams—For appointment as Patrolman.

Health Department—For detail of an officer to Sanitary Company.

Patrolman Thomas J. Diamond, Fourteenth Precinct—For promotion.

Captain Thompson, Eighth Precinct—Relative to conduct of Patrolman James Regan in firing pistol.

Applications for Civil Service Examination Referred to the Superintendent for Report.

Sergeant John Wiegand, Ninth Precinct.

Sergeant Frank W. Robb, Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Sergeant Thomas Lancer, Twelfth Precinct.

Application of Patrolman James Ivory, First Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Board of Examiners for citation.

Applications for Pension Referred to Committee on Pensions.

Bridget Quinn, guardian of children of Patrick J. Barry.

Eugene J. Cunningham, guardian of children of John Cunningham.

Elizabeth J. Quackenbush, widow of Robert H. Quackenbush.

Applications Denied.

Patrolman Daniel D. Groo, Thirty-second Precinct, for ten days' leave of absence.

William Heyer, Thirty-fifth Precinct, full pay while sick.

Applications Referred to Committee on Elections.

James J. Carter, James Evans and John J. Begg for appointment as Inspectors of Elections.

Charles H. Laske, Julius A. Klipp and Francis J. Kiernan for appointment as Poll Clerks.

J. Charles Davis and O. H. Hasselman, Indianapolis, proposing to furnish election booths.

Communications Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Mayor, from—Relative to removal of wires from poles on Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets, and Hudson street, between Beach and Spring streets, and placing the same in subways provided therefor.

George Wiley—Relative to payment for use of Twelfth Regiment Armory for Police, nineteen days.

Report of the Superintendent, inclosing \$127.50 fees for pistol permits, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into the Pension Fund.

Weekly financial statement of the Comptroller was referred to the Treasurer.

Report of Sergeant Langan, Sixth Precinct, relative to suspension of Patrolman John P. Shea, and relief from suspension by the Superintendent after examination by Dr. Fitch Douglas, was referred to the Board of Surgeons for examination and report.

Communications Referred to the Chief Clerk.

George W. Miller, Secretary People's Municipal League—For copies of Annual Report.

Charles B. Rohan, Editor "Boston Globe"—For copies of Annual Report.

A. J. Derdeaudringham, Commissioner of Police of Belgium—Acknowledging receipt of Police regulation, and asking further information.

Transfers, etc.

Patrolman Frank Jose, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.

William F. Cain, from Thirteenth Precinct to Fourth Precinct.

Francis B. Fabbri, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Sanitary Company (Tenement-house Squad).

Samuel T. Ferguson, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Thirty-third Precinct.

Michael Phelan, Twentieth Precinct, detail as Doorman during vacations.

Roundsman Charles G. Ryan, Twenty-second Precinct, detail as Acting Sergeant during vacations.

George B. Hulse, Thirty-fifth Precinct, detail as Acting Sergeant during vacations.

Resolved, That the detail of officers on excursions of St. John's Guild be continued during August.

Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman David Anderson, Ninth Precinct, July 24, 1890.

Joseph F. Collins, Sixteenth Precinct, July 29, 1890.

Daniels R. Collins, Twenty-fifth Precinct, July 27, 1890.

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen :

Henry Brumond.

Patrick J. Lynch.

John Short.

Adam J. Lambrecht.

James Elder.

Francis J. Finn.

Christopher Kuhn.

James F. Scanlan.

Edward Kelly.

Robert Loughlin.

Richard P. Stanton.

Michael J. Brennan.

Martin Cahill.

Edward T. Fitzgerald.

Charles Stripp.

Lawrence J. Hefferman.

Employed as Probationary Patrolmen.

Charles Goodwin.

Thomas Kelly.

James F. Hannan.

John Mayer.

William Burger.

Patrick Begley.

Richard C. Schumm.

John Daley.

John H. Shea.

John Sexton.

Andrew Schoelles, Jr.

M. E. Cushing.

Edward Quinlan.

Timothy Culhane.

Samuel Hall.

Edgar T. Clark.

William Kennell.

John E. O'Brien.

Thomas Lynch.

Michael Coughlin.

To Civil Service Board for Examination.

Sergeant Thomas F. McEvoy, Twentieth Precinct.

Roundsman James G. Cooper, Jr., Central Office.

Retired Officers—all aye.

Patrolman William Gardner, First Precinct, \$600 per year.

Resolved, That the appointment of B. F. Regan as Special Patrolman for Bloomingdale Bros. be and is hereby revoked.

Resolved, That the date upon which the rule providing for uniform for Special Patrolmen, fixed by resolution of June 24, 1890, be changed to September 15, 1890.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of the Police Department and Force and of the Central Department for the month of July, 1890, when properly audited and approved, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all aye.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to again apply for copy of stenographer's notes of evidence of Clark Bell and Captain Killilea, relative to No. 777 Sixth avenue, and of John Sheridan, relative to No. 294 Bowery.

