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BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, August 18, 1890. }

The Hons. Hugh J. Grant, Mayor; David J. Dean, Acting Counsel to the Corporation, and Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works, the officers designated by section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, met this day.

The minutes of the meeting of August 8 having been read and approved, the Supervisor of the City Record presented the following report:

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, August 18, 1890. }

To the Hons. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor, WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, and THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works:

GENTLEMEN—I have made a careful examination of the financial affairs of this Bureau prior to January 1, 1890, in obedience to your order of June 6 last. Its results are embodied in the appended statement of the condition of the appropriations for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books" for 1888 and 1889, and for "Printing and Distributing the CITY RECORD" for 1889—the only appropriations of which balances yet remain—and in the summary of accounts or tabulated history of the bills against the Bureau.

In a report made to you early in October last I stated, on the basis of information furnished by the books of the Finance Department and this office, and by estimates from printers, stationers, etc., that against the \$131,334.70 then remaining to the credit of the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books" for 1889, there was chargeable, for supplies furnished and work done, in hand or agreed upon, the sum of \$91,031, which left a balance of \$40,303.70; that, in addition to the \$40,000 of arrearages paid under the estimate of my predecessor, Mr. Thomas Costigan, there were other arrearages, amounting to \$26,000; and that, assuming these additional arrearages to be properly chargeable against the appropriation, there would remain \$14,000 to pay the expenses of the Bureau from September 15 to December 31, 1889. The examination I have just completed shows that the estimates of the tradesmen were about \$10,000 too low, and that, instead of \$26,000, the additional arrearages amounted nearly to \$32,000. Instead of an excess of \$14,000 over the claims which I then assumed to be chargeable against the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books" for 1889, there was really a deficit. This was overcome by the determination of your Board that no other arrearages than those estimated at \$40,000 by Supervisor Costigan in August, 1888, were so chargeable.

I find that at the present moment there remains to the credit of the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books" for 1889 the sum of \$41,427.26. To be added to this is \$1,173.97, a balance of the appropriation for 1888, resulting from the settlement of the controversy between the two claimants of the privilege of advertising the court calendars, and the consequent reduction of the cost of that advertising from \$6,000 to \$4,000 a year. The full balance on hand is therefore \$42,601.23. The bills for 1889 are of two classes. In one class are those to the amount of \$20,023.93, which are based on orders dated January 2, 1889. These orders were given out on the authority of requisitions approved by Mayor Hewitt and his colleagues in December, 1888. In the other class are bills for work and supplies done or furnished under requisitions approved in 1889. They represent \$17,036.93. There has been a dispute respecting the validity of the bills of the first class as charges against the appropriation of 1889, but it seems to me simpler and more economical to pay them at once, as far as the state of the law will permit, than to wait the result on all of suits instigated by a quibble. After providing for the payment of both classes—amounting to \$37,060.86—there would remain \$5,540.37 as a surplus available for the settlement of arrearages. These amount to \$31,442.64 in the aggregate, but as suits have been brought by Messrs. W. P. Mitchell, Isaac Henderson and Callahan & Gartlan on claims to the amount of \$17,232.16, those which you have to consider represent only \$14,210.58. In the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books" for 1890 is the sum of \$9,000 for arrearages, which, added to the surplus of \$5,540.37, gives us \$14,540.37, or \$329.79 more than is sufficient to clear up all claims, other than those in suit, for printing, stationery and blank books done or furnished prior to January 1, 1890.

I had thought the "Publication of the CITY RECORD" appropriation large enough in 1889 to meet all demands and leave a small surplus. I now find that there are bills to the amount of \$1,447.78 yet unpaid. They are for indexing and binding quarterly volumes of the CITY RECORD between June, 1888, and January, 1890. As there is a surplus of \$193.87 of the appropriation for "CITY RECORD Salaries and Contingencies" for 1889, I respectfully suggest that you procure from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authority to transfer this, with the surplus of the "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books" appropriation, to the appropriation for the "Publication of the CITY RECORD," and thus get the means to clear the account up to January 1, 1889. The deficit of 1889 can be taken into consideration when the appropriation for 1891 is made. The appropriation for the current year was estimated on the theory that all arrearages were provided for in 1889. The sum of \$73,000 was then set apart, including \$4,233.42 as estimated arrearages. As it cost \$65,980.02 to publish and distribute the CITY RECORD in 1889, and as there is only a balance of \$67.65, it is apparent that the arrearages paid were nearer \$7,000 than \$4,000, and that the excess in their payment produced the deficit in the account of 1889.

In the accompanying table of bills and details affecting them there is a column of suggestions as to their disposition. Wherever the word "pay" is used it indicates that the claim is perfect, or is defective only in some minor feature. Where the words "wait suit" are used they do not mean that actions must be brought to enforce the claims. In almost all cases they indicate that the claims are affected by the ruling of Judge Abraham R. Lawrence in the case of Wm. P. Mitchell vs. The Mayor, tried in the Supreme Court last winter. Mr. Mitchell is suing for about \$15,000 for goods and work supplied by him to the City in 1888. On the trial it was proved that the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books" in that year was exhausted on August 22. Judge Lawrence ruled that orders given by Supervisor Costigan subsequently to that date were invalid, and that recovery could not be had on them. He directed the jury to give a verdict for only \$9,000. Mr. Mitchell is appealing from the judgment thus entered. Claims not in suit affected by this ruling amount to about \$6,000. It seems to me proper that the money should now be set apart, to meet them if Mr. Mitchell should win on appeal. Should the theory be sustained that tradesmen cannot get pay from the City for goods supplied to it on the orders of its officers given after the exhaustion of appropriations, the money could be covered into the general fund as a surplus of the appropriation of 1889. In case the tradesmen should sue on these bills, in order to procure interest, if Mr. Mitchell should win, the sum now ascertained by you could be turned over similarly as a surplus.

Respecting one bill presented by M. B. Brown it seems to me an explanation is necessary. It is for \$2,842.24, the cost of a new book of Fire Department signals. According to the minutes of your meeting of July 18, 1889, as published in the CITY RECORD of July 27, 1889, the requisition from the Fire Department was laid over, yet the rough minutes on file in this office show that it was approved, and the requisition bears the signatures of all the members of your Board and is indorsed with the statement that it was approved by you on July 18, 1889. I make this explanation because of the trouble I have had to get the history of the bill, and to prevent any misunderstanding resulting from the incorrectness of the published minutes.

It will be noticed that many of the requisitions approved in December, 1889, are stated in the accompanying table to be "missing." I have sought for them in every nook and corner of this office, and have only been able to find a list of them prepared at the times of their approval by Mr. R. P. H. Abell, the former bookkeeper. Many orders are also "missing." The tradesmen assert that they were lost in this office during a period of confusion in the latter part of 1888 and the early part of 1889. In most cases I find copies of them in our order book. Where no such copies can be found the claimants will have to sue, unless it shall appear that it was not the custom to give out such orders. I find that the practice, in the past, was for the Board of City Record to approve general requisitions at the beginning of a year, and for the departments making such requisitions to send work directly to printers or stationers. Notice of such work was only received in this office when bills were presented.

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS, 1886-7-8-9.

