

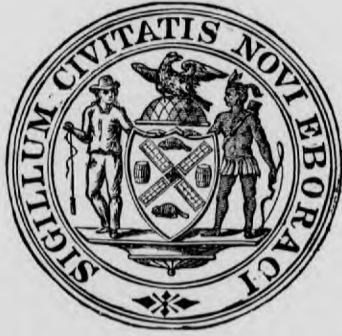
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK, November 6, 1890. }

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, Joseph D. Byrant, M. D., the Health Officer of the Port, the President of the Board of Police.
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	219
Attorney's notices issued	288
Nuisances abated before suit	243
Civil suits commenced for other causes	30
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit	14
Suits discontinued—By Board	22
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits	3
Executions issued	9
Judgments for the People—Criminal suits	32
Civil suits now pending	206
Criminal suits now pending	185
Money Collected and Paid to Cashier—Civil Suits	\$30
Money paid into the Court—Criminal suits	\$570

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.
Mina S. Karl.....	2331	John Maffa.....	2886
William H. Mills.....	2452	Abraham Lichtenstein.....	2910
William H. Mills.....	2453	Anna Murray.....	2919
Thomas J. Gibbons.....	2579	Mary A. Fanner.....	2920
Mary A. Tanner.....	2672	Morris Bermond.....	2930
Gerolamo Cella.....	2715	Sophie W. Irwin.....	2943
Matthew Kane.....	2793	Thomas Robb.....	2948
Matthew Canant.....	2833	Joseph Cohen.....	2962

Report, submitting a revised copy of the abstract of laws relating to the solemnization of marriages, which was approved.

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.
Jennie E. Barrie.....	Nurse.....	\$360 00	Appointed, vice Harris resigned..	Nov. 1, 1890.
Kate McGovern.....	Helper.....	144 00	Appointed, vice O'Brien resigned.	" 1, "
Catherine Glennan.....	".....	168 00	Appointed, vice Jacobson discharged.....	" 5, "

Report on application for permit to keep a lodging-house, at No. 27 Tenth avenue, which was approved.

Report on applications for permits to keep lodging-houses at Nos. 83, 85, and 221 Bowery, which were approved.

Report in respect to public property at Riverside Hospital worn out and unfit for use. Referred to the Chief Clerk for examination and report.

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

NAMES.	AMOUNT.	NAMES.	AMOUNT.
Leonard & Ellis.....	\$3 75	The J. L. Mott Iron Works.....	\$10 00
Cox & Cameron.....	3 00	Nason Mfg. Co.....	6 38
F. Rockwell.....	69 32	Bloomington Bros.....	35 11
E. D. Peters.....	300 00	McKesson & Robbins.....	8 67
T. F. White.....	3,000 00	The J. L. Mott Iron Works.....	10 53
J. McCauley.....	166 66	Leonard & Ellis.....	1 40
L. Eutinger.....	500 00	A. McGerald.....	105 00
Eimer & Amend.....	38 02	A. Nimphius.....	3 50
W. McKenna.....	13 75	The Old Farmers' Dairy.....	69 30
H. Schmitz.....	2 65	Thurber, Whyland & Co.....	9 20
P. Henderson.....	1 20	W. H. Schieffelin & Co.....	28 33
Wyckhoff, Seamans & Benedict.....	45 00	F. J. Knopp.....	8 15
H. B. Griffin Sons & Co.....	60 15	G. W. Winant & Son.....	24 80
Gilbert & Barker Mfg. Co.....	59 40	McKesson & Robbins.....	24 33
Thomas Farrell.....	6 60	J. Herschauer & Bro.....	168 00
F. J. Knopp.....	7 50	Lord & Taylor.....	48 30
Western Electric Co.....	2 60	G. Vause.....	11 25
Record & Guide.....	12 00	J. H. Petrie.....	9 25
Perfection Oil Tank Co.....	13 50	F. H. Leggett & Co.....	36 41
R. Webber.....	357 32	Mutual Gas Co.....	24 37
N. Y. Condensed Milk Co.....	41 40	F. C. Gleason.....	5 75
Chas. Wolf.....	79 55		

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.
- Monthly report on condition of streets and removal of ashes and garbage for October, 1890.
- Reports on overcrowding in tenement-houses.
- Reports on applications for permits.
- Reports on applications for relief from orders.
- Report on condition of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street between Rider and Railroad avenues and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Railroad avenue and Mott Haven Canal.
- Report in respect to order on premises Fifty-third street and East river, Mulligan & Son.
- The resignation of Sanitary Inspector Leyendecker was received and accepted.
- Report of an examination of samples of water and ice from the Hygeia Ice Company.

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 probationary service of Inspector of Vaccination Ayzavian.

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 report of Clerks.
- Reports on delayed birth returns.
- Reports on applications to file supplemental papers.
- Reports on application to correct clerical errors.
- Report submitting application to register the birth of Carrie M. Amrhein, born September 12, 1887, and Bertha Margaret Amrhein, born May 1, 1889. Referred to Attorney and Counsel.

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.
2613	No. 89 Thompson street.....		Third, s. s. r.	Caudasa Geotantina.....	2	..
2614	".....		Third, s. s. f.	Joseph Smith.....	..	1
2615	".....		Third, n. s. f.	Dominick Alexander.....	..	3
2616	No. 105 Thompson street.....		Third,	Nicholas Piero.....	6	3
2617	".....	Rear No. 2.....	First,	Dominick Sander.....	3	2
2618	".....	".....	Second,	John Boyone.....	1	6
2619	".....	".....	Third,	Geraneo Rammono.....	3	3
2620	No. 107 Thompson street.....		Third, n. s. f.	William D. Dily.....	1	1
2621	".....		Third, s. s. f.	Edward L. Goodman.....	1	..
2622	No. 171 Thompson street.....		Third, n. s. r.	Tom Menel.....	1	1
2623	".....		Third, s. s. f.	John Geoffre.....	1	..
2624	".....		Third, n. s. f.	Tom Lutz.....	1	..
2625	No. 175 Thompson street.....		Attic, n. s. r.	Mike Martonick.....	1	..
2626	".....		Attic, s. s. r.	Sarah Galuck.....	1	1
2627	".....		Attic, n. s. f.	Mary Murhpy.....	1	..
2628	No. 13 Washington street.....		Fourth, n. s. f.	Bryan Connor.....	2	3

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
1310	To keep 180 lodgers.....	No. 85 Bowery.
1311	" 195 ".....	No. 83 Bowery.
1312	" 255 ".....	Nos. 219 and 221 Bowery.
7010	To use smoke-house.....	No. 510 East Eleventh street.
7011	To retain and use manure-box in yard.....	North side Eighth street, at East river.
7012	" " " " ".....	Northeast corner Elton avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.
1013	" " " vault in yard.....	No. 131 Charles street.
7014	" " " box.....	No. 142 Monroe street.
7015	To board and care for one infant.....	No. 720 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.
7016	To use smoke-house.....	No. 129 East Third street.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
550	To board and care for one infant.....	No. 156 Forsyth street.
551	To retain and use manure-box in yard.....	No. 21 Lind avenue, Highbridge.
552	" " " vault in yard.....	No. 61 Columbia street.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING REVOKED.	ON PREMISES AT
6889	To retain and use manure-box.....	No. 90 Jane street.

No. of Order.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
2286	Nos. 614 and 616 West Fifty-second street...	May 1, 1891	
5759	No. 308 West Seventy-eighth street.....	Mar. 1, "	
5958	Nos. 328 to 332 West Eighty-third street....	" 15, "	{ Provided the privy-vaults at Nos. 228 and 230 be disinfected, emptied and cleaned at once.
5959			
7979	No. 667 East One Hundred and Forty-second street.....	Dec. 1, 1890	
8431	Nos. 437 and 439 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.....	Jan. 10, 1891	
8466	No. 413 East Seventieth street.....	May 1, "	{ Provided the privy-vault be disinfected, emptied and cleaned at once.
4742			

Table with columns: No. of Order, On Premises At, Time Extended To, Remarks. Contains various order entries with addresses and dates.

The resignation of Melinie O'Jell, Sweeper, was received and accepted. The President submitted amendments to the Rules and Regulations, which were approved, and gave notice that he should move their adoption at the next regular meeting of the Board.