Communication from Jacob Haubert, No. 518 East Sixteenth street, complaining of disorderly persons, was referred to the Superintendent for attention.

On reading and filing communication from the Secretary of the Civil Service Board submitting amendments to Civil Service regulations, it was

Resolved, That Rule 178 be and is hereby amended as follows, as to schedule of height and weight :

HEIGHT.	MINIMUM WEIGHT, POUNDS.	HEIGHT.	MINIMUM WEIGHT, POUNDS.	HEIGHT.	MINIMUM WEIGHT, POUNDS.
5.7½.	133.	5.11.	150.	6.3.	170.
4.8.	135.	6.0.	155.	6.4.	175.
5.9.	140.	6.1.	160.		
5.10.	145.	6.2.	165.		

Resolved, That the bill of G. H. & C. B. Colton & Co. for election maps be referred to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay to Patrolman John W. Taylor the salary due him, as follows—all aye.

May, 1890, \$13.15 ; June, 1890, \$98.62 ; July, 1890, \$69.04.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all aye :

William Allen, expenses.....	\$6 30	N. Y. Belting & Packing Co., hose...	16 00
Baker, Smith & Co., repairing boiler, etc.....	89 03	N. Y. Boat Oar Co., oars.....	28 80
Bramhall, Deane & Co., repairing furnaces.....	24 90	Nicholson & Galloway, rep'g roof...	19 61
Cassidy & Son Mfg. Co., gas fittings.....	8 50	Patterson Bros., hardware.....	83 50
Otis Corbett, wardrobes.....	374 00	Peters & Calhoun Co., horse-brushes.....	78 00
I. H. Dahlman, horses.....	750 00	“ “ rep'g saddles.....	7 00
Thos. C. Dunham, shellac, etc.....	34 15	Alex. Pollock, oil, etc.....	57 45
“ “ glass.....	1 50	George Reed, expenses.....	7 30
Fraze & Co., horse-feed.....	267 90	T. G. Scllew, table.....	3 75
Frank A. Hall, repairing mattresses.....	4 75	W. H. Scheifflin & Co., bandages, etc.....	82 00
Jenkins & Tregarthen, float stage.....	110 00	“ “ drugs.....	16 00
W. W. Jones, sweeping flues.....	46 25	“ “ sponges, etc.....	20 18
Robert Lefferts, soap.....	4 75	“ “ oil, etc.....	10 98
Metropolitan Telephone & Telegraph Co., rent telephones.....	47 35	Ward & Olyphant, coal.....	329 23
*J. L. Mott Iron Works, plumbing materials.....	20 12	“ “ “.....	22 50
			\$2,591 80

*Commissioner MacLean not voting.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman John Collins, First Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ John G. McGinn, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Edward C. Frizzell, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Joseph Murphy, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Anthony F. Bolz, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Peter J. Tucker, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Henry Dunstrup, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Frederick J. Eigen, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Abel R. Van Tassel, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John McCue, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ William T. Frost, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Bernard P. McMahon, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
“ Frank S. Masterson, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ James Quinn, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Joseph H. McCauley, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Joseph H. McCauley, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Henry Holzman, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ William F. O'Neil, Eighth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, seven days' pay.
“ Robert R. Reed, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Henry J. Seymour, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
“ James T. McCabe, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Charles H. De Voursnuy, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Michael O'Sullivan, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Alonzo C. Winchell, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ George A. Neal, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John L. Maher, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Isaac Miller, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
“ Bernard Finnegan, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Thomas H. Devine, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John J. Lussier, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John T. Coyle, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John J. Bowe, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John Wohlfarth, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Daniel Meenan, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Henry M. Brown, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ James Whalen, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Charles Neitner, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Charles S. Schneider, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ James Tivers, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Joseph J. Curran, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Charles Lake, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Joseph Meade, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Eugene Moran, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Nicholas Becker, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Dennis O'Connell, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Philip Oppenheimer, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Artemas Mitchell, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Thomas F. Moloney, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ George E. Hauser, Twenty-first Precinct, violation of Rule 508, three days' pay.
“ Peter J. Klein, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John J. Meagher, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John J. Meagher, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Jeremiah Moran, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John J. Dien, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Bernard McCauley, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Thomas A. Kelly, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
“ Peter Helmus, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Ira M. Rollins, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John Dickey, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John O'Brien, Twenty-fifth Precinct, violation of rules, five days' pay.
“ Wm. J. Rothman, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's day.
“ John M. Purcell, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's day.
“ Nathan W. Putnam, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Julius Didier, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John Dormody, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ William A. Clarke, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John Jordan, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Robert D. Gath, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ James Wright, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Joseph E. Burke, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ James L. Allen, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Charles C. Moyckel, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Fred. D. Schaffer, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Joseph O'Hara, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John H. Torbush, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Robert T. Clary, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ George F. McArdle, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
“ Philip Schmidt, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Philip Schmidt, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Bernard Smith, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John Kennedy, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ William Moore, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
“ Walter Pelletreau, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Thomas Devine, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Thomas Devine, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Charles Wiley, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Frank H. Sisson, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Matthew J. McCauley, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John G. Bukeschwerdt, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John G. Bukeschwerdt, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Frank C. Boeckell, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Michael J. Tarpey, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ William Egan, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Patrick Higgins, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Max Junker, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Oscar Reinhardt, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Andrew Wood, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ William Cleary, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Michael H. Foley, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John Oakley, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John Conovan, Street Cleaning Co., neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Christopher Farrell, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ James A. Black, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
“ Thomas J. Donovan, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Thomas J. Donovan, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
“ Charles W. Baker, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Edward Stohl, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

