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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 13, 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 June 13, 1890:

Applicants for Appointment.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	
Charles Grossarth.....	236 East Tenth street.....	Porter.....	Passed.
Henry Konig.....	119 West Washington place.....	Butcher.....	"
Michael J. Sullivan.....	425 West Forty-second street.....	Driver.....	"
Patrick W. Donovan.....	635 West Forty-seventh street.....	Butcher.....	"
James E. McCormack.....	322 East Thirty-fourth street.....	Driver.....	Rejected.
Patrick Lydon.....	335 West Fifty-ninth street.....	Coachman.....	Passed.
James H. Londergan.....	265 West Forty-second street.....	".....	"
James M. Armstrong.....	690 Hudson street.....	Car-driver.....	"
Christian C. Quinn.....	449 West Thirty-second street.....	Cartman.....	"
Theodore J. Witt.....	354 West Fifty-third street.....	Grocer.....	"
Joseph F. Bush.....	536 East Fourteenth street.....	Housesmith.....	"
Thomas F. Corcoran.....	446 Eighth avenue.....	Car-conductor.....	Rejected.
George W. Loures.....	198 East Tenth street.....	Porter.....	"
Thomas A. Logan.....	334 West Twenty-fifth street.....	Clerk.....	Passed.
Velorous M. Kinsman.....	316 Greenwich street.....	".....	"
Patrick J. Rodgers.....	465 West Forty-ninth street.....	Car-driver.....	"
James F. Collins.....	106 Perry street.....	Butcher.....	"
Robert J. Pyle.....	458 West Forty-second street.....	Painter.....	"
Michael Connelly.....	326 East Thirty-seventh street.....	Hostler.....	"
Henry Farley.....	305 East Eighty-fourth street.....	Painter.....	"
Emil Oppenheimer.....	83 Willett street.....	Clerk.....	"
Philip M. Miner.....	70 Vandam street.....	".....	"
John T. O'Brien.....	{One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and Tenth avenue.....}	Salesman.....	"
Edward Cooper.....	44 Renwick street.....	Butcher.....	"
Edward F. McGovern.....	137 Avenue D.....	Driver.....	"

Respectfully,
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending May 24, 1890:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$73,737 81
For penalties on water rents.....	90 00
For tapping Croton pipes.....	337 50
For sewer permits.....	705 04
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	770 00
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	38 25
For vault permits.....	2,230 48
Total.....	\$77,909 08

Permits Issued.

- 77 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 45 permits to open streets.
- 27 permits to make sewer connections.
- 34 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 218 permits to place building material on streets.
- 37 permits—special.
- 8 permits to construct street vaults.

Public Lamps.

- 6 new lamps lighted.
- 1 old lamp relighted.
- 3 lamps discontinued.
- 5 lamp-post removed.
- 20 lamp-posts reset.
- 7 lamp-posts straightened.
- 3 columns refitted.
- 17 columns releaded.
- 33 stand pipes refitted.
- 41 service pipes refitted.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending May 24, 1890, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
May 19	5 P.M.	71.	29.91	{ Consolidated, Branch 2.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.74	5.00	120.0	22.04	22.04
" 20	3 P.M.	73.	29.71	"	"	.74	5.00	117.6	22.32	21.87
" 21	5.30 P.M.	74.	30.24	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	21.60	21.60
" 22	5 P.M.	73.	30.29	"	"	.76	5.00	122.0	21.10	21.44
" 23	3 P.M.	70.	30.08	"	"	.75	5.00	122.4	21.34	21.76
" 24	5 P.M.	71.	30.08	"	"	.76	5.00	120.0	21.94	21.94
									Average.	21.77
May 19	4.30 P.M.	71.	29.91	{ Consolidated, Branch 1.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.79	5.00	116.7	24.42	23.76
" 20	3.30 P.M.	73.	29.71	"	"	.80	5.00	120.0	23.60	23.60
" 21	5 P.M.	74.	30.24	"	"	.80	5.00	118.8	24.46	24.22
" 22	4.30 P.M.	73.	30.29	"	"	.81	5.00	122.4	23.90	24.39
" 23	3.30 P.M.	70.	30.08	"	"	.80	5.00	120.0	24.08	24.08
" 24	4.30 P.M.	71.	30.08	"	"	.81	5.00	117.0	24.26	23.65
									Average.	23.95
May 19	6.30 P.M.	72.	29.89	{ Consolidated, Branch 4.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.68	5.00	119.0	25.30	25.10
" 20	7.30 P.M.	70.	29.72	"	"	.68	5.00	117.0	25.28	24.65
" 21	8 P.M.	70.	30.29	"	"	.69	5.00	119.0	24.60	24.40
" 22	6.30 P.M.	70.	30.29	"	"	.70	5.00	115.4	26.34	25.32
" 23	8 P.M.	71.	30.06	"	"	.69	5.00	120.6	24.72	24.84
" 24	6.30 P.M.	71.	30.06	"	"	.69	5.00	118.8	24.28	24.04
									Average.	24.72
May 19	6 P.M.	72.	29.89	{ Consolidated, Branch 6.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.71	5.00	114.1	26.54	25.23
" 20	8 P.M.	70.	29.72	"	"	.73	5.00	121.2	25.02	25.27
" 21	8.30 P.M.	70.	30.29	"	"	.75	5.00	124.5	24.96	25.88
" 22	6 P.M.	70.	30.29	"	"	.73	5.00	118.1	25.92	25.51
" 23	7.30 P.M.	71.	30.06	"	"	.73	5.00	117.6	26.20	25.68
" 24	7 P.M.	71.	30.06	"	"	.74	5.00	120.0	25.82	25.82
									Average.	25.56
May 19	3 P.M.	71.	29.91	{ Consolidated, Branch 3.. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.84	5.00	114.5	30.68	29.28
" 20	4 P.M.	73.	29.71	"	"	.86	5.00	120.0	28.68	28.68
" 21	4.30 P.M.	74.	30.24	"	"	.86	5.00	118.8	29.00	28.71
" 22	4 P.M.	73.	30.29	"	"	.86	5.00	119.5	28.74	28.62
" 23	4 P.M.	70.	30.08	"	"	.86	5.00	120.0	28.80	28.80
" 24	4 P.M.	71.	30.08	"	"	.86	5.00	118.8	29.66	29.36
									Average.	28.91
May 19	3.30 P.M.	71.	29.91	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90	5.00	117.6	31.58	30.96
" 20	4.30 P.M.	73.	29.71	"	"	.91	5.00	118.2	31.68	31.20
" 21	4 P.M.	74.	30.24	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	31.14	31.14
" 22	3.30 P.M.	73.	30.29	"	"	.92	5.00	119.5	31.52	31.40
" 23	4.30 P.M.	70.	30.08	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	31.28	31.28
" 24	3.30 P.M.	71.	30.08	"	"	.91	5.00	118.8	32.08	31.76
									Average.	31.29
May 19	4 P.M.	71.	29.91	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90	5.00	117.2	29.22	28.54
" 20	5 P.M.	73.	29.71	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	29.60	29.60
" 21	3.30 P.M.	74.	30.24	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	30.38	30.38
" 22	3 P.M.	73.	30.29	"	"	.92	5.00	115.4	30.96	29.76
" 23	5 P.M.	70.	30.08	"	"	.92	5.00	117.6	30.66	30.05
" 24	3 P.M.	71.	30.08	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	30.68	30.68
									Average.	29.83