M. B. BROWN.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
Surrogate	Dec. 31, 1888	\$233 49	July 17, 1888	Nov. 12, 1886	Nov. 26, 1886	Record Office	Record Office	Pay.
Finance	" 27, "	687 60	May 7, 1887	Apr. 26, 1887	May 7, 1887	"	"	"
Common Pleas	" 27, "	787 50	Dec. 28, "	Dec. 12, "	Dec. 28, "	Missing	"	"
Public Works	July 12, "	68 49	"	"	"	"	Missing	Wait suit.
Health	Oct. 22, "	5 35	"	"	"	"	"	"
Public Works	Dec. 6, "	30 00	"	"	"	"	"	"
County Clerk	Jan. 21, 1889	457 56	"	"	"	"	"	"
Fire	" 31, "	17 00	"	"	"	"	"	"
Aldermen	Dec. 6, 1888	962 48	Dec. 8, 1888	Jan. 3, 1888	Jan. 20, 1888	"	Record Office	Pay.
"	Jan. 7, 1889	1,346 07	" 1, "	" 3, "	" 20, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 1, "	586 40	"	" 3, "	" 20, "	"	Missing	"
"	June 26, "	895 25	"	" 3, "	" 20, "	"	"	"
Board of Street Opening	Dec. 27, 1888	432 00	Feb. 16, 1888	" 26, "	Feb. 6, "	"	Record Office	"
Finance	Oct. 22, "	721 29	Aug. 17, "	July 17, "	Aug. 17, "	"	"	"
Street Cleaning	Dec. 31, "	3 00	Oct. 12, "	" 24, "	" 17, "	"	"	Wait suit.
Aldermen	Oct. 2, "	523 10	Sept. 13, "	Jan. 3, "	Jan. 20, "	"	"	Pay.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
Register	Jan. 15, 1889	\$16 50	Sept. 29, 1888			Missing	Record Office	Wait suit.
Finance	Dec. 31, 1888	76 18	Dec. 8, "	Aug. 14, 1888	Dec. 8, 1888	Record Office	"	"
Public Works	" 26, "	196 85	" 8, "	Oct. 16, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Fire	" 6, "	630 72	" 6, "	Jan. 17, "	Jan. 23, "	"	"	Pay.
Sixth District Court	June 18, 1889	6 75	" 8, 1889	July 31, "	Dec. 8, "	"	"	Wait suit.
Public Works	Dec. 27, 1888	236 22	" 8, 1888	Aug. 6, "	" 8, "	Missing	"	"
"	Jan. 15, 1889	840 71	Jan. 2, 1889	" 10, "	" 8, "	Record Office	"	Pay.
"	Dec. 31, 1888	3 25	Dec. 8, 1888	" 20, "	" 8, "	"	"	Wait suit.
Seventh District Court	" 8, "	24 92	" 8, "	Sept. 14, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Board of Estimate	" 5, "	620 52	" 8, "	" 15, "	" 8, "	"	Missing	"
County Clerk	" 31, "	26 00	Dec. 8, "	Oct. 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Armory Board	" 28, "	437 05	" 8, "	" 12, "	" 8, "	"	Record Office	"
Public Works	" 10, "	89 52	" 8, "	" 17, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 31, "	73 42	" 8, "	" 17, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 31, "	39 37	" 8, "	" 24, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
County Clerk	" 31, "	471 95	" 8, "	" 29, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Finance	" 31, "	26 62	" 8, "	Nov. 3, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 31, "	12 19	" 8, "	" 7, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Mayor	July 12, "	41 90	" 8, "	" 12, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Public Works	Dec. 27, "	13 00	" 26, "	" 14, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Finance	" 31, "	11 43	" 8, "	" 13, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Jan. 15, 1889	100 38	Jan. 2, 1889	" 15, "	" 8, "	"	"	Pay.
"	" 15, "	119 06	" 2, "	" 15, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Public Works	Dec. 31, 1888	78 74	Dec. 8, 1888	" 16, "	" 8, "	"	"	Wait suit.
"	" 31, "	118 11	" 8, "	" 16, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Finance	" 31, "	119 36	" 8, "	" 19, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Public Works	" 27, "	83 84	" 8, "	Dec. 3, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Feb. 9, 1889	86 50	" 8, "	" 3, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Dec. 31, 1888	117 26	" 8, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Charities	Jan. 15, 1889	299 63	Jan. 2, "	" 6, "	" 8, "	"	"	Pay.
Public Works	Dec. 27, 1888	351 78	Dec. 8, "	Nov. 22, "	" 8, "	"	"	Wait suit.
Charities	" 31, "	51 06	" 22, "	Sept. 10, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Finance	" 31, "	2 48	" 22, "	" 14, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 31, "	14 30	" 22, "	Oct. 4, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 31, "	6 09	" 22, "	" 6, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Charities	" 31, "	44 00	" 22, "	Dec. 7, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Public Works	Apr. 2, 1889	51 99	Feb. 27, 1889	Nov. 27, "	" 22, "	"	"	Pay.
Finance	Dec. 31, 1888	27 08	Dec. 22, 1888	" 30, "	" 22, "	Missing	"	Wait suit.
"	" 31, "	31 57	" 22, "		" 22, "	"	"	"
"	Jan. 15, 1889	53 42	Jan. 2, 1889	Dec. 1, 1888	" 22, "	Record Office	"	Pay.
"	" 15, "	15 34	" 2, "	" 3, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 21, "	45 36	" 2, "	" 5, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	Feb. 5, "	347 07	" 2, "	" 5, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Charities	Dec. 28, 1888	460 00	Dec. 22, 1888	" 7, "	" 22, "	Missing	"	Wait suit.
Seventh District Court	" 31, "	58 76	" 22, "	" 13, "	" 22, "	Record Office	"	"
Finance	Jan. 15, 1889	16 10	Jan. 2, 1889	" 17, "	" 22, "	"	"	Pay.
Public Works	Dec. 31, 1888	65 84	Dec. 22, 1888	" 18, "	" 22, "	"	"	Wait suit.
"	" 31, "	58 63	" 22, "	" 20, "	" 22, "	Missing	"	"
"	Jan. 21, 1889	65 84	Jan. 2, 1889	" 28, "	" 31, "	Record Office	"	Pay.
City Record	" 21, "	124 00	" 2, "	" 29, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
Corporation Counsel	Feb. 2, "	111 46		Jan. 3, "	Feb. 3, "	"	"	"
Aldermen	Mar. 1, "	470 16		" 9, 1889	Jan. 15, 1889	Missing	Missing	"
Corporation Counsel	June 11, "	531 98		" 1, "	" 5, "	Record Office	"	"
"	Aug. 20, "	576 76		" 1, "	" 5, "	"	"	"
Mayor	" 23, "	26 82				Missing	"	Wait suit.
Fire	Sept. 25, "	112 00	Sept. 1, 1889			"	Record Office	Pay.
Corporation Counsel	Oct. 7, "	236 30		Jan. 1, 1889	Jan. 5, 1889	"	Missing	"
Parks	" 11, "	223 64		July 17, "	July 18, "	"	"	"
Health	" 11, "	780 00				"	Record Office	"
Corporation Counsel	Jan. 17, 1890	913 79		Jan. 1, 1889	Jan. 5, 1889	"	Missing	"
County Clerk	" 17, "	54 22	Jan. 14, 1889	" 8, "	" 9, "	"	"	"
Sinking Fund	" 17, "	521 13	Aug. 15, "	Apr. 26, 1887	May 7, 1887	Record Office	Record Office	"
Board of Estimate	" 17, "	837 20			Jan. 28, 1889	Missing	"	"
Fire	" 17, "	183 45	Sept. 10, 1889	July 17, 1889	July 18, "	Record Office	Finance Department	"
"	" 17, "	13 40	Dec. 18, "	Dec. 11, "	Dec. 18, "	"	Record Office	"
Board of Street Opening	" 18, "	228 00	Sept. 1, "			Missing	"	"
Finance	Feb. 1, "	22 20	Oct. 19, "	Oct. 11, 1889	Oct. 15, 1889	Record Office	"	"
Sinking Fund	Mar. 21, "	61 32				Missing	Missing	"
Aldermen	May 15, "	667 75	Jan. 9, 1889	Jan. 15, 1889		"	"	"
Parks	" 27, "	738 30				"	"	"
"	" 27, "	144 00				"	"	"
Aldermen	June 15, "	493 55	Jan. 9, 1889	Jan. 15, 1889		"	"	"
"	" 15, "	486 85	" 9, "	" 15, "		"	"	"
Fire	July 1, "	2,842 24	July 17, "	July 18, "		Record Office	Record Office	"
City Record		247 29				Missing	Missing	"
"		247 29				"	"	"
"		233 65				"	"	"
"		484 44				"	"	"
"		235 11				"	"	"
Total		\$28,230 25						

