

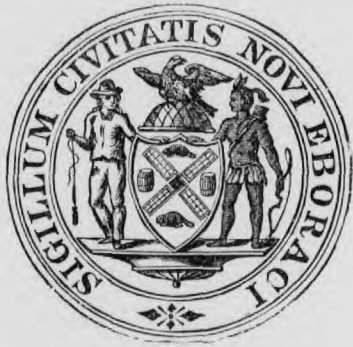
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APPROVED PAPERS

Approved Papers for the week ending September 12, 1891.

Resolved, That Railroad avenue, West, from Morris avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, be regulated and graded, the curb-stone be set, and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting street and avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 18, 1891.
Approved by the Mayor, September 8, 1891.

Resolved, That George street, from Boston avenue to the westerly side of Prospect avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting street and avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 18, 1891.
Approved by the Mayor, September 8, 1891.

Resolved, That the name of Adolph Troub, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to appear Adolph Trube, Jr.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1891.

Resolved, That the name of Richard Flynn, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and it is hereby corrected so as to read Richard F. Flynn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1891.

Resolved, That the name of George H. Hillman, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read George C. Hillman.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1891.

Resolved, That the name of M. Goodman, who was recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Martin M. Goodman.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1891.

Resolved, That the name of Wasen Springstein be corrected so as to read Warren Springstead.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1891.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. McCreery & Co. to lay a three and one-half-inch iron pipe, for conducting steam from the St. Denis Hotel, across Eleventh street, to the store of said McCreery & Co., as shown in the accompanying diagram, and not less than three feet below the surface of the street; provided, that the said McCreery & Co. shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned from the exercise of the privilege hereby granted, either during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe, all the work to be done at the expense of said McCreery & Co., and said permission to continue only during the period of forty days, when said pipes shall be removed and the street restored to its present condition, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1891.
Approved by the Mayor, September 9, 1891.

AN ORDINANCE to provide the necessary means for the support of the government of the City of New York and the Board of Education, and for the payment of the quota of the State Taxes, and for other purposes, pursuant to the provisions of law, in and for the year 1891.

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

Section 1. There shall be and is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation of and within the City and County of New York, the sum of thirty-three million one hundred and sixty thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents (\$33,160,891.22), to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the said city and county, in each department and branch thereof, and of the Board of Education, for the year 1891; also such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable during the said year, which is not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised by tax annually, which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued to provide for the supply of water, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of article VIII. of the constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884; and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State Tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year 1891, as provided by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, which sum of thirty-three million one hundred and sixty thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents (\$33,160,891.22), so imposed and levied by this ordinance, is the aggregate amount estimated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said city, and appropriated for such objects and purposes in the Final Estimate for said year 1891, made and adopted on the 31st day of December, 1890, less the sum of two million eight hundred thousand dollars (\$2,800,000), supplied by the General Fund and deducted from the total amount of appropriations made in the Final Estimate for said year 1891, which amount to the sum of thirty-five million nine hundred and sixty thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents (\$35,960,891.22), as stated by the Comptroller of the City of New York, in a communication dated June 2, 1891, submitted to the Board of Aldermen on the same day, along with the Comptroller's certificate of the amount of the appropriations made in the Final Estimate for the said year 1891, copies of which communication and certificate, and of the said Final Estimate, are as follows:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 2, 1891.

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

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

In pursuance of the foregoing provision of law, I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Body a statement setting forth in detail the amount by law authorized and required to be raised by tax in and for the year 1891, on account of the Corporation of the City of New York, or for city purposes within said city, as follows, to wit:

The Final Estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and of the Board of Education, for the fiscal year 1891, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on Wednesday, December 31, 1890, for which appropriations were made, aggregating the sum of thirty-five million nine hundred and sixty thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents (\$35,960,891.22), in which estimate is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of interest on the bonds of the said city and county which becomes due and payable within said year which is not otherwise provided for; also, such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which becomes due and payable during the said year which is not otherwise provided for; also, the amount to be raised by tax annually, which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued to provide for the supply of water, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of Article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884; also, the amount appropriated to charitable institutions required by law, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year 1891.

From the aggregate amount of the Final Estimate for said year 1891 is to be deducted the sum of two million eight hundred thousand dollars (\$2,800,000), supplied by the General Fund for the reduction of taxation, that sum being the amount of the estimated receipts of said fund payable into the City Treasury during the said year 1891 derived from all sources of revenues applicable to and available for this object, including unexpended balances of appropriations of previous years and surplus moneys in the Excise Fund transferred to the General Fund, less the sum of twenty-one thousand eight hundred and ten dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$21,810.88), not deducted from the appropriations, as follows:

Estimated Revenues of the General Fund for 1891.

Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Costs.....	\$1,500 00
CITY RECORD, Sales of.....	2,500 00
County Clerk's Fees.....	50,000 00
Commissions—Public Administrator.....	8,000 00
Corporation Counsel—Costs.....	5,000 00
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	20,000 00
Department of Public Parks.....	30,000 00
Department of Street Cleaning.....	55,000 00
Health Department.....	3,500 00
Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures—Fees.....	3,000 00
Interest on Taxes.....	400,000 00
Interest on Assessments.....	250,000 00
Licenses—City Treasury.....	30,000 00
Railroad Franchises and Street-car Licenses.....	50,000 00
Register's Office—Fees.....	115,000 00
School Moneys from State of New York.....	680,000 00
Sewers and Drains.....	30,000 00
Street Incumbrances.....	10,000 00
Surrogate's Court—Fees.....	4,000 00
Tapping Water-pipes.....	12,500 00
Miscellaneous.....	140,000 00
Total Estimated Revenues for 1891.....	\$1,900,000 00
Unexpended balances of 1888 and previous years transferred to General Fund.....	521,610 88
Amount of surplus in Excise License Fund transferred to General Fund.....	400,000 00
Total Estimated Revenues, etc., available for General Fund, 1891.....	\$2,821,610 88
From which is deducted the sum of.....	21,610 88
Leaving for reduction of taxation.....	\$2,800,000 00

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

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

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

Respectfully,
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Certificate of the Comptroller of the City of New York of the Aggregate Amount of the Final Estimate for the Year 1891.

I, Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller of the City of New York, in compliance with the provisions of section 214 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, do hereby certify to the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York that the aggregate amount estimated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said city, in its Final Estimate for the fiscal year 1891, made and adopted on Wednesday, December 31, 1890, and herewith submitted, is thirty-five million nine hundred and sixty thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents (\$35,960,891.22), which is the total sum of the appropriations included therein to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the said fiscal year 1891, including the sums necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal and interest of stocks and bonds becoming due and payable by said city during said fiscal year, not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised by tax annually, which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued, as provided by section 11 of Article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884; also the amount required by law to be appropriated to various charitable institutions; and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the state tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year 1891, a copy of which said Final Estimate, made and adopted by the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 31st day of December, 1890, is hereto annexed.

I further certify that the estimated amount of the revenues derived from all sources of the General Fund, in the year 1891, is two million eight hundred and twenty-one thousand six hundred

and ten dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$2,821,610.88), as stated in detail in a communication to your Honorable Body herewith submitted, setting forth the amounts by law authorized to be imposed and raised by tax in and for the said year 1891, from which amount is deducted the sum of twenty-one thousand six hundred and ten dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$21,610.88), leaving two million eight hundred thousand dollars (\$2,800,000) as the amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund applied to the reduction of taxation by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

FINAL ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1891,

Made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 31, 1890, pursuant to Section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 31st day of October, 1890, adopted the Provisional Estimate for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one (1891), and have considered the objections to and rectifications of said estimate, made by the Board of Aldermen on November 20, 1890, of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit, for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one (1891), in which estimate is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of interest on the bonds of the said city and county which becomes due and payable within said year, which is not otherwise provided for; also such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable during the said year, which is not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised by tax annually, which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued to provide for the supply of water, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year 1891, as provided by section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, which objections to and rectification of said Provisional Estimate were transmitted by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen on November 21, 1890, and presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 8, 1890; therefore

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

FINAL ESTIMATE

of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit: for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one (1891), in which is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said city and county, and of the annexed territory, which becomes due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable during the said year, not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised for the supply of water by tax annually which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued as provided by section 11 of article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884; and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year, as follows:

FINAL ESTIMATE FOR 1891.

THE MAYORALTY.

Table with 2 columns: Description (Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office) and Amount (\$10,000 00, 16,000 00, 26,000 00).

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

Table with 2 columns: Description (City Contingencies, Salaries—Common Council, President of the Board of Aldermen, etc.) and Amount (\$1,500 00, 200 00, \$3,000 00, 50,000 00, 55,000 00, 2,500 00, 6,000 00, 4,000 00, 1,000 00, 900 00, 2,700 00, 22,100 00, 75,100 00, 76,800 00).

THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Table with 2 columns: Description (Cleaning Markets, Contingencies—Comptroller's Office, Salaries—Finance Department, etc.) and Amount (\$40,000 00, 7,500 00, \$10,000 00, 207,000 00, 8,000 00, 225,000 00, 25,000 00, \$297,500 00).

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

INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT (INCLUDING INTEREST ON THE DEBT OF THE ANNEXED TERRITORY OF WESTCHESTER COUNTY), ON BONDS AND STOCKS ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING JANUARY 1, 1891, EXCLUSIVE OF FUNDED DEBT HELD BY THE SINKING FUND.

Main table with 5 columns: RATE PER CENT., TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS, WHEN DUE, PRINCIPAL, INTEREST, TOTAL INTEREST. Lists various bonds and stocks with their respective interest amounts.

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INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT (ON STOCKS AND BONDS TO BE ISSUED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1891), ESTIMATED AS FOLLOWS:

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS AND ACTS OF THE LEGISLATURE AUTHORIZING THEIR ISSUE.	PURPOSES OF AUTHORIZATION.	LIMIT.	Estimated Amount required to be issued in 1891.	Estimated Amount required for interest in 1891, average 6 months, at 3 per cent. per annum.
Additional Croton Water Stock (Sec. 141, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To provide for a further supply of pure and wholesome water.....	\$1,000,000 00 annually..	\$600,000 00	\$9,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Chap. 420, Laws of 1886, and Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To provide means to pay indebtedness of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York due and becoming due on contracts for work of local improvement, made and entered into prior to January 1, 1885.....	Amount of liability under said contracts..	50,000 00	750 00
Assessment Bonds (Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To pay for street improvements.....	Unlimited..	500,000 00	7,500 00
Dock Bonds (Sec. 143, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To build docks, piers, etc.....	3,000,000 00 annually..	2,000,000 00	30,000 00
Additional Water Stock (Chap. 490, Laws of 1883).....	For new reservoirs, dams, new aqueduct, etc.....	Unlimited..	2,000,000 00	30,000 00
School-house Bonds (Chaps. 136 and 191, Laws of 1883, and Chap. 252, Laws of 1889).....	For the purchase of new school sites and for the erection and furnishing of new school buildings.....	Cost of same	1,000,000 00	15,000 00
Armory Bonds (Chap. 487, Laws of 1885).....	For the purchase of land and the erection and furnishing of armories.....	Cost of same	850,000 00	12,750 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 521, Laws of 1887, and Chap. 513, Laws of 1889).....	For the completion and equipment of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	.....	350,000 00	5,250 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 44, Laws of 1887, and Chap. 89, Laws of 1889).....	For enlarging the American Museum of Natural History.....	.....	300,000 00	4,500 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 575, Laws of 1887).....	For the improvement of Central Park, Riverside Park, Morning-side Park, Mount Morris Park and East River Park.....	\$750,000 00	300,000 00	4,500 00
Bonds and Stocks authorized by law, other than those above mentioned, including Bonds for Repaving Streets, for the Erection of Buildings for Criminal Courts and for Municipal purposes, for Van Cortlandt Park, Zoological Buildings, for Small Parks, for Court-house building, Twelfth Ward, for Bridge over the Harlem river at McComb's Dam, and for Viaduct in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	.....	.....	3,000,000 00	45,000 00
				\$164,250 00
Less interest on the amount of the above-described Stocks and Bonds, which, it is estimated, will be purchased by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the interest on which will be payable from the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt," as provided by section 1, chapter 178, Laws of 1889—				
\$2,000,000 for six months, at three per cent. per annum				30,000 00
Total.....				\$134,250 00

INTEREST ON REVENUE BONDS OF 1891, ESTIMATED AS FOLLOWS:

On, say, \$19,000,000 Bonds of 1891, average, four months, at three per cent. per annum 190,000 00

FOR REDEMPTION OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE CITY DEBT.

For Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County (chapter 329, Laws of 1874)— Seven per cent. Bonds of Town of West Farms.....	\$16,000 00
Seven per cent. Bonds of Town of Morrisania.....	12,000 00
Total.....	\$28,000 00
For Redemption of Three per cent. Revenue Bonds, issued in pursuance of chapter 349, Laws of 1889, payable on or after November 1, 1891.....	32,688 00
For Redemption of Three per cent. Revenue Bonds, issued in pursuance of chapter 549, Laws of 1890, payable November 1, 1891.....	36,500 00
For Redemption of Three per cent. Revenue Bonds, issued in pursuance of chapters 262 and 330, Laws of 1890, payable on or after November 1, 1891.....	138,000 00
Total.....	235,188 00

FOR INSTALLMENT PAYABLE IN 1891.

For amount to be raised by tax annually, sufficient, with the accumulation of interest thereon, to redeem the Stocks payable from taxation, issued after December 31, 1884, pursuant to section 11 of the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of New York, adopted at the general election held November 4, 1884, as shown in a detailed statement..... 1,072,410 92

FOR THE STATE.

State Taxes, and Common Schools for the State: For General Purposes, $\frac{7}{8}$ mill, as per chapter 554, Laws of 1890.....	\$1,173,756 09
For Canals, $\frac{1}{8}$ mill, as per chapters 122, 266 and 554, Laws of 1890.....	1,006,076 64
For Common Schools, 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ mills, as per chapter 554, Laws of 1890.....	1,743,866 19
Total.....	\$3,923,698 92
Deduct that portion of the State tax imposed on the sum of \$122,061,343, added by the State Board of Equalization to the assessed valuation of real estate in the City of New York, which said portion is.....	285,623 55
Total.....	\$3,638,075 37
Shore Inspector—Salary and Expenses: For Compensation of the Shore Inspector, as per chapter 604, Laws of 1875.....	\$1,477 07
For Expenses, section 6, chapter 414, Laws 1886.....	11,078 03
Total.....	12,555 10

3,650,630 47

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

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1889. Apr. 27	Henry Hilton.....	Commissioners of Accounts.....	Rooms Nos. 114 and 115, Stewart Building.....	.....	.....	.....
		Commissioner of Jurors.....	Rooms Nos. 127 and 128, Stewart Building.....	.....	.....	.....
		Finance Department.....	1st floor of Stewart Building.....	.....	.....	.....
		Receiver of Taxes.....	Rooms "O," "P," "JJ," "OO," "PP" Stewart Building.....	May 1, 1891.	\$63,500 00	\$31,750 00
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	31,750 00
1890. June 1	John H. Eden.....	Reception Hospital.....	No. 2456 Valentine avenue, Fordham.	June 1, 1895.	1,500 00	1,500 00
1890. Jan. 27	George Peabody Wetmore.....	Department of Public Works.	No. 31 Chambers st.	May 1, 1892.	12,000 00	12,000 00
1890. May. 26	New Yorker Staats Zeitung.....	Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	2d floor, Staats Zeitung Building.....	May 1, 1891.	8,000 00	4,000 00
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	4,000 00
1885. Dec. 29	New Yorker Staats Zeitung.....	Counsel to the Corporation..	3d floor and part of 4th floor, Staats Zeitung Building..	Nov. 1, 1890.	10,500 00	.....
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	10,500 00
1889. Feb. 13	Mary A. Schanck, ex'x of Daniel S. Schanck, deceased.	Board of Assessors.....	1st loft, No. 27 Chambers street..	Feb. 1, 1894.	2,500 00	2,500 00
1890. May 1	Cooper Union.....	Civil Service Commissioners	Rooms Nos. 21, 29 and 30, Cooper Union Building.....	May 1, 1891.	1,500 00	750 00
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	750 00
1886. Feb. 1	Silas Downing, Henry C. Collins and Grace Collins.	Reception Hospital.....	Ward Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, Block 36, Twelfth Ward, north side of 120th street.....	Feb. 1, 1891.	3,322 00	830 50
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	2,491 50
1886. May 17	Edward Einstein....	4th District Civil Court.....	N. E. corner of 2d avenue and 1st st.	May 1, 1891.	2,500 00	1,250 00
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	1,250 00
1890. May 20	Catharine Bradley..	6th District Civil Court.....	Upper part, S. W. corner of 4th avenue and 18th street	May 1, 1891.	2,000 00	1,000 00
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	1,000 00
1887. Jan. 13	Charles E. Johnson.	8th District Civil Court.....	Corner of 7th avenue and 22d street.	Jan. 1, 1892.	3,000 00	3,000 00
1890. Jan. 1	William A. Martin..	9th District Civil Court.....	Rooms in Choral Hall Building, Lexington avenue and 125th street.....	Jan. 1, 1892.	5,000 00	5,000 00
1890. Jan. 1	New York Turn Verein, Bloomingdale.....	11th District Civil Court..	2d story of Manhattan Hall, 8th avenue, near 54th st..	Jan. 1, 1895.	3,500 00	3,500 00
1890. Jan. 1	Andrew Soher.....	5th District Police Court....	1st floor of Harlem Hall, 125th and 126th streets, 4th and Lexington aves	Jan. 1, 1892.	8,500 00	8,500 00
1887. Aug. 3	Moritz Bauer.....	6th District Police and 10th District Civil Courts.....	S. W. corner 3d avenue and 158th st... If renewed, estimated.....	May 1, 1891.	2,000 00	1,000 00
				.....	.....	1,000 00

For allowance to the Recorder for office rent..... 2,000 00

\$131,322 00

Armories and Drill-rooms—Rents:

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

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1890. Apr. 12	Katharina Schmuck	1st Battery.....	Nos. 334 to 340 West 44th street.....	May 1, 1891.	\$2,750 00	\$1,375 00
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	1,375 00
1890. Mar. 27	Robert T. Ford.....	71st Regiment..	Stores Nos. 12, 13 and 14 in Ford's Block, and upper part of building known as Ford's Block, on Broadway, between 44th and 45th streets...	May 1, 1891.	15,000 00	7,500 00
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	7,500 00
1890. Apr. 10	Marietta R. Stevens, executrix, John L. Melcher and Chas. G. Stevens, ex'rs of the estate of Paran Stevens, deceased.....	9th Regiment..	26th street, between 7th and 8th avenues.....	May 1, 1891.	15,000 00	7,500 00
			If renewed, estimated.....	.....	.....	7,500 00

Table with columns: DATE OF LEASE, NAME OF LESSORS, FOR WHAT PURPOSE, LOCATION OF PREMISES, EXPIRATION OF LEASE, ANNUAL RENTAL, AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.

* Taxes to be paid in addition to this amount.

Table listing various departments and their expenses, including Armories and Drill-rooms, Judgments, Real Estate, and Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

THE LAW DEPARTMENT.

Table detailing the Law Department's expenses, including contingencies, salaries, and costs for evidence and proceedings.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Table detailing the Department of Public Works' expenses, including aqueduct repairs, boring examinations, bridge work, and various street and sewer improvements.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Table detailing the Department of Public Parks' expenses, including maintenance and government of parks and places, salaries, and police costs.

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places :

Table listing expenses for park maintenance, including labor, supplies, and specific park projects like Washington Square and Tompkins Square.

Table listing additional expenses for parks, including alterations of roads, zoological department costs, and museum maintenance.

Table listing further expenses for parks, including settees, entrance to Central Park, and various improvements and repairs.

THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

Table detailing the Department of Street Improvements' expenses for the 23rd and 24th wards, including salaries, maintenance, and sewer work.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Table detailing the Department of Public Charities and Correction's expenses, including salaries, supplies, and various institutional costs.

Public Charities and Correction:

Table listing various public charities and correctional expenses, including alterations to buildings, coal distribution, and hospital repairs. Total amount: \$2,166,237 00.

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Table listing health department expenses, including salaries for commissioners, sanitary bureaus, and hospital supplies. Total amount: \$419,400 00.

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Table listing police department expenses, including salaries for commissioners, sergeants, and patrolmen, as well as supplies and contingent expenses. Total amount: \$4,777,515 38.

THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Table listing street cleaning expenses, including administration, sweeping, carting, and removal of snow. Total amount: \$1,584,250 00.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Table listing fire department expenses, including salaries for firemen, apparatus, and building inspections. Total amount: \$2,145,568 00.

THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Table listing tax and assessment department expenses, including salaries for assessors and clerks. Total amount: \$117,320 00.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Table listing board of education expenses, including salaries for teachers, janitors, and supplies. Total amount: \$4,267,367 00.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Table listing college expenses, including salaries for professors and scientific apparatus. Total amount: \$147,000 00.

THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Table listing normal college expenses, including salaries for professors and general expenses. Total amount: \$125,000 00.

PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.

Table listing printing and stationery expenses, including the City Record and blank books. Total amount: \$247,200 00.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE EXAMINING BOARDS.

Table listing municipal service examining board expenses, including salaries and contingencies. Total amount: \$25,000 00.

THE CORONERS.

Table listing coroner expenses, including salaries for coroners and physicians. Total amount: \$2,500 00.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Table listing commissioner of accounts expenses, including salaries for commissioners and assistants. Total amount: \$27,500 00.

THE SHERIFF.

(Chapter 523, Laws of 1890.)

Table listing salaries for the Sheriff's Office, including Sheriff's Office, Assistant Deputies, Clerks, and various support roles. Total: \$122,238 00.

THE REGISTER.

Table listing salaries for the Register's Office, including the Register, Deputy, and Clerks. Total: \$125,000 00.

THE BUREAU OF ELECTIONS.

Table listing election expenses, including compensation for inspectors, poll clerks, and printing of ballots. Total: \$439,300 00.

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Large table listing various miscellaneous expenses, including advertising, juror fees, and salaries for various offices like the Sinking Fund and Public Records. Total: \$1,083,406 91.

Table listing claims against the City of New York, including claims for counsel fees and disbursements. Total: \$9,004 79.

Table listing claims for settlement in full and adjustment by the Comptroller, including claims for counsel fees and disbursements. Total: \$4,500 00.

Table listing a claim for settlement in full and adjustment by the Comptroller, including a claim for counsel fees. Total: \$4,000 00.

Table listing a claim for damages to property in the City of New York, including a claim for the opening of Morris avenue. Total: \$17,436 00.

Table listing a claim for settlement in full and adjustment by the Comptroller, including a claim for the opening of Morris avenue. Total: \$4,000 00.

Table listing a claim for settlement in full and adjustment by the Comptroller, including a claim for stenographic services. Total: \$3,500 00.

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THE JUDICIARY.

Table listing salaries for City Courts, including Police Courts and District Courts. Total: \$383,700 00.