Patrolman Edward Stohl, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ James Smith, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Michael J. Reidy, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Thomas Coleman, Sixteenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming officer, seven days' pay.
“ Henry L. Hawkins, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John B. Smith, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Thomas F. Brady, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Isaac D. Coleman, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John Casey, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John Casey, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ John Casey, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ William H. Dudley, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Patrick O'Hara, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ William M. Roosa, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John McGrath, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Thomas H. Doyle, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Thomas H. Doyle, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Thomas Farrell, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Eugene Cooper, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Leander E. Terhune, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John Dowling, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ James J. Donnelly, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Fred B. Miller, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ James Ryan, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Charles M. Donovan, Eleventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, five days' pay.
“ Frederick Doerr, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ James F. Shea, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Samuel F. Kenney, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
“ Roger S. McCoy, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
“ Roger S. McCoy, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ William D. Tabell, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ William J. Ennis, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Adam G. Arneith, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Henry Warner, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, ten days' pay.
“ Charles Von Eiff, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Miles J. Forbes, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's day.
“ Miles J. Forbes, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Miles J. Forbes, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ George W. Bluemer, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, fifteen days' pay.
“ Martin Joyce, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Martin Joyce, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Henry L. Bliss, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ John L. Mullen, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Emil Leidel, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Edward Walsh, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Henry Scherb, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
“ Patrick J. Muldoon, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
“ Patrick J. Muldoon, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Reprimands.

Patrolman Patrick J. Kelly, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty.
“ Michael Murphy, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty.
“ Peter Hogan, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty.
“ Michael Gallagher, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty.
“ Michael O'Mara, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty.
“ John Merz, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty.
“ Frank W. May, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Eugene Mahoney, Sixth Precinct, conduct unbecoming officer.
“ Richard J. Claron, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty.
“ Edward Gray, Twenty-fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming officer.
“ David Montgomery, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty.
“ Patrick Duggan, Thirty-second Precinct, violation of Rule 199.

Adjourned.

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, August 8, 1890.

To the Supervisor of the City Record :

SIR—Pursuant to chapter 226, Laws of 1889, I herewith transmit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department of the City of New York for the week ending August 8, 1890 :

Applicants for Appointment.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	
Thomas F. Burns.....	79 Bank street.....	Engineer.....	Passed.
William Bauer.....	443 Tenth avenue.....	Machinist.....	“
John Becker.....	237 West Thirtieth street.....	Produce-dealer.....	Rejected.
Lawrence Carroll.....	402 West Thirty-second street.....	Photographer.....	Passed.
Thomas H. Colligan.....	324½ Eighth street.....	Driver.....	Rejected.
Edward Cummings.....	641 Hudson street.....	Ice-man.....	Passed.
Peter J. Curry.....	207 East Fifty-second street.....	Clerk.....	Rejected.
Charles Delmage.....	237 East Eighty-eighth street.....	Fireman.....	Passed.
Mose Engler.....	807 Washington street.....	Tailor.....	Rejected.
Louis Fleig, Jr.....	930 Delmonico place.....	Car-conductor.....	Passed.
John Hodge.....	81 Madison street.....	Machinist.....	“
Charles S. Hall.....	641 Hudson street.....	Ice-man.....	“
Julius Klein.....	165 Avenue C.....	Clerk.....	“
Elton E. Kent.....	161 East Thirty-ninth street.....	Salesman.....	“
Patrick J. Flynn.....	1061 Herriot street, Yonkers.....	Moulder.....	Rejected.
James E. Murray.....	{ One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, west } of Ridge road.....	Laborer.....	Passed.
James P. McCann.....	147 Sullivan street.....	Porter.....	“
Charles O'Connor.....	123 Worth street.....	“.....	“
Joseph P. O'Donnell.....	142 Willis avenue.....	Foreman.....	“
Ambrose N. Potissier.....	517 East Eighty-sixth street.....	Varnisher.....	Rejected.
James J. Walsh.....	27 Goerck street.....	Cooper.....	Passed.
Edward F. Fitzgerald.....	679 Seventh avenue.....	Brick-layer.....	“
Michael J. Brennan.....	54 Grand street.....	Truck-driver.....	“
Henry Brumond.....	528 Broome street.....	Mattress-maker.....	Rejected.
Christopher Kuhn.....	323 West Fourth street.....	Driver.....	Passed.
Edward Kelly.....	27 Columbia street.....	Clerk.....	“
John Short.....	405 West Seventeenth street.....	Carpenter.....	Rejected.
Richard Hamilton, Jr.....	285 Lenox avenue.....	Bookkeeper.....	Passed.
Thomas F. Lawler.....	89 Christopher street.....	Assayer.....	Rejected.
Edward H. Lynch.....	150 Skillman avenue.....	Piano-maker.....	Passed.
Frederick B. Weir.....	314 West Twentieth street.....	Driver.....	Rejected.