WILLIAM P. MITCHELL.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
First District Court.....	Mar. 12, 1889	\$122 44	Dec. 26, 1888	Dec. 26, 1888	Dec. 26, 1888	Record Office.....	Record Office.....	Wait suit.
Fourth District Court.....	Feb. 9, "	5 33	" 26, "	" 19, "	" 26, "	Missing.....	"	"
Third District Court.....	" 9, "	68 60	Jan. 3, 1889	" 1, "	" 8, "	Record Office.....	"	Pay.
Taxes and Assessments.....	Apr. 10, "	152 65	" 2, "	Nov. 9, "	" 8, "	Missing.....	"	"
"	"	147 41	" 2, "	" 9, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Court of Common Pleas.....	"	370 16	" 2, "	" 22, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	"	73 79	" 2, "	" 22, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Feb. 9, "	141 35	" 2, "	" 22, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Fifth District Court.....	Mar. 12, "	74 63	" 11, "	" 14, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 25, "	145 09	" 11, "	" 14, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Apr. 10, "	35 04	" 11, "	Dec. 5, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Charities.....	Mar. 19, "	119 10	" 2, "	" 5, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 25, "	101 67	" 2, "	Nov. 8, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Apr. 23, "	68 83	" 2, "	Dec. 8, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 8, "	187 12	" 2, "	" 1, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 19, "	145 42	" 2, "	Nov. 28, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Apr. 23, "	113 29	" 2, "	Dec. 1, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 8, "	156 30	" 2, "	" 1, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Register.....	"	23 76	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	Record Office.....	"	"
"	Mar. 9, "	29 84	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 9, "	19 44	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	"	16 00	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Apr. 10, "	120 86	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Feb. 9, "	5 85	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 9, "	24 22	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 9, "	23 34	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 31, "	6 30	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	"	6 30	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	"	34 82	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 12, "	364 92	" 2, "	Nov. 14, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	"	25 07	" 2, "	Dec. 4, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
City Court.....	Feb. 9, "	180 04	" 5, "	Nov. 26, "	" 8, "	Missing.....	"	"
"	" 9, "	54 45	" 2, "	" 26, "	" 8, "	Record Office.....	"	"
"	" 9, "	121 17	" 2, "	" 26, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	" 9, "	132 84	" 2, "	" 26, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Coroners.....	" 9, "	72 28	" 2, "	Dec. 4, "	" 8, "	Missing.....	"	"
City Court.....	Mar. 19, "	212 18	" 2, "	Nov. 26, "	" 8, "	Record Office.....	"	"
Coroners.....	Feb. 9, "	100 89	" 2, "	Dec. 5, "	" 8, "	Missing.....	"	"
Public Works.....	Apr. 1, "	721 56	" 2, "	Nov. 17, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Street Cleaning.....	Feb. 9, "	139 89	" 2, "	Dec. 3, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Apr. 8, "	99 18	" 2, "	" 5, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
District Attorney.....	May 2, "	403 49	" 2, "	Nov. 30, "	" 8, "	Record Office.....	"	"
"	Sept. 27, "	306 55	" 2, "	" 30, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
"	Dec. 30, "	221 10	" 2, "	" 30, "	" 8, "	"	"	"
Court of Common Pleas.....	Feb. 9, "	10 13	" 2, "	Dec. 10, "	" 22, "	Missing.....	"	"
Health.....	" 9, "	135 00	" 2, "	" 17, "	" 22, "	Record Office.....	"	"
Fifth District Court.....	Mar. 12, "	109 09	" 11, "	" 16, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Court of Special Sessions.....	Apr. 10, "	63 19	" 2, "	" 3, "	" 22, "	Missing.....	"	"
"	Mar. 12, "	83 37	" 2, "	" 3, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 12, "	161 81	" 2, "	" 3, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Register.....	Feb. 9, "	75 05	" 7, "	" 3, "	" 22, "	Record Office.....	"	"
"	Mar. 25, "	218 17	" 2, "	" 3, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
District Attorney.....	" 12, "	551 40	" 2, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	Missing.....	"	"
"	Feb. 9, "	183 81	" 2, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 9, "	239 33	" 2, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 16, "	85 47	" 7, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	Feb. 9, "	367 31	" 2, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Health.....	" 9, "	120 68	" 2, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	Apr. 23, "	65 25	" 2, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	Feb. 9, "	218 52	" 2, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	Jan. 20, "	373 22	" 2, "	" 17, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
City Court.....	Feb. 9, "	38 66	" 2, "	Nov. 26, "	" 22, "	Record Office.....	"	"
"	" 9, "	27 76	" 2, "	Dec. 16, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	"	87 66	Feb. 12, "	Nov. 26, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 25, "	332 33	" 12, "	" 26, "	" 23, "	"	"	"
"	Apr. 1, "	26 74	Mar. 12, "	Dec. 17, "	" 22, "	Missing.....	"	"
Charities.....	" 23, "	52 20	Jan. 2, "	" 8, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Fifth District Court.....	" 23, "	102 57	" 11, "	" 16, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Street Cleaning.....	Feb. 9, "	12 30	" 2, "	" 20, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Superior Court.....	Apr. 8, "	183 49	" 2, "	" 24, "	" 26, "	"	"	"
"	" 9, "	54 91	" 2, "	" 24, "	" 26, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 19, "	137 12	" 2, "	"	"	"	Missing.....	Wait suit.
"	" 12, "	136 15	" 2, "	"	"	"	"	"
"	Apr. 6, "	44 11	Feb. 25, "	Dec. 24, 1888	Dec. 26, 1888	"	Record Office.....	Pay.
"	Feb. 9, "	82 25	Jan. 2, "	" 24, "	" 26, "	"	"	"
"	"	154 57	" 2, "	" 24, "	" 26, "	"	"	"
"	Feb. 9, "	60 64	" 2, "	" 24, "	" 26, "	"	"	"
Health.....	May 2, "	542 85	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 19, "	486 15	Feb. 1, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
Health	May 24, 1889	\$469 14	Jan. 2, 1889	Dec. 28, 1888	Dec. 31, 1888	Missing	Record Office	Pay.
"	June 27, "	525 84	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	July 24, "	525 84	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	Oct. 1, "	571 20	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	" 1, "	474 81	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	Dec. 30, "	525 84	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	" 30, "	525 84	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	" 30, "	503 16	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	Feb. 5, "	525 84	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	Mar. 8, "	80 15	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	Record Office	"	"
"	" 8, "	435 56	" 2, "	" 29, "	" 31, "	Missing	"	"
"	" 18, "	96 45	" 2, "	" 29, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
"	" 14, "	757 64	" 2, "	" 29, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
Sixth District Court.....	" 12, "	28 47	" 2, "	" 28, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
Street Cleaning.....	" 19, "	18 04	" 2, "	" 29, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
Health	Feb. 9, "	43 00	" 2, "	" 29, "	" 31, "	"	"	"
Surrogate	July 12, "	11 81	Missing.	.....	Missing.	"	Missing.....	Wait suit.
"	Mar. 19, "	79 70	"	.....	"	" .....	" .....	"
City Record.....	July 18, "	56 25	"	.....	"	" .....	" .....	"
"	Apr. 23, "	9 61	"	Mar. 9, 1889	Mar. 15, 1889	Record Office.....	"	"
"	July 12, "	50 05	"	Feb. 27, "	" 15, "	"	"	"
Mayor	Mar. 19, "	9 67	"	Jan. 29, "	Feb. 2, "	"	"	"
Total.....		\$17,640 83						

L. W. AHRENS S. & P. CO.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
Superior Court	Oct. 19, 1886	\$24 20	.....	Oct. 1, 1886	.....	Missing	Missing	Pay.
Ninth District Court.....	Mar. 24, 1887	20 00	.....	Apr. 26, 1887	.....	Record Office	"	Wait suit.
General Sessions Court.....	" 27, 1888	40 00	.....	Dec. 22, "	Jan. 13, 1888	"	"	"
"	Feb. 6, 1889	39 73	Jan. 2, 1889	" 10, 1888	" 22, "	"	Record Office	Pay.
"	" 6, "	54 05	" 2, "	" 10, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 6, "	31 17	" 2, "	" 4, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 6, "	2 75	" 2, "	" 11, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Second District Court.....	" 6, "	9 25	" 2, "	" 21, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Street Cleaning.....	" 6, "	124 99	" 2, "	" 20, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 6, "	119 77	" 2, "	" 20, "	" 22, "	Missing	"	"
"	" 6, "	39 25	" 2, "	" 20, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
"	" 6, "	115 66	" 2, "	" 20, "	" 22, "	"	"	"
Total.....		\$620 82						

EVENING POST JOB PRINTING OFFICE.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
Public Parks.....	Jan. 31, 1889	\$17 70	.....	Jan. 3, 1888	Jan. 13, 1888	Record Office	Missing.....	Pay.
"	Mar. 30, "	203 88	Jan. 15, 1889	" 15, 1889	" 15, 1889	"	Record Office	"
"	Apr. 11, "	92 33	" 15, "	" 15, "	" 15, "	"	"	"
"	" 11, "	220 73	.....	Feb. 19, "	Mar. 26, "	Missing	Missing	"
"	" 29, "	116 53	Jan. 15, 1889	Jan. 15, "	Jan. 15, "	Record Office.....	Record Office	"
"	June 13, "	69 73	" 15, "	" 15, "	" 15, "	"	"	"
Corporation Counsel.....	May 31, "	533 92	.....	" 1, "	" 5, "	"	"	"
"	Oct. 23, "	45 77	.....	" 1, "	" 5, "	"	"	"
Public Parks.....	Nov. 6, "	178 00	Jan. 15, 1889	" 15, "	" 15, "	"	"	"
Corporation Counsel.....	Dec. 13, "	3,405 70	.....	" 1, "	" 5, "	"	"	"
"	Jan. 2, 1890	7 02	.....	" 1, "	" 5, "	"	"	"
Public Parks.....	" 3, "	70 31	Jan. 15, 1889	" 15, "	" 15, "	"	"	"
Corporation Counsel.....	Mar. 4, "	126 70	May 18, 1888	" 3, 1888	Feb. 3, 1888	.....	.....	"
Total.....		\$5,088 32						