Table listing salaries for the Supreme Court, including Justices, Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$178,800 00.

Table listing salaries for the Superior Court, including Justices, Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$159,800 00.

Table listing salaries for the Court of Common Pleas, including Justices, Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$149,300 00.

Table listing salaries for the City Court of New York, including Justices, Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$109,700 00.

Table listing salaries for the Court of General Sessions and Oyer and Terminer, including Clerks, Deputy Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$78,236 91.

Table listing salaries for the Court of Special Sessions, including Clerks, Deputy Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$23,000 00.

Table listing salaries for the Surrogate's Office, including the Surrogate, Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$102,192 00.

Table listing salaries for the County Clerk's Office, including the County Clerk, Deputy Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$79,730 00.

Table listing salaries for the District Attorney's Office, including the District Attorney, Assistants, and attendants. Total: \$121,650 00.

Table listing salaries for the Recorder's Office, including the Recorder, Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$12,000 00.

Table listing salaries for the City Judge's Office, including the City Judge, Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$12,000 00.

Table listing salaries for the Commissioner of Jurors' Office, including the Commissioner, Clerks, and attendants. Total: \$33,000 00.

ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Table listing expenses for the New York Asylum for Idiots, including clothing for inmates. Total: \$978 00.

Table listing expenses for the American Female Guardian Society, including estimated average number of children. Total: \$15,250 00.

Table listing expenses for the Hebrew Benevolent Society of the City of New York, including estimated average number of inmates. Total: \$61,500 00.

Table listing expenses for the Foundling Asylum of the Sisters of Charity, including estimated average number of children. Total: \$279,313 52.

Table listing expenses for the Hudson River State Hospital, including estimated average number of inmates. Total: \$15,362 70.

Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes:	
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)	
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1870.)	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
For education and support of 78 county pupils, at \$300 each per annum.....	\$23,400 00
For clothing say 53 State pupils, at \$30 each.....	1,600 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	320 53
Arrearages of 1890.....	6,500 00
	\$31,820 53
New York Institution for the Blind:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
For clothing 175 pupils, at \$50 each.....	8,750 00
New York Catholic Protectors:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 2,043, at \$110 per annum each, say.....	225,000 00
New York Institution for Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb:	
(Chapter 305, Laws of 1863.)	
(Chapter 386, Laws of 1864.)	
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)	
(Chapter 253, Laws of 1874.)	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
For furnishing clothing for 123 State pupils, by order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, at \$30 each.....	\$3,690 00
For education and support of 43 county pupils, at \$300 each.....	12,900 00
	16,590 00
New York Infirmary for Women and Children:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 145, at \$25 each.....	\$3,635 00
Estimated average number of homeless and needy mothers nursing their own infants, four, at \$18 per month each.....	865 00
	4,500 00
New York Juvenile Asylum:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 1,000, at \$110 per annum each.....	110,000 00
New York Infant Asylum:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of children, 385, at 38 cents per day each.....	\$53,393 00
Estimated number of homeless or needy mothers nursing their own infants, 155, at \$18 per month each.....	33,480 00
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 33, at \$25 each per month.....	9,900 00
Arrearages of 1890.....	11,000 00
	107,779 00
New York Society for Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 175, at \$150 per annum each.....	26,250 00
Utica State Hospital:	
(Chapter 132, Laws of 1890.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 2, at \$240 each per annum.....	480 00
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy:	
(Chapter 353, Laws of 1880.)	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 77, at \$110 per annum, say.....	\$8,500 00
Arrearages of 1890.....	2,000 00
	10,500 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of children, 555, at \$10 per month each, say.....	\$66,600 00
Estimated average number of lying-in women, 90, at \$5 per week each.....	23,400 00
	90,000 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 154, at \$110 per annum each, say.....	\$17,000 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	64 32
Arrearages of 1890.....	8,000 00
	25,064 32
St. Joseph's Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes:	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1877.)	
For education and support of 62 county pupils, at \$300 each per annum.....	\$18,600 00
For clothing 70 State pupils, at \$30 each.....	2,100 00
	20,700 00
State Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn:	
(Chapter 416, Laws of 1874.)	
(Chapter 574, Laws of 1875.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 17, at \$3.75 each per week, and for expenses of transferring patients, etc.....	4,000 00
The Shepherd's Fold of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Middletown State Homeopathic Hospital:	
(Chapter 132, Laws of 1890.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 20, at \$3.75 each per week, and for clothing, etc.....	\$5,000 00
Arrearages of 1889.....	387 80
Arrearages of 1890.....	2,000 00
	7,387 80
Five Points House of Industry.....	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 154, at \$1 per week each, say.....	\$8,000 00
Arrearages of 1890.....	600 00
	8,600 00
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society:	
(Chapter 485, Laws of 1889.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 673, at \$104 each per annum, say.....	70,000 00
New York Magdalen Benevolent Asylum and Home for Fallen Women:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 4, at \$110 per annum each, say.....	400 00
	\$1,246,225 87
Total appropriations.....	\$35,960,891 22
Deduct amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund not otherwise specifically appropriated by law.....	2,800,000 00
Total.....	\$33,160,891 22

Thirty-three million one hundred and sixty thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents.
Dated NEW YORK CITY, MAYOR'S OFFICE, December 31, 1890.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Sec. 2. In addition to the sum imposed upon the estates, real and personal, according to law, of and within the City and County of New York, in and by the first section of this ordinance, there shall be and is hereby also imposed upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation according to law, of and within said City and County of New York, to be raised, collected and paid, according to law, the sum of thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000), appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and added to and included in the Final Estimate for the year 1891, pursuant to the provisions of section 7 of chapter 90 of the Laws of 1891, as appears by the following communication from the Comptroller, together with his additional certificate of the amount so to be raised and of the aggregate of the appropriations made for the year 1891, submitted to the Board of Aldermen, August 18, 1891, and dated August 17, 1891, to wit:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 17, 1891.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Section 7 of chapter 90 of the Laws of 1891, provides as follows:
"The proper local authorities of all cities in this State, which, according to the last State or National census, contain a population of twenty-five thousand or over, except the City of New York, and in said City of New York the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, shall appropriate annually such sum as may be necessary for the separate care and confinement in station-houses of all women arrested in each of said cities, and for the appointment, salary and maintenance of police matrons for the purposes of this act. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment in said City of New York is hereby authorized and empowered to reopen the budget for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one in order to include therein the estimates necessary to carry out the provisions of this act in said city."

In pursuance of the foregoing provision of law the Board of Police of the City of New York adopted resolutions to carry out the purposes of said act as follows, to wit:

"Resolved, That the rate of compensation of Police Matrons, appointed under the provisions of chapter 90 of the Laws of 1891, be and is hereby fixed at sixty dollars per month.

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to appropriate the sum of six thousand dollars, for the year 1891, for the payment of

salaries of twenty Police Matrons, at the rate of sixty dollars per month, for five months commencing August 1; and also the sum of twenty-six thousand dollars, for making the necessary alterations and fitting up of station-houses and prisons to provide accommodations for women held under arrest, to keep them separate and apart from the cells, corridors and apartments provided for males under arrest."

At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on July 28, 1891, the Comptroller presented and the Board adopted the following resolutions:

"Whereas, The Board of Police, at a meeting held July 17, 1891, adopted a resolution requesting that, in pursuance of chapter 90 of the Laws of 1891, this Board appropriate the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000), for the payment of the salaries of twenty Police Matrons, for five months from August 1, 1891, at the rate of sixty dollars per month, each; and also requesting the appropriation of the sum of twenty-six thousand dollars (\$26,000), for making the necessary alterations and fitting-up of the station-houses and prisons to provide accommodations for women held under arrest, to keep them apart from the cells, corridors and apartments provided for males under arrest; and

"Whereas, The Engineer of the Finance Department reports that two of these Matrons are to be placed at ten of the station-houses, namely: the Fourth, Sixth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fifteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-ninth and Thirty-third Precincts; and that the following station-houses needed special alterations, namely: the Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fifteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-first and Twenty-ninth, in the matter of new iron cells and other necessary work, consisting of mason work, plumbing, iron work, carpentering and painting, and that the estimate given was derived from the plans of the Architect, and after an examination of the different buildings; therefore,

"Resolved, That this Board hereby approves of the action of the Board of Police in the matter of the above resolution; and

"Resolved, That the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) be and hereby is appropriated to the Police Department for 'Salaries for twenty Police Matrons, at seven hundred and twenty dollars each,' from August 1, 1891, to December 31, 1891, as provided by chapter 90 of the Laws of 1891; and

"Resolved, That the sum of twenty-six thousand dollars (\$26,000) be and is hereby appropriated to provide sufficient accommodations for women held under arrest in the station-houses, as provided by section 5 of the said act; and be it further

"Resolved, That the said sums of six thousand dollars and twenty-six thousand dollars be and are hereby included in the Final Estimate for 1891, as provided by section 7 of the said act, under the titles respectively of 'Salaries of Twenty Police Matrons, at \$720 each,' and 'Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, etc., for 1891.'"

A certificate of the action taken by the Board of Police and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and the amount appropriated for carrying out the provisions of said act, and of the aggregate amount of the appropriations made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the year 1891, is herewith submitted.

Respectfully,
RICH. A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Additional Certificate of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 17, 1891.

I, Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller of the City of New York, do hereby certify that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 7 of chapter 90 of the Laws of 1891, reopened the budget for the year 1891, and appropriated to be included therein the sum of thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000), under resolutions adopted by the Board of Police July 17, 1891, which sum being added to the sum of thirty-five million nine hundred and sixty thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents (\$35,960,891.22) heretofore certified as the aggregate amount of the appropriations made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the said year 1891, to wit: On the second day of June, 1891, makes in the aggregate the sum of thirty-five million and nine hundred and ninety-two thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents (\$35,992,891.22) as the amount of appropriations for said year.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Sec. 3. In addition to the sums imposed upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation according to law, of and within the City and County of New York, in and by the first and second sections of this ordinance, for the support of the Government of the City of New York, and for other purposes, for the year 1891, there shall also be and is hereby imposed upon said estates, to be raised, collected and paid, according to law, five hundred and seventy-one thousand five hundred and two dollars and seventy-eight cents (\$571,502.78), the said amount being deemed necessary for the purpose of providing for deficiencies in the actual product of the taxes imposed and levied for the support of the Government of the City of New York, and for other purposes, for said year 1891, and not exceeding three per centum of the sum imposed by the first section of this ordinance, pursuant to the provisions of section 830 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Sec. 4. The assessment rolls of the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the City and County of New York, for the year 1891, are hereby approved and confirmed, and the aggregate amount of the assessed valuations of said estates, for said year, is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five million eight hundred and fifty-seven thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars (\$1,785,857,338), in accordance with the returns of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments for said year, submitted to the Board of Aldermen on Monday, the sixth day of July, 1891, as follows, to wit:

Assessed Valuation of the Real and Personal Estate in the City and County of New York for 1891.