Appointed on Probation.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.
John J. Bryan.....	315 Delancey street.....	Shoe-cutter.
William Byrns.....	219 East Twenty-second street.....	Fireman.
Patrick Feeney.....	13 Sullivan street.....	Driver.
George Little.....	17 Baxter street.....	Clothes-cleaner.
Francis Mallon.....	759 Seventh street.....	Bartender.
Isaac F. Murphy.....	362 Pearl street.....	Porter.
Thomas McCarthy.....	141 Ninth avenue.....	Stone-cutter.
Henry R. McGlaulin.....	One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Boulevard.....	Nurse.
Frank Neumann.....	149 Chrystie street.....	Cigar-maker.
Patrick O'Donell.....	11 Mangin street.....	Fireman.
George Weigold.....	One Hundred and Thirty-first street, west of Twelfth avenue	Elevated Railroad Guard.

Respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
New York, August 9, 1890.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, August 8, 1890.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, Aug. 2.....	41	\$60 50
Monday, " 4.....	76	121 75
Tuesday, " 5.....	41	78 50
Wednesday, " 6.....	35	55 00
Thursday, " 7.....	58	141 00
Friday, " 8.....	51	86 75
Totals.....	302	\$543 50

DANIEL ENGELHARD,
Mayor's Marshal.MAYOR'S OFFICE,
New York, March 4, 1890.

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
New York, February 1, 1889.

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF 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. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
D. LOWBER SMITH, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES DALY, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

LOUIS STECKLER, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES F. MACLEARY, 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, to 12 M.

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FRANK I. 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; CHARLES J. MCGEE, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.

W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. MCGRATH, Examiner.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.

MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. 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.

RASTUS S. RANSOM, Surrogate; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

SUPREME COURT

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

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.

General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.

Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.

Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.

Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. MCCALL, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

General Term, Room No. 35.

Special Term, Room No. 33.

Equity Term, Room No. 30.

Chambers, Room No. 33.

Part I., Room No. 34.

Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.

Terms open, first Monday each month.

JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

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 twenty (20) 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.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 29, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing and altering the building of this Department, used as Quarters for Engine Company No. 7, at Nos. 22 and 24 Chambers street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, August 13, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within forty (40) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for his faithful performance in the sum of one thousand and five hundred (1,500) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of seventy-five (75) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 29, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing one-third size Amoskeag Harp Tank Steam Fire-engine, registered number 517, and fitting said engine with a boiler of the "La France nest tube" pattern, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock, A. M. Wednesday, August 13, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

The repairs are to be completed and delivered within sixty (60) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at fifteen (15) dollars.

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

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

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

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No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of forty-five (45) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF LEASE OF FERRY FOOT OF THIRTEENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, TO JERSEY CITY.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at his office, Room No. 15, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on Thursday, the 21st day of August, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon, a lease of the franchise of the ferry between West Thirteenth street, North river, and Jersey City, along with the wharf property used and required for ferry purposes belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, at the landing near the foot of said West Thirteenth street, for the term of ten years, from the first day of May, 1890, under a resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on July 2, 1890.

TERMS OF SALE.

Bids will be received for the franchise along with the wharf property belonging to the city at the landing of the ferry near the foot of West Thirteenth street, North river, at a rental not less than the minimum or upset price of \$2,500 per annum, the rent to commence with possession on September 1, 1890.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Comptroller at the time of sale twenty-five per cent. of the yearly rental bid by him, which shall be applied to the rent first becoming due, or be forfeited to the City if the lease is

not executed by him and his sureties when notified by the Comptroller that it is ready for execution; an obligation to be signed to that effect. He will be required to give bonds in double the amount of the yearly rental, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, providing for the faithful performance of the covenants and conditions of the lease and the payment of the rent, quarterly in advance.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Common Council relating to ferries, and the rules and regulations of the Department of Docks. A copy of the form of lease which the purchaser or lessee will be required to execute, which form is a part of the terms of sale, and is on file and can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The right to reject any bid is reserved, if it is deemed to be for the interest of the city.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 8, 1890.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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 3277, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Eighth and Edgecombe avenues, with alteration and improvement to curve at One Hundred and Forty-second street and Eighth avenue, and sewers in Edgecombe avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets.