EQUITY PRESS.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
Public Works.....	Aug. 6, 1889	\$53 00	July 23, 1889	July 17, 1889	July 18, 1889	Record Office.....	Record Office.....	Pay.
Mayor.....	" 16, "	12 60	" 23, "	" 17, "	" 18, "	"	"	"
General Sessions.....	" 21, "	85 05	" 23, "	" 12, "	" 18, "	"	"	"
Health.....	" 28, "	163 25	" 23, "	" 16, "	" 18, "	"	"	"
District Attorney	" 28, "	4 00	" 23, "	" 16, "	" 18, "	"	"	"
Special Sessions.....	" 30, "	91 30	" 23, "	" 2, "	" 18, "	"	"	"
Armory Board.....	Sept. 19, "	32 50	" 23, "	" 16, "	" 18, "	"	"	"
Health.....	Dec. 9, "	6 50	Dec. 3, "	Oct. 29, "	Nov. 30, "	"	"	"
"	" 11, "	5 00	" 3, "	" 29, "	" 30, "	"	"	"
Total.....		\$453 20						

MAVERICK & WISSINGER.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
County Clerk.....	Jan. 23, 1889	\$299 72	Jan. 14, 1889	July 23, 1888	Aug. 17, 1888	Record Office.....	Record Office.....	Pay.
Public Works.....	" 29, "	107 42	.....	.....	.....	Missing.....	Missing.....	Wait suit.
Parks.....	Feb. 28, "	47 69	Feb. 28, 1889	Nov. 12, 1888	Dec. 8, 1888	Record Office.....	Record Office.....	Pay.
Mayor.....	Mar. 30, "	43 95	.....	Dec. 5, "	" 8, "	".....	Missing.....	"
Superior Court.....	" 7, "	19 10	Feb. 25, 1889	" 24, "	" 26, "	Missing.....	Record Office.....	"
Public Administrator.....	Jan. 19, "	32 20	.....	.....	.....	".....	Missing.....	Wait suit.
City Record.....	Mar. 30, "	21 42	.....	.....	.....	".....	".....	"
Public Works.....	Apr. 25, "	26 52	.....	.....	.....	".....	".....	"
Finance.....	Mar. 29, "	10 82	Mar. 20, 1889	Mar. 2, 1889	Mar. 15, 1889	Record Office.....	Record Office.....	Pay.
Public Works.....	June 21, "	8 35	.....	June 14, "	June 22, "	".....	Missing.....	"
".....	Dec. 19, "	17 63	.....	.....	.....	Missing.....	".....	Wait suit.
Total.....		\$634 82						

RAPID DUPLICATING AND COPYING MACHINE COMPANY.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
Civil Service.....	Mar. 27, 1889.	\$35 00	Mar. 13, 1889	July 30, 1888	Dec. 8, 1888	.....	.....	Pay.

J. H. TRAVIS.

DEPARTMENT.	DATE OF BILL.	AMOUNT.	DATE OF ORDER.	DATE OF REQUISITION.	REQUISITION APPROVED.	REQUISITION WHERE.	ORDER WHERE.	PROPOSED DISPOSITION.
Mayor.....	Dec. 22, 1888	\$15 98	Dec. 22, 1888	Dec. 1, 1888	Dec. 22, 1888	Record Office.....	Record Office.....	Pay.

In brief, the bills are as follows :

	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	PUBLICATION OF CITY RECORD.	TOTAL.
M. B. Brown.....	\$233 49	\$1,475 10	\$11,829 92	\$13,242 96	\$1,447 78	\$28,230 25
William P. Mitchell.....	.....	.....	127 77	17,513 06	.....	17,640 83
L. W. Ahrens S. and P. Co.....	24 20	20 00	40 00	536 62	.....	620 82
Isaac Henderson (Evening Post Company).....	.....	.....	144 40	4,943 92	.....	5,088 32
Equity Press.....	.....	.....	.....	453 20	.....	453 20
Maverick & Wissinger.....	.....	.....	299 72	335 10	.....	634 82
Rapid Duplicating Company.....	.....	.....	.....	35 00	.....	35 00
J. H. Travis.....	.....	.....	15 98	.....	.....	15 98
Total.....	\$257 69	\$1,495 10	\$12,457 79	\$37,060 86	\$1,447 78	\$52,719 22

I have a personal interest in desiring that you shall authorize me to settle these bills in accordance with the suggestions above given. They have been a burden to me ever since I have been in this office, and have prevented me from giving that attention to current business which I expected to be able to give when I accepted your appointment, and their presence is a constant source of delay and annoyance.

Respectfully submitted,
W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor City Record.

On motion of Commissioner Gilroy, the report was accepted, and the Supervisor was directed to present, at the next meeting, a resolution for the payment of the bills which could, in his opinion, be paid without any legal question arising.

The following report was then presented :

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 2 CITY HALL, }
NEW YORK, August 18, 1890. }

To the Hons. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor; WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation, and THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works :

GENTLEMEN—I recommend that the requisitions presented herewith be approved. Most of them are for articles within the scope of the annual requisitions or are made necessary by the weekly payment law or by additional labor undertaken by the departments, as in the cases of the Commissioners of Accounts and the Department of Public Works in the matter of the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street viaduct.

I have received from the several courts and departments requisitions for about one hundred and fifty city and business directories. The special appropriation to your credit is for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books." As I understand it, the printing within its scope is that which is to be done specially for the city, not what has been done for anybody or everybody. Books already printed, I suggest, should be procured by means of some other appropriation, and I find that there is an appropriation for "Supplies for and for Cleaning Public Offices," in the charge of the Commissioner of Public Works, out of which, for instance, all law books for the courts, dictionaries, Bibles and other like office furniture, have always been purchased. City directories are similar in character to the articles above-mentioned, and I recommend that the requisitions for them be not approved by you.

Respectfully submitted,
W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor of the City Record.

Commissioner Gilroy said it was, perhaps, true that the directories ought always to have been purchased out of the appropriation for "Supplies for and for Cleaning Public Offices," but they never had been, and he had no doubt that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment had considered the purchase of them when making the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books." As for the appropriation for "Supplies for and for Cleaning Public Offices," it was not large enough to permit him to buy directories.

Acting Corporation Counsel Dean said the Supervisor was right—that the directories were properly office supplies.

Mayor Grant remarked that common sense was a good thing to use in the matter. He asked the Supervisor, if the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books" would stand a reasonable expenditure for directories, and, on being informed that it would, he said that, as the city offices ought to be supplied with the books, he thought it would be proper to purchase them to prevent trouble in the public service. He moved that the Supervisor be directed to report at the next meeting of the Board the number of directories which should be supplied to the several courts and departments.

The Supervisor presented a request made to him by the State Comptroller for the publication in the CITY RECORD, once a week for twelve successive weeks, of a notice of sale of lands on which State taxes had not been paid between 1883 and 1887. The Mayor said he thought the notice was not a proper one to publish in the CITY RECORD, inasmuch as Deputy Com-

troller Storrs, who was present, stated that none of the lands to be sold were in this city. He did not insist in the matter, and, on motion of Commissioner Gilroy, the notice was ordered to be published.

Requisitions were then acted on as the side-notes indicate, the Supervisor being directed, by a concurrent vote of the Mayor, Acting Counsel to the Corporation and Commissioner of Public Works, to procure by direct order the articles required.