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

Obstructions Removed.

72 obstructions removed from the various streets and avenues.

Repairs to Pavements.

8,692 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 89 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 13,744 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 200 lineal feet of sewer relieved.
- 31 lineal feet of brick sewer rebuilt.
- 3 lineal feet of brick culvert rebuilt.
- 6 lineal feet of spur pipe laid.
- 26 manhole heads reset.
- 1 basin head reset.
- 1 new manhole head and cover put on.
- 2 new manhole covers put on.
- 2 new basin covers put on.
- 43 square yards of pavement relaid.

116 cubic feet of brickwork built.
1,410 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
241 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending May 24, 1890.

Table with 5 columns: NATURE OF WORK, MECHANICS, LABORERS, TEAMS, CARTS. Rows include Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening, Laying Croton Pipes, Supplying Water to Shipping, etc.

Contracts Entered Into.

Table with 5 columns: DATE, NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK, CONTRACTOR, SURETIES, ESTIMATED COST. Rows include flagging, paving with asphalt, furnishing materials, sewer work, etc.

Assessment Lists Made.

Table with 4 columns: DATE, NATURE OF WORK, LOCATION OF WORK, AMOUNT. Rows include fencing vacant lots, flagging, paving with granite-block, sewer work, etc.

Appointments.

Edward L. Starck, Draughtsman, at \$1,200 per annum
E. F. Smith, Inspector of Regulating and Grading.
Matthew Mallahan, Inspector of Paving.

Removals.

Peter Gannon, Inspector of Paving.
William H. Hoffman, Inspector of Paving.
James F. McAvoy, Inspector of Paving.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$117,994.25.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

APPROVED PAPERS

AN ORDINANCE to compel the several city surface railroad companies to run cars on their several routes every twenty minutes, between the hours of twelve, midnight, and six o'clock A. M., each and every day.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows: Section 1. The several city railroad companies now running cars on the surface of any of the streets in the City of New York are hereby directed and required to cause their cars to be run and operated on their tracks as frequently as public convenience may require and not less than one car every twenty minutes, between the hours of twelve, midnight, and six o'clock A. M., each and every day, both ways, for the transportation of passengers.

Sec. 2. Each and every company who shall neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall thereby incur a penalty of one hundred dollars for each and every such neglect or refusal, to be recovered by the Corporation Attorney, as in the case of other penalties.

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

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 20, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 3, 1890.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted on the Southern Boulevard, between Bainbridge and Jerome avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 20, 1890.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 3, 1890, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

Resolved, That Croton-water mains be laid in One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Brook avenue and St. Ann's avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Ninth street, One Hundred and Tenth street, Fifth avenue and Madison avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Madison and Park avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

Resolved, That the carriage-way of Eighty-fourth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that a crosswalk be laid at each terminating avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

Resolved, That one new lamp-post be erected and street-lamp lighted in front of St. Barnabas' Mission Chapel, No. 306 Mulberry street, between Houston and Bleecker streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Highbridge street, from Claremont avenue to First avenue, Claremont, New York City, for a distance of five hundred feet, and in First avenue, from Highbridge street to Devoc street, a distance of five hundred feet, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

Resolved, That gas-pipes be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in the Southern Boulevard, from Hull avenue to Jerome avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 27, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1890.

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

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river. EDWIN A. POST, President; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M. MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. 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, Room No. 31.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

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

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

Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment. Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 33 Chambers street. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.

Terms open, first Monday each month. JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20. Part II., Room No. 21. Part III., Room No. 15. Part IV., Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to the close of business. JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day. Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. JOHN JEROLOMAN, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 150 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9 1/2 A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M. ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 99 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

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

Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tombs, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$1,200,000 STOCKS AND BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, until Tuesday, the 24th day of June, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened by him in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, for the whole of a part of either class of the following registered stocks and bonds of the City of New York, all of which are redeemable from the Sinking Fund and exempt from City and County taxation, to wit:

\$700,000 ADDITIONAL WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, issued in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide new reservoirs, dams and a new aqueduct, with the appurtenances thereto, for the purpose of supplying the City of New York with an increased supply of pure and wholesome water;" and under a resolution of the Aqueduct Commissioners, adopted June 26, 1889.