WARDS.	ASSESSED VALUATION, 1891.
REAL ESTATE.	
First.....	\$88,646,162 00
Second.....	36,908,147 00
Third.....	41,247,910 00
Fourth.....	14,882,103 00
Fifth.....	48,599,920 00
Sixth.....	26,002,900 00
Seventh.....	22,096,507 00
Eighth.....	41,133,988 00
Ninth.....	34,510,640 00
Tenth.....	21,018,232 00
Eleventh.....	21,074,237 00
Twelfth.....	227,579,650 00
Thirteenth.....	13,888,229 00
Fourteenth.....	26,366,892 00
Fifteenth.....	62,984,970 00
Sixteenth.....	41,226,285 00
Seventeenth.....	41,663,158 00
Eighteenth.....	83,599,550 00
Nineteenth.....	229,533,320 00
Twentieth.....	51,350,550 00
Twenty-first.....	98,012,350 00
Twenty-second.....	140,591,359 00
Twenty-third.....	33,021,906 00
Twenty-fourth.....	17,648,855 00
Total Real Estate.....	\$1,464,247,820 00
PERSONAL ESTATE.	
Resident.....	\$233,184,137 00
Non-resident.....	14,854,931 00
Shareholders of Banks.....	73,570,450 00
Total Personal Estate.....	321,609,518 00
Total Real and Personal Estate for 1891.....	\$1,785,857,338 00

And Whereas, Section 3 of chapter 361 of the Laws of 1881 provides, inter alia, as follows:

"Every corporation, joint-stock company or association whatever, now or hereafter incorporated or organized under any law of this State, or now or hereafter incorporated or organized by or under the laws of any other State or country, and doing business in this State, except savings banks and institutions for savings, life insurance companies, banks and foreign insurance companies and manufacturing corporations carrying on manufacture within this State, which exception shall not be taken to include gas companies or trust companies, shall be subject to and pay a tax as a tax upon its corporate franchise or business into the treasury of the State annually; * * *"

Whereas, Section 8 of said act also provides as follows:

"The corporations, joint-stock companies and associations mentioned in this act as taxable shall hereafter be exempt from assessment and taxation for State purposes, except upon their real estate, and as herein provided, but they shall in all other respects be liable to assessment and taxation as heretofore;" and

Whereas, The amount of assessed valuations of the real and personal estates, subject to taxation of and within the City and County of New York, excepting the personal estates of the several corporations, joint-stock companies and associations which are exempted by law from local taxation for State purposes, is one thousand seven hundred and seven million eight hundred and sixty-eight thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight dollars (\$1,707,868,828); and

Whereas, The amount of the assessed valuations of the personal estates of such corporations, joint-stock companies and associations as are exempted by law from taxation thereon for State purposes is seventy-seven million nine hundred and eighty-eight thousand five hundred and ten dollars (\$77,988,510); which sum is liable to taxation for City and County purposes only;

Be it also ordained, That the said real and personal estates shall be subject to taxation as provided by the following section:

Sec. 5. The rate of tax upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the City and County of New York, excepting the personal estates of such corporations, joint-stock companies or associations as are by law exempt from assessment and taxation thereon for State purposes, shall be and is hereby fixed at 1.90 per centum of the assessed valuations thereof, and upon the personal estates of such corporations, joint-stock companies or associations, the rate of tax shall be and is hereby fixed at 1.686 per centum of the assessed valuations thereof, in and for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one (1891).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1891, at four minutes after two o'clock P. M. Approved by the Mayor, September 12, 1891, at ten minutes after ten o'clock A. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk, Common Council.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, } NEW YORK, September 1, 1891. }

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, Joseph D. Bryant, M. D., the Health Officer of the Port.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following Reports were received from the Sanitary Committee:

- 1st. Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital. Ordered on file.
2d. Weekly report from Reception Hospital. Ordered on file.
3d. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox). Ordered on file.
4th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers). Ordered on file.
5th. Report on changes in the Hospital Service.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following changes in the Hospital Service be and are hereby approved:

Table with columns: NAMES, POSITION, SALARY, APPOINTED, RESIGNED, DATE. Lists staff changes for various hospital positions.

6th. Report in respect to list of articles unfit for use at Willard Parker Hospital. Referred to the Chief Clerk for inspection and report.

7th. Report on application for leave of absence of William Spoor. On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence of one week, from September 5, be and is hereby granted to William Spoor, Engineer.

The resignation of Assistant Resident Physician Wolff, to take effect September 18, was received and, On motion, accepted.

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

Table with columns: NAME, AMOUNT. Lists payments to Thomas F. White and James McCauley.

Ayes—The President, Commissioners Bryant and Smith.

The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports:

1st. Weekly reports of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected:

Table with columns: Description of legal actions, Amount. Lists various legal proceedings and their costs.

2d. Weekly reports 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:

Table with columns: NAMES, No. Lists names and numbers of individuals whose actions are discontinued.

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

- 1st. Weekly report of the Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.
2d. Weekly report of the Chief Sanitary Inspector. Ordered on file.
3d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police. Ordered on file.
4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps. Ordered on file.
5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil docks. Ordered on file.
6th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses. Ordered on file.
7th. Weekly report of work performed by Chemist and Assistant Chemists. Ordered on file.
8th. Weekly report of work performed by Milk, Meat, Fish and Fruit Inspectors. Ordered on file.
9th. Weekly report of work performed by Inspector of Offensive Trades. Ordered on file.

Table with columns: NAMES, FROM, TO, REMARKS. Lists reports on account of sickness and death in family.

Reports and certificates on overcrowding in the following tenement-houses: On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted: 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:

Table with columns: NUMBER, LOCATION, FRONT OR REAR HOUSE, FLOOR, LESSEE, REDUCED TO (Adults, Children). Lists tenement houses and their occupancy limits.

Reports on Applications for Permits.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted, as follows:

Table with columns: No., BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED, ON PREMISES AT. Lists permit applications for lodgers, chickens, and goats.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied, as follows:

Table with columns: No., BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED, ON PREMISES AT. Lists denied permit applications for lodging-houses and chickens.

Reports on applications for relief from orders.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following orders be suspended, extended, modified, rescinded or referred, as follows:

Table with columns: No. OF ORDER, ON PREMISES AT, TIME EXTENDED TO, REMARKS. Lists various orders and their statuses.

No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
12093	No. 161 West Sixty-second street	Sept. 15, 1891	
12062	No. 257 Monroe street	" 10, "	
12663	Nos. 230 and 232 East Twenty-ninth street	" 10, "	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
13143	No. 145 West Twenty-fourth street	Oct. 30, 1891	Provided the manure be kept within the stable.
13234	No. 337 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street	Sept. 10, "	
13603	No. 331 Seventh avenue	Dec. 15, "	Provided the order be complied with on or before that date.
13797	No. 46 Forsyth street	" " " "	For providing a ventilator for the halls of front house, provided the roof be repaired at once so as not to leak.
13895	No. 23 East Fourteenth street	" " " "	Suspended as long as the furnace is not in use.
13966	No. 54 Lawrence street	Nov. 1, 1891	
13978	Nos. 333 and 335 West Forty-fourth street	Dec. 1, "	
14218	Nos. 608 and 624 East Twelfth street	Nov. 1, "	
14458	Nos. 604 and 606 East Twelfth street	May 1, 1892	
14659	No. 366 Eighth street	" " " "	Suspended as long as the house is not occupied by more than two families.
14744	Nos. 1433 and 1439 Second avenue	Oct. 15, 1891	
14746	No. 136 Sixth avenue	" " " "	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
14948	No. 25 Downing street	Nov. 1, 1891	
14968	No. 111 West Fifteenth street	Oct. 1, "	And relief denied.
14389	No. 201 West Forty-sixth street	Sept. 20, "	Provided the water-closet on third floor be cleaned and obstructions in soil-pipe removed.
15158	No. 234 East Seventy-fifth street	Oct. 1, "	
15270	No. 343 East Sixteenth street	" 1, "	
15272	Nos. 347 to 351 East Seventeenth street	" 15, "	
15484	No. 602 East Twelfth street	Sept. 15, "	
15689	No. 92 Norfolk street	" 15, "	Provided the waste-pipe from urinal in yard and the waste-pipe from bar-sink be made gas and water tight.
15756	No. 512 East Seventeenth street	May 1, 1892	
15817	North side One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, one hundred feet east of Madison avenue	Nov. 1, 1891	
15868	Nos. 382 and 384 Bleecker street	Oct. 1, "	
15923	No. 307 East Eighty-third street	Oct. 1, 1891	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
16009	No. 346 East Fifty-third street	Oct. 1, 1891	Provided the safes under the water-closets be disinfected and cleaned.
16066	One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Webster avenue	Nov. 5, "	
16083	South side of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, sixth house east of Amsterdam avenue	Jan. 1, 1892	Provided the work necessary to fully comply with the order be completed on or before that date.
16130	No. 197 Eldridge street	Nov. 1, 1891	
16154	No. 614 East Thirteenth street	Sept. 15, "	
16259	No. 540 Canal street	Oct. 15, "	
16270	No. 630 East Thirteenth street	" 1, "	
16582	No. 48 Christie street	" 1, "	On uncomplied-with portion of order.
16422	No. 130 East Houston street	" 15, "	
16433	Nos. 564 and 506 East Sixteenth street	" " " "	Rescinded.
16437	No. 570 East Sixteenth street	Nov. 1, 1891	
16441	No. 439 East Eighteenth street	Jan. 1, 1892	
16453	No. 636 East Thirteenth street	Oct. 1, 1891	
16464	No. 533 East Sixteenth street	May 1, 1892	
16499	No. 543 East Sixteenth street	Oct. 15, 1891	
16500	No. 545 East Sixteenth street	" 1, "	
16502	No. 549 East Sixteenth street	" 15, "	
16506	No. 455 First avenue	Dec. 1, "	
16543	No. 811 Second avenue	" " " "	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
16543	No. 452 Second avenue	Sept. 1, 1891	
16583	No. 623 East Twelfth street	" 15, "	
16702	No. 80 Warren street	" 10, "	
16712	No. 138 East Houston street	Oct. 1, "	
16718	No. 162 East Houston street	" 1, "	
16736	No. 614 East Sixteenth street	" 15, "	
16762	No. 447 East Nineteenth street	Jan. 1, 1892	
16763	Nos. 501 and 503 East Nineteenth street	Dec. 30, 1891	
16799	No. 403 West Thirteenth street	Oct. 1, "	
16831	No. 819 Tenth avenue	" 15, "	Provided the defective earthen house-drains be made gas and water tight.
16858	No. 367 Tenth avenue	Feb. 1, 1892	Provided the yard and stable be kept clean, and the manure removed whenever a cart-load shall have accumulated.
16872	No. 459 West Forty-first street	" " " "	Rescinded for portion of order relating to yard drain.
16882	No. 13 Grand street	Sept. 1, 1891	
16895	No. 227 East Twenty-first street	Oct. 15, "	
16898	No. 319 East Sixty-first street	Jan. 1, 1892	Provided the work necessary to fully comply with the order be done on or before that date.
16908	No. 333 West Fourth street	Sept. 25, 1891	
16916	No. 223 East Twenty-first street	Jan. 1, 1892	
16918	No. 304 East Sixty-first street	Oct. 1, 1891	
16962	No. 1576 Third avenue	Sept. 15, "	
16992	No. 444 West Twenty-seventh street	" " " "	Modified not to require the walls of air-shaft to be cleaned and whitewashed.
17029	No. 445 West Thirty-fourth street	Oct. 1, 1891	
17158	No. 1202 Fulton avenue	Sept. 5, "	
17210	No. 430 East Sixty-second street	" 19, "	
17215	Nos. 559 to 569 First avenue	Oct. 1, "	
17233	Nos. 3, 5 and 9 Weehawken street	Sept. 15, "	
17234	No. 133 Washington place	Oct. 1, "	
17266	No. 418 East Twentieth street	" 1, "	
17269	No. 6 Second avenue	" 1, "	
17271	No. 569 Second avenue	Nov. 1, "	
17287	No. 204 East Seventy-fifth street	May 1, 1892	
17289	No. 210 East Seventy-fifth street	Nov. 1, 1891	
17293	No. 224 East Seventy-fifth street	Oct. 1, "	And modification was denied.
17384	No. 8 East Ninety-sixth street	" " " "	Rescinded for portion of order requiring a water-closet to be provided.
17399	Nos. 25 and 27 Cornelia street	Oct. 1, 1891	
17492	No. 107 Monroe street	Nov. 1, "	
17441	No. 142 Monroe street	Oct. 10, "	
17453	No. 11 Leroy street	" 5, "	
17509	No. 571 First avenue	" 15, "	
17570	No. 19 Leroy street	" 1, "	
17587	Nos. 593 and 595 Second avenue	" 1, "	
17599	No. 163 Charles street	Nov. 1, "	
17603	No. 226 East Twenty-second street	Oct. 1, "	Rescinded.
17664	No. 551 Third avenue	" " " "	
17700	No. 99 Cherry street	Oct. 15, 1891	
17722	No. 315 East Seventy-fifth street	Jan. 1, 1892	Provided the work necessary to fully comply with the order will be completed on or before that date.
17727	No. 312 West Eleventh street	Nov. 1, 1891	
17799	No. 408 East Seventy-seventh street	" " " "	Suspended as long as only two families occupy the house.
17829	No. 5 Jones street	Oct. 15, 1891	
17834	No. 9 Jones street	" 15, "	
17835	No. 469 Fourth avenue	Sept. 21, "	
17869	Nos. 475 to 479 and 298 Seventh avenue	Nov. 5, "	
17870	Nos. 271 and 273 Greenwich street	" " " "	Modified not to require flushing-tanks to be placed over the water-closets.
18500	No. 2240 Second avenue	Oct. 25, 1891	Provided the defective earthen drain be removed and a 6-inch extra heavy iron drain be substituted immediately, and all soil and waste pipes properly connected therewith and all joints calked with lead.
17871	No. 14 Barrow street	Sept. 15, "	
17904	Nos. 443 and 445 East Seventy-fourth street	Oct. 1, "	
17901	No. 33 Jones street	" " " "	Rescinded.
17913	No. 25 Barrow street	Oct. 15, 1891	
17914	No. 27 Barrow street	Nov. 1, "	
17917	No. 45 Avenue D	Oct. 15, "	
17918	No. 406 East Seventy-sixth street	" " " "	Suspended as long as only two families occupy the house.
17971	No. 343 East Eighty-seventh street	May 1, 1892	For portion of order relating to bed-room windows; balance of order to be complied with at once.
18035	No. 12 Morton street	Oct. 15, 1891	
18036	No. 15 Morton street	May 1, 1892	
18062	Nos. 370 and 372 West Eleventh street	Oct. 10, 1891	
18384	Nos. 413 and 415 West Twenty-second street	" " " "	Canceled.
18400	Nos. 2123 to 2129 Second avenue	" " " "	Rescinded.
18414	No. 838 Second avenue	Nov. 1, 1891	
18414	No. 408 Madison street	Oct. 15, "	
19757	Nos. 1086 to 1092 Second avenue	" 1, "	
20998	No. 224 West Thirtieth street	Dec. 15, "	Provided the work necessary to fully comply with the order is performed on or before that date.
21257	No. 537 and 539 First avenue	" 1, "	
21423	No. 559 West Thirtieth street	Nov. 15, "	