The Secretary presented amendments to the Rules and Regulations relating to plans and specifications for plumbing and drainage, which were approved and ordered printed.

Resolutions.

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

Table with columns: NAMES, RETURN, DATE. Lists birth certificates for various individuals with their return dates.

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

Table with columns: NAME, RETURN, DATE. Lists supplemental papers for Edward C. Bourgeois, returned Sept. 29, 1886.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to amend the record of birth of male child of Joseph P. and Mary Ebbetts, born August 3, 1880, by changing place of birth from No. 139 near Duezrs street to No. 139 Macdougall street, also the record of death of Jovine S. Hotchkiss, died July 15, 1868, by changing the name of Jovine to Irvine, and the record of the death of Samuel Finnisgerund, died December 18, 1867, by changing the name of Finnisgerund to Finnigan, the same being clerical errors.

Resolved, That a permit to keep a lodging-house at No. 27 Tenth avenue, be and is hereby granted, provided the fence in the rear now located six feet from the rear of the building be removed.

Resolved, That permits to keep lodging-houses be and are hereby granted as follows: No. 85 Bowery for 180 lodgers, No. 83 Bowery for 195 lodgers, Nos. 219 and 221 Bowery for 255 lodgers.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Inspector Hurd on the condition of sewers in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Rider and Railroad avenues, and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street between Railroad avenue and Mott Haven Canal be forwarded to the Department of Public Parks for the necessary action.

Resolved, That Mary Green be and is hereby appointed Sweeper in this Department with salary at the rate of two hundred and twenty-five dollars per annum from November 3, 1890.

Resolved, That the Register be and is hereby authorized and directed to record the birth of Agnes Spitzmuller, born April 4, 1884, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 250, Laws of 1880.

Resolved, That A. Ayzavian, provisionally employed as an Inspector of Vaccination in this Department, having served as such six months and his conduct and character being satisfactory is hereby appointed an Inspector of Vaccination in this Department, pursuant to the Rules and Regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of twelve hundred dollars per annum.

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. 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. 7813-2. For one tenement, No. 343 East Eighty-sixth street. 7971-2. For one alteration, No. 151 Clinton street, conditionally. 8249. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, one hundred and fifty feet east of Third avenue, conditionally. 8250. For one tenement, No. 217 West Sixteenth street, as amended. 8256. For alteration, No. 221 Henry street. 8257. For two tenements, north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, two hundred feet west of Fifth avenue, as amended. 8258. For one tenement, No. 87 Sheriff street. 8259. For two tenements, north side of Sixty-third street, two hundred feet east of Amsterdam avenue. 8262. For two tenements, north side of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, two hundred feet west of Eighth avenue. 8210-2. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, two hundred and fifty feet east of Second avenue.

Tabled for Amendment.

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

- Plan No. 8252. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, two hundred and seventy-five feet east of Seventh avenue. 8253. For one tenement, No. 212 East Eighty-fifth street. 8254. For three tenements, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, two hundred and twenty-five feet west of Second avenue. 8255. For three tenements, east side of Edgecomb avenue, one hundred feet north of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

Amendments to Light and Ventilation Plans Approved.

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

- Plan No. 7566. For four tenements, north side of Ninetieth street, three hundred feet east of Second avenue. 7622. For two tenements, Nos. 96 and 98 Eighth street. 7889. For one tenement, No. 12 Hubert street. 8069. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, one hundred and sixty feet west of Madison avenue. 8107. For one tenement, No. 57 Mott street. 8196. For alteration, southwest corner of Second avenue and Fifty-ninth street. 8222. For one tenement, west side of Madison avenue one hundred and eighteen feet north of Eighty-fourth street.

Amendments to Light and Ventilation Plans Disapproved.

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

- Plan No. 7702. For two tenements, Nos. 129 and 131 West Sixty-seventh street.

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. 1457, 1777, 2022, 2036, 2100, 2132, 2147, 2165, 2209.

Applications for Relief from Orders Denied.

Table with columns: No. of Order, On Premises At, No. of Order, On Premises At. Lists applications for relief from orders denied.

Communications from Other Departments.

Comptroller's Office—Weekly statement. A communication from the New York Civil Service Boards, in respect to the examination of Thomas Fay for promotion as Clerk.

Miscellaneous Communications.

A proposal from John D. Brown to make tracings of sewers on maps of Department for the sum of \$100 was received and accepted. A report from the Chief Clerk, of an inspection of articles at Willard Parker Hospital, worn out and unfit for use, with the recommendation that the same be condemned, which was approved.

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. 11202. For five dwellings, east side of Hamilton avenue, twenty-four feet south of One Hundred and Forty-second street, as amended. 11832. For one shop, west side of Willis avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, conditionally. 12091. For one dwelling, south side of Mount Hope place, two hundred and eighty-eight feet east of Morris avenue. 12107. For one hotel, southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Thirtieth street, as amended. 12114. For one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, seventy-five feet east of Arthur avenue, as amended. 12186. For five dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, one hundred feet west of Bathgate avenue, conditionally. 12188. For two tenements, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, three hundred and seventy-five feet east of Willis avenue, as amended. 12191. For three tenements, south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, two hundred and sixty-five feet west of Ninth avenue, as amended. 12193. For one dwelling, north side of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, ninety-eight feet west of Morris avenue, as amended. 12199. For one factory, Nos. 524 to 528 West Forty-third street, as amended. 12200. For one tenement, No. 168 Henry street. 12213. For four tenements, south side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, one hundred feet east of Fifth avenue, conditionally. 12217. For drainage, three buildings, south side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, one hundred, one hundred and seventy-five, and two hundred and five feet east of Washington avenue, conditionally. 12218. For drainage, two buildings, northwest corner of Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Forty-seventh street. 12219. For drainage, one building, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-third street, one hundred and fifty-five feet west of Convent avenue, conditionally. 12222. For drainage, one building, Nos. 155 to 159 East Twenty-third street. 12223. For police-station, south side of Sixty-eighth street, one hundred feet east of Tenth avenue, as amended. 12225. For one tenement, No. 87 Sheriff street, conditionally. 12234. For one dwelling, east side of Kingsbridge road, three hundred feet south of Johnson avenue, conditionally.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for plumbing and drainage be and are hereby tabled for amendment :

- Plan No. 11791-2. For one hotel, southeast corner of Broadway and Forty-first street. 12194. For one tenement, No. 226 West Fourth street. 12198. For one store east side of Mott avenue, three hundred and seventy-five feet north of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street. 12201. For one dwelling, south side of Ganbril street, two hundred feet east of Marion avenue. 12203. For one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Seventieth street, one hundred and fifty feet east of Eleventh avenue. 12202. For one dwelling, Hall place, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets. 12207. For one dwelling, east side of Pallisade avenue, two hundred feet south of Northern Terrace. 12208. For one dwelling, south side of Home street, one hundred and fifty-three feet east of Stebbins avenue. 12209. For three tenements, Nos. 73, 75 and 77 East Eighty-fifth street. 12210. For library, Astor and Lafayette places, and Eighth street. 12211. For one dwelling, east side of Washington avenue, one hundred and ninety-two feet nine inches south of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street. 12212. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, three hundred and seventy-five feet east of Seventh avenue. 12214. For one shop, north side of Thirty-fifth street, one hundred feet east of Eleventh avenue. 12215. For one warehouse, Nos. 205 and 207 East Twenty-third street. 12216. For one stable, south side of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, four hundred feet east of Willis avenue. 12221. For one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, one hundred and seventy-five feet west of Amsterdam avenue. 12224. For one dwelling and stable, north side of Croton street, one hundred feet west of Tenth avenue. 12226. For one tenement, northwest corner of Madison avenue and Thirty-first street. 12227. For one tenement, No. 213 East Twenty-first street.

Disapproved.

Resolved, That the following plans for plumbing and drainage be and are hereby disapproved.

- Plan No. 12185. For one shop and stable, Nos. 416 and 418 East Sixty-sixth street. 12231. For two tenements, north side One Hundred and Fifteenth street, two hundred feet west of Fifth avenue. 12233. For store, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and north side of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, two hundred and fifty feet east of Seventh avenue.