The principle is payable on the first day of October, 1907, and the interest, semi-annually, at the rate of three per cent. per annum, on the first day of April and October in each year.

For the redemption of said stock the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have created a special sinking fund by a resolution adopted February 6, 1883, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of Article VIII. of the State Constitution, as amended November 4, 1884.

The said stock is exempt from taxation under section 34 of said chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted September 3, 1883.

\$500,000 DOCK BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, authorized by section 143 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted August 8, 1883.

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.

COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL.

THE COMMISSIONERS HERETOFORE AND prior to the first day of May, eighteen hundred and ninety, appointed in pursuance of the provisions of chapter four hundred and eighty-seven of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, hereby give public notice that, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter two hundred and forty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety, we shall, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, apply to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the First Judicial District, at the Chambers of the Court, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fifth day of July, eighteen hundred and ninety, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the appointment of three disinterested persons, residents of the City of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate shown on a map made in triplicate and certified by us, on the twenty-eighth day of May, eighteen hundred and ninety, showing all the pieces and parcels of land in the City of New York, between the Tenth avenue and the Harlem river, and a line parallel to and one hundred and fifty feet north of the Washington Bridge and the northerly line of the lands heretofore acquired for and used in connection with High Bridge, which had not been heretofore acquired by the City of New York, and which said pieces and parcels of land and real estate were to be acquired in fee as provided in the said last-mentioned act, for the fee of the same; one of which said maps was filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the sixth day of June, eighteen hundred and ninety; one in the office of the Department of Public Parks in the said city, on the day last above mentioned, and we have retained the third; each of which said maps has the following certificate:

"We, the Commissioners appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter four hundred and eighty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, of the State of New York, do hereby certify that this is one of the maps we have caused to be made in triplicate, pursuant to the provisions of chapter two hundred and forty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety, and the same is hereby certified by us in accordance with the provisions of the last mentioned act, this 28th day of May, 1890.

JACOB LORILLARD, VERNON H. BROWN, DAVID JAMES KING, Commissioners."

"State of New York, } ss: City and County of New York, }

On this 28th day of May, 1890, before me personally came Jacob Lorillard, Vernon H. Brown and David James King, to me severally known and known to me to be the persons described and who executed the foregoing certificate, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same.

WILLIAM MOLLOY, Notary Public, Kings County, N. Y., Certificate filed in N. Y. Co."

The object of the said application is to obtain an order for the appointment of three disinterested and competent persons, freeholders and residents of the City and County of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal in pursuance of the provisions of the said act of eighteen hundred and ninety and the act of eighteen hundred and eighty-three therein referred to, and to fix the time and place for the first meeting of the Commissioners.

All the pieces and parcels of land and real estate included within the general description above contained in and to which an estate in fee is sought to be acquired for the City of New York, are shown by the following statement of the boundaries of the several pieces and of the numbers of the parcels to be taken, as given on the said maps:

First—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue, southerly by land heretofore acquired by the City of New York; easterly by land heretofore acquired by the said City of New York and the piece next hereinafter bounded, and northerly by the last mentioned piece and land heretofore acquired by said city, within which boundaries are included parcels numbered 1 and 2 on said maps.

Second—A piece bounded westerly, easterly and southerly by the piece above bounded and land heretofore acquired by the said city, and northerly by the piece next hereinafter bounded, within which boundaries are included parcels 3 and 4 on said maps.

Third—A piece bounded southerly by the piece last above bounded; westerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city and the piece next hereinafter bounded; northerly by another piece hereinafter bounded, and easterly by land heretofore acquired by the said city, within which boundaries are included parcels numbered 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 on said maps.

Fourth—A piece bounded westerly by Tenth avenue; southerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city; easterly by the piece last above bounded and northerly by the piece next herein bounded, within which boundaries is included parcel numbered 11 on said maps.

Fifth—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue, southerly by the two pieces last above bounded, and northerly and easterly by land heretofore acquired by the said city, within which boundaries is included parcel numbered 21 on said maps.

Sixth—A piece bounded westerly and northerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city, and easterly and southerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city and the Harlem river, within which boundaries are included parcels numbered 5, 8, 9, 10, 18, 20, and 22, on said maps.

Seventh—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue; northerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city and occupied by the Washington Bridge, and easterly and southerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city and the Harlem river, within which boundaries is included parcel numbered 23 on said maps.

Eighth—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue; southerly by the northerly line of land heretofore acquired by the said city and occupied by the Washington Bridge; northerly by a line one hundred and fifty feet from and parallel to the last mentioned line, and easterly by the Harlem river, within which boundaries are included parcels numbered 24, 25 and 26 on said maps.

Dated at New York, June 10, 1890.

JACOB LORILLARD, VERNON H. BROWN, DAVID JAMES KING, Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with two thousand tons of the best quality of Lehigh Coal will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1890.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Coal," 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 as to the quality, kind and quantity of each size of coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

The attention of bidders is called to the following provision of the contract: "And it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the parties to this contract that the said parties of the second part may, and they are hereby authorized to increase or diminish the amounts of coal required to be furnished herein, by an amount not to exceed ten per cent., without compensation to the said party of the first part, other than the prices per ton herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount actually furnished under this agreement."