List 3292, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

List 3294, No. 3. Paving Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fortieth to One Hundred and Fifty-first street, 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 Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, extending about 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Edgecombe avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth to Bradhurst avenue, and south side of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Edgecombe avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fortieth street to half way between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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 1st day of September, 1890.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHARLES E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 31, 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 3256, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fourth avenue, east side, between Seventy-second and Seventy-fourth streets; and in Seventy-second street, north and south sides, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

List 3276, No. 2. Sewer in Second avenue, between Ninth and Tenth streets.

List 3278, No. 3. Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Fourteenth street and Sixth avenue.

List 3279, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from Park to Fifth avenue.

List 3280, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding north side of One Hundred and Fifth street and south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 3281, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging west side of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets.

List 3282, No. 7. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding west side of Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventeenth to One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, and from One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-third streets; also north side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

List 3283, No. 8. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding Sixty-fifth street, from Central Park, West, to Ninth avenue.

List 3284, No. 9. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding, both sides of Eightieth street, from Avenue A to the East river.

List 3285, No. 10. Flagging and reflagging north side of Ninety-sixth street, from Lexington to Third avenue.

List 3286, No. 11. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding One Hundredth street, from Manhattan to Ninth avenue.

List 3287, No. 12. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding blocks bounded by Madison and Park avenues, One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets.

List 3288, No. 13. Laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

List 3289, No. 14. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eighth to Edgecombe avenue.

List 3290, No. 15. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets, Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

List 3291, No. 16. Fencing vacant lots, south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

List 3293, No. 17. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from the westerly side of St. Nicholas avenue to the westerly side of Ninth 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. Blocks bounded by Sixty-ninth and Seventy-fourth streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues excepting south side of Seventy-fourth street, and block bounded by Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, Third and Lexington avenues, and north side of Seventy-second street, from Third to Lexington avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Second avenue, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 3. South side of Fourteenth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from Fifth to Madison avenue, and south side of Ninety-fourth street, from Madison to Park avenue.

No. 5. South side of One Hundred and Sixth street, extending about 500 feet easterly from Tenth avenue, and north side of One Hundred and Fifth street, extending about 300 feet easterly from Tenth avenue.

No. 6. West side of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, on lot known as Block 955, Ward Number 34.

No. 7. West side of Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventeenth to One Hundred and Eighteenth street, and from One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-third street, and north side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Sixty-fifth street, from Central Park, West, to Ninth avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Eightieth street, from Avenue A to the East river.

No. 10. North side of Ninety-sixth street, from Third to Lexington avenue.

No. 11. North side of One Hundredth street, from Manhattan to Ninth avenue.

No. 12. West side of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Nineteenth to One Hundred and Twentieth street; north side of One Hundred and Nineteenth street; extending easterly about 310 feet, and south side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, extending about 150 feet easterly from Madison avenue.

No. 13. To the extent of half the block, from the northerly and southerly intersections of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

No. 14. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eighth to Edgecombe avenue.

No. 15. Block bounded by Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets, Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

No. 16. South side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, on Block 6.8, Ward numbers 61, 62 and 63.

No. 17. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to a point distant half way between Ninth and Amsterdam avenues, 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 August, 1890.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHARLES E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison on the ground and premises in the City of New York, to be located on the south side of West Sixty-eighth street, 100 feet east of Tenth avenue, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, the 19th day of August, 1890.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Building a Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison," 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 estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications,

plans, drawings and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

No estimates 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.

The entire work is to be completed within seven months from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars.

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 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, 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 (1) 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 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 and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, 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.

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 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 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.

No estimate for a sum in excess of SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$75,000) DOLLARS can be considered. Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.
NEW YORK, August 1, 1890.

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. until 4 P. M.

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY-GOODS, LEATHER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

- 7,940 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Wednesday, August 20, 1890.
1,500 pounds Cheese.
1,600 pounds Dried Apples.
2,400 pounds Barley, price to include packages.
4,600 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
1,000 pounds Macaroni.
4,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
3,000 pounds Prunes.
6,500 pounds Rice.
16,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
2,500 pounds Coffee Sugar.
1,600 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.
2,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.
600 pounds Corn Starch, in 1-pound packages.
1,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
100 barrels Crackers.
100 barrels American Salt, prime quality, 320 pounds net each; delivery to be made within fifteen days.
25 barrels Sal Soda.
100 bushels Beans.
3,540 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
100 bushels Rye.
40 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.
52 prime quality City-cured Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
26 prime quality City-cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.
631 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.
100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, to weigh 135 pounds net per barrel.
1,600 heads prime, good sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels.
173 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed 3 pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
50 bags coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
50 bags fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.

DRY-GOODS.

- 5,000 yards Stillwater Muslin.
10 bales Cotton Batts, 16 ozs. per pound—50 lb. bales.
100 packs Pins.
200 gross Safety Pins, No. 2, 120; No. 3, 80.
50 dozen Spectacles.

GROCERY.

- 1 gross Milk Pitchers.
5 gross Tumblers.
1/2 gross Basins.