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following applications for relief from orders be and are hereby denied:

No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT
10780	No. 380 Grand street.	16847	No. 334 East Twenty-fourth street.
11415	Northeast corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Eighteenth street.	16950	No. 1207 First avenue.
11798	No. 520 Tenth avenue.	16979	No. 304 East Seventy-seventh street.
13235	No. 341 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street.	17185	No. 1612 First avenue.
13842	No. 215 East Thirty-sixth street.	17400	No. 29 Cornelia street.
14040	No. 313 East Forty-sixth street.	17437	No. 97 Monroe street.
15236	No. 362 East Seventy-second street.	17645	No. 129 Monroe street.
15244	No. 1147 First avenue.	17697	No. 838 Second avenue.
15647	No. 421 East Seventeenth street.	17708	No. 336 East Fifty-fourth street.
16381	Nos. 421 and 423 East Sixty-fifth street.	17823	No. 403 East Forty-eighth street.
16846	No. 512 East Sixteenth street.	18127	No. 204 East Eighty-third street.
		18184	No. 111 East Broadway.
		20685	No. 954 Second avenue.

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

- 1st. Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Report of disinfection at Nos. 68, 70, 72 and 74 Park place. Ordered on file.

The following Communications were Received from the Register of Records:

- 1st. Weekly letters. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly abstract of births. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Weekly abstract of still-births. Ordered on file.
- 4th. Weekly abstract of marriages. Ordered on file.
- 5th. Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious disease. Ordered on file.
- 6th. Weekly mortuary statements. Ordered on file.
- 7th. Weekly report of work performed by Clerks. Ordered on file.
- 8th. Reports on delayed birth certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following delayed birth certificates:

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
1. Charles McCaffrey	Born	Aug. 11, 1890
2. Kate Smith	"	" 21, "
3. Agnes Mera	"	" 22, "
4. James J. Leonard	"	" 24, "
5. Jos. Folger	"	" 28, "
6. James Mullin	"	Sept. 5, "
7. John Henry Shenke	"	" 5, "
8. Edward Armstrong	"	" 6, "
9. Patrick White	"	" 8, "
10. James John McCrystal	"	" 17, "
11. Mary V. Kozank	"	" 20, "
12. Elizabeth Chapman	"	" 30, "
13. John J. Haugh	"	" 30, "
14. Mariana Terrence	"	Dec. 30, "
15. Annie Lawlor	"	Jan. 27, 1891
16. Emmanuel Fry	"	Feb. 1, "
17. Ellen M. Barry	"	" 3, "
18. F. Laurence Ericson	"	Mar. 4, "
19. John Watson Rapp	"	April 9, "
20. Eleanor Zadek	"	" 15, "
21. Helen Kolle	"	" 25, "
22. Annie Hartman	"	May 1, "
23. Helena F. Klumpen	"	June 4, "
24. John Sinnott	"	" 9, "
25. Marcella McDonald	"	" 14, "
26. Andrew Galligan	"	" 18, "
27. Charles Smith	"	" 23, "

Report on application to file supplemental papers. On motion, it was Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to file supplemental papers relating to

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
Alexander Schaul	Born	Sept. 20, 1875
Guglielmina Diodata Falasca	"	Nov. 20, 1887
John H. McCarthy	Died	Aug. 13, 1886

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, Resolutions, etc.

The weekly statement of the Comptroller was received and ordered on file. A communication from His Honor the Mayor, in respect to the disinfection of premises Nos. 68, 70, 72 and 74 Park place, was received and referred to the President to answer. (Answered by the President, see letter-book, September 1.) A communication from the Department of Public Works, in respect to the removal of debris and material from the ruins of Nos. 68, 70, 72 and 74 Park place, was received and ordered on file. (Answered by the Secretary, see letter-book, August 27.) A communication from the Department of Street Cleaning, in respect to complaint of the condition of Franklin street and the non-removal of swill and decayed vegetable matter from in front of No. 9 Frankfort street, was received and ordered on file. A communication from Surgeon J. A. Tonner, in respect to the care of immigrants sick with contagious diseases, was received and referred to the Secretary to answer (see letter-book of August 29). Applications from Drs. Moran and Shively for appointment on the Vaccinating Corps were received and ordered on file. A communication from C. Bishop, in respect to the killing of chickens at Union Market, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent. A communication from S. M. Chester, in respect to a plan to purify the Croton water, was received and ordered on file. A communication from the New York Condensed Milk Co., in respect to the drainage of the Brewster Factory, at Brewster's, N. Y., was received and ordered on file. The Attorney was authorized to discontinue suits against Drs. Edmund Kolb (Suit No. 1296), Cornelius M. O'Leary (Suit No. 1298), S. J. O'Neill (Suit No. 1138), Mrs. Hoffman (Suit No. 1145), and Mrs. Ellen Harris (Suit No. 1295), for failure to report births as required by law. Notices from the Coroner's office of the holding of certain inquests were received and ordered on file. A communication was received from the Secretary of the State Board of Health in respect to the Croton water supply of the city, etc. On motion, it was Resolved, That a copy of the communication of the Secretary of the State Board of Health, in respect to the Croton water supply, be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor. Resolved, That the pay-roll of this Department for Temporary Inspectors of the Summer Corps, from September 1 to September 5, inclusive, be and is hereby approved, and the President and Secretary directed to sign certificates and forward the same to the Comptroller for payment. Resolved, That the Departmental Estimate of Expenditure required in the Health Department for the year 1892, as submitted by the President, be and is hereby approved. Resolved, That the State Board of Health be and is hereby requested to cause to be reported as soon as possible to this Board the names and residences of all persons now ill with a communicable disease, and those who may hereafter become ill of such disease, who reside on the Croton water-shed.

Resolved, That the State Board of Health be and is hereby requested to notify this Board at once of all deaths occurring on the Croton water-shed, stating the name of the disease and the residence of each of such deceased persons.

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

- 1st. Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Plumbing and Ventilation. Ordered on file.
2d. Weekly report on light and ventilation of tenement-houses, plumbing and drainage plans of new buildings. Ordered on file.
On motion, it was 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 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.
12613-2. For church and parish building, northwest corner of Grand Boulevard and Seventy-ninth street, as amended.
12730. For one dwelling, north side of Rockfield street, five hundred feet east of Marion avenue, as amended.
13025. For one tenement, Nos. 174 and 176 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, as amended.
13138. For four tenements, northeast corner of Courtlandt avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street, as amended.
13139. For one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, one hundred and twenty-five feet east of Courtlandt avenue, as amended.
13438. For one tenement, southwest corner of Orchard and Houston streets, as amended.
13439. For one dwelling, west side of Simpson street, fourteen feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, as amended.
13442-2. For one dwelling, east side of Washington avenue, twenty-six feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-first street, as amended.
13449. For one shop, north side of Fifty-fifth street, two hundred and seventy-five feet west of Tenth avenue, as amended.
13474. For one stable, west side of Lincoln avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, as amended.
13486. For one factory, Nos. 34, 36 and 38 Watts street, conditionally.
13493. For one dwelling, northwest corner of Lane avenue and Barry street, as amended.
13493. For office building, Nos. 40 to 44 Pine street, as amended.
13498. For five tenements, south side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, ninety-five feet west of Eighth avenue, as amended.
13499. For four tenements, southwest corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Fourteenth street, as amended.
13506. For one dwelling, south side of Rockfield street, two hundred and ninety-one feet east of Marion avenue, as amended.
13507. For one dwelling, east side of Union avenue, one hundred and seventy-five feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, as amended.
13511. For extension to machine-shop, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Walnut to Locust avenue.
13520. For one stable (rear), north side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, three hundred and seventy-five feet west of St. Nicholas avenue, as amended.
13525. For two dwellings, south side of Jennings street, one hundred and fourteen feet east of Union avenue, as amended.
13526. For one dwelling, south side Jennings street, ninety-six feet east of Union avenue, as amended.
13527. For eight dwellings, southwest corner of West End avenue and Eighty-fifth street, as amended.
13531. For boiler house, No. 404 East Twenty-sixth street, as amended.
13533. For six dwellings, north side of Seventieth street, one hundred feet west of West End avenue, as amended.
13534. For drainage, south side of Seventy-first street, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Central Park, West.
13535. For one dwelling, north side of Southern Boulevard, thirty-five feet east of Bridge avenue, as amended.
13537. For one dwelling, south side of Vanderbilt avenue, one hundred and sixty feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street.
13539. For one dwelling, north side of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, four hundred and twenty-five feet west of Fleetwood avenue, as amended.
13553. For five dwellings, southwest corner of West End avenue and One Hundred and Fourth street.
13561. For one dwelling, west side Madison avenue, two hundred and three feet north of Kingsbridge road, as amended.
13567. For one dwelling, east side of Stebbins avenue, four hundred and thirteen feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.
13568. For one tenement, No. 113 Willett street.
13578. For four dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Seventieth street, eighty-six feet east of Vanderbilt avenue.
13579. For one factory, No. 243 Division street.
13296-2. For three tenements, west side of Columbus avenue, fifty feet south of Ninety-sixth street, as amended.
13580. For car depot, north side One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, twenty-five feet east of Manhattan avenue.