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand pounds for the coal to be delivered. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. 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 quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery 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 five 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 is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person 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 re-advertised 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 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.

Blank forms for 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, June 6, 1890.

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

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

For particulars see catalogues on day of sale. JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—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 druggists, actually engaged in their respective professions and not following any other calling; militiamen, policemen, and firemen; election officers, jury non-residents, and city employees, and United States employees; officers of vessels making regular trips; licensed pilots, actually following that calling; superintendents, conductors and engineers of a railroad company other than a street railroad company; telegraph operators actually doing duty as such; Grand, Sheriff's, and Civil Court jurors; stationary engineers; and persons physically incapable of performing jury duty by reason of severe sickness, deafness, or other physical disorder.

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, if unpaid, will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents. All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors, are not exempt.

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

CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner of Jurors.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Seventeenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Friday, June 27, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 70.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman, CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward. Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

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

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases. No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. Dated NEW YORK, June 14, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Sixteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Friday, June 27, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 11, 45, 55 and 56; also for Sanitary Work at Grammar Schools Nos. 45 and 56.

JAMES HARRISON, Chairman, GEORGE LIVINGSTON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, until 2.30 o'clock P. M. on Friday, June 27, 1890, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School No. 1.

FREDERICK WIMMER, Chairman, MICHAEL J. DUFFY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 3.30 o'clock P. M. on Friday, June 27, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 26, 32, 33, 48, and Primary School No. 27.

J. WESLEY SMITH, Chairman, G. W. FERGUSON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

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Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases. No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. Dated NEW YORK, June 13, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Fifth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 3.30 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, June 24, 1890, for making Sanitary Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 44.

SAMUEL W. WILEY, Chairman, HENRY C. WEST, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fifth Ward.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

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

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases. No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. Dated NEW YORK, June 11, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 23, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 18, 53, 59, 73, 74, 76, 77 and 82; also for Repairing, etc., the Heating Apparatus in Grammar Schools Nos. 18, 53, 73 and 77.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman, L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 23, 1890, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar Schools Nos. 58, 84, and Primary School No. 41 also, for Repairing, etc., the Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 28.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman, R. S. TREACY, Secretary,

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

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted. The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

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

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. Dated NEW YORK, June 10, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, June 19, 1890, for making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 37.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman, ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, June 19, 1890, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 11, 45, 55 and 56.

JAMES HARRISON, Chairman, GEO. LIVINGSTON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 19, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 13, 19, 25 and Primary School No. 26.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman, CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 19, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 40 and 50, and Primary Schools Nos. 4 and 29.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman, WILLIAM J. FANNING, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

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

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

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. Dated NEW YORK, June 6, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Fifteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, June 18, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 10, 35 and 47.

W. W. WALKER, Chairman, JOHN A. HARDENBERG, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, June 18, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 4 and 34 and Primary Schools Nos. 20 and 40.

GEO. W. RELYEA, Chairman, FRANCIS COAN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

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

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

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Fourteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 16, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 21.

JOHN A. O'BRIEN, Chairman, M. B. FEENEY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place, by the School Trustees of the Fifth Ward, until 3.30 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 16, 1890, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 44.

SAMUEL W. WILEY, Chairman, HENRY C. WEST, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fifth Ward.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

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

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

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. Dated NEW YORK, June 3, 1890.

and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of 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.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid 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 amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$2,000. The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contract, when awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

WALDO HUTCHINS, M. C. D. BORDEN, J. HAMPDEN ROBB, ALBERT GALLUP, Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, JUNE 6, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until 11 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, June 25, 1890.

FOR THE ERECTION OF GRANITE AND BLUE-STONE STEPS, PLATFORMS, CORNICES AND PARAPET WALLS, BRONZE RAILINGS, BRICK ARCHES, IRON BEAMS, ETC., REQUIRED ON MORNINGSIDE PARK, AT THE THREE OCTAGONAL BAYS AND THREE ENTRANCES ADJOINING THE AVENUE ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF THE PARK, AND THE ENTRANCE AT ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET AND MANHATTAN AVENUE.

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

- (a) The rock excavation and cutting and stepping out of rock which may be necessary to form proper beds for the foundations.
(b) Furnishing materials and constructing foundation-walls for supporting the steps and platforms of the entrances, and for adjusting top of present walls of entrances and bays and foundations under buttress walls adjoining main piers to the required lines and levels, and taking down present retaining-wall adjoining entrance at One Hundred and Twenty-second street, and rebuilding same, as shown upon the plans.
(c) Furnishing materials and constructing granite and blue-stone steps, granite platforms, frieze, architraves, cornice mouldings on top of bays and entrances, and on top of supporting walls for steps and platforms, cap and base for parapet walls, cap and base for main piers and all the intermediate and angle posts and buttress walls and posts adjoining main piers.
(d) Furnishing materials and constructing parapet walls and main piers of gneiss, between base and cap.
(e) Furnishing materials and setting rough rock coping on blue-stone steps, and on sides of platforms between blue-stone steps.
(f) Furnishing and setting in place bronze railing on entrances and bays and sides of steps and platforms.
(g) Furnishing and setting in place iron beams upon entrances and bays.
(h) Furnishing and laying brick masonry in arches, walls, backing, etc.
(i) Furnishing and laying concrete in place.
(j) Furnishing materials and laying rock asphalt pavement upon entrances and bays and platforms between blue-stone steps.
(k) Furnishing and putting in place rock and earth filling required between supporting walls of steps and for platforms between blue-stone steps, and support of rock coping at sides and platforms.
(l) The cleaning up and removal of all excavated rock, stone, surplus materials, rubbish, etc., from the premises after the completion of the work.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be NINE CALENDAR MONTHS, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at FIFTY DOLLARS per day.