Amendments to Plumbing and Drainage Plans.

Resolved, That the following amendments to plumbing and drainage plans be and are hereby approved :

- Plan No. 9623. For four dwellings, west side of St. Nicholas avenue, twenty-two feet south of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street. 9994. For five tenements, south side of One Hundred and Third street, one hundred and eighty-four feet west of Tenth avenue, conditionally. 10136. For one dwelling, north side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, four hundred feet west of St. Nicholas avenue. 10941. For two dwellings, south side of Seventy-second street, one hundred feet west of West End avenue. 11131. For one warehouse, Nos. 186 and 188 Franklin street. 11172. For three tenements, Nos. 444 to 448 West Twenty-seventh street. 11229. For two tenements, Nos. 344 and 346 East Fourth street. 11254. For four tenements, Nos. 329 to 335 East Eighty-ninth street. 11364. For one dwelling, west side of Davidson street, two hundred and fifty feet south of St. James street. 11415. For one tenement, No. 173 Madison street. 11427. For warehouse, Nos. 247 and 249 Center street and Nos. 167 to 171 Elm street. 11449. For three dwellings, north side of Seventy-second street, one hundred and fifteen feet west of West End avenue. 11484. For one stable, north side of Seventieth street, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Eighth avenue. 11490. For seven tenements, north side of One Hundred and Second street, two hundred feet east of Tenth avenue. 11558. For five tenements, south side of One Hundred and Third street, one hundred and seventy-seven feet five inches east of Tenth avenue. 11668. For three tenements, south side of Seventy-first street, one hundred feet east of Second avenue, conditionally. 11813. For one shop, No. 118 Ridge street (rear). 11852. For one warehouse, No. 57 South Fifth avenue. 12029. For one warehouse, Nos 192 1/2 to 200 Greene st. 11868. For one freight-house, Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.

Amendments to Plumbing and Drainage Plans.

Resolved, That the following amendments to plumbing and drainage plans be and are hereby disapproved :

- Plan No. 11006. For five dwellings, south side of Eighty-eighth street, three hundred feet west of West End avenue. 11085. For two tenement, Nos. 129 and 131 West Sixty-seventh street. 11999. For stable, east side of St. Ann's avenue, forty-five feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

Violations to the Attorney.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney :

- Nos. 2878, 2948, 3684, 3790, 3813, 3833, 3,857, 3869.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending November 1, 1890 :

There were 8,940 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 711 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 253 complaints received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police for investigation and report. There were issued to the consignees of vessels, to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 68 permits. There were issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 2 permits. There were issued under the Sanitary Code, 4 miscellaneous permits. There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 20 permits.

Vital Statistics.

Table with 12 columns: WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., Certificates Received and Tabulated, Increase over Previous Week, Decrease from Previous Week, Annual Rate per 1,000, Population Estimated at 1,047,998, Burial Permits Issued, Transit Permits Issued, Coroners' Cases, Searches Made, Transcripts Issued, Entered in Registers, Indexed. Rows include Marriages, Births, Deaths, Still-births.

The 602 deaths represent a death-rate of 19.06, against 19.04 for the previous week, and 20.24 for the corresponding week of 1889.

There was an increase of 4 in the deaths from typhoid fever, of 7 from phthisis, of 8 from apoplexy, of 9 from bronchitis and of 10 from Bright's disease and nephritis, with a decrease of 6 in the deaths from diarrhoeal diseases, of 6 from heart diseases, and of 14 from diseases of the digestive organs.

Deaths from diphtheria were most numerous in the Twenty-third Ward.

Analysis of Croton Water for Monday, November 3, 1890. Results Expressed in Grains per U. S. Gallon of 231 Cubic Inches.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Result. Items include Appearance, Color, Odor, Chlorine in Chlorides, Equivalent to Sodium Chloride, Phosphates, Nitrites, Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites, Free Ammonia, Albuminoid Ammonia, Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime, Organic and volatile (loss on ignition), Mineral matter (non-volatile), Total solids (by evaporation).

Analysis of Croton Water for Monday, November 3, 1890. Results Expressed in Parts by Weight in One Hundred Thousand.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Result. Items include Appearance, Color, Odor, Chlorine in Chlorides, Equivalent to Sodium Chloride, Phosphates, Nitrites, Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites, Free Ammonia, Albuminoid Ammonia, Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime, Organic and volatile (loss on ignition), Mineral matter (non-volatile), Total solids (by evaporation).

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, THURSDAY, November 13, 1890—12 o'clock M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call :

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, November 12, 1890.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 189th section of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor on Thursday, November 13, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

INDORSED :

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 12th day of November, 1890.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor ;

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller ;

J. H. V. ARNOLD, President of the Board of Aldermen ;

M. COLEMAN, President of the Department of Taxes and assessments.

Present—All the members, viz. :

Hugh J. Grant, the Mayor ; Theo. W. Myers, the Comptroller ; John H. V. Arnold, the President of the Board of Aldermen ; M. Coleman, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held November 6, 1890, were read and approved.

The Comptroller presented the following :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 13, 1890.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

Herewith I present an application of the Commissioner of Public Works for a transfer of \$6,000 from an appropriation for "Retaining-walls on East Fifty-first Street and in East Forty-second Street," which is not required for those purposes, to the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of, etc.," which is insufficient.

An examination has been made of the works referred to and a report of Mr. McLean, Engineer of this Department, is submitted, giving reasons why the transfer should be made. A resolution for the transfer is also submitted.

Respectfully, THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

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

Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I beg to bring to the attention of your Board that the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of," is almost exhausted, and unless a transfer be made to said appropriation the works chargeable thereto will have to be suspended.

In the appropriation for "Retaining-walls in East Fifty-first Street and in East Forty-second Street," there is an unexpended balance of \$6,572.25, which is not required for the purposes of that appropriation, and I respectfully request that your Board authorize a transfer of \$6,000 from the appropriation for "Retaining Walls in East Fifty-first Street and in East Forty-second Street" to the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of," to enable the works chargeable thereto to be continued, as it is absolutely necessary they should be.

Very respectfully, THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 11, 1890.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—In the matter of the application of the Commissioner of Public Works for the transfer of \$6,000 from the appropriation for "Retaining-walls in East Fifty-first Street and in East Forty-second Street" to the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues," I have the honor to report:

Table with 2 columns: Description of expenditure and Amount. Includes items like 'The appropriation of \$100,000 for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues," has been expended, except...' and 'Leaving balance in favor of appropriation.'

The work of the retaining-walls is being executed by contract, and is only partly done. When finished, the above balance of \$6,360.25 will be left, from which the \$6,000 asked for can be spared.

Respectfully, EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation to the Department of Public Works, entitled "Retaining-walls in East Fifty-first Street and East Forty-second Street," for 1890, which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same department, entitled "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of," for 1890, which is insufficient for the purposes thereof.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works, appeared before the Board, and stated that \$5,000 would be sufficient for the purpose, and presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—ENGINEER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 12, 1890.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works:

DEAR SIR—The cost of rebuilding the retaining-wall at Fifty-first street and Beekman place will cost about \$1,000 in excess of the contract price. This excess is due to the fact that when the old wall was removed it was found to be only a few feet in thickness, where it had been supposed to have had a thickness of at least 5 feet. In order to build a wall of proper dimensions it was necessary to take out an extra amount of rock. The foundations were not below the frost line, and extra excavation was necessary here also.

Respectfully, H. MESA, Assistant Engineer.

Which was received and ordered printed in the minutes.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 13, 1890.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

On October 24 three resolutions of the Board of Education, requesting issues of Additional School-house Bonds for different purposes, were referred to the Comptroller.

I submit a report of Mr. E. E. McLean, Engineer of this Department, in relation to the objects and purposes for which the issues of bonds were required.

One of the resolutions for the issue of School-house Bonds to the amount of \$950, for the payment of bills for extra work done in connection with the contract for the Twenty-fourth Ward, and Edward Gustavson, for erection of a new school building at Spuyten Duyvil for Primary School No. 46, has been withdrawn; and the letter of withdrawal from the Clerk of the Board of Education is herewith submitted.