Tabled for Amendment.

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

- Plan No.
13521. For six tenements, north side of Ninety-sixth street, two hundred and fifty-nine feet east of Third avenue.
13522. For one warehouse, No. 237 Mercer street.
13529. For one dwelling, south side of Intervale avenue, three hundred feet west of Westchester avenue.
13532. For one dwelling, north side of Suburban street, three hundred and forty-six feet south of Marion avenue.
13536. For warehouse, No. 3 Vestry and No. 25 Laight streets.
13540. For factory, south side of Forty-fifth street and East river.
13541. For three dwellings, east side of Webster avenue, four hundred and thirty-five feet north of One Hundred and Seventieth street.
13542. For two dwellings and stable, south side of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, one hundred and fifty feet east of Fleetwood avenue.
13543. For warehouse, Nos. 89 and 91 West Third street.
13544. For two tenements, south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, ninety-eight feet east of Seventh avenue.
13545. For two tenements, southeast corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street.
13547. For church, northeast corner of Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Fifth street.
13548. For one dwelling, east side of Mott avenue, one hundred and seventy-nine feet six inches south of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.
13549. For one stable, Nos. 305 and 307 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.
13550. For one dwelling, north side of Garfield street, one hundred feet west of Valentine avenue.
13554. For store, No. 26 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

Amendments to Plumbing and Drainage Plans.

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

- Plan No.
11468. For nine dwellings, southwest corner of West End avenue and One Hundred and Third street.
12554. For one dwelling, west side of Bathgate avenue, sixty-seven feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-third street.
12810. For one dwelling, west side of Sidney street, two hundred and fifty feet east of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway.
12878. For one stable, No. 436 East Eighteenth street, as amended.
12949. For one tenement, No. 335 East Twenty-fourth street.
13008. For one dwelling, north side of Nathalie avenue, seventy-nine feet west of Kingsbridge road.
13240. For stable, Nos. 135 and 137 Division street.

- 13327. For one dwelling, east side of Lorillard street, one hundred and forty feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.
13354. For one factory, Nos. 226 to 232 West Twenty-sixth street, as amended.
13369. For one tenement, No. 81 Goerck street.
13386. For one dwelling, east side of Bathgate avenue, three hundred feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-third street.
13450. For one dwelling, east side of Hull avenue, one hundred and fifty feet north of Gun Hill road.
12802. For one dwelling, east side of Amsterdam avenue, twenty-seven feet north of One Hundred and Ninety-fourth 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. 4330, 4495, 4619, 4620, 4630.

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.
8808-2. For one tenement, No. 97 Henry street.
8822. For one extension, No. 1924 Third avenue.
8823. For one tenement, No. 266 Henry street.
8824. For one tenement, southeast corner of Eighth avenue and Fifty-third street.
8825. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, one hundred feet west of Eighth avenue.

Tabled for Amendment.

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

- Plan No.
8821. For four tenements, northwest corner of Boston avenue and Teasdale avenue.

Violation to the Attorney.

Resolved, That the following violation of law in respect to light and ventilation of tenement houses be and is hereby referred to the Attorney: No. 2478.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending August 29, 1891:

There were 13,957 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 808 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 647 complaints received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and 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, 72 permits. There were issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 3 permits. There were issued under the Sanitary Code, 3 miscellaneous permits. There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 24 permits.

Vital Statistics for the Week ending August 29, 1891.

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 1,689,024, Burial Permits Issued, Transit Permits Issued, Coroners' Cases, Searches Made, Transcripts Issued, Entered in Register, Indexed. Rows include Marriages, Births, Deaths, Still-births.

The 826 deaths represent a death-rate of 25.52, against 23.89 for the previous week, and 22.79 for the corresponding week of 1890.

The increase of 53 deaths was chiefly due to an increase of 73 in the deaths by accident, 61 of these being caused by the Park place disaster. There was an increase of 9 in the deaths from phthisis, of 6 from heart diseases, and of 13 from pneumonia, and a decrease of 16 in deaths from diseases of the digestive organs, and of 31 from urinary diseases.

The deaths from diphtheria were most numerous in the Twelfth and Twenty-second Wards, from measles in the Twentieth Ward, and from scarlet fever in the Seventh and Twenty-second Wards.

Analysis of Croton Water for Friday, August 28, 1891. Sample taken from Hydrant, corner of Mott and Bleecker Streets.

Table with 3 columns: 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 (Before boiling, After boiling), Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition), Mineral Matter (non-volatile), Total solids (by evaporation). It also includes Results Expressed in Grains per U.S. Gallon of 231 Cubic Inches and Results Expressed in Parts by Weight in One Hundred Thousand.

Remarks—Temperature at hydrant, 74 degrees Fahr.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, August 22, 1891.

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 August 15, 1891:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

Table with 2 columns: Description of public moneys received and Amount. Total: \$331,884 67.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending August 15, 1891, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

Large table with columns: DATE, TIME, Thermometer, Barometer, GAS COMPANY, BURNER, Pressure as Delivered to Burner, Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour, Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour, ILLUMINATING POWER (Observed, Corrected).

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

Public Lamps.

- 22 new lamps lighted. 1 old lamp relighted. 6 lamps discontinued. 3 lamp-posts removed. 31 lamp-posts straightened. 1 column refitted. 12 columns releaded. 7 service-pipes refitted. 7 stand-pipes refitted.

Permits Issued.

- 73 permits to tap Croton pipes. 43 permits to open streets. 22 permits to make sewer connections. 26 permits to repair sewer connections. 131 permits to place building material on streets. 18 permits—special. 6 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

- 50 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Repairs to Pavements.

11,757 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 22 receiving-basins relieved. 84 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned. 5,840 lineal feet of sewer cleaned. 15,950 lineal feet of sewer examined. 20 lineal feet of new brick sewer built. 14 lineal feet of new brick sewer repaired. 12 lineal feet of new curb set. 28 manhole-heads reset. 1 receiving-basin repaired. 3 new manhole heads and covers put on. 1 new basin-cover put on. 132 cubic feet of brickwork built. 38 square feet of flagging relaid. 28 square yards of pavement relaid. 831 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled. 271 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending August 15, 1891.

Table with columns: NATURE OF WORK, MECHANICS, LABORERS, TEAMS, CARTS. Includes categories like Aqueduct-Repairs, Laying Croton Pipes, etc.

Assessment Lists Made.

Table with columns: NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK, AMOUNT. Includes items like Paving Chambers street, Crosswalk across One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, etc.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$166,035.72.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 12, 1891. Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, September 11, 1891.

Table with columns: DATE, NUMBER OF LICENSES, AMOUNTS. Shows daily data from Saturday, Sept. 5 to Friday, Sept. 11.

DANIEL ENGELHARD, Mayor's Marshal.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. Mayor's Office. No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. 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. MICHAEL T. DALY, CHARLES G. F. WAHLE.

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

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

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. MICHAEL C. PADDEN, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. Commissioner's Office. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, 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.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. MICHAEL T. CUMMINGS, Superintendent.

Keeper of City Hall. MARTIN J. KRESE, City Hall.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS. TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS. No. 262 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER, Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN EYCK, Secretary.

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; D. LOWBER SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Persona Taxes.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. CHARLES F. MACLEAN, President; WILLIAM H. KIFF, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBROUGH, 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.

Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.

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

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Washington Building, No. 1 Broadway.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 137 and 139 East Sixty-seventh street. HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

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.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION 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, September 15, 1891, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

JOHN L. N. HUNT, Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary. Dated NEW YORK, September 8, 1891.

THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION 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, September 15, 1891, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

JOHN L. N. HUNT, Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary. Dated NEW YORK, September 8, 1891.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 3508, No. 1. Paving Sixty-seventh street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite blocks.

List 3631, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Ninth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, with granite blocks.

List 3605, No. 3. Repaving Sixteenth street, from Avenue C to the East river, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks 50 feet as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water, under chapter 449, Laws of 1889.

List 3600, No. 4. Flagging, reflagging, curbing and recuring east side of West End avenue, between Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets.

List 3610, No. 5. Laying crosswalks across Lenox avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

List 3611, No. 6. Laying crosswalks across Lenox avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

List 3615, No. 7. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Ninety-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

List 3616, No. 8. Fencing the vacant lots on both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Central Park, West, to Riverside Drive.

List 3623, No. 9. Flagging and reflagging in front of vacant lots Nos. 10, 12 and 14 West Fifty-sixth street.

List 3624, No. 10. Flagging, curbing and recuring in front of Nos. 7 and 9 Abingdon Square.

List 3626, No. 11. Laying a crosswalk across the Western Boulevard at the northerly side of One Hundred and Fortieth street.

List 3627, No. 12. Laying crosswalks across Tenth avenue, from the present line of bridge-stone on the easterly house-line of Tenth avenue to the westerly line of Tenth avenue, at the intersection of the southerly line of Kingsbridge road.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Sixty-seventh street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Sixteenth street, from Avenue C to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. East side of West End avenue, from a point distant about 102 feet 2 inches south of Seventy-seventh street to the southerly line of Seventy-seventh street.

No. 5. To the extent of half the block from the northerly and southerly intersections of Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

No. 6. To the extent of half the block from the northerly and southerly sides of Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

No. 7. Lots known as Block 911, Ward Nos. 10, 11 and 18.

No. 8. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Central Park, West, to Riverside Drive, upon the following-described lots: Block 900, Wards Nos. 6, 7 and 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17; Block 1014, Ward Nos. 42 to 51, inclusive; Block 1015, Ward Nos. 13, and from 18 to 29, inclusive; Block 1129, Ward No. 29; Block 1244, Ward Nos. 46 to 53, inclusive; Block 1245, Ward Nos. 22 to 25 inclusive.

No. 9. Block 540, Ward Nos. 46, 47 and 48.

No. 10. Ward numbers 2553 and 2554.

No. 11. To the extent of half the block from the northerly intersection of Boulevard and One Hundred and Fortieth street.

No. 12. Farm 9, Ward Nos. 31 to 35, inclusive, and Ward No. 124. Farm 3, Ward Nos. 61 to 64, inclusive.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 13th day of October, 1891.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, Sept 12, 1891.

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

List 3593, No. 1. Repaving Thirty-fourth street, from First avenue to the East river (as far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water), with trap blocks.

List 3594, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eighth to Edgecombe avenue, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks.

List 3595, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Twentieth street, from seventh to Eighth avenue, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks.

List 3617, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

List 3618, No. 5. Curbing and flagging both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Amsterdam avenue to Hamilton place.

List 3619, No. 6. Curbing and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Manhattan and Columbus avenues.

List 3620, No. 7. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring both sides of Thirty-second street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

List 3621, No. 8. Curbing and flagging south side of Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

List 3575, No. 9. Paving Eighty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Thirty-fourth street, from First avenue to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of First avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eighth to Edgecombe avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. South side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Hamilton place to Amsterdam avenue.

