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LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending April 3, 1897:
The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

| COURT. | REGIS-TER FOLIO. | WHEN COM-MENCED. | TITLE OF ACTION. | NATURE OF ACTION. |
|---------|------------------|------------------|--|---|
| City | 54 329 | Mar. 29 | Conlan, Bernard | For rebate of excise license fee, \$94.86. |
| " | 54 329 | " 29 | Beck, Herman | do do 108.80. |
| " | 54 330 | " 29 | Hinchey, James | do do 175.64. |
| " | 54 330 | " 29 | Korndorfer, Louis | do do 109.15. |
| " | 54 331 | " 29 | Meusch, Philip | do do 163.23. |
| " | 54 331 | " 29 | Schnatz, Jacob | do do 264.43. |
| " | 54 332 | " 29 | Spitzer, Joseph | do do 698.37. |
| " | 54 332 | " 29 | Seligman, Louis L. | do do 516.62. |
| " | 54 333 | " 29 | Wolf, Anthony | do do 78.32. |
| Supreme | 54 333 | " 29 | Schmidt, Louis | do do 173.28. |
| " | 54 334 | " 29 | Knoop, John H. | do do 111.16. |
| " | 54 335 | " 29 | Barnett, Louis | do do 14.24. |
| " | 53 301 | " 29 | Cohn, Maurice | do do 34.42. |
| " | 53 302 | " 29 | Ninth National Bank (ex rel.) vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller, etc. | Mandamus to compel respondent to allow relator to redeem certain premises in Town of Westchester from tax sale. |
| " | 53 303 | " 29 | Mann, Oscar | For services as Laborer at Armory of First Battery, from Aug. 10 to 31, 1896, \$44. |
| " | 53 304 | " 29 | Martini, Edward H. | For services as Laborer at Armory of First Battery, from Sept. 1 to Dec. 31, 1896, \$244. |
| " | 53 305 | " 29 | Hadden, Alexander, vs. Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works, etc. | To restrain defendants from granting permit to open streets to convert railroad into an electric railroad. |
| " | 53 306 | " 29 | Hadden, Alexander, vs. the Metropolitan Street Railway Co. vs. Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works, etc., Metropolitan Street Railway Co. | To restrain defendants from granting permit to open streets to convert railroad into an electric railroad. |
| " | 53 307 | " 29 | Hadden, Alexander, vs. Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works, etc., Metropolitan Street Railway Co. and Ninth Avenue Railway Co. | To restrain defendants from granting permit to open streets to convert railroad into an electric railroad. |
| " | 53 308 | " 29 | Second Avenue Railroad Co. | Summons only served. |
| " | 53 309 | " 30 | Rogers, Robert, vs. William L. Strong et al., Commissioners of the Sinking Fund | To restrain selling or leasing of a ferry, from bet. Piers 2 and 3 East river, space row set aside for canal-boats. |
| " | 53 310 | " 30 | Casio, Bertha, by Barret Casio, her guardian ad litem | Damages for personal injuries received May 2, 1896, by being struck by a wagon in front of No. 163 Suffolk st., \$10,000. |
| " | 53 311 | " 30 | Meehan, Elizabeth, vs. John Foley and the Mayor, etc. | To restrain payment of judgment for \$386.05, entered Feb. 9, 1897, against the Mayor, etc., in favor of John Foley, as executor. |
| " | 53 313 | " 30 | Ludwig, Margaret, vs. William J. Reilly, the Mayor, etc., et al. | To foreclose a mortgage. |
| " | 53 312 | " 30 | Wildman, Henry Valentine | For services as medical expert at request of District Attorney, \$500. |
| " | 54 338 | " 30 | Blaurock, Elise | For rebate of excise license fee, \$30.41. |
| " | 54 338 | " 30 | Fuchs, Christian W. | do do 16.44. |
| " | 54 339 | " 30 | Friedman, Charles | do do 43.74. |
| " | 54 339 | " 30 | Grosner, Louis | do do 35.61. |
| " | 54 340 | " 30 | Jonas, Jonas | do do 64.24. |
| " | 54 340 | " 30 | Kahn, Meyer | do do 105.02. |
| " | 54 341 | " 30 | Myres, Rudolph M. | do do 29.11. |
| " | 54 341 | " 30 | Myres, Max M. | do do 58.22. |
| " | 54 342 | " 30 | Myres, Aaron | do do 95.38. |
| " | 54 342 | " 30 | O'Hare, Edward W. | do do 18.85. |
| " | 54 343 | " 30 | Wolf, Ike | do do 107.12. |
| " | 54 343 | " 30 | Courtney, Margaret | do do 159.59. |
| " | 54 344 | " 30 | McCarthy, Patrick | do do 3.84. |
| " | 54 344 | " 30 | Klein, Edward | do do 169.37. |
| " | 54 345 | " 30 | Fred. Schierenback Bottling Co. | do do 78.36. |
| " | 54 335 | " 30 | Ehret, George (No. 4) | do do 199.97. |
| " | 54 336 | " 30 | Ruppert, Jacob (No. 8) | do do 334.79. |
| " | 54 336 | " 30 | F. & M. Schaefer Brewing Co. (No. 8) | do do 201.65. |
| " | 54 337 | " 30 | Pernheimer, Simon E., and ano. | do do 638.09. |
| " | 54 337 | " 30 | Feldmann, John D. | do do 46.03. |
| " | 53 320 | " 31 | Stoffel, August | For services as Tinsmith and Keeper at Blackwell's Island, Oct. May 3, 1893, and Oct. 31, 1895, \$4,376. |
| " | 53 321 | " 31 | Ledwith, James | For services as Stone-cutter and Keeper, bet. Aug. 12, 1891, and Nov. 1, 1895, \$6,582. |
| " | 53 322 | " 31 | O'Brien, Cornelius | For services as Carpenter and Keeper, from Mar. 1, 1889, to Mar. 2, 1894, \$7,774. |
| City | 53 319 | Apr. 1 | Ladies' Deborah Nursery (Matter of) | Application for voluntary dissolution. |
| " | 53 317 | " 1 | Walsh, Patrick | Summons only served. |
| Supreme | 53 318 | " 1 | Stanton, Lucius M. (Matter of) | For an award made in the matter of opening Naegle ave. |
| " | 53 315 | " 1 | Cody, Bridget A. | Damages for personal injuries received on north side of Madison st., in front of No. 51, \$10,000. |
| " | 53 316 | " 1 | Osborne, Thomas W. | For services transcribing stenographer's notes of testimony in criminal cases for District Attorney, \$37.50. |
| " | 54 345 | " 1 | Sanderson, Thomas | For salary as Building Inspector, from July 6 to Nov. 23, 1894, \$420. |
| " | 54 346 | " 1 | Field, Walter F. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$26.30. |
| " | 54 346 | " 1 | Sickels, Charles R. | do do 150.83. |
| " | 54 346 | " 1 | Bleyer, Christina | do do 77.26. |
| " | 54 347 | " 1 | Hawley, William E. | do do 14.79. |
| " | 54 347 | " 1 | Broder, Henry | do do 62.47. |
| " | 54 348 | " 1 | Roberts, Benjamin B. | do do 12.06. |
| " | 54 348 | " 1 | Columbo, Bonifacio | do do 73.97. |
| " | 54 349 | " 1 | Ellis, Amos | do do 82.75. |
| " | 54 350 | " 1 | Late, George W. | do do 78.01. |
| " | 54 350 | " 1 | Sink, Edward | do do 111.80. |
| " | 54 351 | " 1 | Frank, Edward | do do 59.73. |
| " | 54 351 | " 1 | Mackay, William C. | do do 30.69. |
| " | 54 352 | " 1 | Marks, Joel | do do 90.98. |
| " | 54 352 | " 1 | Edmunds, Charles H. | do do 147.24. |
| " | 54 353 | " 1 | Kraemer, Benjamin M. | do do 102.84. |
| " | 54 353 | " 1 | Gerring, George L. | do do 57.74. |
| " | 54 354 | " 1 | Galligan, Bernard | do do 93.74. |
| " | 54 354 | " 1 | McQuade, Edmund | do do 13.87. |
| " | 54 355 | " 1 | Ahern, Edward | do do 19.94. |
| " | 54 355 | " 1 | Greenfield, Jacob | do do 51.00. |
| " | 54 356 | " 1 | Ackerman, George | do do 11.00. |
| " | 54 357 | " 1 | Vette, Maurice | do do 39.90. |
| " | 54 357 | " 1 | Weber, Charles J. | do do 18.57. |
| " | 54 357 | " 1 | Yanzky, Emanuel M. | do do 55.75. |
| " | 54 358 | " 1 | Stern, Perkins | do do 89.44. |
| " | 54 358 | " 1 | Bachman Brewing Co. | do do 167.12. |
| " | 54 358 | " 1 | Eden Musee American Co., Limited | do do 109.32. |
| " | 54 359 | " 1 | Ryan, Thomas | do do 110.12. |
| " | 54 359 | " 1 | S. Liebmann's Sons Brewing Co. | do do 64.12. |
| " | 54 360 | " 1 | Green, William E. | do do 77.57. |
| " | 54 361 | " 2 | Walsh, William | do do 38.31. |
| " | 54 361 | " 2 | Cannon, John | do do 22.21. |
| " | 54 362 | " 2 | Hennessey, James | do do 140.45. |
| " | 54 362 | " 2 | Vom Hofe, Richard | do do 63.70. |
| " | 54 362 | " 2 | Curley, Bridget | do do 181.54. |
| " | 54 363 | " 2 | Hoffman, John | do do 21.64. |
| " | 54 363 | " 2 | Lennon, Peter | do do 151.33. |
| " | 54 364 | " 2 | Masterson, Frank | do do 105.00. |
| " | 54 364 | " 2 | Matthews, Bessie | do do 19.72. |
| " | 53 324 | " 2 | Barry, Thomas | For amount alleged to be due under contract for regulating, etc., 161st. st., bet. Gerard and Jerome aves., \$23,337. |
| City | 53 326 | " 3 | Mezzacapo, Joseph, vs. George S. Chapman | Damages for false arrest and imprisonment Mar. 5, 1897, \$2,000. |