The other two resolutions are reported on favorably.

Herewith are presented three other resolutions of the Board of Education, requesting the approval of certain bills incurred for school purposes, which have also been examined and reported upon by Mr. McLean in the same report favorably for their payment.

Resolutions are submitted to authorize the issue of bonds for the amounts and purposes mentioned in said resolutions.

Respectfully, THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 13, 1890.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—I have the honor to report as to the different appropriations asked for by the Board of Education by resolutions of the Board of October 15 and November 5, 1890, as follows:

1st. Resolution October 15, 1890—For extra work on the new school-house at Spuyten Duyvil or rock excavation, \$5,816.

By the contract for the building the removal of fast rock is to be paid for at the rate of \$2 per cubic yard. The above amount is for the quantity excavated as measured, and certified to by the surveyor.

2d. Resolution October 15, 1890—For extra work on the new school building, south side of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, east of Courtland avenue, for rock excavation, \$5,771.20.

The contract for this work requires that the rock shall be paid for at the rate of \$1.60 per cubic yard, and the sum asked for is for the quantity of rock excavated as measured and certified to by the surveyor.

4th. Resolution November 5, 1890—For the payment of the bill of James Stroud for measuring, valuing and testifying in connection with school site, \$275.

This bill is for special work in the above connection, and is presented and certified by the Counsel to the Corporation.

5th. Resolution November 5, 1890—For the payment of surveyor's fees at Eagle avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street, \$20.

This is for the payment at usual rates of regular surveyors' fees.

6th. Resolution November 5, 1890—For payment of bills of Ammerman & Ford, surveyors, \$390.

The above is for the payment at usual rates of rates of regular surveyors' fees for work done in connection with the locations named.

Respectfully, EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Education adopted certain resolutions, October 15, 1890, requesting this Board to approve of and authorize the issue of additional bonds to provide the means necessary to meet certain expenditures for different objects and purposes, amounting to the sum of eleven thousand five hundred and eighty-seven dollars and twenty cents (\$11,587.20), pursuant to the

provisions of chapter 252, Laws of 1889, which said resolutions were presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, October 24, 1890,

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and authorizes the issue of Additional School-house bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as Consolidated Stock of the City of New York as provided by section 132 of the New York Consolidation Act of 1882; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to issue the same to the amount of eleven thousand five hundred and eighty-seven dollars and twenty cents (\$11,587.20) for such period as he shall direct, not exceeding twenty years from the date of issue, and at such rate of interest as he may determine, not exceeding three per cent. per annum, the proceeds of which bonds shall be applied to the expenditures and purposes as specified in said resolutions of the Board of Education, to wit:

Table with 2 columns: Description of bill and Amount. Includes 'For the payment of bill of Edward Gustavson for extra work on the new school-house at Spuyten Duyvil...' and 'Total \$11,587.20'.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

BOARD OF EDUCATION—No. 146 GRAND STREET, NEW YORK, November 8, 1890.

(In Board of Education, November 5, 1890.)

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he hereby is requested to issue additional bonds for the payment of the following-named bills of Amerman & Ford for surveys:

Table with 2 columns: Description of survey and Amount. Includes 'March 17, 1890; April 8, 1890; June 4, 6, 1890, Primary School No. 46...' and 'Total \$390.00'.

—and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to approve of the same and the purposes for which such expenditure is to be made, and that said Board designate and appropriate this amount for such purposes, and that when so designated and appropriated the same to be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made; said bills to be paid upon the approval of the Superintendent of School Buildings and Committee on Buildings.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION, No. 146 GRAND STREET, NEW YORK, November 8, 1890.

(In Board of Education, November 5, 1890.)

Resolved, That subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$275) be and is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of additional bonds to be issued under and in pursuance of the provisions of the act chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, for the purpose of paying the bill of James Stroud for measuring, valuing and testifying in relation to lands taken for school site at Washington, Albany and Carlisle streets, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to approve the same, and the purpose for which such expenditure is made, and that said Board designate and appropriate this amount for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same to be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds when issued, and requisition therefor is hereby made upon the Comptroller.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION, No. 146 GRAND STREET, NEW YORK, November 8, 1890.

(In Board of Education, November 5, 1890.)

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he hereby is requested to issue additional bonds for the payment of the following named bill:

Table with 2 columns: Description of bill and Amount. Includes 'Amerman & Ford, July 12, 1890—Survey of lines and levels for curb, lines for stoops, areas, etc., Eagle avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street...' and '\$20.00'.

—which amount is hereby appropriated by this Board, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to approve of the same and the purposes for which such expenditure is to be made, and that said Board designate and appropriate this amount for such purpose, and that when so designated and appropriated the same to be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made; said bill to be paid upon its approval by the Superintendent of School Buildings and Committee on Buildings.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

And offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of additional school-house bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and the Comptroller is authorized and directed to issue the same to the amount of six hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$685), for such period as he shall direct, not exceeding twenty years from the date, at such rate of interest as he may determine, not exceeding three per cent. per annum, the proceeds of which bonds shall be applied to the payment of certain bills and expenditures, as specified in resolutions of the Board of Education, adopted November 5, 1890, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description of bill and Amount. Includes 'Amerman & Ford \$390.00', 'James Stroud 275.00', 'Amerman & Ford 20.00', and 'Total \$685.00'.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Secretary presented the following:

BOARD OF EDUCATION, No. 146 GRAND STREET, NEW YORK, November 13, 1890.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Esq., Clerk:

DEAR SIR—Through an oversight, I sent you on October 22, a certified copy of a resolution requesting the issue of additional bonds to the amount of \$950 for the payment of bills for extra work done in connection with the contract entered into between the Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward and Edward Gustavson, for erecting a new school building at Spuyten Duyvil.

As the matter has not as yet been formally acted upon by this Board, will you kindly return the certified resolution.

Very respectfully, ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

On motion, the Clerk was directed to return the certified copy of resolution as requested.

The Comptroller presented the following:

(Copy.)

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN, NEW YORK, November 12, 1890.

Hon. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—Pursuant to section 3314 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and in pursuance of a resolution of the Common Council, adopted February 25, 1885, please transfer four thousand seven hundred and twenty eight dollars (\$4,728) to pay jurors, as follows:

Court of General Sessions, Grand Jurors, serving October Term, 1890.....	\$882 00
Court of General Sessions, Petit Jurors—	
Part 1, October Term, 1890.....	990 00
Part 2, ".....	1,000 00
Part 3, ".....	1,856 00
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	\$4,728 00

Very respectfully yours,
JNO. H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

And offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the sum of four thousand seven hundred and twenty-eight dollars (\$4,728), be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation entitled "Judgments," for 1890, which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation entitled "Jurors' Fees," etc., for 1890, which is insufficient for the purposes thereof, to pay jurors' fees:

Court of General Sessions, Grand Jurors, Serving October Term, 1890.....	\$882 00
Court of General Sessions, Petit Jurors—	
Part 1, October Term, 1890.....	990 00
Part 2, ".....	1,000 00
Part 3, ".....	1,856 00
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	\$4,728 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, November 6, 1890.

(In Board of Education, November 5, 1890.)

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the title to the premises known by the street number 27 Horatio street, adjoining the easterly side of the site of Primary School No. 22, in the Ninth Ward, authorized to be purchased as a site for school purposes, by the resolution relating thereto adopted by the Board of Education, June 18, 1890, and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, September 17, 1890, be accepted, with a description of said premises stating the dimensions thereof on the easterly and westerly sides of the same to be each eighty-seven feet and six inches, instead of eighty-eight feet, as mentioned in said resolution, upon compliance with all the other requirements relating to the purchase of said premises in said resolution contained.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, November 5, 1890.

(In Board of Education, November 5, 1890.)