No. 6. Northeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Columbus avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Thirty-second street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

No. 8. South side of Sixtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 10th day of October, 1891.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, Sept 9, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, September 3, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Thursday, September 17, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, between Boulevard and Claremont avenue, and in CLAREMONT AVENUE, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

No. 2. FOR REPAIRING, PAINTING AND RESTORING THE BUILDING DAMAGED BY FIRE IN WEST WASHINGTON MARKET, between Gansevoort street, Grace, Lawton and Thirteenth avenues.

No. 3. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN SEVENTY-SIXTH, NINETY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND, ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH, SUBURBAN AND JENNINGS STREETS; IN WEBSTER, SCOTT, DECATUR, PERRY, ANDREWS AND AQUEDUCT AVENUES, AND IN SIGNAL, COLES AND POE PLACES

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 9, 10 and 15, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, September 3, 1891.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1891, AT 11.30 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, the following, viz.:

At Pier 24, North river, about 25,000 old Belgian blocks.

At Pier 29, North river, about 130,000 old Belgian blocks.

At Sixteenth street and North river, about 60,000 Belgian blocks.

On West street, from Battery place to Canal street, about 1,000,000 Belgian blocks.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the paving-blocks within ten days from the date of sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor; the purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale.

In the case of West street, the paving-blocks shall be delivered at a place on the North river, south of Canal street, to be designated by the purchaser, as soon as the contractor for taking up the pavement is ready to remove them; 30 per cent. of the purchase money shall be paid at the time and place of the sale, and the balance on delivery of the stone; 30 per cent. to be retained and allowed in payment on final delivery of the paving blocks.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, August 14, 1891.

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

The Commissioner of Public Works desires to give the following explanation of the operation of this act:

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR A WATER-CLOSET TOWER AT CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock A. M. of Friday, September 18, 1891.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Water-closet Tower—Charity Hospital," 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 419, 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.

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 TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$2,500) DOLLARS.

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

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

ration may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, 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 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 estimates, 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 provide such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, 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.

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, September 5, 1891.
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.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING PAVILION D, RANDALL'S ISLAND, N. Y. CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Friday, September 18, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Pavilion D," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE 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.

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 **ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.**

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. 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 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, 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 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 provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, 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.

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 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, September 5, 1891.
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.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE ERECTION OF ADDITION TO HARLEM HOSPITAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Friday, September 18, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Addition to Harlem Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE 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.

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 **FIVE HUNDRED (\$500) DOLLARS.**

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. 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 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, 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 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 provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, 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.

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, 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, September 5, 1891.
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,
NEW YORK, September 11, 1891.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Nineteenth street, East river—Unknown man, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair and moustache. Had on black and brown plaid coat and vest, brown pants, pink and white striped shirt, laced shoes; leather belt around waist.

Unknown man from One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Third Avenue, aged about 29 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; red hair, brown eyes. Had on blue overcoat, brown cotton overalls, brown and gray pants, white cotton undershirt, blue and gray striped socks, laced shoes.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Michael Milan, aged 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat and vest, dark brown check pants, boots, black derby hat.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Thomas Kelly, aged 42 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat, gray vest, brown striped pants, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 396.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE STONES FOR BULKHEAD OR RIVER-WALL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE stones for bulkhead or river-wall will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

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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 Four Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

To be furnished, cut in accordance with specifications, 556 pieces of granite, consisting of 283 headers and 273 stretchers, containing about 11,500 cubic feet.

For further particulars, see the drawings referred to in the specifications forming part of the contract.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities of cubic feet, 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 similar stones now owned by the Department of Docks, and of the plans 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, per cubic foot, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The first delivery of granite under this contract will be made as soon as practicable after the date of the execution of this contract, and will proceed thereafter with reasonable dispatch, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 25th day of January, 1892, and the amounts in each delivery are to be divided between the several classes, as ordered by the Engineer-in-Chief. 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 the price per cubic foot for the stones to be furnished in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact;

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done in each class by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as 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 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, IT BEING 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,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, September 9, 1891.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 397.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE EXISTING EARTH, ETC., FROM THE NEWLY-MADE LAND FOR A WIDTH OF FIFTY FEET, EXTENDING FROM DEY STREET TO VESEY STREET, NORTH RIVER, WHICH IS TO BE PAVED, AND PREPARING FOR AND PAVING THE SAME WITH GRANITE OR STAIN ISLAND SYENITE BLOCKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING THE NECESSARY DRAINS OR SEWERS.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ALL OF THE existing earth, etc., from the newly-made land for a width of 50 feet, extending from Dey street to Vesey street, North river, and for paving the same with granite or Staten Island syenite blocks, laying crosswalks and building the necessary drains or sewers, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

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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 Four Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

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

- 1,800 cubic yards of earth, etc., to be removed.
- 252 cubic yards of clean sand to be laid.
- 155 cubic yards of gravel for joints.
- 2,300 square yards of paving to be laid.
- 600 square feet of crosswalks to be laid.
- 9,454 gallons of paving cement.
- 840 cubic feet of brick work.
- 30 square feet of blue stone, 5 inches thick.
- 30 square feet of blue stone, 4 inches thick.
- 30 square feet of blue stone, 3 inches thick.
- 92 cubic yards of concrete to be laid.
- 425 linear feet of 18-inch sewer pipe to be laid.
- 128 linear feet of 12-inch iron pipe to be laid.
- 4,880 pounds of cast-iron for heads of silt basins, etc.
- 3,200 feet, B. M., 5-inch yellow pine.

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 to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of December, 1891, 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 fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks,
Dated New York, September 8, 1891.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 392.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE EXISTING EARTH, ETC., BETWEEN THE WESTERLY LINE OF WEST STREET AND A LINE FIFTY FEET WESTERLY THEREFROM, AND FROM THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF FRANKLIN STREET, EXTENDED, TO ABOUT THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF VESTRY STREET, EXTENDED, AND PREPARING FOR AND PAVING THE SAME WITH GRANITE OR STATEN ISLAND SYENITE BLOCKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING THE NECESSARY DRAINS OR SEWERS.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE EXISTING earth, etc., from the above-described area, and preparing for and paving the same with granite or Staten Island Syenite blocks, laying crosswalks and building the necessary drains or sewers, 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 park, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P.M. of

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1891,

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 Dollars.

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

- 1,200 cubic yards of dirt to be removed.
- 1,250 square yards of planking to be removed.
- 800 cubic yards of clean sand to be laid.
- 425 cubic yards of gravel for joints.
- 6,150 square yards of paving to be laid.
- 1,800 square feet of crosswalks to be laid.
- 27,500 gallons of paving cement.
- 1,402 cubic feet of brick work.
- 142 square feet of blue stone, 4 inches thick.
- 60 square feet of blue stone, 3 inches thick.
- 210 cubic yards of concrete to be laid.
- 975 linear feet of 18-inch glazed sewer pipe.
- 9,760 pounds of cast-iron for heads of silt basins and manholes.
- 1,584 pounds of heavy 6-inch angle bar.
- 5,670 feet B. M. of 5-inch yellow pine planking.

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 to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of February, 1892, 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 fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

All the material excavated is to be removed by the contractor and deposited in all respects according to law.

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 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 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 to by all the parties interested.

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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.

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EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks,
Dated New York, August 31, 1891.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

LEASE OF CITY PROPERTY AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK will sell at public auction to the highest bidder of yearly rental, at his office, Room 15, Stewart Building, corner Broadway and Chambers street, on Monday, September 21, 1891, at 12 o'clock P.M., the lease of the following-described premises belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, for the term ending May 1, 1896, viz:

- 1. Building, Nos. 8, 10, 12 and 14 Chambers street, Fourth Ward.

TERMS OF SALE.

The rental shall be paid monthly in advance, and the highest bidder shall be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and one month's rent, or one-twelfth of the amount of the yearly rent bid by him at the time and place of sale.

The amount so paid for one month's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen days after the sale, and the Comptroller is authorized, at his option, to resell the premises bid off by any person failing to comply with this condition of the sale, and the person so failing to comply shall be liable for any deficiency that may result from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation, and no bid will be accepted from 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, as provided by law.

The leases will contain the usual covenants and conditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the lease whenever the premises may be required by them for public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees, except for necessary repairs of the roof of the building.

All Croton water-rents laid on the premises, or any part thereof, during the term of the lease, shall be paid by the lessee.

The lessees will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent monthly, and the fulfillment on their part of the covenants of the lease.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 8, 1891.

PROPOSALS FOR \$155,459.00 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Wednesday, the 16th day of September, 1891, at 2 o'clock P.M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of an issue of \$155,459 registered.

CONSOLIDATED STOCK.

of the City of New York, and known as "School-house Bonds," the principal payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1908, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, for the purchase of new school sites, for the erection of new school buildings, and other school purposes, and is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted August 3, 1891, and as authorized by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Education.

CONDITIONS.

Section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 provides that "the Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law"; and provided also, "that no proposals for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "School-house Bonds" of the Corporation of the City of New York, and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 3, 1891.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

WHEREAS, SECTION 928 OF THE NEW YORK City Consolidation Act of 1882 authorizes the Comptroller, in his discretion, to postpone any sale for unpaid taxes or assessments; and

Whereas, a sale for unpaid assessments advertised to be held on Monday, March 2, 1891, was postponed until June 1, 1891, and

Whereas, Applications for a further postponement of said sale have been made by many persons who own and are interested in the property so advertised to be sold for unpaid assessments thereon, Now, therefore, I do hereby order and direct said sale to be postponed from June 1, 1891, to Monday, the 9th day of November, 1891, when it will be held at 12 o'clock, noon, at the County Court-house, City Hall Park.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 1, 1891.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 10, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A.M. on Wednesday, October 7, 1891.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE OVER THE HARLEM RIVER AT ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, TO TAKE THE PLACE OF EXISTING MAC-COMB'S DAM OR CENTRAL BRIDGE AND IN CONNECTION WITH VIADUCT NOW BUILDING ON SAID STREET.

The following is a statement, based upon the estimates of the Engineer, of the quantity and quality and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, and the several bids will be tested by the quantities and qualities mentioned in such statement:

- Dredging.
600 cubic yards at site Pier I.
800 cubic yards at site Pier II.
6,000 cubic yards for fender cribs.
- Pneumatic Caissons.
1,622 cubic yards to low water, Pier I.
2,667 cubic yards to low water, Pier II.
- Coffer Dam.
2,225 cubic yards to low water, Pier III.
- Excavation.
1,800 cubic yards excavation, Piers IV., V., VI. and VII.
- Piling.
200 piles, forty feet or under.
600 piles, forty to sixty feet.
- Timber.
86,000 feet, B.M., yellow pine timber in grillages.
- Fenders.
582,540 cubic feet crib-fenders.
130,000 feet, B.M., planking and timbering of fenders.
- Masonry.
2,500 cubic yards above low water, Piers I. and III.
1,000 cubic yards above low water, Pier II.
3,450 cubic yards above platform, Piers IV., V., VI. and VII.
2,800 cubic feet and pedestals and newels, Piers IV., V., VI. and VII.
17,000 square feet dressed exposed surfaces axed and pointed work.
- Watchmen's houses complete.
- Steel Work.
2,419,000 pounds metal draw span.
750,000 pounds metal turn table.
1,360,000 pounds steel fixed spans.
- Ornamental.
Finials and bronze work.
- Machinery.
Draw span machinery.
Engine-room.
Building and fitting up engine-room.
- Railings, etc.
824 linear feet railing, including rail box and cornice for draw span.
630 linear feet railing, including rail box and cornice for fixed span.
64 single light lamps, draw span.
8 cluster lamps, fixed span.