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

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

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

several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of 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.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid 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 amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$35,000.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contracts when awarded will, in each case, be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

WALDO HUTCHINS, M. C. D. BORDEN, J. HAMPDEN ROBB, ALBERT GALLUP, Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, JUNE 5, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, June 18, 1890:

- No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, FROM MORRIS AVENUE TO SHERIDAN AVENUE.
No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO BROOK AVENUE, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID.
No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO VANDERBILT AVENUE, EAST.
No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP BLOCKS ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO ST. ANN'S AVENUE.
No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST, OR CLIFTON, STREET, FROM ST. ANN'S AVENUE TO CAULDWELL AVENUE.
No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO COURTLAND AVENUE.
No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, AND BUILDING AND ADJUSTING RECEIVING-BASINS WHERE REQUIRED, IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, FROM THE EASTERLY LINE OF VANDERBILT AVENUE, EAST, TO THE WESTERLY LINE OF FRANKLIN AVENUE.
No. 8. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF RAILROAD AVENUE, EAST, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH TO ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET.
No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, FROM BROOK AVENUE TO ST. ANN'S AVENUE.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately, that is, more than one work must not be included in the same estimate or envelope. The nature and extent of each of the works, as near as it is possible to state them, in advance, are as follows.

NUMBER 1, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 470 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
10 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
300 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
90 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer.
8 manholes complete.
2 receiving-basins complete.
5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete cradle for pipe sewers.
40 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.
500 cubic yards of rock excavation.

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

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

NUMBER 2, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 6,870 square yards of new trap-block pavement.
120 square feet of new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SEVENTY-FIVE CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 2,325 square yards of new trap-block pavement.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 4, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 6,010 square yards of new trap-block pavement.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SEVENTY-FIVE CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 5, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 1,460 square yards of new granite-block pavement.
The time allowed for the completion of the work is FORTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 6, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 600 cubic yards of earth excavation.
270 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.
320 linear feet of old curb-stone taken up and reset.
1,750 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
730 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.
820 square yards of new trap-block pavement.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 7, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 100 cubic yards of earth excavation.
1,700 cubic yards of filling.
1,420 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.
1,400 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset.
6,120 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
5,000 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.
10 receiving-basins taken up and rebuilt.
60 linear feet of 12-inch pipe culverts, including concrete cradle.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 8, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 1,800 cubic yards of earth excavation.
2,900 cubic yards of filling.
1,480 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.
50 linear feet of old curb-stone taken up and reset.
5,660 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
200 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.
300 square feet of new bridge-stones furnished and laid.
500 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and placed.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 9, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

- 2,100 cubic yards of earth excavation.
2,000 cubic yards of rock excavation.
900 cubic yards of filling.
1,090 linear feet of new curb-stones furnished and set.
4,400 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be NINETY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the

oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of 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.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid 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 amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Contract Number and Amount. Includes entries for Number 1 (\$1,800.00), Number 2 (3,000.00), Number 3 (6,000.00), Number 4 (2,000.00), Number 5 (1,500.00), Number 6 (2,500.00), Number 7 (2,000.00), and Number 9 (2,800.00).

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contracts when awarded will in each case be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

WALDO HUTCHINS, M. C. D. BORDEN, J. HAMPDEN ROBB, ALBERT GALLUP, Commissioners of Public Parks.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Executive Committee for the care, etc., of the College of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 26, 1890, for making Alterations, Repairs, etc., to the College of the City of New York Buildings.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 13, 1890.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Metropolitan Opera House, Broadway, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, second story, Broadway side, on Thursday, June 19, 1890, at 7-45 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of conferring degrees on graduates.

Dated NEW YORK, June 12, 1890. J. EDWARD SIMMONS, Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS, COOPER UNION, NEW YORK, JUNE 6, 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations for the positions below mentioned will be held at the rooms of the Civil Service Boards, Cooper Union, on the dates specified: Blank applications may be obtained at the office of the Secretary, Room 30, Cooper Union.

Tuesday, June 17, MEDICAL SANITARY INSPECTOR, Board of Health.

Wednesday, June 18, PAVING INSPECTOR. LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS, COOPER UNION, NEW YORK, JULY 20, 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 in 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 DOCKS.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 337.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AND APPROACH AT THE FOOT OF WEST FORTY-FIRST STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND FOR REPAIRING THE EXISTING CRIB-BULKHEAD THEREAT.

ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, with its appurtenances, including an approach, at the foot of West Forty-first street, North river, and for repairing the existing crib-bulkhead at the foot of said street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the heads 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 Thirteen Thousand One Hundred and Forty Dollars.

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

CLASS I.—CRIB-BULKHEAD.

1. New cribwork, including all timbers and iron-work, backing-logs, earth and stone filling, box-drains, mooring-posts, fenders, etc., measured from the top of the old facing-timbers left in place to the under side of the backing-log, and from front of facing-timber to rear of cross-ties, about 7,686 cubic feet.
2. Excavation of old cribwork, etc., about 400 cubic yards.
3. Back-filling and grading, about 183 "
4. Top dressing, including relaying of pavement, about 42 "
5. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, back-filling, etc., as set forth in the specifications.

CLASS II.—NEW PIER AND APPROACH.