Resolved, That subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of three hundred and eighty-four dollars and fifteen cents (\$384.15), be and the same is hereby appropriated from the premiums received on the sale of school-house bonds heretofore issued under the act chapter 136 of the Laws of 1888, such sum to be applied, in addition to the sum of forty-eight thousand dollars heretofore appropriated by resolution adopted by the Board of Education, June 4, 1890, and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, September 17, 1890, to the purchase as a site for school purposes of the lots of land and premises known by the street numbers 347, 345, and 347 East Thirtieth street, adjoining the southerly side of the site of Grammar School No. 19, in the Seventeenth Ward, and to be paid by the Comptroller of the City of New York, together with the said sum of forty-eight thousand dollars, requisition for which is hereby made, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds for the said lots of lands and premises, together with the certificate of the Counsel to the Corporation that the title thereto is satisfactory and free from all incumbrances and is vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Extract from the minutes.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

Which was received and referred to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

M. COLEMAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 1, 1890.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending October 25, 1890:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$43,957 45
For penalties on water rents.....	785 10
For tapping Croton pipes.....	302 00
For sewer permits.....	611 40
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	1,039 50
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	42 75
For vault permits.....	5,418 72
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Total.....	\$52,156 92

Permits Issued.

- 67 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 86 permits to open streets.
- 33 permits to make sewer connections.
- 22 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 177 permits to place building material on streets.
- 25 permits—special.
- 7 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

56 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Repairs to Pavement.

6,316 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 23 receiving-basins relieved.
- 86 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 845 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 8,700 lineal feet of sewer examined.
- 625 lineal feet of sewer relieved.
- 20 lineal feet of brick sewer rebuilt.
- 5 lineal feet of house connection pipe laid.
- 9 lineal feet of new culvert pipe laid.
- 18 manhole heads reset.
- 1 new manhole head and cover put on.
- 39 square yards of pavement relaid.
- 71 cubic feet of brickwork built.
- 378 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
- 54 cart-loads of earth filling.
- 311 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Public Lamps.

- 6 new lamps lighted.
- 2 old lamps relighted.
- 3 lamps discontinued.
- 3 lamp-posts removed.
- 3 lamp-posts reset.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending October 25, 1890, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BERNOL.	Pressure as indicated by manometer.	Consumption of Gas, per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.		
								Observed.	Corrected.	
Oct. 20	4:30 P.M.	74	29.60	{ Consolidated, } Branch 1..}	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.83	5.00	122.4	24.74	24.58
" 21	2:30 P.M.	71	30.09	"	"	.83	5.00	120.0	24.06	24.08
" 22	2 P.M.	74	30.45	"	"	.82	5.00	117.0	24.90	24.60
" 23	5:30 P.M.	76	30.00	"	"	.82	5.00	118.1	22.92	22.56
" 24	5 P.M.	75	29.65	"	"	.82	5.00	120.0	23.14	23.14
" 25	2:30 P.M.	72	29.74	"	"	.83	5.00	124.0	23.65	24.41
									Average.	24.23
Oct. 20	4 P.M.	74	29.80	{ Consolidated, } Branch 2..}	Bray's Slit Union 7	.78	5.00	120.0	21.58	21.38
" 21	3 P.M.	71	30.09	"	"	.77	5.00	119.0	22.30	22.02
" 22	2:30 P.M.	74	30.45	"	"	.78	5.00	117.5	21.12	20.70
" 23	3 P.M.	75	30.07	"	"	.79	5.00	120.0	20.44	20.44
" 24	5:30 P.M.	73	29.65	"	"	.78	5.00	121.8	19.14	20.22
" 25	2 P.M.	72	29.74	"	"	.76	5.00	119.5	19.41	19.40
									Average.	21.69
Oct. 20	9 A.M.	76	29.74	{ Consolidated, } Branch 4..}	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.50	5.00	124.0	21.61	22.49
" 21	9 A.M.	74	30.10	"	"	.50	5.00	120.0	23.62	23.62
" 22	9:30 A.M.	71	30.49	"	"	.58	5.00	118.6	24.48	24.18
" 23	9:30 A.M.	72	30.14	"	"	.55	5.00	120.4	21.2	22.06
" 24	10 A.M.	73	29.64	"	"	.55	5.00	121.4	21.58	22.55
" 25	10 A.M.	70	29.82	"	"	.53	5.00	127.0	21.99	21.90
									Average.	22.73
Oct. 20	9:30 A.M.	76	29.74	{ Consolidated, } Branch 6..}	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.70	5.00	121.5	25.48	26.22
" 21	9:30 A.M.	74	30.10	"	"	.70	5.00	121.2	25.04	26.30
" 22	9 A.M.	74	30.49	"	"	.70	5.00	125.5	24.12	25.23
" 23	10 A.M.	72	30.14	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	27.06	27.16
" 24	9:30 A.M.	73	29.64	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	25.12	26.32
" 25	9:30 A.M.	70	29.82	"	"	.70	5.00	123.0	24.39	24.95
									Average.	26.03
Oct. 20	5 P.M.	74	29.80	{ Consolidated, } Branch 3..}	Bray's Slit Union,	.88	5.00	114.0	29.71	28.23
" 21	2 P.M.	71	30.09	"	"	.87	5.00	120.0	27.93	27.93
" 22	3 P.M.	74	30.45	"	"	.87	5.00	123.0	25.00	26.70
" 23	4 P.M.	70	30.07	"	"	.86	5.00	117.2	29.88	29.18
" 24	4:30 P.M.	73	29.65	"	"	.86	5.00	120.0	28.48	28.48
" 25	3 P.M.	72	29.74	"	"	.87	5.00	114.1	30.02	28.54
									Average.	28.52
Oct. 20	5:30 P.M.	74	29.80	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.91	5.00	120.0	28.64	28.64
" 21	1:30 P.M.	71	30.09	"	"	.89	5.00	114.1	28.38	26.93
" 22	3:30 P.M.	74	30.45	"	"	.90	5.00	123.0	28.40	28.00
" 23	5 P.M.	76	30.07	"	"	.90	5.00	114.9	29.52	28.23
" 24	4 P.M.	73	29.65	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	28.36	28.36
" 25	3:30 P.M.	72	29.74	"	"	.90	5.00	119.0	27.50	27.23
									Average.	27.99
Oct. 20	6 P.M.	74	29.80	E. Putable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90	5.00	118.2	29.26	28.82
" 21	1 P.M.	71	30.09	"	"	.87	5.00	119.0	27.64	27.42
" 22	4 P.M.	74	30.45	"	"	.88	5.00	121.2	27.08	27.95
" 23	4:30 P.M.	76	30.07	"	"	.88	5.00	120.0	25.82	26.82
" 24	3:30 P.M.	73	29.65	"	"	.88	5.00	122.4	28.20	28.76
" 25	4 P.M.	72	29.74	"	"	.88	5.00	117.2	30.66	29.36
									Average.	28.19

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

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending October 25, 1890.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	28	99	5	9
Laying Croton Pipes.....	"	"	"	"
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	"	"	"
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	68	163	3	18
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	1	21	2	"
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	13	56	"	23
Repairs and Renewals of Pavements.....	226	288	5	77
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	8	39	5	6
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	14	43	19	"
Totals.....	364	709	39	133
Increase over previous week.....	1	"	1	"
Decrease from previous week.....	"	9	"	1

Contracts Entered Into.

Table with 5 columns: DATE, NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK, CONTRACTOR, SECURITIES, ESTIMATED COST. Includes entries for sewer work in Ninety-ninth street and Twelfth avenue.

Assessment Lists Made.

Table with 4 columns: DATE, NATURE OF WORK, LOCATION OF WORK, AMOUNT. Includes entry for fencing vacant lots at Southwest corner Eighth avenue.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$132,221.38.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, November 14, 1890.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to chapter 226, Laws of 1889, I herewith transmit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department of the City of New York for the week ending November 14, 1890:

Appointed on Probation.

Table with 3 columns: NAME, RESIDENCE, OCCUPATION. Lists names like William Beckmann, Robert J. Cuddy, Vincent J. Dowling, etc.

Applicants for Appointment.

Table with 4 columns: NAME, RESIDENCE, OCCUPATION, STATUS. Lists names like James McDonald, Ignatz Hoffmeister, Ernst Hugfo, etc.

Respectfully, WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

LAW DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, NEW YORK, November 13, 1890.