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| Supreme | 53 325 | Apr. 3 | Armory Board (Matter of the application) vs. Lucy Horton Drexel et al. | Application for trial of issues in the matter of armory site on southerly side of 66th st., bet. Columbus ave. and Central Park, West. |
| " | 53 327 | " 3 | Valentine, Mitchell | To recover amount of assessments paid in the matter of regulating, etc., 1st ave., from 92d to 129th st., \$4,719.50. |
| " | 53 328 | " 3 | Smith, Samuel W. B., vs. Charles H. T. Collis et al. | To restrain interference with plaintiff in placing and maintaining grating over area at premises Nos. 116 and 118 West 116th st. |
| " | 54 366 | " 3 | Greenfield, Harry | For rebate of excise license fee, \$51.23. |
| " | 54 366 | " 3 | Saggan, Otto | do do 44.12. |
| " | 54 367 | " 3 | Brodie, Stephen | do do 154.58. |
| " | 54 367 | " 3 | O'Brien, John | do do 73.42. |
| " | 54 368 | " 3 | Spies, Charles | do do 94.73. |
| " | 54 368 | " 3 | Scharmann, H. B., & Sons | do do 86.58. |
| " | 54 369 | " 3 | Nason, Samuel | do do 107.42. |
| " | 54 369 | " 3 | Romer, John D., as assignee, etc. | do do 108.35. |
| " | 54 370 | " 3 | Wunschmann, Joseph | do do 180.13. |
| " | 53 323 | " 3 | Barry, Thomas | For amount due under contract for furnishing and laying water-mains in 42d and other streets, \$46.07. |

SCHEDULE "B."—JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

People ex rel. Albert A. Jordan vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Order and enrollment entered reversing the order appealed from and directing the reinstatement of the relator with \$234.50 costs and disbursements.

Matter of the One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth street school site—Order entered appointing James E. Chandler, George Carlton Comstock and Arthur Ingraham Commissioners of Estimate.

Matter of One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets school site—Order entered appointing Lewis L. Delafield, Conrad Harres and John J. Townsend Commissioners of Estimate.

Matter of One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets school site—Order entered appointing Edward L. Parris, John Ford and William H. Barker Commissioners of Estimate.

Matter of East Twenty-eighth street school site—Order entered appointing Quincy Ward Boese, J. Fairfax McLaughlin, Jr., and George N. Messiter Commissioners of Estimate.

Matter of the Columbine street school site—Order entered appointing Bankson T. Morgan, James S. Allen and Pierre V. B. Hoes Commissioners of Estimate.

Matter of Audubon avenue school site—Order entered appointing Edward L. Patterson, David D. Stevens and William M. Lawrence Commissioners of Estimate.

Matter of Wadsworth avenue school site—Order entered appointing George C. Austin, Willis Holly and W. Harris Roome Commissioners of Estimate.

Matter of Great Jones street Fire Department site—Order entered appointing Lawrence Godkin, J. Thomas Sterns and Robert Sturges Commissioners of Estimate.

People ex rel. Patrick Shovlin vs. Charles H. T. Collis—Order entered sustaining demurrer with leave to relator to amend on payment of costs.

Maria W. Dittmar (two actions)—Orders entered discontinuing the actions without costs.

People ex rel. John A. Williams vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered discontinuing the proceeding without cost.

Bernard McGill—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$80.60 costs.

Joseph Koch—Judgment on remittur entered in favor of the City and for \$139.85 costs and disbursements.

August Kirchner—Judgment entered directing distribution of the fund.

Walter R. White—Order of affirmation entered on demurrer, but with leave to the plaintiff to amend complaint on payment of costs.

Alfred Booth—Order entered discontinuing the action as to certain defendants.

Edward Fox—Order of affirmation entered on remittur.

The Mayor, etc., vs. James Kearney et al., Executors—Judgment entered in favor of the City for \$1,556.06.

Town of Pelham—Order of reference entered to Edward D. O'Brien, Esq.

Matter of the Voluntary Dissolution of the Ladies' Deborah Nursery—Order entered appointing Sol. L. Kaye, Esq., temporary receiver.

F. Hopkins or Smith and another—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

People ex rel. Louis L. Bartlett vs. Charles H. T. Collis—Order entered discontinuing the proceeding without cost.

People ex rel. Edward Bacon vs. The Board of Park Commissioners—Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus.

The Sun Printing and Publishing Company—Order and judgment of affirmation entered on remittur in favor of the Rapid Transit Commissioners and for \$376.12 costs.

Judgments were entered in favor of the following plaintiffs: Abel Louvet, \$162.97; William A. Gardner, \$110.44; Thomas A. Joyce, \$40.46; Max Steiner, \$41.73; Max Steiner, \$44.82; Max Steiner, \$58.13; William Taylor and another, \$59.75; Louis L. Todd, \$81.12; Samuel Gullinek, \$87.19; William C. Muschenheim, \$90.16; Max Steiner, \$96.47; William Weik, \$99.40; Harry P. Whittaker, executor, etc., \$85.30; Harry P. Whittaker, executor, etc., \$105.78; Frank Rose, \$104.40; Samuel F. Burns, \$150.98; William G. Leland, \$163.32; Ernest Kram, \$189.52; William Sasse, \$193.87; Pasquale Cardulli, \$199.88; Max Steiner, \$203.32; Harris Rosen, \$206.22; August Marchand, \$24.66; Charles Meehan, \$28.85; Henry W. Thramann, \$44.24; James Corbusier, \$62.56; Andrew Kehoe, \$67.05; Thomas Morris, \$76.85; Herman Grother, \$78.55; Cord D. Degenhardt, \$87.73; Charles Welge, \$82.27; A. Suesskind & Co., \$89.58; Christian Blank, \$91.23; Bernhard Goldman, \$93.95; Jeffrey Emerie, \$95.32; Michael Guntz, \$101.16; Lucien Le Collen, \$105.76; Jeremiah Kelly, \$161.17; Peter Stedroth, \$166.15; Henry C. Schrader, \$174.13; Cord D. Degenhardt, \$181.51; Emily Levy, \$98.27; Elmine Guldner, \$177.93; W. Jenks Merritt, \$991.25; Charles Meirisch, \$75.02; Max Kirschbaum, \$62.82; Thomas Fitzgerald, \$500; Cornelia Ray et al., \$236.80; Francis M. Jencks, \$304.07; Anchor Brewing Company, \$333.02; John Bollwinckel, \$261.90; Max Stiner, \$157.01; Ernest F. W. Bunge, \$126.24; Robert Yates, \$120.63; Charles Bohling, \$100.82; Patrick McCue, \$86.71; Jacob Born, \$59.92; John Doscher, \$26.98; Jean Strung, \$190.85; Harold Appleton, \$58.95; Aaron Appleton, \$86.45; Lincoln D. Brown, \$40.57; August W. Brann, \$74.59; Louis Braun, \$180.51; Clara Bonai Donai, \$31.98; Henry Beerman, \$60.61; Thomas W. Byrnes, \$102.92; John Corrigan, \$28.14; James Cohn, \$38.05; Eugene Davis, \$71.30; Frederick W. Dierks, \$72.70; Carlisle Davidson, \$78.72; James Duffy, \$109; Julius F. Dierks, \$128.29; Lizzie Estherson, \$43.45; Hermania Fennivessy, \$28.14; George B. French, \$38.58; Francis D. Hawkins, Jr., \$206.65; Anna Hoflich, \$192.25; John Jaegeler, \$33.90; Gustave Kohn, \$86.50; Bernard Kommel, \$177.15; Edward Kane, \$46.17; John M. Karl, \$66.88; Carlisle Leavy, \$72.15; Milton A. Leavy, \$84.80; Max Lasker, \$109.02; Robert Lax, \$162.45; Joseph D. Maher, \$96.19; Edward P. Meagher, \$25.92; Maurice Meyers, \$69.35; Barnett Marks, \$86.98; Thomas McGoldrick, \$101.95; Joseph Murray, \$126.05; Michael Muller, \$175.72; John R. Nugent, \$131.01; Harry Newmark, \$24.83; Joseph Russell, \$54.97; Joseph Stern, \$59.07; Uffo Strackerjan, \$64.45; William Stoffreg, \$92.50; Peter Spies, \$127.18; William Turk, \$77.55; Frank J. Thornton, \$50.58; Charles E. Vaupel, \$70.01; Caroline Voytits, \$62.25; Charles F. Walter and another, \$54; Emma Worth, \$124.40; Henry Emde, \$94.54; William J. Ernst, \$64.41; Anna Hammel, \$83.58; John Hanschild, \$60; John H. Heitmann, \$93.56; David Jones Brewing Company, \$184.83; Long Island Brewery, \$541.06; Ernest Mathies, \$34.82; Angelo Soracco, \$112.62; Bertha Thomes, \$174.27; Louis L. Todd, \$82.76; John B. Martin, \$25.47; David Stevenson Brewing Company, \$3,125.61; George Ringler & Co. (No. 3), \$2,692.80; George Ringler & Co. (No. 4), \$794.17; Albert Bauman, \$191.04; Albert Bauman and another, \$120.20; Morris Lefkowitz, \$90.83; David Katzenstein, \$84.52; Herman Brandt, \$67.69; William Griffin, \$207.54; John Wendelken, \$126.75; Patrick Mahoney, \$32.66; Joseph Kugler, \$31.70; George Horn, Jr., \$22.04; Genson Rosenberg, \$82; Alexander Bernstein, \$115.05; Percy M. Sampson, \$77.88; Benjamin F. Schriesheimer, \$70.54; Charles Levy, \$62.70; John Clayton, \$49.88; Sigmund H. Schwartz, \$48.63; Morris Jaffey, \$57.16; Ernest Bodamer, \$46.96; Mortimer Bach, \$36.45; Septimus W. Granger, \$103.05; Michael Mulqueen, \$66.13; Charles H. George, \$60.45; Diederich Wist, \$200.15; Michael Fauser, \$63.91; Matthias Feucht, \$37.61; Edward W. Dalphin, \$188.30; Simon A. Strasser and another, \$169.74; Carmela Labriola, \$131.20; Arnold Grob, \$95.82; George M. Wederkind, \$68.93.