(a) New Pier—

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14"	18,842
" " " 12" x 12"	161,010
" " " 11" x 12"	4,263
" " " 10" x 12"	975
" " " 10" x 10"	3,777
" " " 9" x 10"	900
" " " 8" x 12"	140
" " " 8" x 16"	576
" " " 8" x 15"	1,160
" " " 8" x 12"	1,366
" " " 8" x 8"	10,396
" " " 7" x 14"	490
" " " 7" x 12"	2,842
" " " 7" x 9"	189
" " " 6" x 12"	9,072
" " " 8" x 10"	90
" " " 5" x 12"	10,740
" " " 5" x 11"	2,228
" " " 5" x 11"	3,213
" " " 5" x 10"	27,949
" " " 4" x 10"	103,540
" " " 2" x 4"	4,956
Total.....	369,614

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

2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10"	72,872
" " " 4" x 5"	100
" " " 3" x 10"	36,837
Total.....	109,809

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

3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12"	9,856
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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..... 709
(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 75 feet in length to about 85 feet in length to average about 80 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
5. Yellow or White Pine Mooring-piles, about 65 feet long..... 2
6. White Oak Fender Piles, about 65 feet long..... 20
7. 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 22", 3/8" x 20", 3/8" x 18", 3/8" x 16", 3/8" x 12", 3/8" x 9", 3/8" x 14", 3/8" x 12", 3/8" x 10", 3/8" x 7", and 3/8" x 6" square, Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and 40d. Nails, about..... 33,691 pounds.
8. Boiler-plate Armatures and Wrought-iron Strap-bolts and Washers, about..... 14,309 "

9. 2" x 1 1/2", 1 1/2" x 1 1/2", 1 1/2" x 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about..... 19,178 pounds.
10. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/2", 1 1/2" and 1" Screw-bolts, about..... 8,503 "
11. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about..... 16,200 "
12. Materials for painting and oiling or tarring.
13. Labor of every description for about 30,260 square feet of new Pier.

(b) Approach—

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12"	44,370
" " " 6" x 12"	2,304
" " " 5" x 12"	45
" " " 5" x 10"	6,400
" " " 4" x 10"	25,400
" " " 2" x 4"	1,275
Total.....	79,794

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

2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10"	30,563
Spruce Timber, 4" x 5"	50
Total.....	30,613

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

3. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles for Approach..... 144
(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 65 feet in length to about 75 feet in length, to average about 70 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
4. Yellow or White Pine Mooring Piles, about 65 feet long..... 10
5. Half-round Oak Fenders, about..... 48
6. 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 10", and 3/8" x 7" square Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and 40d. Nails, about..... 6,595 pounds.
7. 1 1/2" and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about..... 2,735 "
8. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/2" and 1" Screw-bolts, about..... 1,790 "
9. Materials for painting and oiling or tarring.
10. Labor of every description for about 7,500 square feet of approach

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of December, 1890, or within as many days thereafter as the site of the new pier and approach shall be occupied, after the date of the contract, by the Department of Docks in dredging; and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1890.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 336.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND LAYING PAVEMENT ON NEW MADE LAND IN REAR OF THE BULKHEAD-WALL, FROM 50 FEET SOUTH OF WEST FIFTIETH STREET TO ABOUT 15 FEET SOUTH OF NORTH LINE OF WEST FIFTY-FIRST STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND laying pavement on new made land in rear of the bulkhead-wall, from 50 feet south of West Fiftyth street to about 15 feet south of the north line of West Fifty-first street, on the North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

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

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12"	7,310
" " " 6" x 6"	1,668
Total.....	8,978

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

NOTE.—What is known in the New York market as "merchantable" sawed yellow pine timber will be received under this contract, subject to the provisions of the specifications hereinafter contained.

2. 3/8" x 22" and 3/8" x 12" square Wrought-iron Dock-spikes, about..... 427 pounds.
3. Sand or "Cow Bay" Gravel, about..... 500 cubic yards.
4. Paving to be laid, about..... 1,475 square yards.
NOTE.—The paving-blocks therefor are to be furnished by the Contractor.

5. Labor of all kinds, including removal of old planking all grading, spreading, leveling, ramming of earth, paving sand or gravel and paving-blocks, moving of paving-blocks, timber, etc., framing and carpentry, etc., as set forth in the specifications, and shown on plan herein referred to.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of August, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per square yard of paving laid for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1890.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, June 7, 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. 38, on Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, June 25, 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 thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested,

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of one thousand and two hundred (\$1,200) 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 his liabilities 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 sixty (60) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him. Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, June 7, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting building for temporary quarters at No. 1780 Fulton avenue for Engine Company No. 42 of this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, June 25, 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, and drawings which form part of these proposals.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inscribing the same in figures. The work is to be completed and delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of six hundred (600) 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 house-

holder 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 his liabilities 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 thirty (30) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, June 9, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING articles will be offered for sale at Public Auction by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at the Headquarters of the Department, on Thursday, the 19th instant, at 11 o'clock A. M.

- Lot No. 1. One (1) Double Tank Chemical Engine.
- 2. One (1) Barrel Tank Steam Fire-engine (Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., registered number 142).
- 3. One (1) Barrel Tank Steam Fire-engine (Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., registered number 195).
- 4. One (1) U Tank Steam Fire-engine (Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., registered number 19).
- 5. One (1) Two-wheel Hose Tender (registered number 6).
- 6. One (1) Two-wheeled Hose Tender (registered number 16).
- 7. One (1) Two-wheeled Hose Tender (registered number 18).
- 8. Twelve (12) Fire Ladders (2 20 feet, 1 25 feet, 1 30 feet and 3 35 feet).

Each of the lots will be sold separately. The right to reject all bids received is reserved. The highest bidder for each lot, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale, and must remove the articles within five (5) days after the day of sale.