LEATHER.

- 150 sides of Sole Leather, "good damaged," to weigh from 21 to 25 pounds.

125 sides Waxed Upper, to average about 17 feet. —will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, August 21, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry-goods, Leather, 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, 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, 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 (1) 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 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 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.

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, August 9, 1890.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,
Commissioners 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 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, August 21, 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, 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 (1) 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 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 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.

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, August 9, 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,
NEW YORK, August 4, 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 Thirty-fifth street, North river—Unknown man, aged 30 years; 6 feet high; sandy hair; light moustache. Had on brown pants and vest, white lawn-tennis shirt with red stripe, white stockings, laced shoes. Star tattooed on right arm.

Unknown man, from One hundred and Sixth street and Central Park, aged 35 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; black hair, sandy moustache, brown eyes. Had on blue coat and vest, black pants, blue flannel shirt, blue and white cotton socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from foot of Eighty-fourth street, North river, aged about 32 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blonde hair and moustache, gray eyes. Had on brown check coat and pants, gray mixed vest, blue shirt, white cotton drawers, gaiters, brown felt hat, deformed feet.

Unknown man, from Pier 21, North river, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair. Had on blue cotton jumper, brown vest, black pants, gray undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, red socks, gaiters.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Johanna Gray, aged 50 years. Committed June 24, 1890.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Ludwig Jacobson, aged 29 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted brown coat, pants and vest, laced shoes, straw hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, August 7, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING AN Earth and Masonry Dam, with Gate-house and appurtenances, for Reservoir "D," on the west branch of the Croton river, near Carmel, Putnam County, New York, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on August 27, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,
JAMES C. DUANE,
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, August 7, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING AN Auxiliary Earth and Masonry Dam, with Gate-house and other appurtenances, for Reservoir "D," near Craft's Station, in the Town of Carmel, Putnam County, New York, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on August 27, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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JAMES C. DUANE,
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
No. 301 MOTT STREET.
NEW YORK, August 9, 1890

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 22, 1890, AT 11 o'clock A.M., the Health Department will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at Nos. 120 and 122 East Thirteenth street, the following articles, viz.:

One CHESTNUT GLIDING, 10 1/2 hands high.
One EUGGY.

TERMS OF SALE.

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

CHARLES G. WILSON,
JOSEPH D. BRYANT, M. D.,
WILLIAM M. SMITH, M. D.,
CHARLES F. MACLEAN,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

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

HANS S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 349.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a New Wooden Pier, with its appurtenances, at the foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, North river, and depositing rip-rap stone in connection therewith, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, AUGUST 22, 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 Twelve Thousand One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

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

CLASS I.

NEW PIER.

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	18,842
" " " 12" x 12".....	85,218
" " " 12" x 12".....	3,630
" " " 12" x 12".....	132
" " " 10" x 12".....	3,777
" " " 10" x 10".....	844
" " " 8" x 10".....	540
" " " 8" x 15".....	1,160
" " " 7" x 14".....	450
" " " 9" x 12".....	140
" " " 8" x 12".....	1,876
" " " 7" x 12".....	2,842
" " " 6" x 12".....	2,664
" " " 5" x 12".....	4,650
" " " 8" x 10".....	84
" " " 8" x 8".....	3,222
" " " 7" x 9".....	47
" " " 5" x 11".....	7,984
" " " 5" x 10".....	14,269
" " " 4" x 10".....	41,680
" " " 2" x 4".....	2,356
Total.....	196,407

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

2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10".....	49,115
" " " 4" x 5".....	100
Total.....	49,215

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

3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12".....	2,464
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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, to be furnished and driven by the Contractor..... 341
(It is expected that about 94 of these piles will have to be about 90 feet in length, that about 56 will have to be from about 70 to about 90 feet in length, and that the remainder will have to be from about 60 to about 70 feet in length, to average about 65 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

5. White Oak Fender Files, about 70 feet long.... 14
6. 3/8" x 28", 3/8" x 26", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 16", 3/8" x 14", 3/8" x 12", 3/8" x 10", 3/8" x 8", 3/8" x 6", 3/8" x 4", 3/8" x 3", 3/8" x 2", 3/8" x 1", 3/8" x 1/2", 3/8" x 1/4", 3/8" x 1/8", 3/8" x 1/16", 3/8" x 1/32", 3/8" x 1/64", 3/8" x 1/128", 3/8" x 1/256", 3/8" x 1/512", 3/8" x 1/1024", 3/8" x 1/2048", 3/8" x 1/4096", 3/8" x 1/8192", 3/8" x 1/16384, 3/8" x 1/32768, 3/8" x 1/65536, 3/8" x 1/131072, 3/8" x 1/262144, 3/8" x 1/524288, 3/8" x 1/1048576, 3/8" x 1/2097152, 3/8" x 1/4194304, 3/8" x 1/8388608, 3/8" x 1/16777216, 3/8" x 1/33554432, 3/8" x 1/67108864, 3/8" x 1/134217728, 3/8" x 1/268435456, 3/8" x 1/536870912, 3/8" x 1/1073741824, 3/8" x 1/2147483648, 3/8" x 1/4294967296, 3/8" x 1/8589934592, 3/8" x 1/17179869184, 3/8" x 1/34359738368, 3/8" x 1/68719476736, 3/8" x 1/137438953472, 3/8" x 1/274877906944, 3/8" x 1/549755813888, 3/8" x 1/1099511627776, 3/8" x 1/2199023255552, 3/8" x 1/4398046511104, 3/8" x 1/8796093022208, 3/8" x 1/17592186044416, 3/8" x 1/35184372088832, 3/8" 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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 GERMAN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Westchester avenue to Brook avenue, and to RAE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from St. Ann's avenue to German Place, and to CARR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from St. Ann's avenue to German place, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first class streets or roads by the Department of Public Parks.