No.	DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
		<i>From Commissioners of Accounts.</i>	
	July 16, 1890	2 reams typewriter paper.....	Allowed.
		<i>From Department of Public Parks.</i>	
	Aug. 7, "	75 copies contract for paving One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.....	"
		50 copies estimate for paving One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.....	"
	" 13, "	75 copies contract for sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-third street.....	"
		75 copies contract for sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	"
		50 copies, each, estimates for sewers in One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.....	"
		<i>From Board of Aldermen.</i>	
	" 11, "	50 copies warrant for collection of taxes for 1891.....	"
		<i>From Civil Service Boards.</i>	
	" 11, "	1,000 copies sixth annual report.....	"
		<i>From Department of Public Works.</i>	
	" 7, "	60 copies, each, specifications for regulating and grading Ninety-ninth, One Hundred and Thirty-ninth, One Hundred and Forty-first, One Hundred and Forty-second, One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets and Jumel Terrace, with necessary posters and posting.....	"
	" 11, "	Trim, back, page, index, and bind in separate portfolio forms the plans and drawings of the New Criminal Court Building and the New Court-house.....	"

No.	DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
	Aug. 11, 1890	50 copies, each, specifications for sewers in Seventy-seventh, Eighty-second, Ninety-ninth, between Madison and Fifth avenues; Ninety-ninth, between Boulevard and West End avenue; One Hundred and Second, One Hundred and Fourth, and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets, Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets; Amsterdam avenue, One Hundred and Thirty-third street, west side, Fifty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, and Thirty-first streets.	Allowed.
	" 13, "	250 One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street Improvement Vouchers.	"
	" 13, "	200 pay-rolls, weekly payments	"
	" 14, "	15, each, specifications for flagging, etc., at Park avenue and One Hundred and Twentieth street; Third avenue, from Ninety-second to Ninety-third street; Park avenue, from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street; Sixty-ninth street, from Second to Third avenue; Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets, from Madison to Fifth avenue; Ninetieth street, from Park to Madison avenue, and One Hundred and Fifth street, from Columbus to Amsterdam avenue.	"
		<i>From Finance Department.</i>	
	" 11, "	1 journal to contract ledger	"
		1 record of assessments confirmed	"
		6 four-quire books, indexed	"
		5 City Directories	Laid over.
		<i>From Department of Charities and Correction.</i>	
	Mar. 25, "	Bind 150 copies annual report for 1888 in cloth	Allowed.
		Bind 100 copies annual report for 1888 in paper	"
		Bind 300 copies annual report Insane Asylum	"
	Aug. 15, "	Make and bind 300 each of cuts Nos. 1 and 2 for annual report for 1888	"

Bills were approved as follows, and were ordered to be sent to the Comptroller for payment: Sohmer Lithographing Co. (contract), \$2,750.72; L. W. Ahrens S. & P. Co. (contract for books for Charities and Correction), \$3,378.54; same (contract for books for Supreme Court, etc.), \$693.02; M. B. Brown (1890 orders), \$2,569.91, \$1,341.18, \$2,039.53; weekly salaries of William H. Levett, Robert McManus and Robert Donaldson (Bookbinders in Register's Office, \$21 each), \$63. The meeting was then adjourned.

W. J. K. KENNY, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Papers Approved by the Mayor for the week ending August 23, 1890.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Consumers' Brewing Company (Limited), and the Henry Elias Brewing Company, each to lay a ten-inch iron pipe, for conducting salt water, and two three-inch iron pipes, properly insulated, for conducting steam, from the breweries of said companies in Fifty-fourth street to the East river, all to be laid in the same trench as far as practicable, and as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment to the city, as compensation for the privilege, such amount as may be determined an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said brewing companies shall each stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipes; the work to be done at the expense of the companies, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 12, 1890.
Approved by the Mayor, August 20, 1890.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK, August 19, 1890. }

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, Joseph D. Byrant, M. D., and the President of the Board of Police.

In the absence of the Secretary, on motion, the President appointed the Chief Clerk Secretary pro tempore.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports:

Weekly report of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected:	
Orders received for prosecution	297
Attorney's notices issued	342
Nuisances abated before suit	199
Civil suits commenced for violation of ordinance, Sanitary Code	14
Civil suits commenced for other causes	16
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit	20
Suits discontinued—By Board	13
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits	1
Civil suits now pending	170
Criminal suits now pending	230

Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued, without costs, to wit:

NAMES.	No.	NAMES.	No.
Edward A. Hoffman	884	Caroline Merchant	2586
Samuel Schuster	1720	Margaret Nell	2587
Joseph Danziger	1812	Rose Saberski	2588
Matthew Coogan	2040	Lawson N. Fuller	2602
Mary E. Dunville	2242	Patrick Murphy	2613
William Noble	2300	Frederick M. Payser	2614
Mary Mansfield	2425	Frederick Smedley	2615
Peter Stafford	2421	Wade W. French	2627
Max Cohen	2520	Morris Stone	2645
William Beard	2573	Adolph Cohen	1551

Report of persons charged with neglect to report births in January, March and April, 1890, with letters and statements, which were referred to the Sanitary Committee.

The Sanitary Committee Presented the following Reports:

- Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox).
- Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers).
- Weekly report from Reception Hospital.
- Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital.
- Report on changes in the Hospital Service.

Resolved, That the following changes in the hospital service be and are hereby approved:

NAMES.	POSITION.	SALARY.	APPOINTED. RESIGNED.	DATE.
Edward Curtis	Orderly	\$400 00	Appointed, vice Bullman, resigned August 15	August 16, 1890.
Maggie Morris	Helper	168 00	Discharged	August 17, 1890.

Report on application for leave of absence.

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted to Resident Physician Lester from August 21 to August 26, 1890.

Report on communication from Hon. James E. McLarney, Alderman Twenty-second District, in respect to ash and garbage cans remaining within the stoop-line as required by section 95 of the Sanitary Code, which was approved, and the Chief Clerk was directed to forward a copy of the same to Alderman McLarney.

Report in respect to the use of metal ash and garbage receptacles, which was approved, and the Chief Clerk was directed to forward a copy to the Sanitary Superintendent.

The Finance Committee presented the following bills, which were approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:

NAMES.	AMOUNT.	NAMES.	AMOUNT.
F. H. Leggett & Co.	\$29 40	Gilbert & Barker Mfg. Co.	\$28 20
Thurber, Whyland & Co.	6 25	C. P. Woodworth's Son & Co.	60 81
Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	2 95	Otis Bros. & Co.	31 90
McKesson & Robbins	48 54	E. G. Blackford	5 54
Bloomdale Bros.	10 94	J. S. Moseley	5 00
Nason Manufacturing Co.	2 94	Clark & Wilkins	5 00

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

- Weekly report of the Sanitary Superintendent.
- Weekly report of the Chief Sanitary Inspector.
- Weekly report of the Chemist and Assistant Chemist.
- Weekly report of work performed by the Inspectors of Offensive Trades.
- Weekly report on manure dumps.
- Weekly reports on condition of offal and night-soil boats.
- Weekly reports on condition of slaughter-houses.
- Reports on overcrowding in tenements.
- Reports on applications for permits.
- Reports on applications for relief from orders.
- Report of inspection of milk.
- Report of inspection of fruit, vegetables and fish.
- Report on application for permit to break baled manure foot of Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets, North river. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Report on application for permits to remove the remains of dead bodies from St. Timothy's Church, corner Madison avenue and Thirty-eighth street to Trinity Cemetery, which was approved and the application granted.

The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases.

- Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases.
- Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian.
- Report on application for leave of absence.
- Report and recommendation in respect to a buggy belonging to the Department.

The following Communications were Received from the Register of Records:

- Weekly letters.
- Weekly abstracts of births.
- Weekly abstracts of still-births.
- Weekly abstract of marriages.
- Weekly mortuary statement.
- Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases.
- Weekly reports of Clerks.
- Reports on delayed birth and marriage returns.
- Reports on application to file supplemental papers.
- Reports on application to correct clerical errors.

Overcrowding in Tenements.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in the City of New York are so overcrowded that less than six hundred cubic feet of air-space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses;

It is Ordered, That the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced as follows:

NUMBER.	LOCATION.	FRONT OR REAR HOUSE.	FLOOR.	LESSEE.	REDUCED TO	
					Adults.	Children.
2488	No. 310 Mott street	Rear	Third, s. s.	Joseph Moran	3	2
2489	"	"	Fourth, s. s.	Joe Stott	3	4
2490	No. 307 Mott street	"	Third, s. s. f.	Anton Lamonda	4	8
2491	No. 283 Mott street	"	Fourth, s. s. f.	Damascus Farmigo	1	..
2492	No. 170 Norfolk street	"	Second, s. s. r.	Joseph Landsman	3	3
2493	Nos. 9 and 11 Ludlow street	"	First, s. s. r.	Jacob Reinish	1	4
2494	"	Rear	Fifth, s. s.	Isaac Melham	5	3
2495	"	"	Fifth, n. s.	Wolf Schmitman	4	5

Permits Granted.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
1306	To keep one hundred and twenty-seven lodgers.	No. 255 Bowery.
6943	To retain and use manure-box in yard	No. 441 East Seventy-eighth street.
6944	To keep thirteen cows	No. 513 East Seventy-sixth street.

Permits Denied.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
511	To board and care for three infants	No. 253 West Twenty-eighth street
512	To keep fifteen cows	East side Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.
513	To retain and use manure-pit in yard	No. 259 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
514	"	No. 156 East Twenty-sixth street.
515	To keep four chickens	No. 111 Sheriff street.