SCHEDULE "C."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

People ex rel. John Mayer vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller; People ex rel. Charles Barnett vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller; People ex rel. William J. Flynn vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller—Motions for writs of mandamus argued before Smyth, J.; decision reserved; R. S. Barlow for the City.

In the matter of charges against A. M. White—Hearing proceeded and adjourned; T. Farley for the City.

In the matter of Charles B. Buchanan—Motion to vacate judgment against delinquent juror argued before McMahon, J.; decision reserved; G. H. Cowie for the City.

Hearings Before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

Eleventh Ward Park, two hearings; Little Italy Park, one hearing; Third Avenue Bridge approaches, one hearing; Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Street Park, one hearing; St.

Nicholas Park, one hearing; Riverside Park, one hearing. C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

Hubert and Collister streets school site, three hearings; Twentieth street school site, three hearings; One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets school site, two hearings; Attorney street school site, one hearing; Seventy-sixth street school site, one hearing; West Thirtieth street school site, one hearing; Fifty-fourth street school site, one hearing; Market and Monroe streets school site, two hearings. J. T. Malone for the City.

SCHEDULE "D."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED.

| REGIS- TER FOLIO. | COURT. | TITLE. | CAUSE OF ACTION. | CLAIM. | DATE. | HOW DONE. | REMARKS. |
|-------------------------|---------|---|--|-----------|------------------|--|---|
| 49 306 | Supreme | A. L. Smith and Lawrence Ryan | To foreclose lien to Grammar School No. 3, at No. 484 Hudson st. | \$15 42 | 1897. Mar. 22 | Order of discontinuance without costs, entered. | By consent. |
| 53 152 | " | William Geoghan | For services as Physician examining as to the mental condition of John Madden, Frank Matthews, Joseph Gallo and Stephen A. Dutton | 500 00 | " 22 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$350.00 | Without trial; upon offer. |
| 53 183 | " | David Wilson | Assigned claim of Paul Jaegle, as laborer in Armory, 2d Battery, National Guard, from July 1, 1896, to Dec. 31, 1896 | 368 00 | " 22 | do do 368.00 | do do |
| 49 9 | " | People ex rel. Christopher Farrel vs. The Civil Service Board of the City of New York | Mandamus to compel placing of name of relator on register of candidates eligible for appointment as Examiner in Finance Department | | " 22 | Order dismissing appeal, entered | By consent. |
| 47 313 | " | Gertrude R. Waldo | To declare void assessment for regulating, etc., 1st ave. and to recover \$198.90 | 198 90 | " 22 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$210.79 | Without trial; upon offer. |
| 47 179 | " | William Hayes and ano. | To declare void assessment for regulating, etc., 1st ave. and to recover \$2,253 | 2,253 00 | " 23 | do do 2,407.89 | do do |
| 52 287 | " | Henry Murphy | For payment of award made for premises in 47th st., taken for a school site | 8,000 00 | " 23 | do do 8,255.50 | do do |
| 53 175 | " | John F. Erdman | For services as Examiner in Lunacy examining Thomas Dwyer, William Skillicone, Charles Wilson and Carrie Daze | 200 00 | " 23 | do do 200.00 | do do |
| 52 286 | " | Thomas Markey | For payment of award for premises in 47th st., taken for school purposes | 8,250 00 | " 23 | do do 8,512.83 | do do |
| 53 191 | " | Guido Katzenmeyer | For services as Examiner in Lunacy examining Thomas Dwyer, William Skillicone, Charles Wilson and Carrie Daze | 200 00 | " 23 | do do 200.00 | do do |
| 45 298 | " | Edward C. Sheehy | To declare void assessment for regulating, etc., 1st ave. and to recover \$3,179.59 | 3,179 59 | " 23 | do do 3,751.92 | do do |
| 44 520 | " | Lawrence P. Farley | Damages for personal injuries in being thrown down from a wagon while driving in Broome st. | 10,000 00 | " 23 | do do 9,000.00 | do do |
| 48 469 | " | James A. Brady | Balance claimed as due on judgment obtained and withheld by the Comptroller | 1,530 00 | " 23 | do do 412.64 | do do |
| 48 459 | " | In the matter of the Board of Education | To acquire title to premises on north side of 93d st. for a school site | | " 24 | Copy report and order confirming same sent to Comptroller. Awards, \$52,257; costs, \$4,863.62 | Hearings held before Commissioners. |
| 53 216 | " | The People ex rel. Albert Hurdas vs. Sohmer | To compel respondent to accept and record a certain lease | | " 24 | Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus | Argued before Smyth, J. |
| 51 469 | " | George Ehret | For rebate of excise license fee | 15,250 41 | " 24 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$15,337.16 | Upon offer; no defence. |
| 51 475 | " | India Wharf Brewing Co. | do do | 2,913 30 | " 24 | do do 2,931.84 | do do |
| 51 453 | " | David Mayer Brewing Co. | do do | 2,295 34 | " 24 | do do 2,318.02 | do do |
| 51 457 | " | Simon E. Bernheimer et al. | do do | 1,153 97 | " 24 | do do 1,164.08 | do do |
| 51 456 | " | William Peter Brewing Co. | do do | 641 98 | " 24 | do do 647.15 | do do |
| 51 458 | " | The F. & M. Schaefer Brewing Co. | do do | 660 69 | " 24 | do do 665.53 | do do |
| 51 436 | " | William Peter Brewing Co. | do do | 543 55 | " 24 | do do 538.53 | do do |
| 51 457 | " | Jacob Ruppert | do do | 502 33 | " 24 | do do 506.79 | do do |
| 51 437 | " | Herman Weber | do do | 354 78 | " 24 | do do 357.11 | do do |
| 51 456 | " | Conrad Stein | do do | 343 02 | " 24 | do do 345.84 | do do |
| 51 476 | " | Daniel Brubacher | do do | 101 92 | " 24 | do do 102.04 | do do |
| 51 516 | " | Friedrich Jacobi | do do | 85 00 | " 24 | do do 107.63 | do do |
| 51 293 | " | Pincus Pinkert | do do | 27 90 | " 24 | do do 47.49 | do do |
| 52 398 | " | John Wynne vs. Bernard Mahon et al. | For services as Inspector of Work relaying pavement over culvert, Amsterdam ave. | 72 00 | " 25 | Order entered discontinuing action without costs | By consent. |
| 51 140 | " | Jerome Finn | For rebate of excise license fee | 51 11 | " 25 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$71.81 | Upon offer; no defence. |
| 51 385 | " | John Needles | do do | 159 58 | " 25 | do do 167.86 | do do |
| 42 488 | " | John J. McNamara | Balance of salary as Inspector of Masonry, New Aqueduct, from June 11, 1887, to Feb. 14, 1890 | 652 50 | " 25 | Entered judgment on remittitur from Court of Appeals affirming judgment of dismissal | Argued at Court of Appeals. |
| 47 341 | " | Peter Kelly | Damages for personal injuries caused by falling in hole on sidewalk on north side of 116th st., bet. 2th and St. Nicholas aves. | 5,000 00 | " 25 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$998.50 | Upon offer; without trial. |
| 53 158 | " | William B. Noyes | For services as Examiner in Lunacy rendered in examining Thomas Sullivan and Henry Lyons | 100 00 | " 25 | do do 100.00 | do do |