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

Dated NEW YORK, August 7, 1890.
SAMUEL R. ELLIOTT,
JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire title to certain lands required for a public park at or near Corlears Hook, in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 529 of the Laws of 1884, and of all other statutes in such case 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 the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of September, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, in the place and stead of Lytleton G. Garretson, deceased.

The nature and extent of the improvement intended to be effected by the prosecution of the above-entitled proceeding 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 of the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, and required for a public park at or near Corlears Hook, in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Jackson street with the southerly line of Cherry street; running thence easterly along said southerly side of Cherry street 575 feet to the corner formed by the intersection of the said side of Cherry street with the westerly side of Corlears street; thence southerly and along said westerly side of Cherry street 630 feet, more or less, to a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the bulkhead or waterfront established by the Board of the Department of Docks, and adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in the City of New York, under and pursuant to the provisions of section 6, chapter 574 of the Laws of 1871; thence westerly and along said line so distant 100 feet northerly from the said waterfront 575 feet to a point thereon formed by the intersection therewith of the easterly side of Jackson street, extending in a southerly direction to said point of intersection; thence northerly and along said easterly side of Jackson street, crossing a portion of South, Front and Water streets 630 feet, more or less, to the corner formed by the intersection therewith of the said southerly side of Cherry street, at the point or place of beginning.

Dated NEW YORK, August 7, 1890.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 22d day of August, 1890, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated NEW YORK, August 8, 1890.
FRANCIS C. DEVLIN,
EZRA A. TUTTLE,
ROBERT W. TODD,
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 LOCUST AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the south side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 280 Broadway (Room 4), in said city, on or before the thirteenth day of September, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said thirteenth day of September, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps,

and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the fifteenth day of September, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, prolonged easterly for 100 feet; easterly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly, from the easterly line of Locust avenue; southerly by the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, prolonged easterly for 100 feet; westerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly, from the westerly line of Locust avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved lands included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown 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 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 thirtieth day of September, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, August 2, 1890.
JOHN J. BRADY, Chairman,
BENJAMIN F. EDSALL,
SAMUEL E. DUFFEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 29th day of August, 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 Freeman street, extending from Union avenue to Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point in the west side of Chisholm street, distant 500 feet southerly from the intersection of the south side of Jennings street with the west side of Chisholm street:
1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Chisholm street for 60 feet;
2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right, for 812.44 feet;
3d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 43° 32' 26" to the right, for 2.08 feet;
4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 78° 23' 42" to the right, for 69.01 feet;
5th. Thence easterly for 777.45 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point in the east side of Chisholm street, distant 500 feet southerly from the intersection of the south side of Jennings street with the east side of Chisholm street:
1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Chisholm street for 60 feet;
2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 120.56 feet;
3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 12° 32' 06" to the left, for 99.44 feet;
4th. Thence easterly, deflecting 44° 45' 05" to the right, for 352.13 feet;
5th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 14° 35' 35" to the right, for 100.16 feet;
6th. Thence easterly, deflecting 38° 49' 09" to the left for 338.62 feet to the western line of Southern Boulevard.

7th. Thence northerly, along the western line of the Southern Boulevard for 100 feet;
8th. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the left for 293.73 feet;
9th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10° 07' 28" to the right, for 100.09 feet;
10th. Thence westerly, deflecting 14° 06' 05" to the right for 345.55 feet;
11th. Thence westerly, deflecting 38° 20' 58" to the left, for 83.92 feet;
12th. Thence westerly, for 171.53 feet to the point of beginning.

Freeman street, from Union avenue to South Boulevard, is designated a street of the first-class, and is partly 60 and partly 100 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, August 2, 1890.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 280 Broadway (Room 4), in said city, on or before the thirteenth day of September, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said thirteenth day of September,

1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the fifteenth day of September, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-first street; easterly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Walnut avenue; southerly by the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and westerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Walnut 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 thirtieth day of September, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, August 2, 1890.
JOHN H. KNOEPEL, Chairman,
RICHARD H. CLARKE,
JOHN H. SPELLMAN,
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 SEVENTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Weeks street 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.