Permits Revoked.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING REVOKED.	ON PREMISES AT
3574	To dump ashes	One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, Third and Arthur avenues.
3897	" keep seven chickens	No. 4 2 West Twenty-fourth street.
6585	" retain and use manure-vault	Nos. 302 and 304 East Fortieth street.

Orders Suspended, Extended, Modified, Rescinded or Referred.

No. of ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
5957	No. 321 West Eighty-third street.....	Oct. 1, 1890	
6339	South side Ninety-second street, one hundred feet east of Ninth avenue.....	Sept. 1, "	Modified as requested and order rescinded.
9482	Nos. 980 to 986 Ninth avenue.....	Sept. 15, 1890	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
10222	No. 150 East Thirty-sixth street.....	Sept. 1, 1890	For balance of order.
10355	No. 605 West Forty-fifth street.....	" 1, "	Modified not to require the flagging and grading of yard
10591	No. 80 East Tenth street.....	" 1, "	Modified not to require separate cisterns and the burning out of receivers, provided the closets be supplied with enameled drip trays
10987	No. 65 Mott street.....	" 1, "	Modified to allow a six-inch earthen pipe between the front wall of the house and the sewer, the drain within the house to be of iron.
11587	No. 1686 Lexington avenue.....	" 1, "	Provide a new pan be adjusted to the second floor water-closet, the iron receivers of all water-closets be burnt out and re-tarred, and the open space under the seats be cleaned and disinfected at once.
11777	South side One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Broadway and Tenth avenue.....	Nov. 1, 1890	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
11872	No. 246 East Eighty-seventh street.....	" 1, "	Rescinded.
11887	No. 831 Washington avenue.....	" 1, "	Modified to allow of one common sewer connection.
11920	No. 244 East Seventy-ninth street.....	Sept. 8, 1890	Modified not to require a new house-drain.
11972	One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and Boston avenue.....	" 1, "	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
12061	No. 300 West Fifty-first street.....	Oct. 1, 1890	Rescinded.
12356	No. 503 West Fifty-fifth street.....	" 1, "	Modified to allow of one common sewer connection.
12388	Nos. 201 and 203 Worth street.....	" 1, "	Modified not to require a new house-drain.
12336	No. 346 East Sixty-first street.....	" 1, "	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
12439	Third avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-first and One Hundred and Seventy-second streets.....	" 1, "	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
12441	One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets, near Prospect avenue.....	" 1, "	Extended during the pleasure of the Board.
12444	One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Morris avenue.....	May 1, 1891	Modified not to require the paving of yard, provided said yard be so graded as to discharge all surface water into the hydrant sink.
12529	No. 1561 Third avenue.....	" 1, "	Rescinded during the pleasure of the Board.
12538	No. 195 South Fifth avenue.....	May 1, 1891	Rescinded during the pleasure of the Board.
12577	No. 3123 Third avenue.....	Sept. 15, 1890	Rescinded during the pleasure of the Board.
12597	No. 521 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.....	Nov. 1, "	Extended during the pleasure of the Board.
12631	East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, between Ryer and Cresson avenues.....	" 1, "	Rescinded.
12634	One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Valentine avenue.....	" 1, "	Provided the lot be cleaned and disinfected at once.
12635	Valentine avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-fourth and One Hundred and Eighty-fifth streets.....	Sept. 15, 1890	Provided the offensive earth beneath stable floor be disinfected and removed and fresh earth substituted therefor, and the premises kept in a sanitary condition.
12658	No. 555 West Thirty-fifth street.....	Oct. 7, "	For balance of order.
12717	No. 14 Forsyth street.....	Sept. 15, "	Modified not to require white-washing of hallway ceilings.
12833	No. 25 Hester street.....	" 1, "	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board, or as long as the school-sink is kept in good sanitary condition.
12846	No. 422 and 424 West Fifty-sixth street.....	" 1, "	Extended during the pleasure of the Board.
12849	No. 251 West Sixtieth street.....	" 1, "	Modified not to require the extension of the front main waste-pipe.
12854	No. 1500 Avenue A.....	" 1, "	For balance of order.
12885	No. 108 Waverly place.....	Nov. 15, "	
12909	No. 812 Third avenue.....	" 1, "	
12964	No. 612 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street.....	Sept. 1, 1890	
13057	No. 188 Hester street.....	" 1, "	
13074	No. 33 East Eighty-fifth street.....	" 10, "	
13091	No. 223 East Fifty-eighth street.....	" 1, "	
13102	No. 503 West Fifty-sixth street.....	Nov. 1, 1890	
13216	No. 141 Seventh avenue.....	Sept. 1, "	
13170	No. 367 Third avenue.....	" 5, "	
13426	Nos. 117 and 119 Bank street.....	" 1, "	
13481	No. 117 Chrystie street.....	" 1, "	
20206	Nos. 1511 to 1515 Broadway.....	" 1, "	
20511	No. 741 Eighth avenue.....	May 1, 1891	

Applications for Relief from Orders Denied.

No. of ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	No. of ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT
2453	No. 237 East Forty-fourth street.	12807	No. 221 East Sixty-first street.
8177	No. 207 Eighth avenue.	12812	No. 92 James street.
9230	No. 866 Second avenue.	12926	No. 145 Ridge street.
9893	Nos. 335 and 337 East Thirteenth street.	12986	No. 846 East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.
9948	No. 723 Seventh avenue.	13005	No. 146 East Broadway.
10777	No. 311 East Thirty-fifth street.	13226	No. 145 East Fortieth street.
11162	No. 176 Forsyth street.	13230	No. 136 Orchard street.
11367	No. 46 Horatio street.	13336	One Hundred and Eighteenth street and East river.
11721	No. 216 William street.	13401	No. 1881 Third avenue.
11753	No. 331 West Thirty-first street.	13564	No. 154 East Eighty-first street.
12660	No. 228 Second street.		
12707	No. 337 East Fifty-eighth street.		

Communications from Other Departments.

Comptroller's Office—Weekly statement.
 A communication from the Department of Public Works, acknowledging receipt of complaint in respect to condition of pavement in front of No. 165 to No. 169 West Eighty-seventh street.
 A communication from the Department of Street Cleaning, acknowledging receipt of complaint in respect to condition of East Sixteenth street.
 A communication from the Department of Street Cleaning, acknowledging receipt of complaint in respect to condition of Theatre alley.
 A communication from the Department of Public Parks, in respect to the carting of manure within the limits of Central Park.

Miscellaneous Communications.

Applications from Dr. H. P. Barton, Dr. E. J. Lorenz, and Dr. P. E. Tieman, for appointment on the Vaccinating Corps.
 A certificate from Dr. M. Leal, of the illness of Mr. Craig.
 A communication from F. Friedliben, requesting a copy of the rules and regulations of the Board and The Chief Clerk was directed to forward a copy of the same.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to file supplemental papers relating to

NAME.	RETURN.	DATE.
Jeanette Bouton.....	Born.....	July 21, 1886.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following birth and marriage certificates:

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
1. John Scherger.....	Born.....	Dec. 21, 1889
2. Eugene E. Jerolamon.....	".....	Mar. 15, 1890
3. Louisa Godfrey.....	".....	" 30, "
4. Francis L. Beall.....	".....	" 31, "
5. Anna Madier.....	".....	April 6, "
6. Annie Sullivan.....	".....	May 20, "
7. Male child of A. and M. Spohrer.....	".....	" 28, "
8. Hermann Kummert.....	".....	June 4, "
9. Charles Taylor.....	Married.....	Sept. 29, 1889
10. Thomas Kelly.....	".....	April 20, 1890
11. Thomas F. Smith.....	".....	May 17, "

Resolved, That the report of Chief Inspector Edson on the condition of a buggy belonging to this Department, be and is hereby approved and the said buggy is condemned and ordered sold under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent, and that Chief Inspector Edson make requisition for the purchase of a buggy in place of the one condemned.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be and is hereby directed to advertise a sale at public auction of one buggy in the CITY RECORD as required by law.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to amend the record of death of Catharine Bodick, who died March 17, 1866, by changing the name of Bodick to Bothick and the record of death of Annie Gies, who died March 10, 1880, by changing the name of Annie to Armin the same being clerical errors.

Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent be and is hereby authorized and directed to grant permits to the Department of Public Parks to cart manure within the limits of Central Park.

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted, as follows:

NAMES.	FROM	TO	REMARKS.
Inspector Dillingham.....	August 20.....	August 24.....	On account of sickness.
" Collins.....	" 18.....	" 21.....	"
" Taaffe.....	" 18.....	" 24.....	"
" Leyendecker.....	" 14.....	" 14.....	"
" Griffin.....	" 18.....	" 31.....	"

The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation:

Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Plumbing and Ventilation.