The articles may be seen at any time before the day of sale at the place above specified.
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BLOCK INDEX MAPS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

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

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

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

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

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS. Should the person to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been ap-

proved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

No estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation, and no estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

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

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

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

By order of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

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

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

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 25th day of June, 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, June 12, 1890.
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER,
JOHN H. KITCHEN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the nineteenth day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said nineteenth day of July, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; easterly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Lincoln avenue; southerly by the northerly line of the Southern Boulevard, and westerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Lincoln avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Lincoln avenue and Third avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the intersection of the westerly line of Lincoln avenue with the easterly

line of Third avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 6, 1890.
FRANCIS C. DEVLIN, Chairman,
ROBERT W. TODD,
EZRA A. TUTTLE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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 24th day of June, 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, June 9, 1890.
RICHARD D. HAMILTON,
JOHN CONNOLLY,
MITCHELL LEVY,
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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Carter avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, extending from Carter avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Webster avenue, distant 736.69 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Tremont avenue with the western line of Webster avenue;

- 1st. Thence southerly, along the western line of Webster avenue, for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° 22' 43" to the right, for 110.39 feet;
- 3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 89° 38' 48" to the right, for 65 feet;
- 4th. Thence easterly, for 110.36 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster avenue, distant 740.84 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Tremont avenue with the eastern line of Webster avenue;

- 1st. Thence southerly, along the eastern line of Webster avenue, for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 89° 37' 17" to the left, for 1,308.98 feet to the western line of Third avenue;
- 3d. Thence northerly, along the western line of Third avenue, for 60.06 feet;
- 4th. Thence westerly, for 1,306.80 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Carter avenue to Third avenue, is designated a street of the first-class and is 60 feet wide.

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

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

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the fourteenth day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said fourteenth day of July, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly line of Brook avenue; easterly by the centre line of the block between Elton avenue and Washington avenue, a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly line of Elton avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Elton avenue and Third avenue; southerly by the northerly line of Third avenue and by a line drawn at right angles with the westerly line of Elton avenue at its intersection with the westerly line of Third avenue, and extending 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Elton avenue; westerly by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Elton avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, June 2, 1890.
ROBERT W. TODD, Chairman,
FRANCIS C. DEVLIN,
J. P. SOLOMON,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1890, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Cedar place, extending from Eagle avenue to Union avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Forest avenue, distant 650 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Clifton street with the western line of Forest avenue;
1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Forest avenue for 50 feet;
2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right, for 970 feet;
3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 90° to the right, for 50 feet;
4th. Thence easterly for 970 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Forest avenue, distant 650 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Clifton street, with the eastern line of Forest avenue;
1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Forest avenue for 50 feet;
2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 270 feet to the western line of Tinton avenue;
3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Tinton avenue for 50 feet;
4th. Thence westerly for 270 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Tinton avenue, distant 650 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Clifton street with the eastern line of Tinton avenue;
1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Tinton avenue for 50 feet;
2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 270.71 feet;
3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 50 feet;
4th. Thence westerly for 270.71 feet to the point of beginning.

Cedar place is designated a street of the first class and is 50 feet wide.

And as shown on a certain map on file in the Department of Public Parks.
Dated New York, May 29, 1890.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other

documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the fourteenth day of July, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road; and westerly by the easterly line of the Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue; excepting from said area all the land included within the lines of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, June 2, 1890.
JOHN H. ROGAN, Chairman,
CHARLES D. METZ,
JOHN N. EMRA,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Bailey avenue, extending from Boston avenue to Van Cortlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of eastern line of Bailey avenue (confirmed March 4, 1887), with the northern line of said avenue:
1st. Thence northwesterly, along the northern line of said Bailey avenue, for 64.72 feet;
2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 75° 41' 43" to the right, for 13.06 feet;
3d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 5° 53' 21" to the left, for 1,061.64 feet;
4th. Thence northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,160 feet, for 176.65 feet;
5th. Thence northeasterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 100 feet;
6th. Thence northeasterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 560 feet, for 192.71 feet to a point of reverse curve;

7th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,090 feet, for 152.19 feet to a point of reverse curve;
8th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,211 feet, for 228.61 feet to a point of reverse curve;
9th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 3,396.16 feet, for 274.4 feet to a point of reverse curve;
10th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 423.94 feet, for 59.15 feet to a point of reverse curve;
11th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet, for 182.49 feet to a point of reverse curve;
12th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 317.76 feet, for 235.92 feet to a point of reverse curve;

13th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet, for 376.29 feet to a point of reverse curve;
14th. Thence northeasterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 960 feet, for 242.95 feet to a point of compound curve;
15th. Thence easterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 340 feet, for 537.73 to a point of reverse curve;
16th. Thence easterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 215.36 feet, for 233.43 feet to a point of compound curve;

17th. Thence northerly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 37.81 feet, for 58.71 feet;
18th. Thence southeasterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 133.15 feet;
19th. Thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 35.4 feet, for 56.25 feet to a point of reverse curve;

20th. Thence westerly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 275.36 feet, for 298.47 feet to a point of reverse curve;
21st. Thence westerly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 280 feet, for 442.84 feet to a point of compound curve;
22d. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 900 feet, for 227.76 feet to a point of reverse curve;

23d. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 560 feet, for 421.44 feet to a point of reverse curve;
24th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 257.76 feet, for 191.39 feet to a point of reverse curve;
25th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 560 feet, for 204.39 feet to a point of reverse curve;

26th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 363.94 feet, for 50.78 feet to a point of reverse curve;
27th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 3,456.16 feet, for 279.09 feet to a point of reverse curve;
28th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,150 feet, for 217.27 feet to a point of reverse curve;

29th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,150 feet, for 160.57 feet to a point of reverse curve;
30th. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet, for 172.07 feet;

31st. Thence southwesterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 100 feet;

32d. Thence southwesterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,220 feet, for 185.73 feet;

33d. Thence southwesterly, on a line tangent to the preceding course, for 1,072.48 feet;

34th. Thence southwesterly for 24.46 feet to the point of beginning.