| 53 159 | " | Pearce Bailey | For services as Examiner in Lunacy rendered in examining Thomas Sullivan and Henry Lyons | 100 00 | " 25 | do do 100.00 | do do |
| 50 29 | " | The Apartment Hotel Co. | To recover amount paid in excess for assessment on property for regulating, etc., Broadway, from 32d to 59th st. | 2,500 00 | " 25 | do do 2,698.48 | Appeal to Appellate Division withdrawn. |
| 54 46 | " | Charles Bohling | For rebate of excise license fee | 67 28 | " 25 | Order entered consolidating actions with one bill of costs | Upon consent. |
| 54 75 | " | do | do do | 13 12 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 54 49 | " | Ernest F. W. Bunge | do do | 91 90 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 54 75 | " | do | do do | 43 07 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 54 45 | " | John Bullwinkel | do do | 75 48 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 54 50 | " | do | do do | 164 40 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 54 47 | " | Malcom Brewing Co. | do do | 18 05 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 54 47 | " | do | do do | 143 00 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 54 48 | " | do | do do | 78 76 | " 25 | do do | do do |
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| 54 48 | " | do | do do | 10 69 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 54 48 | " | do | do do | 168 51 | " 25 | do do | do do |
| 52 151 | " | People ex rel. Lickman vs. The Police Commissioners | Mandamus to compel Commissioners to receive relator's certificate of nomination as Member of Assembly for 14th Assembly District | | " 25 | Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus | Argued before Beekman, J. |
| 47 440 | " | Anna Heald | Damages for personal injuries received at crossing 1st ave. and 17th st., by falling on snow and ice | 10,000 00 | " 25 | Entered judgment in favor of City on the verdict and for \$123.10 costs | Tried before Dugro, J., and jury. |
| 53 23 | " | Arthur D. De Long et al. | For award for premises taken for East Broadway, Scamnel, Henry and Gouverneur sts. school site | 27,500 00 | " 26 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$28,251.19 | Upon offer; no defence. |
| 54 34 | " | Jacob Backoff | For rebate of excise license fee | 14 85 | " 26 | do do 32.58 | do do |
| 51 379 | " | Anton Schlett | do do | 142 44 | " 26 | do do 160.67 | do do |
| 51 321 | " | George Colwell | do do | 395 62 | " 26 | do do 336.12 | do do |
| 54 83 | " | Claude Berhollet | do do | 159 44 | " 26 | do do 189.12 | do do |
| 54 66 | " | F. & M. Schaefer Brewing Co. | do do | 153 34 | " 26 | do do 156.26 | do do |
| 54 66 | " | Monroe Eckstein Brewing Co. | do do | 670 65 | " 26 | do do 675.62 | do do |
| 51 514 | " | John Grieshaber | do do | 26 85 | " 26 | do do 44.10 | do do |
| 51 515 | " | Annie Kellner | do do | 64 65 | " 26 | do do 81.90 | do do |
| 51 515 | " | Martin Nagle | do do | 82 73 | " 26 | do do 99.98 | do do |
| 51 515 | " | Brono Enssner | do do | 110 12 | " 26 | do do 127.37 | do do |
| 51 512 | " | Rosie Brinckmann | do do | 87 12 | " 26 | do do 104.37 | do do |
| 54 90 | " | Peter M. Olmeis | do do | 288 12 | " 26 | do do 318.27 | do do |
| 54 84 | " | Matthaus Jost | do do | 154 11 | " 26 | do do 178.48 | do do |
| 51 320 | " | William Rippey | do do | 373 96 | " 26 | do do 407.40 | do do |
| 54 34 | " | John R. Berbling | do do | 157 46 | " 26 | do do 175.19 | do do |
| 51 323 | " | George W. Seimes | do do | 261 09 | " 26 | do do 310.54 | do do |
| 51 95 | " | John Welz and ano. | do do | 96 57 | " 26 | do do 119.92 | do do |
| 54 65 | " | India Wharf Brewing Co. | do do | 176 02 | " 26 | do do 176.97 | do do |
| 54 65 | " | George Ehret | do do | 1,032 53 | " 26 | do do 1,036.04 | do do |
| 54 64 | " | Beadle-ton & Woerz | do do | 1,468 77 | " 26 | do do 1,474.70 | do do |
| 51 466 | " | Henry Meyerderks and ano. | do do | 91 66 | " 26 | do do 113.12 | do do |
| 51 513 | " | Celestin Baecher | do do | 158 21 | " 26 | do do 175.46 | do do |
| 51 513 | " | Morton B. Lawrence | do do | 95 88 | " 26 | do do 113.13 | do do |
| 51 512 | " | Phillip Bunn | do do | 54 79 | " 26 | do do 72.04 | do do |
| 54 78 | " | Henry Keimuller | do do | 168 50 | " 26 | do do 193.45 | do do |
| 51 505 | " | Edward Graef | do do | 77 25 | " 26 | do do 99.49 | do do |
| 54 77 | " | William Ispiegel | do do | 64 48 | " 26 | do do 85.06 | do do |
| 50 336 | " | George C. Groller | To recover amount paid for assessment, Morris ave., regulating and grading | 150 17 | " 26 | Order of discontinuance without costs entered | By consent. |
| 53 166 | " | Peter P. McLaughlin | For services as Stenographer, Court of General Sessions, 1st Oct. to 31st Dec., 1896 | 128 20 | " 26 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$128.20 | Upon offer; without trial. |
| 47 484 | " | People ex rel. Albert A. Jordan vs. | Certiorari to review dismissal of relator from Police Force | | " 26 | Order on remittitur directing reinstatement of relator entered | Argued at Court of Appeals. |
| 53 189 | " | Maria W. Dittmar | To foreclose mechanic's lien | 1,016 57 | " 30 | Order of discontinuance without costs entered | By consent. |
| 53 196 | " | do | Summons only served | | " 30 | do do | do do |
| 53 333 | " | People ex rel. John A. Williams vs. Police Board | Certiorari to review dismissal of relator from Police Force | | " 30 | do do | do do |
| 49 461 | " | Joseph Koch | Salary as Police Justice for quarter ending Oct. 1, 1895 | 2,000 00 | " 30 | Judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the City on the remittitur and for costs | Argued at the Court of Appeals. |
| 52 398 | " | John Wynne vs. Bernard Mahon et al. | For services as Inspector of Work relaying pavement over culvert in Amsterdam ave. | 72 00 | " 30 | Order of discontinuance, without costs, entered | By consent. |
| 54 138 | " | Charles W. Calkin | For rebate of excise license fee | 177 84 | " 30 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$94.38 | Upon offer; no defence. |
| 54 140 | " | George Grueling and ano. | do do | 177 14 | " 30 | do do 193.64 | do do |
| 54 140 | " | Thomas Kiernan | do do | 176 44 | " 30 | do do 193.01 | do do |
| 54 139 | " | Michael Dowling | do do | 160 50 | " 30 | do do 178.62 | do do |
| 54 138 | " | Michael McFarland and ano. | do do | 120 45 | " 30 | do do 113.42 | do do |
| 53 71 | " | Maria A. Munro | To recover amount of award 52d and 53d sts. school site | 1,840 00 | " 31 | do do 1,884.00 | do do |
| 52 278 | " | Herman Heidelberg | For value of clothing furnished Department of Charities for Bellevue Hospital | 1,441 00 | " 31 | do do 1,653.56 | Tried before Freedman, J., and jury. |
| 53 161 | " | The Mayor vs. James Kearney et al., exrs. | For rent of Nos. 8, 10, 12 and 14 Chambers st., Feb., March and April, 1896 | 1,466 60 | " 31 | Judgment entered in favor of City for \$1,556.05; execut on issued | No defence interposed. |
| 50 212 | " | The People ex rel. John J. O'Brien vs. The Board of Park Commissioners | Mandamus to compel the reinstatement of the relator to the position of Teamster in the Department of Public Parks | | " 31 | Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs | Argued at Appellate Division. |