- Sidewalks, Roadway, etc.
- 1,690 square yards asphalt sidewalks.
- 3,300 square yards asphalt roadway.
- 25,500 pounds cast-iron grating.
- Gas-pipe.
- 1,500 linear feet gas-pipe main.
- Paint.
- Extra coat paint, superstructure.
- Removal of present bridge and maintaining travel.

- Bidders will state prices as follows:
- For all dredging, per cubic yard.....
 - For all pneumatic work with masonry filling, per cubic yard.....
 - For coffer dam with masonry, per cubic yard.....
 - For excavation for land piers, including sheeting, per cubic yard.....
 - For all piling, per pile 40 feet, as cut off and under.....
 - For all piling, per pile 40 feet to 60 feet, as cut off.....
 - For all timber in grillages with iron, per M. B. M.....
 - For crib fenders, per cubic foot.....
 - For all fender planking and bracing, with iron, per M. B. M.....
 - For all masonry, Piers 1 and 3, above low water, per cubic yard.....
 - For all masonry, Pier 2, above mean low water, per cubic yard.....
 - For all masonry of land, Piers 4, 5, 6, 7, per cubic yard.....
 - For all end pedestals and newels above coping, land piers, per cubic foot.....
 - For all exposed dressed masonry surfaces, copings, mouldings, etc., per square foot.....
 - For Watchmen's houses, Piers 1 and 3, complete, each.....
 - For all steel and iron in draw span, per pound.....
 - For all steel and iron in turn table, per pound.....
 - For all steel and iron in fixed spans, per pound.....
 - For all ornamental work, as specified for draw span, complete.....
 - For draw-bridge machinery and fixtures, complete.....
 - For building and fitting up engine-room with fixtures, complete.....
 - For railing, newels, rail box, cornice for draw span, per linear foot.....
 - For railing, newels, rail box, cornice for fixed spans, per linear foot.....
 - For single light lamps, with supports, draw span, each.....
 - For cluster lamps and posts, fixed spans, each.....
 - For asphalt sidewalk, per square yard.....
 - For asphalt roadway, per square yard.....
 - For cast-iron gratings, draw span, per pound.....
 - For gas-pipe main, with tank, branches, etc., per linear foot.....
 - For an extra coat of paint, if ordered, lump sum.....
 - For removing present bridge and maintaining travel, lump sum.....

Which prices are to include and cover the furnishing of all the materials and the performance of all the labor requisite or proper for the purpose, and the completing of all the above-mentioned work of the materials and in the manner set forth, described and shown in the specifications and on the plans for the work, and in the form of contract approved by the Counsel to the Corporation.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be Five Hundred working days, as provided in paragraph F of the agreement.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Thousand Dollars.

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 nature and extent of the work, and shall not, 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.

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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms for proposal and forms of the contract which the successful bidder 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,
NATHAN STRAUS,
PAUL DANA,
A. B. TAPPEN,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 3, 1891.

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, September 23, 1891:

No. 1. FOR ALTERATION OF THE ROADS, WALKS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS REQUIRED IN CONNECTION WITH THE ERECTION OF THE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL ARCH IN WASHINGTON SQUARE.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT OR COMPRESSED ASPHALT TILES, CERTAIN WALKS IN THE RIVERSIDE PARK, BETWEEN SEVENTY-SECOND AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREETS.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately.

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

- NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.
- 1,140 square yards old pavement to relay.
- 860 square yards new granite-block pavement to furnish and lay.
- 60 square feet old bridge-stones to relay.
- 828 square feet new bridge-stones to furnish and lay.
- 150 linear feet old curb-stones to reset.
- 102 linear feet six-inch new blue-stone curb, straight on face, to furnish and set.
- 247 linear feet six-inch new blue-stone curb, curved on face, including circular corners, to furnish and set.
- 1 receiving-basin to be rebuilt.
- 20 linear feet twelve-inch vitrified stoneware pipe in culvert, to furnish and lay.
- 6,000 square feet rock asphalt pavement, with rubble-stone foundation for walks, to furnish and lay.
- 225 linear feet old blue-stone edging for walks to reset.
- 155 linear feet fourteen-inch new blue-stone edging, two inches thick, curved on face, to furnish and set.

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

The time so allowed refers to consecutive working days and not to the aggregate time of such Inspectors as may be appointed on the work, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

33,000 square feet of pavement.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be THIRTY-THREE DAYS, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for non-completion will be fixed at FOUR DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire works to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the works 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 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 ten days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

N. B.—The 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 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 proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder 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,
NATHAN STRAUS,
PAUL DANA,
ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 2, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING SEVENTY-FIVE DUMPING CARTS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING Seventy-five Dumping Carts will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, Stewart Building, until 12 o'clock M., of the 14th day of September, 1891, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioner.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Department of Street Cleaning, indorsed "Estimate for Building Seventy-five Dumping Carts," 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 penal sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination 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.

2. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Street Cleaning, 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, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which said Corporation or the Department of Street Cleaning 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 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 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 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.

The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to reject all bids received for any particular work, if he deems it for the best interest of the City.

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Chief Clerk, at the offices of the Department, No. 280 Broadway, New York.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1891.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1891.

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 Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, September 17, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR READJUSTING CURB-STONE AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET, between Third and Courtlandt avenues.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APURTANCES IN WALES AVENUE, from summit south of One Hundred and Forty-ninth to Kelly street, and in Kelly street easterly to existing sewer.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, between Third avenue and Vanderbilt avenue, East.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, between Brook and Third avenues.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT AND LAYING CROSSWALKS ON ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from the easterly crosswalk of Brook avenue to the westerly crosswalk of the Southern Boulevard.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between the easterly crosswalk of Brook avenue and the westerly crosswalk of Cypress avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, between Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

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

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

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

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

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards 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 other information desired, can be obtained at this office.

LOUIS J. HEINTZ,
Commissioner of Street Improvements,
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

SUPREME COURT.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and 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. 51 Chambers street, in said city, on or before the 8th day of October, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 8th day of October, 1891, 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 10th day of October, 1891.

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 southern line of Fordham road, easterly (1) by the centre line of the block bounded by Cedar avenue, Cammann street and Fordham road, prolonged to the centre line of a certain unnamed street south of Cammann street; thence easterly along said centre line to the centre line of the block south of said unnamed street and between Cedar avenue and Sedgwick avenue; (2) by this last-mentioned centre line to the southern boundary line of the same block; thence westerly along said southern boundary line to the eastern line of Cedar avenue; (3) by the said eastern line of Cedar avenue to the southern line of the street south of the park, between Cedar avenue and Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly along said southern line to the centre line of the block south of same park; (4) by the last-mentioned centre line to about the central point of said block; thence easterly along a line drawn from this point to the western line of Sedgwick avenue; (5) by the western line of Sedgwick avenue to the southern limit of Cedar avenue; southerly (1) by the said southern limit of Cedar avenue prolonged to the centre line of Riverview Terrace; thence northerly along the said centre line to the easterly prolongation of the centre line of the block between Powell place and a certain unnamed street to the north thereof; (2) by the said prolongation line to the centre line of the block between Cedar avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue to the west thereof; westerly, by the centre line of the block between Cedar avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue to the west thereof and by the centre line of the blocks between Cedar avenue and Harlem River Terrace; 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 22d day of October, 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, August 27, 1891.
LEWIS J. CONLAN, Chairman,
THOMAS DUNLAP,
LEICESTER HOLME,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 18th day of September, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Walnut avenue, distant 203.85 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the eastern line of Walnut avenue;

- 1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Walnut avenue for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90° to the left, for 350.00 feet, to the western line of Locust avenue;
- 3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Locust avenue for 60 feet;
- 4th. Thence westerly for 350 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Southern Boulevard, distant 231.4 feet southwesterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard;

- 1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Southern Boulevard for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 120° 02' 30" to the left for 925.00 feet;
- 3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 8° 22' 53" to the right for 409.55 feet to the western line of Walnut avenue;
- 4th. Thence northerly, along the western line of Walnut avenue for 60 feet;
- 5th. Thence southerly, deflecting 90° to the left for 473.94 feet;
- 6th. Thence westerly for 894.90 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Locust avenue to Southern Boulevard, is designated a street of the first-class and is 60 feet wide.

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

Dated NEW YORK, August 18, 1891.
WM. H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and 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. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 20th day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 20th day of September, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of September, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Cammann street and Fordham road and the northwesterly prolongation of the southerly side of Fordham road; easterly by the centre line of the block between Cammann street and Sedgwick avenue to its intersection with the centre line of the block between Cammann street and a certain unnamed street to the south thereof; thence westerly along the last mentioned centre line to the centre line of Cedar avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of Cedar avenue to the centre line of the block bounded by Cammann street, Cedar avenue and Harlem River Terrace; southerly by the said centre line at the block bounded by Cammann street, Cedar avenue and Harlem River Terrace; westerly by the easterly side of Harlem River Terrace; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of October, 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, August 15, 1891.
THOMAS E. GRACE, Chairman,
JOSEPH H. STINER,
THOMAS P. FITZSIMONS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and 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. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the twenty-sixth day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said twenty-sixth day of September, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of September, 1891.

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 side of Fordham road; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Harlem River Terrace and Cedar avenue; southerly by the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of Cedar avenue to the centre line of the block between Harlem River Terrace and a certain unnamed street to the west of Harlem River Terrace; westerly by the said centre line of the blocks between Harlem River Terrace and a certain unnamed street to the west of Harlem River Terrace, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of October, 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, August 15, 1891.
JOHN D. NEWMAN, Chairman,
CHARLES E. SIMMS, Jr.,
SIDNEY HARRIS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and 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. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 12th day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 12th day of September, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 14th day of September, 1891.

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 Mosholu Parkway; easterly by the westerly line of Webster avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between Brookline street and Kingsbridge road, and Marion avenue and Webster avenue; westerly by the easterly line of Marion 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 30th day of September, 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, July 29, 1891.
WILLIAM F. STILLINGS, Chairman,
GILBERT M. SPIER, Jr.,
Commissioners.

MATHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to FOREST AVENUE, extending from the southerly side of Home street to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners,

occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and 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. 51 Chambers street, in said city, on or before the first day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said first day of September, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the second day of September, 1891.

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.: Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly side of Boston road and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets to the centre line of the blocks between Tinton and Union avenues; thence southerly along said centre line of the blocks between Tinton and Union avenues to the centre line of the blocks between Home and George streets; thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Home and George streets to the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Tinton avenues; thence southerly along the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Tinton avenues to the centre line of the blocks between George and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between George and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets to the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Jackson avenues; thence northerly along the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Jackson avenues to the centre line of the block between George and Home streets; thence westerly along the last mentioned centre line to the centre line of Jackson avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Jackson avenue to the easterly side of Boston road; thence northeasterly along the easterly side of Boston road to the point or place of beginning; 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 fifteenth day of September, 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, July 20, 1891.
JAMES MITCHELL, Chairman,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
LEICESTER HOLME,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR GRADING, IMPROVING AND FENCING THE GROUNDS AT SEVERAL OF THE shafts of the New Croton Aqueduct; also for grading, improving and fencing the grounds of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street Gate-house of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, September 23, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award for doing said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

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

NEW AQUEDUCT.

NEW AQUEDUCT, RESERVOIR D.
SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 and chapter 195 of the Laws of 1887, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under the acts.

To all persons interested in this proceeding:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE REPORT of the above-mentioned Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed herein on July 19, 1890, which report was filed in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County, at the Court-house in the Village of White Plains, in said County, on July 27, 1891, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of Putnam County, at his office in the Village of Carmel, in said County, on July 27, 1891, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in the City of Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on September 19, 1891, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated NEW YORK, August 20, 1891.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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