Weekly report on light and ventilation of tenement-houses, plumbing and drainage, plans of new buildings.

Report on application for leave of absence.

Resolved, That the recommendations of the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation be and the same are hereby approved.

Action of the Board on Plans for Light and Ventilation of the following Tenement-houses:

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation be and are hereby approved, upon the conditions described in the permits issued in each case, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

- Plan No. 7927-2. For one tenement, No. 181 East Broadway, conditionally.
- 8105. For two tenements, north side of Ninetieth street, thirty feet west of Lexington avenue, as amended.
- 8119. For one tenement, No. 57 Henry street, as amended.
- 8133. For two tenements, south side of Thirty-ninth street, three hundred and twenty-five feet west of Ninth avenue, as amended.
- 8134. For one tenement, southeast corner of Eighty-eighth street and Columbus avenue, as amended.
- 8135. For one tenement, No. 238 East Tenth street.
- 8137. For two tenements, south side of Seventy-second street, forty-five feet west of Avenue B, as amended.
- 8139. For one tenement, No. 160 East Sixtieth street, conditionally.
- 8138. For three tenements, Nos. 232 to 238 East Thirty-third street, conditionally.
- 8141. For five tenements, south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, two hundred fifty feet west of Seventh avenue, conditionally.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

- Plan No. 8136. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, two hundred and forty feet west of Seventh avenue.
- 8140. For one tenement, east side of Ninth avenue, fifty feet south of One Hundred and Eighteenth street.
- 8142. For two tenements, south side of Eighty-eighth street, fifty feet east of Columbus avenue.

Violations to the Attorney.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to light and ventilation of tenement houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:

- Nos. 1770, 1818, 1914, 1985, 2004, 2005, 2093.

Disapproved.

Resolved, That the following plan for light and ventilation be and is hereby disapproved:

- Plan No. 8005-2. For store-house, rear of No. 1690 Park avenue.

Amendments to Light and Ventilation Plans.

Resolved, That the following amendments to light and ventilation plans be and are hereby approved:

- Plan No. 6577. For five tenements, southwest corner of Willis avenue and One hundred and Forty-fourth street.
- 6824. For one tenement, southeast corner of Ninth avenue and Seventy-fifth street.
- 7387. For one tenement, east side of Ninth avenue, twenty-five feet eight inches south of Seventy-fifth street.
- 7553. For four tenements, south side of Eighty-ninth street, one hundred and ten feet east of Third avenue.
- 7731-2. For extension, No. 976 Second avenue.
- 7766-2. For one tenement, No. 148 East Broadway.
- 7899. For four tenements, north side of Ninety seventh street, two hundred feet east of Fourth avenue.
- 8052. For one tenement, No. 215 Madison street.

Action of the Board on Plans for Plumbing and Drainage of the following Houses:

Resolved, That plans for plumbing and drainage of the following houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions contained in the statement of the action of the Board, attached to the specifications submitted with the plans, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

- Plan No. 11700. For one dwelling, west side of Siebbins avenue, one hundred and twenty-five feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, as amended.
- 11771. For one dwelling, No. 165 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street, as amended.
- 11803. For three dwellings, north side of Eighty-fifth street, ninety feet west of West End avenue, as amended.
- 11804. For five dwellings, northwest corner of West End avenue and Eighty-fifth street, as amended.
- 11805. For five dwellings, north side of Eighty-fifth street, two hundred and seventy-five feet west of West End avenue, as amended.
- 11826. For one stable, north side of Eighty-fourth street, two hundred and fifty feet west of Tenth avenue, as amended.
- 11827. For one synagogue, No. 323 East Eighty-second street, conditionally.
- 11836. For three tenements, north side of One Hundred and Second street, three hundred feet east of Tenth avenue, as amended.
- 11837. For one store, Nos. 252 and 254 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, as amended.
- 11838. For one warehouse, northwest corner of Bleecker street and South Fifth avenue, as amended.
- 11839. For one dwelling, north side of Southern Boulevard, sixty feet east of Decatur avenue, as amended.

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.

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

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

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

Bureau of Fire Marshal.
JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.
THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.
Attorney to Department.
WM. L. FINDLEY.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.
Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
ALBERT GALLUP, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.
Office of Topographical Engineer.
Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Bureau of Streets and Roads.
No. 31 Chamber street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN B. SHEA, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent.
Keeper of City Hall.
MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES F. MACLEAN, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBUGH, 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.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HANS S. BEATTIE, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; GILBERT O. F. NICOLL, Chief Clerk.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
The MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

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

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.
Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL E. SICKLES, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.
East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANK I. FITZGERALD, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

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

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE
Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; CHARLES J. MCGEE, Chief Clerk.

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

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

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

SUPREME COURT.
Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk. General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk. Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. MCCALL, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk, Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20. SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Librarian.

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

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.
Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

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 10.15 o'clock A. M.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

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

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

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 FOR CONVEYING Pupils, every school day, from September 8, 1890, to July 3, 1891, inclusive:
From Williamsbridge to Grammar School No. 64, and return.
And from Woodlaw Heights to Prim r School No. 47, and return;
—separate proposal or each school—will be received by the Board of Trustees of Common Schools of the Twenty-fourth Ward, at the Board-room in Grammar School Building No. 64, at Fordham, until Tuesday, September 1, 1890, at 4 o'clock P. M.
Terms of contracts and further information may be obtained of Theodore E. Thomson, Trustee, No. 1779 Washington avenue, as to School No. 64, and of John E. Eustis, Trustee, Sedgwick avenue, near Morris Dock, as to School No. 47.
The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.
ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman,
LOUIS S. EICKWORT, Secretary,
Of Board of Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.
Dated New York, August 14, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLICWORKS.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST., NEW YORK, August 23, 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. Monday, September 8, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTEENTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; FIFTY-THIRD STREET, from Madison to Fourth avenue, and FORTY-FIFTH STREET, from Madison to Fourth avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MADISON AVENUE, from Fifty-eighth to Sixtieth Street.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE PAINTING AND CALCIMING ROOMS AND HALLS OF THE SEVENTH REGIMENT ARMORY, THE SEVENTH DISTRICT COURT-HOUSE, THE BROWN-STONE BUILDING, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, THE TOMPKINS MARKET BUILDING, AND NO. 49 BEEKMAN STREET.

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 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 and 15, No. 31 Chambers street.
THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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No. 1. FOR SEWER IN SECOND AVENUE, between First and Houston streets.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF GOERCK STREET, from Grand to Third street (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CEMENT FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TOMPKINS STREET, from Grand street to Stanton street (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF BETHUNE STREET, from West street to Thirteenth avenue (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTEENTH AVENUE, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Eleventh to Thirteenth avenue (so far as the same is within the limits of land under water).

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from First avenue to East river (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

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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 18, 1890.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 29, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under the supervision of the Superintendent of Incumbrances, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on the premises, the following, viz.:

WITHIN THE LINES OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, BETWEEN TENTH AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUES, ONE FRAME BUILDING, 76 x 65, OR SO MUCH THEREOF AS LIES WITHIN THE LINES OF THE STREET.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the building or parts thereof entirely out of the line of the street, on or before the 18th day of September, 1890, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, or the building to be resold.

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, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, August 14, 1890.

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 92 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.

QUARANTINE COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS, CREATED BY CHAPTER 270, LAWS OF 1888, No. 71 BROADWAY, ROOM 101, NEW YORK, August 18, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Commissioners of Quarantine, No. 71 Broadway, Room 101, until 1 o'clock P. M. Wednesday, August 27, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

For Plumbing, Painting, Carpenter, Mason Work, etc., at Swinburne Island; also, for building a Small Dock, relaying Crib and Asphalted and Concreting the same.

Bids for Dock, Crib Work, Asphalted and Concreting must be made in one tender.

Bidders for the other work may submit separate bids for each kind of work, or include all in one tender.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and all desired information obtained at the office of Mr. Stephen D. Hatch, Architect in charge, No. 115 Broadway.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids received for the whole or any part of the above work.

Successful bidders will be required to furnish bondsmen satisfactory to the Commissioners, when contracts are executed, the amount of said bonds to be determined by them.

CHAS. F. ALLEN, President.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 350.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, NEAR THE FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, TO BE KNOWN AS "PIER NEW 58," NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a new wooden pier, with appurtenances, near the foot of West Twenty-eighth street, North river, to be known as "Pier, new 58," North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1890,

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

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

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

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

Table with columns: Item description, Quantity, Price per unit, Total. Includes items like Yellow Pine Timber, Spruce Timber, Spruce Timber (creosoted), White Oak Timber, etc.