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| Supreme | 43 | The People ex rel. William W. O'Connor vs. The Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the Police force. | 1897. Mar. 31 | Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs. | Argued at Appellate Division. |
| " | " | The People ex rel. Patrick W. Dwyer vs. The Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the Police force. | " 31 | Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs. | do |
| " | " | The People ex rel. Richard S. Meany vs. The Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the Police force. | " 31 | Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs. | do |
| " | " | The People ex rel. John J. Sullivan vs. The Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the Police force. | " 31 | Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs. | do |
| " | " | The People ex rel. Thomas Jefferson vs. The Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review proceedings dismissing relator from the Police force. | " 31 | Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs. | do |
| " | " | The People ex rel. Emil Kasschau vs. The Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the Police force. | " 31 | Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs. | do |
| " | " | The People ex rel. John J. Meagher vs. The Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the Police force. | " 31 | Order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs. | do |
| " | " | Annie Foley. | Damages for personal injuries alleged to have been received by falling on snow and ice on sidewalk on 14th st., bet. 8th and 9th aves. | " 31 | Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing complaint with costs. | do |
| 43 | " | Daniel Clancy. | Balance of salary as Superintendent of Dam Construction on the New Aqueduct, bet. Jan. 15, 1891, and Apr. 27, 1892. | " 31 | Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing complaint with \$107.60 costs. | Tried before Giegerich, J., and jury. |
| 47 | " | Mary A. H. Hunt. | Damages for personal injuries alleged to have been received by falling on obstruction in 117th st., bet. Lexington and Park aves. | " 31 | Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing complaint with \$115.60 costs. | Tried before Gildersleeve, J., and jury. |
| 46 | " | Philip Shelansky. | Damages for personal injuries alleged to have been received by being thrown from a truck in Montgomery st. | " 31 | Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing complaint with \$115.60 costs. | Tried before Barnard, J., and jury. |
| 49 375 | " | Jane Curry, as administratrix of Thomas Curry, deceased. | Damages for death of Thomas Curry by reason of being thrown off truck on West st. near West 12th st. | " 31 | Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing complaint and for \$128.50 costs. | Tried before Freedman, J., and jury. |
| 50 353 | " | The People ex rel. James M. Merritt vs. The New York Civil Service Board. | Mandamus to compel the Board to certify to Park Department the name of the relator as eligible for appointment as Carpenter. | " 31 | Order entered affirming order denying motion for mandamus. | Argued at Appellate Division. |
| 52 358 | " | The People ex rel. Anthony Gross, assignee of James A. Striker, etc., vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller, etc. | Mandamus to compel payment of amount of assessment paid for 12th ave. opening. | " 31 | Appellate Division order entered reversing order appealed and denying motion for mandamus. | do |
| 48 463 | " | Southern Boulevard Railroad Co. vs. People's Traction Co., The North New York City Traction Co. and Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller. | Injunction to restrain Comptroller from proceeding with sale of franchise for certain street railways in the 23d Ward. | " 31 | Judgment and order of affirmance entered. | do |
| 49 377 | " | Michael Reilly. | Damages on account of placing floating bath in front of Piers, old, 36, and new, 29, East river. | Apr. 1 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$596.43. | Without trial; upon offer. |
| 40 495 | " | F. Hopkinson Smith and ano. | To foreclose lien for paving stones furnished for paving East 14th st. | " 2 | Order entered discontinuing action as to The Mayor, etc., without costs. | By consent. |
| 53 173 | " | Frank H. Sigerson. | For services as Stenographer in insanity proceedings. | " 2 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$353.25. | Without trial; upon offer. |
| 53 190 | " | Owen J. Ward. | For services as expert in Maria Barberi insanity proceedings and trial. | " 2 | do do 700.00. | do do |
| 52 130 | " | The People ex rel. Louis L. Bartlett. | Certiorari to review removal of relator from position in Department of Public Works. | " 2 | Order entered discontinuing action without costs. | By consent. |
| 47 243 | " | John W. Powers et al. | To recover amount of assessment paid for sewers in 1st ave., bet. 92d and 100th sts. | " 3 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$1,043.37. | Without trial; upon offer. |

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending April 10, 1897:

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

| COURT. | REGIS-TER FOLIO. | WHEN COM-MENCED. | TITLE OF ACTION. | NATURE OF ACTION. |
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| Supreme | 53 331 | Apr. 5 | Valentine, Mitchell. | To recover amount of assessment paid for regulating 1st ave., from 92d to 100th st., \$479.50. |
| " | 53 329 | " 5 | O'Connor, Thomas H., as executor, etc., of Andrew Carrigan (ex rel.) vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller. | Mandamus to compel refund of assessment for opening 12th ave., bet. 110th and 116th sts., \$5,477.05. |
| " | 53 330 | " 5 | Von Post, Herman C., executor, etc., of Wm. Whitlock (ex rel.) vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller. | Mandamus to compel refund of assessment for opening 12th ave., bet. 110th and 116th sts., \$3,465. |
| " | 54 370 | " 5 | Jackson, Henry. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$103.29. |
| " | 54 371 | " 5 | Kavitt, Michael F. | do do 171.45. |
| " | 54 372 | " 5 | Kelly, William. | do do 147.46. |
| " | 54 373 | " 5 | Hart, James. | do do 97.58. |
| " | 54 374 | " 5 | Franklin, Charles. | do do 41.45. |
| " | 54 375 | " 5 | Brown, John P. | do do 63.15. |
| " | 54 376 | " 5 | Hannon, Thomas. | do do 89.91. |
| " | 54 377 | " 5 | Dwyer, Edward. | do do 50.55. |
| " | 54 378 | " 5 | McLaughlin, John A. | do do 52.46. |
| " | 54 379 | " 5 | Hartmann, Charles. | do do 140.73. |
| " | 54 380 | " 5 | Dwyer, John J. | do do 106.02. |
| " | 54 381 | " 5 | Furey, Thomas. | do do 166.67. |
| " | 54 382 | " 5 | Barry, Patrick. | do do 50.00. |
| " | 54 383 | " 5 | Marron, Patrick. | do do 152.74. |
| " | 54 384 | " 5 | Kl. bsmeier, Frederick, and ano. | do do 181.22. |
| " | 54 385 | " 5 | Russell, Jane. | do do 102.19. |
| " | 54 386 | " 5 | Bluh, Frank A. | do do 43.94. |
| " | 54 387 | " 5 | Graham, Alexander P. | do do 33.33. |
| " | 54 388 | " 5 | Reddy, Michael. | do do 18.85. |
| " | 53 332 | " 6 | Equitable Life Assurance Society | To recover amount of assessments paid for sewers in 79th and 88th sts., bet. 4th and 5th aves., \$675.34. |
| " | 53 333 | " 6 | Winters, Robert C. | For services rendered removing dirt and rubbish from 96th st., near cor. of Columbus ave., bet. Dec. 13 and 16, 1896, \$57. |
| " | 53 334 | " 6 | Hyde, Tallman P. | For services as Commissioner of Highways, of Westchester, bet. Apr. 1 and June 6, 1895, \$201. |
| " | 53 335 | " 6 | Sussman, Matilda (Matter of) | For award made in the matter of opening Grand Boulevard and Concourse, \$2,902. |
| " | 53 336 | " 6 | Dutt, John G. (Matter of) | For award made in the matter of opening Grand Boulevard and Concourse, \$1,264.60. |
| " | 53 337 | " 6 | Keelan, Peter J. (Matter of) | For award made in the matter of opening Grand Boulevard and Concourse, \$854.05. |
| " | 54 380 | " 7 | Gallagher, Edward. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$101.56. |
| " | 54 381 | " 7 | Nicholson, Alfred. | do do 154.72. |
| " | 54 382 | " 7 | Philippson, Louis H. | do do 172.81. |
| " | 54 383 | " 7 | Roell, Peter. | do do 77.07. |
| " | 54 384 | " 7 | Tracy, Annie. | do do 27.39. |
| " | 54 385 | " 7 | Leckman, Albert. | do do 85.49. |
| " | 54 386 | " 7 | Decker, Joseph H. | do do 108.29. |
| " | 54 387 | " 7 | Dielmann, Frank C. | do do 178.88. |
| " | 54 388 | " 7 | Farr, Michael. | do do 48.91. |
| " | 54 389 | " 7 | Rachow, John. | do do 12.10. |
| " | 54 390 | " 7 | Skidmore, Thomas D. | do do 158.90. |
| " | 54 391 | " 7 | Wass, Joseph H. | do do 111.10. |
| " | 54 392 | " 7 | Werner, Anthony. | do do 317.84. |
| " | 54 393 | " 7 | Boitano, Joseph D. | do do 96.80. |
| " | 54 394 | " 8 | Boylston, Martin. | do do 29.65. |
| " | 54 395 | " 8 | Munz, Gustav. | do do 36.61. |
| " | 54 396 | " 8 | Wilcox, Oscar L. | do do 94.29. |
| " | 54 397 | " 8 | Flynn, James H. | do do 41.00. |
| " | 54 398 | " 8 | Newman, Carrie H. | do do 18.98. |
| " | 54 399 | " 8 | Dreier, Adam. | do do 37.16. |
| " | 54 400 | " 8 | Kopec, Anton. | do do 99.17. |
| " | 54 401 | " 8 | Lilienthal, Mary, administratrix, etc. | do do 134.24. |
| " | 54 402 | " 8 | Kopta, Tony. | do do 139.72. |
| " | 53 341 | " 8 | Morris, John E. (ex rel.), vs. Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the force. |
| " | 53 342 | " 8 | Potter, Eugene C. (Matter of), vs. H. T. Colls, Commissioner of Public Works, The Mayor, etc., Eighth Avenue Railroad Co., The Metropolitan Street Railway Co. | To restrain granting of permit or operations thereunder to change 8th ave. railroad from horse to electrical road. |
| " | 53 343 | " 8 | Shea, John J. | Salary as Rockman and Keeper on Blackwell's Island, from Apr. 26, 1892, to Oct. 7, 1895, \$5,660. |
| " | 53 344 | " 8 | Hatch, Edward P. | For amount due on contract for carpets and furnishings furnished by request of Superintendent of Supplies and Repairs to Department of Public Works, bet. Mar. 15 and Nov. 1, 1894, \$263.76. |
| " | 53 345 | " 8 | Murray, Harold G. vs. George S. Chapman. | For alleged false arrest and imprisonment on Mar. 5, 1897, \$3,000. |