WM. J. KENNY, Esq., Supervisor of the City Record: The Counsel to the Corporation this day appointed— Terence Farley, No. 591 Park avenue, Junior Assistant, November 1; salary, \$900 per annum. Charles W. Ridgway, No. 45 Broadway, Assistant, November 13; salary, \$3,500 per annum. WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

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

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

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE. No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. WM. McM. SPEER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

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

CITY LIBRARY.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

No. 21 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. KERSE, 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. AUSTERN, 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. LUYDECKER, 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 STRECKLER, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

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

Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

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

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles. PETER SHERY, 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 SHRA, 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.

Empire 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. PURYS, Secretary.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23rd 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. ADDEE, 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 T. FITZGERALD, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. P. J. SCHEIDT, County Clerk; DEMOS L. HOLMES, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN K. FELLOWS, District Attorney; CHARLES L. 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. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. McGRATH, Examiner.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 124 Second Avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. MICHAEL J. B. MESSENER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HARLY, LOUIS W. SCHUTZ, 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. RAMSON, Surrogate; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. General Term, Room No. 35. Special Term, Room No. 32. 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.

ARMORY BOARD.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, STAATS-ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW, NEW YORK, November 8, 1890.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE FURNITURE FOR AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY BOULEVARD AND COLUMBUS AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE FURNITURE FOR AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY BOULEVARD AND COLUMBUS AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY, will be received by the Armory Board at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, UNTIL 2 P. M. OF THE 20TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Supplying the Furniture for an Armory Building on the block bounded by Boulevard and Columbus Avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the

City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation or Armory Board may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100). Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Board 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 by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the Architect, John P. Leo, No. 38 Park Row.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest. Specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the ARCHITECT, at his office, No. 38 PARK ROW, Potter Building, New York City.

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ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, STAATS-ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW, NEW YORK, November 8, 1890.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FLAGGING, CURBING, COPING AND GUTTERING OF THE SIDEWALKS AROUND THE BLOCK OCCUPIED BY THE ARMORY BUILDING, BOUNDED BY BOULEVARD AND COLUMBUS AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing the work for the Flagging, Curbing, Coping and Guttering of the Sidewalks around the block bounded by Boulevard and Columbus Avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board, at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, UNTIL 2 O'CLOCK P. M. OF THE 20TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1890, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate of the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed, "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing the Work for the Flagging, Curbing, Coping and Guttering around the block bounded by Boulevard and Columbus Avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

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 amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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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.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF AN open competitive examination for the position of TIMEKEEPER, Public Works Department, to be held at the rooms of the Civil Service Boards, Cooper Union, on Tuesday, November 18, 1890.

Wednesday, November 19, LAW CLERK.

Applications 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 13, 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9), No. 365 MULLERBURY STREET, NEW YORK, 1890.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 365 Mullerbury street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claims: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, buttons, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department. JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, November 18, 1890, at 4:30 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

JOHN L. N. HUNT,

Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary, Dated NEW YORK, November 17, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 14, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, November 26, 1890:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING CURBSETS IN WEBSTER AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD AND ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREETS.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND LAYING FLAG-STONES AND CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AVENUE AND RAILROAD AVENUE, EAST.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, BETWEEN THE NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD AND WEBSTER AVENUE.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, BETWEEN THE NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD AND FRANKLIN AVENUE, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS.

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM MORRIS AVENUE TO SUMMIT BETWEEN MORRIS AND COURTLAND AVENUES.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately; that is, more than one work must not be included in the same estimate or envelope.

NUMBER 1, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 95,000 cubic yards of filling. 1,650 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set. 41,500 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid. 8,350 square feet of new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid. 50 cubic yards of rubble masonry in retaining walls. 30 linear feet of twelve inch pipe-drain. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be FOUR HUNDRED CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 2,500 cubic yards of earth excavation. 2,000 cubic yards of rock excavation. 2,500 cubic yards of filling. 2,920 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set. 20 linear feet of old curb-stones taken up and reset. 11,400 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid. 180 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid. 1,000 square feet of new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid. 100 cubic yards dry rubble masonry in retaining-walls and culverts. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be ONE HUNDRED CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 2,200 cubic yards of filling. 65 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set. 2,630 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid. 400 square feet of new bridge-stone for crosswalks furnished and laid. 550 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry for retaining-walls. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 4, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 5,100 square yards of new granite-block pavement. 1,330 square feet of new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be EIGHTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

NUMBER 5, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 460 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections. 60 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer. 5 manholes complete. 90 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed. 5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete cradle for pipe sewer. 1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be FORTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of 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 surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

N. B.—The price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is as follows: For Number 1, above-mentioned, \$45,000 00; " 2, " 4,500 00; " 3, " 2,000 00; " 4, " 8,000 00; " 5, " 800 00.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 14, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

FURNISHING THE LABOR AND MATERIAL NECESSARY TO COMPLETE THE VENTILATING WORK, FIRE SERVICE, PARTITIONS AND OTHER WORK IN THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART IN THE CENTRAL PARK; THE WHOLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND DIRECTIONS THEREFOR.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, New York City, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 26th day of November, 1890, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable. Bidders will be required to state in their proposals, in writing and in figures, ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation; all implements, tools, apparatus and appliances of every description necessary to complete, in every particular, the whole of the work as set forth in the plans, details, and in the schedule, specification and form of agreement.

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

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to. No extra

compensation beyond the amount to be specified by the lowest bidder shall be due or payable for the entire work.

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

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

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

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$30,000.

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

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

The plans can be seen at the office of the Architect in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Central Park. ALBERT GALLUP, M. C. D. BORDEN, WALDO HUTCHINS, Commissioners of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NOS. 49 & 51 CHAMBERS STREET, November 13, 1890.

NOTICE.

PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE LAYING out of GERARD STREET, between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Bergen avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, are hereby notified that a map showing that street as laid out pursuant to the provisions of chapter 26 of the Laws of 1890, has been prepared, and is now on exhibition at the office of the Department of Public Parks, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, where it can be seen and examined until November 26, 1890, on which date, at 11 o'clock A. M., the Commissioner of Public Parks will hear and consider all evidence or objections that may be offered. By order of the Board of Public Parks, CHARLES E. F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 10, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Wednesday, November 26, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the contemplated revision of the street system, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, viz:

- 1st. In that part of the "Hunt's Point District," Twenty-third Ward, bounded by Southern Boulevard, Douglass street, Bronx river and Long Island Sound.
2d. In that part of the "Spuytten Duyvil District," Twenty-fourth Ward, between Johnson avenue, the Spuytten Duyvil Parkway, Riverdale avenue and the street along the northern line of the former Wetmore estate.
3d. Change of location and width of Camman street, from Fordham road to Harlem River Terrace, Twenty-fourth Ward.
4th. Change of lines and location of Osborne place, Twenty-fourth Ward.
5th. Closing of Anthony avenue, between Fordham road and Primrose street, and Valentine avenue, from Fordham road to Kingsbridge road, and laying-out a new avenue to take their places.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the location, width, course, windings, lines, class and grades of, and discontinuing and closing, in whole or in part, certain avenues, streets and roads, extending and laying out others to take their places, and fixing the grades of the several streets within the above-described limits.

Maps showing the contemplated changes are now on exhibition in said office.

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

THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, November 18, 1890, at 4 o'clock P. M. JOHN L. N. HUNT, Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary, Dated New York, November 11, 1890.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 353.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW CRIB-BULKHEAD AT CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, EAST RIVER, AND FOR REMOVING THE EXISTING PLATFORM AND CRIB-BULKHEAD THEREAT.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a new Crib-bulkhead at Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, East river, and for removing the existing platform and crib-bulkhead thereat, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

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

- 1. Dredging, about, 15,500 cubic yards.
2. New Cribwork, complete, including all Timbers and Ironwork, Backing-logs, Earth and tone filling, Mooring-posts, Fenders, Fender-chocks, etc., measured from the under side of the backing-log, and from front of facing-timber to rear of cross-ties, about, 106,000 cubic feet.
3. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", 9,924 Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
" " 10" x 14", 753
" " 10" x 12", 3,577
" " 10" x 10", 2,648
" " 8" x 12", 450
" " 8" x 10", 513
" " 6" x 12", 192
" " 6" x 8", 860
" " 5" x 10", 21,246
" " 4" x 10", 27
Total, 37,249

- 4. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12", 168
5. 3" Spruce Plank, crosscut, about, 180
6. 10" Hackmatack Knees, 2

NOTE.—The above quantity of timber is inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but is exclusive of waste, and does not include the yellow pine in the cribwork estimated above in item No. 2.