Bailey avenue, from Boston avenue to Van Cortlandt avenue, is designated a street of the first class and is 60 feet wide.

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

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Independence avenue, extending from Spuyten Duyvil Parkway to Morrison street in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, distant 19,010.58 feet northerly, from the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured at right angles to the same from a point 3,018.41 feet westerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Tenth avenue with the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street:

1st. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, for 60 feet;

2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90° 32' 26" to the left, for 50 feet;

3d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 27° 30' to the right, for 459.46 feet;

4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 17° 48' 08" to the left, for 79.30 feet;

5th. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left for 60 feet;

6th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 749.90 feet;

7th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 17° 48' 08" to the right, for 449.99 feet;

8th. Thence southwesterly, for 50 feet, to the point of beginning.

Independence avenue is a street of the first class, and is 60 feet wide.

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

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

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the ninth day of June, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said ninth day of June, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and George street, from Union avenue to Stebbins avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, from Stebbins avenue to Simpson street; easterly by the westerly line of Simpson street; southerly by the northerly line of Westchester avenue; the centre line of the blocks between Westchester avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Fox street to Prospect avenue and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street from Prospect avenue to Union avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Prospect avenue and the easterly line of Union avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, April 24, 1890.
G. M. SPEIR, JR., Chairman,
WILLIAM N. ARMSTRONG,
TERENCE DUFFY,
Commissioners.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 280 Broadway (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 7th day of July, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said 7th day of July, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 8th day of July, 1890.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-second street and One Hundred and Thirty-third street; easterly by the westerly line of the Boulevard; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-second street and One Hundred and Thirty-first street, and westerly by the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; excepting from said area all the land included within the lines of streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 21st day of July, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 24, 1890.
CHARLES D. METZ, Chairman,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
JOHN C. WILLIAMSON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-fifth day of June, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said twenty-fifth day of June, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-third street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-second street and East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue, East, and westerly by the easterly line of Railroad avenue, East; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, May 15, 1890.
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, Chairman,
G. M. SPEIR, JR.,
EDWARD L. FARRIS,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, June 12, 1890.

The advertisement of the work for "Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement, with concrete foundation, the carriageway of Broadway and Union Square, West, from Bowling Green to Thirty-second street," is temporarily withdrawn in consequence of errors in the specifications.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, June 5, 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, June 19, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 2. FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE AQUEDUCT PROPERTY, BETWEEN NINETEETH AND NINETY-FIRST STREETS, 100 feet west of Ninth avenue.

No. 3. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 4. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN BOULEVARD (west side), between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets.

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 1, 10 and 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST., NEW YORK, June 5, 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, June 19, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWERS IN SOUTH STREET, between Broad and Whitehall streets, connecting with present sewer in Whitehall street; and in MOORE STREET, between South and Water streets, connecting with sewer in South street.

No. 2. FOR EXTENSION OF SEWER IN EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, with curve into Tenth avenue (west side).

No. 3. FOR SEWERS IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Seventh streets.

No. 4. FOR SEWERS IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Ninth streets.

No. 5. FOR SEWERS IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET (south side), between Eighth and Bradhurst avenues.

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

other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, June 10, 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, June 24, 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 TWENTIETH STREET, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

No. 2. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF FORTY-FOURTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue.

No. 3. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from Ninth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 4. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH, REFLAGGING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF SIXTY-NINTH STREET AND SOUTH SIDE OF SEVENTIETH STREET, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 5. FOR FLAGGING, REFLAGGING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON EAST SIDE OF FIFTH AVENUE, from Seventy-second to Seventy-ninth street.

No. 6. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON WEST SIDE OF BOULEVARD, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street; NORTH SIDE OF SEVENTY-THIRD STREET AND SOUTH SIDE OF SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 7. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH, REFLAGGING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 8. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON EIGHTIETH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 9. FOR FLAGGING EIGHT FEET WIDE AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON BOULEVARD, from Eighty-third to Eighty-fourth street, AND ON EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, from Tenth to West End avenue.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF NINETY-SIXTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, AND SETTING AND RESETTING CURB-STONES THEREIN.

No. 11. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS OF BOTH SIDES OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Broadway to Tenth avenue.

No. 12. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON EAST SIDE OF MADISON AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirty-first street, AND ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET AND SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET, from Park to Madison avenue.

No. 13. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to Hamilton place.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from St. Nicholas avenue to the Boulevard, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 15. 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).

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

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK:

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

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

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

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, May 28, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Tuesday, July 1, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from St. Nicholas place to McComb's Dam Bridge.

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

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

pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE RECENT act of the Legislature (chapter 449, Laws of 1889), which provides that whenever any streets or avenues in the city, described in any grant of land under water, from the Mayor, Aldermen and 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 350 and 921 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in arrears in the same manner as regular rents have heretofore been treated.

2d. In every building where a water meter or meters are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

3d. The returns of arrears of water rents, including the year 1887, shall be made as heretofore on the confirmation of the tax levy by the Board of Aldermen, and shall include all charges and penalties of every nature.

4th. A penalty of five dollars (\$5) is hereby established, and will be imposed in each and every case where the rules and regulations of the Department prohibiting the use of water through hose, or in any other wasteful manner, are violated, and such penalties will be entered on the books of the Bureau against the respective buildings or property, and, if not collected, be returned in arrears in like manner as other charges for water.

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

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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