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| Supreme | 53 348 | Apr. 8 | Hadden, Alexander, vs. John Jeroloman et al., Sixth Avenue Railroad Co., Metropolitan Street Railway Co. and The Mayor, etc. | To restrain operation of railroad on Lenox ave. |
| " | 53 349 | " 9 | Eisler, Marie, vs. Eighth Avenue Railroad Co., Metropolitan Street Railway Co. and The Mayor, etc. | To restrain making of excavations in 8th ave. for converting horse railroad into electrical railroad. |
| " | 53 346 | " 9 | Lamb, James A. | For alleged disbursements made by Henry W. Gray, as Special Commissioner of Jurors, between June 1 and Dec. 31, 1896, \$23.52. |
| " | 53 347 | " 9 | New York Catholic Protectory. | For the care and maintenance of 66 children for 11,471 days, at \$110 per annum, committed from Towns of Westchester, Eastchester and Palham, \$3,457.07. |
| " | 54 392 | " 9 | Hein, Albert. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$107.96. |
| " | 54 393 | " 9 | Haas, John. | do do 86.57. |
| " | 54 394 | " 9 | Zimmermann, Karl. | do do 135.07. |
| " | 54 395 | " 10 | Baer, Abraham L. | do do 48.12. |
| " | 54 396 | " 10 | Meiner, Otto. | do do 44.29. |
| " | 54 397 | " 10 | Weine, Abraham. | do do 42.64. |
| City | 53 353 | " 10 | Bloom, Rafael, vs. Louisa Ficken and Orvil E. A. Warfield. | Damages for false arrest and imprisonment March 30, 1897, \$2,000. |
| " | 53 358 | " 10 | Oppenheimer, David E., vs. T. R. White et al. | To foreclose a mortgage. |

SCHEDULE "B."—JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

The Mayor, etc., vs. John J. Taylor and William J. Peck—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint, with costs to each defendant, and confirming defendants' title to premises and for \$1,425.49 damages.

August Kirchner—Order entered amending judgment.

People ex rel. N. Y. Real Estate Association vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Order entered dismissing the writ of certiorari, with costs to the respondents.

George H. Gardner—Order entered sustaining City's demurrer, with leave to the plaintiff to amend his complaint within twenty days upon payment of costs.

People ex rel. Patrick Bohan vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered dismissing the appeal to the Court of Appeals.

John J. McNamara—Judgment on remittitur entered in favor of the City and for \$104.10 costs.

The Mayor, etc., vs. James Kearney et al.—Judgment entered in favor of the City against all of the defendants for \$1,556.06.

Congress Brewing Company—Order entered amending complaint and judgment roll.

Margaret Kerr—Order entered denying motion to discontinue action.

Harrison T. Cronk; Edward A. Ridley; Edward C. Springmeyer et al., executors—Orders entered granting motions for preference on calendar.

George H. Gardner—Interlocutory judgment entered in favor of the City on the demurrer, with \$45 costs.

John P. Chrystal—Order entered restoring cause to the first calendar.

Walter R. White—Interlocutory judgment for affirmance entered in favor of the City, with leave to plaintiff to amend his complaint on payment of \$83.80 costs of appeal and \$55.25 costs of the Court below.

People ex rel. Thomas Donnelly vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered denying motion for mandamus, with \$10 costs.

Edward Fox—Judgment of affirmance entered on remittitur in favor of the City and for \$112.85 costs.

Jacob Feist—Appellate Division, order of affirmance entered in favor of the City without costs.

Matter of Aaron Leviton, a delinquent juror—Order entered granting a rehearing and remitting the fine.

People ex rel. Louis E. Barker vs. Commissioner of Public Works—Order entered discontinuing the proceeding without cost.

People ex rel. Peter Morgan vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Appellate Division, order entered dismissing writ of certiorari with \$50 costs and disbursements.

Maria W. Dittmar (2 actions)—Orders entered discontinuing the actions without costs.

Judgments were entered in favor of the plaintiffs in the following actions: Moritz Brodner, \$155.15; Mary A. Driscoll, \$66.63; Adolph Flisser, \$123.40; Jacob B. Grifenhagen, \$38.26; Max S. Grifenhagen, \$204.48; Harlem Casino Company, \$115.56; James T. Hall, \$163.61; Maurice Hayman, \$95.11; Bertha J. Klaus, \$100.89; John Kiernan, \$22.63; John Mangin, \$44.08; Charles Marks, \$110.21; Ernest Meyer, \$40.79; John E. McBride, \$78.18; Gustave Reaske, \$87.07; Jacob C. Rosenblum, \$44; Marcus Rosenblum, \$181.26; John G. Scharf, \$110.61; Korner & Schwabelland Company, \$123.39; Rosa Simons, \$42.17; Julius Singer, \$172.18; Gean Smith, \$43.95; David Trilling, \$179.76; Louis Tolle, \$67.73; DeWit C. Ward, \$36.94; John A. D. Wendell, \$165.91; Louis Cohn, \$81.39; Charles Otten, \$112.72; Henry Norden, \$85.88; Charles Otten, \$184.37; Hiram C. Baker, \$82.31; Henry Batjer et al., \$90.88; Martin Brauer, \$91.01; Frank L. Carr, \$65.79; Edward L. Cohen, \$79.53; Charles Cohen, \$71.25; Max Cohen, \$46.98; A. Byron Cross, \$179.74; Nathan Gutman, \$178.34; Henry Hartman, \$194.74; Adolph Hertz, \$129.85; Ignatz Kempner, \$106.42; Adolph Kempner, \$121.11; Benjamin Koritz, \$122.16; Henry W. Lambert, \$89.52; Frank Levy, \$165.96; Eberhard Libbe, \$127.36; Paul Loewenwarger, \$67.12; Sadie L. Lowenstein, \$128.81; George C. Mertz, \$27.93; Stephen McGee, \$144.28; Charles Schwarzkopf, \$97.53; Walter Schmidt, \$82.95; Marietta Vigot, \$122.58; James K. Hogen, \$150; Edward D. O'Brien, \$450; Henry Dreyer, \$73.70; Frederick Uhlemann, \$127.61; Henry Wiegand, \$184.49; Simon E. Bernheimer and another, \$623.53; William F. Bullman, \$350; John F. Delehanty, \$239.83; James L. Breese, \$12,868.82; Mary G.

Cryan, \$140.04; Morris B. Edinger et al., \$199.29; Frank Feder, \$87.56; Peter Hartmann, \$68.86; John Hyland, \$89.21; Samuel Lynch, \$90.52; Henry Raschen, \$48.82; Louis Sigloch, \$127.56; John J. Sullivan, \$114.32.

SCHEDULE "C."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

George M. Curtis—Demurrer argued before Smyth, J.; decision reserved; J. M. Ward for the City.

John Farrell—Tried before Stover, J., and jury; judgment allowed on first cause of action for \$1,072.76; complaint dismissed as to other causes of action; C. Mellen for the City.

People ex rel. William R. Martin vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller; Harrison T. Cronk; Trustees of New York and Brooklyn Bridge; Edward A. Ridley, and another—Motions for preference made before Freedman, J.; motions granted; J. H. Greener for the City.

In the matter of the Avenue A and Seventy-seventh street school site—Motion to confirm the report of the Commissioners of Estimate argued before Smyth, J.; decision reserved; J. T. Malone for the City.

Charles W. Haberle—Motion to interplead made before Pryor, J.; decision reserved; W. B. Crowell for the City.

Nicholas Simermeyer—Argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; C. Mellen for the City.