Table with columns: Item description, Quantity, Price per unit, Total. Includes items like Spruce Timber (4' x 10'), Spruce Planks (creosoted), White Oak Timber (8' x 12').

Table with columns: Item description, Quantity, Price per unit, Total. Includes items like Spruce Timber (4' x 6'), Spruce Planks (creosoted), White Oak Timber (8' x 12').

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber in items 1, 2, 3 and 4, are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

5. White Pine, Yellow Pine, or Cypress Piles for Pier. (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.)

6. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet long. 14

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 10", 3/8" x 8", 3/8" x 6", 3/8" x 4", 3/8" x 3", 3/8" x 2", 3/8" x 1", 3/8" x 1/2", 3/8" x 1/4", 3/8" x 1/8", 3/8" x 1/16", 3/8" x 1/32", 3/8" x 1/64, 3/8" x 1/128, 3/8" x 1/256, 3/8" x 1/512, 3/8" x 1/1024, 3/8" x 1/2048, 3/8" x 1/4096, 3/8" x 1/8192, 3/8" x 1/16384, 3/8" x 1/32768, 3/8" x 1/65536, 3/8" x 1/131072, 3/8" x 1/262144, 3/8" x 1/524288, 3/8" x 1/1048576, 3/8" x 1/2097152, 3/8" x 1/4194304, 3/8" x 1/8388608, 3/8" x 1/16777216, 3/8" x 1/33554432, 3/8" x 1/67108864, 3/8" x 1/134217728, 3/8" x 1/268435456, 3/8" x 1/536870912, 3/8" x 1/1073741824, 3/8" x 1/2147483648, 3/8" x 1/4294967296, 3/8" x 1/8589934592, 3/8" x 1/17179869184, 3/8" x 1/34359738368, 3/8" x 1/68719476736, 3/8" x 1/137438953472, 3/8" x 1/274877906944, 3/8" x 1/549755813888, 3/8" x 1/1099511627776, 3/8" x 1/2199023255552, 3/8" x 1/4398046511104, 3/8" x 1/8796093022208, 3/8" x 1/17592186044416, 3/8" x 1/35184372088832, 3/8" x 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- 1,000 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes.
- 1,200 pounds Oolong Tea.
- 600 gallons Syrup, in barrels.
- 50 bushels Peas.
- 3,600 dozen fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
- 40 barrels good, sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.
- 50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
- 100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.
- 39 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.
- 46 prime quality City-cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
- 30 prime quality City-cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.
- 172 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed 3 pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

DRY GOODS, LEATHER, ETC.

- 2,500 yards Brown Muslin.
- 2,500 yards Shroud Muslin.
- 50 dozen Handkerchiefs.
- 50 dozen Cotton Mops.
- 12 dozen Dust Brushes.
- 5 bales Broom Corn.
- 1,000 pounds Offal Leather.
- 25 barrels, first quality, White-wash Lime.
- 25 barrels, first quality, Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of Chloride.
- 5,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from adulterations, any added impurities, and subject to analysis, if necessary, 25 100s, 25 50s, 50 25s.

LUMBER.

- 5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine Shelving, dressed both sides, 12 to 16" x 12 to 16 feet.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, September 4, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry-goods, Leather, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Com-

troller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

Dated New York, August 23, 1890.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:

- 500,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
- 125,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.
- 5,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.
- 2,200 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, August 27, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

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

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and bran.

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

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 above 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; and 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 five thousand (5,000) 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 to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of two hundred and fifty (250) 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, August 7, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing and altering the following buildings of this Department, viz.: Quarters of Engine Company No. 46, on Morris street, between Madison and Washington avenues, and of Hook and Ladder Company No. 4, at No. 788 Eighth avenue, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, August 27, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, 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 the time specified in 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; and 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 four hundred (1,400) dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of seventy (70) 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.

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 Commonalty 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.

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 28th day of August, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, August 15, 1890.
JOHN H. ROGAN,
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 Commonalty 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.

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 28th day of August, 1890, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, August 15, 1890.
CHARLES D. METZ,
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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to GERMAN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Westchester avenue to Brook avenue, and to RAE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from St. Ann's avenue to German Place, and to CARR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from St. Ann's avenue to German place, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first class streets or roads by the Department of Public Parks.

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

Dated New York, August 7, 1890.
SAMUEL R. ELLIOTT,
JOSEPH E. NEUBURGER,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 529 of the Laws of 1884, and of all other statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of September, 1890, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, in the place and stead of Lytleton G. Garretson, deceased.

The nature and extent of the improvement intended to be affected by the prosecution of the above-entitled proceeding is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all of the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, and required for a public park at or near Corlears Hook, in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, prolonged easterly for 100 feet; easterly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly, from the easterly line of Locust avenue; southerly by the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, prolonged easterly for 100 feet, and westerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly, from the westerly line of Locust avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved lands included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 29th day of August, 1890, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Freeman street, extending from Union avenue to Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the west side of Chisholm street, distant 500 feet southerly from the intersection of the south side of Jennings street with the west side of Chisholm street:

- 1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Chisholm street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right, for 812.44 feet;
- 3d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 43° 32' 26" to the right, for 2.08 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 78° 23' 42" to the right, for 69.01 feet;
- 5th. Thence easterly for 777.45 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the east side of Chisholm street, distant 500 feet southerly from the intersection of the south side of Jennings street with the east side of Chisholm street:

- 1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Chisholm street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 120.56 feet;
- 3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 12° 32' 06" to the left, for 99.44 feet;
- 4th. Thence easterly, deflecting 44° 45' 05" to the right, for 352.13 feet;
- 5th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 14° 35' 35" to the right, for 100.16 feet;
- 6th. Thence easterly, deflecting 38° 49' 09" to the left for 338.62 feet to the western line of Southern Boulevard;
- 7th. Thence northerly, along the western line of the Southern Boulevard for 100 feet;
- 8th. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the left for 293.73 feet;
- 9th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10° 07' 28" to the right, for 100.09 feet;
- 10th. Thence westerly, deflecting 14° 06' 06" to the right for 345.55 feet;
- 11th. Thence westerly, deflecting 38° 20' 58" to the left, for 83.92 feet;
- 12th. Thence westerly, for 171.53 feet to the point of beginning.

Freeman street, from Union avenue to South Boulevard, is designated a street of the first-class, and is partly 60 and partly 100 feet wide.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-first street; easterly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Walnut avenue; southerly by the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and westerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Walnut avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874 and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, August 2, 1890.
JOHN H. KNOEPEL, Chairman,
RICHARD H. CLARKE,
JOHN H. SPELLMAN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, Morris avenue and Monroe place; easterly by the westerly line of Vanderbilt avenue, East, and the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, the centre line of the block between Wendover avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and a certain unnamed street or avenue running from Webster avenue to Anthony avenue and distant about 310 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, a line equidistant from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and the prolongation easterly of the northerly line of Walnut street from Topping street to Anthony avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Walnut street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street; and westerly by the easterly line of Webster street; and the easterly line of Morris avenue and the easterly line of Weeks street; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated NEW YORK, July 28, 1890.
MICHAEL J. KELLY, Chairman,
JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER,
SAMUEL R. ELLIOTT,
Commissioners.
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BREMER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Jerome avenue to Birch street, and to that part of DEVOE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Bremer avenue to Ogden avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as first class streets or roads by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objec-

tions in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the thirteenth day of September, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said thirteenth day of September, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Devoe street and Union street, and the southerly line of Birch street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Bremer avenue and Anderson avenue and a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bremer avenue, and extending from Anderson avenue to Jerome avenue; southerly by the northerly line of Jerome avenue and the centre line of the block between Devoe street and Kemp place; and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Bremer avenue and Ogden avenue, the easterly line of Ogden avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Bremer avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue, being the first street or avenue westerly from, and having the same general direction as, Bremer avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

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

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 9th day of September, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 9th day of September, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

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

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

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

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
NO. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, August 23, 1890.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1890, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Health Department will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street, the following article, viz.:

One BUGGY.

TERMS OF SALE.

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

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

AN OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR the position of INSPECTOR OF PAVING will be held at the rooms of the Civil Service Boards, Cooper Union, on Tuesday, the 26th instant, at 10 A. M. Application blanks may be obtained at the office of the Secretary, Room 30, Cooper Union.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

NOTICE.

- 1. Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
- 2. Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
- 3. Examinations will be held from time to time at the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.
- 4. All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
- 5. The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:

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

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

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

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

Schedule 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.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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Comptroller.

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