- 7. Removal of 1d Cribwork, about, 50 cubic yards.
8. 3/4" x 2 1/2", 3/4" x 2 1/2", 3/4" x 2 1/2", 3/4" x 1 1/2" x 18", 3/4" x 2 1/2", 3/4" x 1 1/2", 3/4" x 1 1/2" Square Wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about, 2,915 pounds.
NOTE.—The above quantity of dock spikes is exclusive of the dock-spikes in the cribwork estimated above in item No. 2.
9. Wrought-iron 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" and 1" Screw-bolts and Nuts, and Wrought-iron Washers, about, 1,114 pounds.
10. Cast-iron Washers, about, 360
11. Cast-iron Cleats, about, 1,350
12. Oak spring-piles, about 45 feet long, 44
13. Back-filling and Grading, about, 1,600 cubic yards.
14. Top-dressing, about, 200
15. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Jointing, Planing, Poling, Spiking, Back-filling, etc., as set forth in the specifications.

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

- (1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.
(2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the first day of April, 1891; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the contractor and deposited in all respects according to law, and any material dredged and not so deposited, shall not be paid for.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract,

including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work comprised, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST, JAMES MATTHEWS, J. SERGEANT CRAM, Commissioners of the Department of Docks, Dated New York, November 6, 1890.

(Work of construction under new plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 352.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING FOR PROPOSED BULKHEAD-WALL AT EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET SECTION, ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

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

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

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

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

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

For proposed bulkhead-wall at East One Hundred and Second Street, Harlem river, 16,000 cubic yards.

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

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at

any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 30th day of December, 1890, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST, JAMES MATTHEWS, J. SERGEANT CRAM, Commissioners of the Department of Docks. Dated New York, November 6, 1890.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 359.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING AND EXTENDING PIER NEW 46, NEAR THE FOOT OF WEST TENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER; FOR REPAIRING AND PAINTING THE SHED THEREON, AND FOR DREDGING THEREAT.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING AND EXTENDING Pier, new 46, near the foot of West Tenth street, North river, for repairing and painting the shed thereon, and for dredging thereat, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or

names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

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

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

CLASS I. Dredging about 2,000 cubic yards.

CLASS II. REPAIRS TO PIER.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Feet, B. M., measured in the work. Includes Yellow Pine Timber, Spruce Timber, and White Oak Timber.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Feet, B. M., measured in the work. Includes Yellow Pine Timber, crosscut, and Spruce Timber.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Feet, B. M., measured in the work. Includes White Oak Timber.

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

- 5. Locust Treennails, crosscut, about 120
6. Yellow Pine Wedges, crosscut, about 240
7. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles, about 89
8. White Oak Fender Files, about 65 feet long, about 8
9. Old Oak Piles to be driven, about 20
10. 3/8" x 38", 3/8" x 26", 3/8" x 24", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 20", 3/8" x 18", 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" square, and 3/8" x 10" round, Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and 40d. Nails, about 14,840 pounds.
11. Wrought-iron Strap-bolts and Washers, about 679
12. 6" x 1/2" Angle Iron, about 54 linear feet, about 1,048
13. 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8", 3/4" and 3/8" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, and 3/8" Wood-screws, about 5,489
14. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8", 3/4" and 3/8" Screw-bolts, about 2,228
15. Cast-iron Cleats, about 1,350
16. Cast-iron Socket, coated with coal-tar pitch, for column, about 2,500
17. Mattress for head of one column.
18. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description on the pier to be repaired.
19. Labor of removing so much of Pier, new 46, North river, at about the foot of West Tenth street, North river, as is to be removed under this contract, and of removing all the old material from the premises.

CLASS III. EXTENSION OF PIER.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Feet, B. M., measured in the work. Includes Yellow Pine Timber, Spruce Timber, and White Oak Timber.

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

- 4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles, about 224
5. White Oak Fender Files, about 65 feet long, about 19
6. 3/8" x 26", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 18", 3/8" x 14", 3/8" x 12", 3/8" x 10", 3/8" x 8", 3/8" x 6", 3/8" x 4" square, and 3/8" x 10" round, Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and 40d. Nails, about 13,495 pounds.
7. Boiler-plate Armatures, Wrought-iron Straps, Strap-bolts and Washers, about 13,643 pounds.
8. 2", 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8", and 3/4" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, and 1 1/2" Lag-screws, about 10,333
9. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8", and 3/4" Screw-bolts, about 4,597
10. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about 1,800
11. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring and labor of every description, for the area of the extension of the pier, about 6,105 sq. feet.

CLASS IV. REPAIRING AND PAINTING SHED ON PIER.

1. Labor and materials for making the necessary repairs to the shed, including the removal of old materials, and handling and putting on all the new material, and furnishing all nails and fastenings necessary or proper for the purpose, and for the removal and rebuilding of the river end, as set forth in the specifications.

2. Labor and material for painting and glazing the shed and offices, and supplying all the paints, oils, varnishes, glass, putty and material of every description necessary therefor, as set forth in the specifications.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced on the sixteenth day of December, 1890, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of March, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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EDWIN A. POST, JAMES MATTHEWS, J. SERGEANT CRAM, Commissioners of the Department of Docks. Dated New York, November 4, 1890.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 5, 1890.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Weeks street to Third avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, October 17, 1890, and entered on the 29th day of October, 1890, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before December 29, 1890, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1837, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records. Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00. The same in 25 volumes, half bound, 50 00. Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00. Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00. Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 13, 1890.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1890, AT 10.30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on the premises, the following lots of old paving-blocks, viz.:

- At Seventy-fourth street and East river, about 200,000 Old Belgian Blocks.
At Sixty-fifth street, near First avenue, about 200,000 Old Belgian Blocks.
At Fifth-street and North river, about 100,000 Old Belgian Blocks.
At Sixteenth street and North river, about 125,000 square Granite Blocks.
At Fourteenth street and East river, about 100,000 Old Belgian Blocks.
At Pike Slip, about 200,000 Russ Blocks.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash payments in full must be made in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the paving-stones purchased must be removed by the purchasers within ten days from date of sale, otherwise purchasers will forfeit all right to same, together with all moneys paid therefor. THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 12, 1890.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Tuesday, November 25, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

- No. 1. FOR TAKING UP THE PAVEMENT NOW ON FORTY-NINTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue; FIFTY-SECOND STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from Lexington to Fourth avenue, and SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Lexington to Fourth avenue, AND LAYING A TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE TRAP BLOCKS TO BE FURNISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-SECOND STREET, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.

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 Room 1, No. 31 Chambers Street.

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 5, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 12, 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 a. m. on Tuesday, November 25, 1890, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTIETH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET, from First avenue to the East or Harlem river.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF TWELFTH AVENUE, from the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street to the north side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET, from Tenth avenue to St. Nicholas avenue.

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.

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THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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 assessment so levied shall have paid the assessment levied for such paving, repaving or repairing, such payment shall release and discharge such owner from any and every covenant and obligation as to paving, repaving and repairing, contained in the water grant under which the premises are held, and no further assessment shall be imposed on such lot for paving, repaving or repairing such street or avenue, unless it shall be petitioned for by a majority of the owners of the property (who shall also be the owners of a majority of the property in frontage) on the line of the proposed improvement.

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 921 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

2d. In every building where a water meter or meter 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 that 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 or record on the books of the Department.

THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, LEATHER AND LIME.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

- GROCERIES, ETC. 10,788 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Tuesday, November 25, 1890. 1,200 pounds Cheese. 2,400 pounds Barley, price to include packages. 4,600 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted. 3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages. 300 pounds Macaroni. 4,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages. 200 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted. 6,000 pounds Rice. 16,000 pounds Brown Sugar. 2,500 pounds Coffee Sugar. 1,600 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar. 2,500 pounds Granulated Sugar. 600 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes. 2,000 pounds Oolong Tea. 1,100 gallons Syrup, in barrels. 50 barrels Crackers. 60 bushels Beans. 30 bushels Peas. 60 bushels Rye. 20 barrels first quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel. 418 barrels good, sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel. 50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel. 100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, to weigh 135 pounds per barrel. 1,600 heads prime, good-sized Cabbage, to be delivered in crates or barrels. 44 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each. 50 prime quality City-cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each. 28 prime quality City-cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each. 3,520 dozen fresh Eggs, all to be candled. 25 dozen Sea Foam. 20 dozen Sap Ho. 12 Dozen Gelatine. 167 bales prime quality long, bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed 3 pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island. 44 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare and weight same as on straw. 220 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net. 100 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each. 20 Barrels first quality Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of Chlorine.

DRY-GOODS.

- 1 bale Stillwater Muslin, about 2,500 yards. 50 pieces Oiled Muslin. 50 pieces Crotaline. 200 dozen pairs Men's Socks. 5 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound. 10 gross Fine Combs. 10 gross Plantation Combs.

WOODENWARE AND LEATHER.

- 30 dozen Cotton Mops. 12 dozen Mop Handles. 5 coils best quality Manila Rope, 9-thread. 2 dozen Varnish Brushes. 2 dozen Wall Brushes. 6 dozen Window Brushes. 12 dozen Dust Brushes. 12 dozen Shoe Brushes. 10 bales Broom Corn. 100 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each. 100 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet. 1,000 pounds Offal Leather. 100 bunches Leather Laces.

LUMBER.

- 3,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/4 x 12 1/2 to 16 1/2 x 12 1/2 to 16 feet, dressed one side. 5,000 feet first quality, extra clear White Pine Sheling, 12 1/2 to 16 1/2 x 12 to 16 feet, dressed both sides. 75 Worked Pine Boards, first quality, 2 1/2 x 9 1/2 x 13 1/2. 38 Hemlock Joists, first quality, 3 1/2 x 4 1/2 x 13 1/2. 62 Spruce Plank, first quality, 1 3/4 x 9 1/2 x 13 1/2, dressed, tongued and grooved. All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m. of Wednesday, November 26, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, Woodenware, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, 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 shall 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 consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates. Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, November 14, 1890. HENRY H. PORTER, President, CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner, EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner, Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

About 18,000 pounds of Poultry.

For use on Thanksgiving Day.

—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, the 20th day of November, 1890. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry, 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 head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. 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 of Poultry on Wednesday, November 26, 1890, before 7 o'clock a. m., all in accordance with specifications.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall 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.

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.

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 of the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particularities of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, November 8, 1890. HENRY H. PORTER, President, CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner, EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner, Public Charities and Correction

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Central Park - Unknown man, aged about 28 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair and moustache; brown eyes. Had on blue coat, brown mixed vest, black pants, white shirt, brown undershirt and drawers, brown socks, laced shoes, brown derby hat, wore a truss.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island - Edgar Stuart, aged 38 years. Had on when received black coat, mixed pants, white shirt.

Bridget Riley, aged 52 years. Had on when received calico wrapper, colored skirt, black waist, woolen jacket.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island - Jane Phillips, aged 39 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black skirt and waist, buttoned gaiters, black straw bonnet.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Thirteenth Ward, at the hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Monday, December 1, 1890, for erecting a New School Building on site northwest corner Broome and Ridge streets. GEORGE W. RELYEA, Chairman, FRANCIS COAN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward. Dated NEW YORK, November 15, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Seventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, November 19, 1890, for Fitting Up the Premises No. 124 Henry street, adjoining Grammar School No. 2. WILLIAM H. TOWNLEY, Chairman, JAMES W. MCBARRON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward. Dated NEW YORK, November 5, 1890.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Tenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, November 19, 1890, for the Erection of a New School Building on the site corner of Hester and Chrystie streets. JOSEPH BELLOWES, Chairman, FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward. Dated NEW YORK, November 5, 1890.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted. The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal. Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases. No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. Dated NEW YORK, November 5, 1890.

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

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

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.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 496 of the Laws of 1885, to acquire title to the additional lands required for Riverside Park, as defined, laid out and established by said Act.

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 twentieth day of December, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twentieth day of December, 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 twenty-first day of December, 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 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street and the southerly line of Manhattan street; easterly by the westerly line of Boulevard or Eleventh avenue and the westerly line of West End avenue; southerly by the northerly line of West Seventy-ninth street; and westerly by the easterly line of lands of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company from West Seventy-ninth street to West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, and the high water line of the Hudson river from West One Hundred and Thirtieth street to West One Hundred and Thirtieth street; 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 ninth day of January, 1891, 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, November 8, 1890. GILBERT M. SPEER, Jr., Chairman, WILLIAM N. ARMSTRONG, JOHN O'BYRNE, 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 the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth avenue to Edgcombe road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a third-class street or road by said Board.

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 seventeenth day of December, 1890, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said seventeenth day of December, 1890, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at one o'clock P. M.

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

Third-That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-third street and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; easterly by the westerly line of Edgcombe road; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-second street and One Hundred and Sixty-third street; and westerly by the easterly line of Tenth 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 31st day of December, 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, November 7, 1890. LOUIS COHEN, Chairman, EDWARD L. PARRIS, EDWARD J. DUNPHY, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the southerly side of TWENTIEFH STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 301 of the Laws of 1888 as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 301 of the Laws of 1888 as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the 29th day of November, 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 in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward of said city in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 301 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 301 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Sixteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Twentieth street, distant two hundred and thirty-six feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Seventh avenue with the southerly side of Twentieth street, and running thence easterly along the southerly side of Twentieth street twenty feet to land of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; thence southerly along land of the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty and nearly parallel with Seventh avenue ninety-two feet and one-half inch; thence westerly parallel with Twentieth street twenty feet, and thence northerly nearly parallel with Seventh avenue ninety-two feet and one-half inch to the point or place of beginning.

Dated NEW YORK, November 1, 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 HAMPDEN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Sedgwick avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of November, 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 Parks, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated NEW YORK, November 3, 1890. HENRY HUGHES, JOSEPH C. WOLFF, RIGANCE A. WOODWARD, 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 to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, bounded on the west by Avenue B, on the north and east by the Harlem and East rivers, and on the south by East Eighty-sixth street, for a public park, as laid out by said Board, under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 300 of the Laws of 1887, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, the title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First-That we have completed our estimate and assessment in the above-entitled matter, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, in the office of the Department of Public Parks, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second-That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 300 of the Laws of 1887, has heretofore determined that fifty per cent. of the expense to be

incurred in acquiring the land for such park should be assessed upon the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and that the balance of such expense should be assessed upon the property, persons and estates to be benefited by the acquisition of such park, and that the area within which such part or balance of the said expense should be assessed should be as follows, namely: Beginning at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Ninety-ninth street with a line drawn through the centre of the block between Second avenue and Third avenues, and running thence southerly along the line drawn through the centre of the blocks between Second and Third avenues to the northerly line of Seventy-sixth street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Seventy-sixth street to the bulkhead-line of the East river; thence northerly along said bulkhead-line and the easterly line of Riverview Park to the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street to the westerly line of Avenue B; thence northerly along the westerly line of Avenue B to the westerly line of the marginal street; thence along the westerly line of the marginal street to the southerly line of Ninety-ninth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Ninety-ninth street to the point or place of beginning.

Third-That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the area last described.

Fourth-That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and assessment, and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us, at our office, Room No. 236, on the fifth floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 300 of the Laws of 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at Room No. 17, on the second floor of No. 45 William street, in the said city, on the 12th day of December, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Fifth-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 Chambers, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 26th day of December, 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, October 31, 1890. ARTHUR INGRAHAM, WILLIAM A. DUER, CHAUNCEY S. TRUAX, Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, 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 the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIEFH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Broadway Boulevard in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

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

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

Third-That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twentieth street and One Hundred and Twenty-first street; easterly by the westerly line of Tenth avenue; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet and 11 inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street; and westerly by the easterly line of Boulevard; 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 twenty-second day of December, 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, October 29, 1890. DENIS A. SPELLISSY, Chairman, FRANCIS A. MARDEN, FRANCIS RIEDEL, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the 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.

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

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

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