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The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

| COURT. | REGIS-TER FOLIO. | WHEN COM-MENCED. | TITLE OF ACTION. | NATURE OF ACTION. |
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| Supreme... | 54 397 | 1897, Apr. 12 | Korn, John, and ano. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$205.83. |
| " | 54 398 | " 12 | Philippi, George. | do do 83.29. |
| " | 54 399 | " 12 | Sauer, Henry W. | do do 231.66. |
| " | 54 396 | " 12 | Hojer, William. | do do 163.70. |
| " | 53 356 | " 12 | Thilemann, Frederick and Francis V. Smith. | For amount due on contract for regulating, etc., Jerome ave., from 162d to Eliot st., and for damages, \$10,700. |
| " | 53 355 | " 12 | Mosher, Mary. | Damages for personal injuries by falling on sidewalk, cor. of Lenox ave. and East 137th st., \$15,000. |
| " | 53 354 | " 12 | American Exchange National Bank (ex rel.), vs. Henry D. Purroy, County Clerk. | Mandamus to compel County Clerk to file assignment from Casey & Sherwood to relator, and index same in lien docket. |
| " | 53 357 | " 13 | Winterton, Isabel L. | For expense of repairing premises occasioned by a water-main being put in order in front of plaintiff's premises, \$19.88. |
| " | 54 398 | " 13 | Mayer, Ernest I. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$94.8. |
| " | 54 398 | " 13 | Spencer, Wm. G. | do do 30.36. |
| " | 54 399 | " 13 | Matthews, Wm. J. | do do 12.06. |
| " | 54 399 | " 13 | Ross, Thos. | do do 25.98. |
| " | 54 400 | " 13 | Ross, Mary. | do do 46.48. |
| " | 54 400 | " 13 | Mahon, John. | do do 29.41. |
| " | 54 401 | " 13 | Norhrup, Frank. | do do 37.17. |
| " | 54 401 | " 13 | Murray, Joseph. | do do 18.85. |
| " | 54 402 | " 13 | Colyer, Vincent. | do do 32.50. |
| " | 54 402 | " 13 | Sheehan, Michael F. | do do 19.67. |
| " | 54 403 | " 13 | Marschutz, Mary. | do do 27.07. |
| " | 54 403 | " 13 | Kelly, Patrick J. | do do 87.50. |
| " | 54 404 | " 13 | Foss, Humboldt. | do do 9.66. |
| " | 54 404 | " 13 | Hughes, James. | do do 14.08. |
| " | 54 405 | " 13 | Murray, Wm. J. | do do 83.53. |
| " | 54 405 | " 13 | Reisgo, Pedro. | do do 96.50. |
| " | 54 406 | " 13 | Grienshagen, Carrie B. | do do 63.70. |
| " | 54 406 | " 13 | Rosenblum, Florence. | do do 6.38. |
| " | 54 407 | " 13 | Grienshagen, Esther G. | do do 24.88. |
| " | 54 407 | " 13 | Foss, Max J. | do do 91.60. |
| " | 54 408 | " 13 | Klein, Richard. | do do 17.9. |
| " | 54 408 | " 13 | Igelheimer, David. | do do 53.93. |
| " | 54 409 | " 13 | Marum, Edward. | do do 18.04. |
| " | 54 410 | " 13 | Langron, Joseph. | do do 18.85. |
| " | 54 410 | " 13 | Hill, Isaiah L. | do do 69.7. |
| " | 54 411 | " 13 | Ouver, Carlos H. | do do 59.30. |
| " | 54 411 | " 13 | O'Brien, Wm. F. | do do 132.08. |
| " | 54 412 | " 13 | Wof, Andrew. | do do 102.60. |
| " | 54 412 | " 13 | Reif, Henry A. | do do 81.17. |
| " | 53 420 | " 13 | In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, etc., to acquire title to lands for a public school site. | 133d and 134th sts., bet. 7th and 8th aves., 12th Ward. |
| " | 53 422 | " 13 | In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, etc., to acquire title to lands for a public school site. | 108th and 109th sts., bet. 1st and 2d aves., 12th Ward. |
| " | 53 424 | " 13 | In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, etc., to acquire title to lands for a public school site. | 6th st., bet. Avenue A and Avenue B, 11th Ward. |
| " | 53 426 | " 13 | In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, etc., to acquire title to lands for a public school site. | 126th st., bet. 2d and 3d aves., 12th Ward. |
| " | 53 428 | " 13 | In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, etc., to acquire title to lands for a public school site. | Gansevoort, Hudson, Horatio and West 4th sts., 9th Ward. |
| " | 53 352 | " 14 | Shalvey, Edward J. | For services of Delancy Nicoll, Edward Duffy and Carlos F. MacDonald, inquiring into sanity of Holmes, \$750. |
| " | 53 360 | " 14 | Cottrell, James. | Summons only served. |
| " | 53 361 | " 14 | Sichel, Albert. | Damages for personal injuries by being thrown from wagon on 9th ave., bet. 48th and 49th sts., on July 28, 1896, \$20,000. |
| " | 53 366 | " 14 | Wagner, Margaret, matter of. | For an award made in the matter of opening East 156th st., Parcel No. 23. |
| " | 53 362 | " 14 | McLaughlin, Thomas H., matter of. | For an order directing payment to receiver of judgment debtor of amount due on judgment, \$235.04. |
| " | 54 411 | " 14 | McClelland, Alexander. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$59.99. |
| " | 54 413 | " 14 | Corduke, Daniel. | do do 103.2. |
| " | 54 413 | " 14 | Kraft, Benjamin F. | do do 46.03. |
| " | 54 414 | " 14 | Scheuer, Lewis M. | do do 77.26. |
| " | 54 414 | " 15 | Levy, Bernard. | do do 48.12. |
| " | 54 415 | " 15 | DeLime, Thomas L. | do do 34.38. |
| " | 54 415 | " 15 | Birkhofer, John. | do do 6.57. |
| " | 54 416 | " 15 | Steinhardt, Henry. | do do 78.01. |
| " | 54 416 | " 15 | Lubbert, Wm. and ano. | do do 66.37. |
| " | 54 417 | " 15 | Benino, Henry. | do do 92.05. |
| " | 53 363 | " 15 | Murray, John, and Jeremiah Reid vs. The Mayor, etc. Board of Education, Peter N. Phillips, et al. | To foreclose lien under contract to build annex to Grammar School No. 37, in East 87th st., \$1,253. |
| " | 53 364 | " 15 | Cashin, Jerome, an infant, by his guardian ad litem, Edward J. Cashin. | Damages for personal injuries caused by falling in depression on 161st st., near Washington ave., on Nov. 3, 1896, \$10,000. |
| " | 53 365 | " 15 | McQuade, Joseph. | For amount alleged to be due as Rock-man and Bookkeeper on Blackwell's Island from May 10, 1894, to Aug. 14, 1895, \$8,458.50. |
| " | 53 367 | " 15 | Knickerbocker Trust Co., as trustee of the estate of James H. Hayt (Matter of). | For payment of balance of award made in the matter of Patterson and Towner's Station, \$4,132.18. |
| " | 54 417 | " 16 | Schiff, B. Benjamin. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$138.23. |
| " | 54 418 | " 16 | Hardiman, John A. | do do 21.92. |
| " | 54 418 | " 16 | Czarki, Frederick M. | do do 52.60. |
| " | 54 419 | " 16 | Sichel, Joseph C. | do do 60.28. |
| " | 54 419 | " 16 | Cohen, Henry L. | do do 199.06. |
| " | 54 420 | " 16 | Heyde, Herman and ano. | do do 108.88. |
| " | 54 420 | " 16 | McManus, Michael. | do do 106.40. |

SCHEDULE "D."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED.

| REGIS-TER FOLIO. | COURT. | TITLE. | CAUSE OF ACTION. | AMOUNT. | DATE. | HOW DONE. | REMARKS. |
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| 50 56 | Supreme.... | Cornelia Wray, et al. | To recover amount of assessment for regulating and grading 10th ave., from 155th to 194th st. | \$236 80 | 1897, Apr. 5 | Transcript of judgment for \$236 80 certified..... | Without trial; upon offer. |
| 54 145 | " | Jeffrey Emerick. | For rebate of excise license fee. | 77 33 | " 6 | do | Without trial; no defense. |
| 54 137 | " | August Marchand. | do | 6 67 | " 6 | do | do |
| 54 63 | " | Felvé Agassio. | do | 34 71 | " 6 | do | do |
| 51 60 | " | William McQuade. | do | 92 21 | " 6 | do | do |
| 54 170 | " | David Jones Company. | do | 166 84 | " 6 | do | do |
| 51 530 | " | Robert Ashman. | do | 56 22 | " 6 | do | do |
| 54 94 | " | Wilhelm Thramann. | do | 163 69 | " 6 | do | do |
| 54 92 | " | Emma Wissig. | do | 99 17 | " 6 | do | do |
| 54 93 | " | Philip Kohler. | do | 86 57 | " 6 | do | do |
| 54 92 | " | Michael Kern. | do | 76 16 | " 6 | do | do |
| 54 91 | " | Frank C. Fischer. | do | 77 25 | " 6 | do | do |
| 54 97 | " | Daniel Lane. | do | 57 53 | " 6 | do | do |

Matter of Sixty-sixth street armory site—Motion for trial of issues or for judgment reserved; C. D. Olendorf for the City.

Otto Guldmeister; Herman Plate—Motion to place causes on preferred calendar reserved; R. S. Barlow for the City.

James Quinn; Joseph B. Pennell and another—Argued at the Appellate Division reserved; C. Mellen for the City.

Antonio Molinelli—Tried before Stover, J., and jury; verdict directed for the \$86.24, amount admitted due, and complaint dismissed as to the balance of the claim.

People ex rel. Henry S. Van Beuren et al., executors, vs. Tax Commissioners—Argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; J. M. Ward for the City.