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 tenth day of September, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said tenth day of September, 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 eleventh day of September, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, Morris avenue and Monroe place; easterly by the westerly line of Vanderbilt avenue, East, and the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, the centre line of the block between Wendover avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and a certain unnamed street or avenue running from Webster avenue to Anthony avenue and distant about 310 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, a line equidistant from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and the prolongation easterly of the northerly line of Walnut street from Topping street to Anthony avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Walnut street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street; and westerly by the easterly line of Webster street, the easterly line of Morris avenue and the easterly line of Weeks street; 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-fourth day of September, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, July 28, 1890.
MICHAEL J. KELLY, Chairman,
JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER,
SAMUEL R. ELLIOTT,
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 BREMER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Jerome avenue to Birch street, and to that part of DEVORE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Bremer avenue to Ogden avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first class streets or roads by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No.

200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the thirteenth day of September, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said thirteenth day of September, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the fifteenth day of September, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Devore street and Union street, and the southerly line of Birch street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Bremer avenue and Anderson avenue and a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly from, the easterly line of Bremer avenue, and extending from Anderson avenue to Jerome avenue; southerly by the northerly line of Jerome avenue and the centre line of the block between Devore street and Kemp place; and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Bremer avenue and Ogden avenue, the easterly line of Ogden avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Bremer avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue, being the first street or avenue westerly from, and having the same general direction as, Bremer 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-ninth day of September, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, July 31, 1890.
GEO. W. MCADAM,
JOHN H. MONAGHAN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 10th day of September, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly line of One Hundred and Fortieth street, from bulkhead-line of Hudson river to Tenth avenue; the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to Convent avenue; the prolongation easterly of the centre line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Convent avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the centre line of the block between Edgecombe avenue and Eighth avenue; easterly by the westerly lines of Tenth avenue, Convent avenue, Avenue St. Nicholas and the centre line of the blocks between Edgecombe, St. Nicholas and Manhattan avenues and Eighth avenue; southerly by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, the prolongation westerly of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Ninth avenue to Morningside avenue, and from the Boulevard to Twelfth avenue; and westerly by the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 23d day of September, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, July 21, 1890.
CHAS. H. HASWELL, Chairman,
THOS. J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to GERMAN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Westchester avenue to Brook avenue, and to RAE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from St. Ann's avenue to German place, and to CARR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from St. Ann's avenue to German place, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first-class streets or roads by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the sixth day of August, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within

the ten week-days next after the said sixth day of August, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at one o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the seventh day of August, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Third avenue and extending from the easterly line of the Port Morris Branch Railroad to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Clifton street and extending from the easterly line of Third avenue to the centre line of the block between Third avenue and Eagle avenue; easterly by the centre line of the block between Third avenue and Eagle avenue, the centre line of the blocks between St. Ann's avenue and Eagle avenue, and an irregular line commencing at a point in the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, equidistant from St. Ann's avenue and Eagle avenue, and extending in a general southerly direction between the lines of said avenues to its intersection with a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Westchester avenue; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Westchester avenue; and westerly by the westerly line of Brook avenue and the easterly line of the Port Morris Branch Railroad; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twenty-second day of August, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 27, 1890.
SAMUEL R. ELLIOTT, Chairman,
JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
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 Commonalty 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of August, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, July 28, 1890.
ROBERT W. TODD,
FRANCIS C. DEVLIN,
J. P. SOLOMON, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, August 8, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions on the dates mentioned:
Thursday, August 14, at 10 A. M., BUILDING INSPECTOR.

Tuesday, August 19, at 10 A. M., HOUSEKEEPER in Insane Asylums, Department of Charities and Correction.

Blank applications and other information may be obtained at the office of the Secretary, No. 30, Cooper Union.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

NOTICE.

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

3. Examinations will be held from time to time as 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 E shall include physicians, chemists, nurses, orderlies and attendants in the city hospitals and asylums, surgeons in the Police Department and the Department of Public Parks, and medical officers in the Fire Department.

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

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

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

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 8, 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. Thursday, August 21, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, from West End avenue to the Riverside Drive.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-FIFTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, from First avenue to the Harlem river.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET, between Park and Fifth avenues.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF MADISON AVENUE, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twentieth street.

No. 17. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SYLVAN PLACE, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first streets.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, from Manhattan street to the Boulevard.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF FIRST AVENUE, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

No. 20. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or

otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, July 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, August 12, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH, AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON SOUTH SIDE OF SIXTIETH STREET, from First avenue to Avenue A.

No. 2. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, from Fifth to Lexington avenue.

No. 3. FOR FLAGGING EIGHT FEET WIDE AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NINETY-SIXTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Boulevard.

No. 4. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET, from St. Nicholas avenue to Boulevard, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN (except between Tenth avenue and Boulevard).

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from Eleventh avenue to Boulevard, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING A NEW STREET, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to bulkhead, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK:

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 250 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