Hearings before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

West Thirtieth street school site; Seventy-sixth street school site; One Hundred and Twenty and One Hundred and Twentieth streets school site; Attorney street school site and Monroe streets school site, one hearing each; J. T. Malone for the City.

Eleventh Ward park, two hearings; Division street park, two hearings; Twenty and Twenty-eighth streets park, one hearing; Riverside Park, one hearing; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corp.

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| Supreme... | 54 421 | 1897, Apr. 16 | Kelly, John. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$115.50. |
| " | 54 421 | " 16 | Kieser, Charles. | do do |
| " | 53 368 | " 17 | Leet, John, vs. The Mayor, etc., Charles W. Collins et al. | Foreclose lien for services performed by watchman in the regulating, etc., of water-main in front of premises at 70th and Amsterdam ave., on Oct. 7, 1895, \$115.50. |
| " | 53 369 | " 17 | Farley, John T. | For amount paid for repairing water-main in front of premises at 70th and Amsterdam ave., on Oct. 7, 1895, \$115.50. |
| " | 53 370 | " 17 | Morton, Levi P., Richard J. Cross, George F. Bliss and Wm. M. Grinnell. | For forwarding and holding in pawn and precious stones by authorized Attorney, stolen from one Burdette Dunlop and Turner, \$531.75. |
| " | 53 371 | " 17 | Crane, Albert, individually and as executor, etc., of Clarissa L. Crane, deceased. | Summons and notice for \$12,348.40 served. |

SCHEDULE "B."—JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

Jacob Blumenthal—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

People ex rel. Peter Morgan vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered in favor of Police Commissioners dismissing the writ of certiorari with \$63.50 costs.

Amelia E. Louis, administratrix, vs. Morris Bauer, et al.—Order entered allowing referee additional compensation of \$2,000 for selling real estate.

Patrick Hardiman—Order entered denying motion for a new trial.

People ex rel. Leonard Hagen vs. Charles H. T. Collis—Order entered denying motion for peremptory writ of mandamus without costs.

People ex rel. Whitfield Van Cott vs. The Comptroller—Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus.

Giacomo di Gaetano—Order entered dismissing the action without costs.

In re Henry Schumaker (Rivington street paving)—Order entered vacating assessment.

Matter of the public school site on Avenue A, between Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth streets—Order entered confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate.

John Van Dolsen vs. The Board of Education—Judgment entered in favor of defendant dismissing the complaint and for \$67.50 costs.

People ex rel. New York Real Estate Association vs. The Tax Commissioners—Judgment entered in favor of respondents dismissing the writ of certiorari and for \$77.50 costs and disbursements.

Judgments were entered in favor of the plaintiffs in the following actions: John N. Stewart, \$1,638.45; Max Steiner, \$158.61; Sarah O'Connor, \$129.43; Malcom Brewing Company, \$216.51; Morris Fraenkel, \$358.79; Israel B. Cebulsky, \$177.02; Michael Stern, \$177.02; Ernest Bromberger, \$172.84; Leopold Strauss, \$172.16; Isaac Streep, \$165.21; Julius Reich, \$125.19; Louis Lang, \$124.65; Maurice Hanley, \$117.67; Samuel Jonas, \$59.62; Gabriel L. Houseman, \$45.14; Maurice Simon, \$44.60; Abram Rosenfeld, \$34.02; Carl W. Kluhenspies, \$122.29; Charles A. Garthwaite, \$86.40; Philip Manheimer, \$60.45; Patrick Gillespie, \$59.02; Rafael Bennen, \$52.80; Albert E. Muller, \$51; Hal A. Morgan, \$54.57; Henry Gutmann, \$46.23; John Falbey, \$37.55; Kate Wolf, \$205.12; Anthony Fischer, \$182.59; Frederick Luhrs, \$174.18; Excelsior Brewing Company, \$86.85; Antonio Molinelli, \$227.37; Charles Martin, \$34.70; John Rudden, \$45.28; Edward D. O'Brien, \$450; William H. Frank Brewing Company, \$70.06; John Wells and another, \$51.17; Henry Hunkin, \$48.19; James E. Begley, \$51.27; John Kolter, \$52.89; Florence J. Sullivan, \$59.77; Michael J. Kadel, \$59.87; George W. Zucke, \$61.61; Christopher Purcell, \$108.89; Frank G. Masterson, \$119.27; Matthew Clume, \$46.75; Andrew Wolf, \$219.37; Delorain R. Williams, \$93.81; Elsworth Striker, individually, etc., \$1,580.16; Napoleon B. Barry, \$81.53; Charles Garibaldi, \$123.65; Albert Zammatti, \$188.82; Horace M. Clark, \$303.95; Consumers Brewing Company (No. 7), \$389.57; Phillip Schneider, \$61.34; Imre Nowak, \$188.31; Abraham Harris, \$182.78; Salvini Billotto, \$97.29; Peter Vogel, \$69.11; George Klett, \$63.60; William Muller, \$60.83; William Wolanek, \$43.69; Paul Hildebrand, \$32.10; John Lang, Jr., \$28.76; Martin Krikawa, \$27.54; Michael Maguire, \$122.69; Lizzie Matthews, \$101.31; Harry J. Gott, \$45.23; Frederick Sauler, \$44.10; Bronx Gas and Electric Company, \$8,774.08; Emanuele Strace, \$113.90; Francis D. O'Donnell, \$197.81; Henry Troger and another, \$133.59; Thomas O'Brien, \$101.73; Frank Dormer, \$97.48; Henry Hinck, \$119.08; Rudolf Tiedt, \$76.03; Frederick Gerken, \$54.89; Peter C. Nickel, \$120.89; William H. A. Rubino, \$25.50; Edward Meany, \$194.10; Israel Cobe, \$125.38; Henry S. Baron, \$202.36; Harry Schrieber, \$196.64; Abraham Stern, \$170.31; Herman Robbins, \$167.33; James Neustadt, \$125.20; Meyer Stern, \$120.78; Moses Unger, \$119.13; Samuel Mindlin, \$117.23; Harry Goldmann, \$84.01; David I. Seiffer, \$75.69; Louis Dahlmann, \$74.45; Isaac Fuld, \$74.98; Louis Frankel, \$70.21; Moses Gelehrter, \$66.10; Adolph H. Seckel, \$61.50; Elias Moss, \$41.99; Isidore Gorden, \$39.13; Joe Streimer, \$34.58; Menni Cohn, \$32.88; Lawrence Lynch, \$199.03; John Rapp, \$46.61; Isabel M. Graham, \$169.49; Emil Alder, \$129.87; Michael J. Curley, \$75.74.

SCHEDULE "C."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

In the matter of the Sheriff and Willett street school site—Motion to confirm the report of the Commissioners made before Smyth, J.; decision reserved; J. T. Malone for the City.

In the matter of the Third avenue bridge approaches—Motion to confirm the report of the Commissioners made before Smyth, J.; decision reserved; C. D. Olendorf for the City.

Louis Wein—Motion for preference made before Pryor, J.; motion denied; R. S. Barlow for the City.

Maicho Fortunato—Reference proceeded and adjourned; J. L. O'Brien for the City.

People ex rel. Marcus Simon vs. The Mayor, etc.—Motion for writ of mandamus argued before Pryor, J.; decision reserved; W. B. Crowell for the City.

Frederick A. Baker—Argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; C. A. O'Neil for the City.

John Mitchell (and 17 other actions)—Motions to vacate judgments argued before Pryor, J.; decision reserved; G. O'Reilly for the City.

Edward A. Ridley and another—Tried before Freedman, J., and jury; verdict directed for the plaintiff; R. S. Barlow for the City.

People ex rel. The Ninth National Bank vs. the Comptroller—Motion for writ of mandamus argued before Pryor, J.; motion granted without costs; C. A. O'Neil for the City.

James McCullough—Motion to amend complaint argued before Pryor, J.; decision reserved; H. S. Rankine for the City.

In the matter of charges against A. M. White—Hearings proceeded and closed; T. Farley for the City.

Hearings before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

Seventy-sixth street school site; Attorney street school site; Columbine street school site; One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets school site; Market and Monroe streets school site; Fifty-fourth street school site, one hearing each; J. T. Malone for the City.

Eleventh Ward Park, two hearings; Division street park, one hearing; Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets park, one hearing. C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

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| Supreme | Conrad Manns..... | For rebate of excise license fee..... | \$37 26 | Apr. 6 | Transcript of judgment for \$55.30 certified..... | Without trial; no defense. | |
| " | Gustav Hilbreth..... | do do..... | 9 32 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | S. G. Schermerhorn..... | do do..... | 78 72 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Morris A. Krauss..... | do do..... | 99 21 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Daniel Kerin..... | do do..... | 55 56 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Andrew J. Cobe..... | do do..... | 102 90 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Lucien L. Collin..... | do do..... | 87 77 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Pasquale Cordulli..... | do do..... | 161 81 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | John Smith..... | do do..... | 78 47 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Joseph Pipota..... | do do..... | 50 00 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Louis Mirabel..... | do do..... | 72 19 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | John T. Farley..... | do do..... | 87 63 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Wilhelm Stillwager..... | do do..... | 153 90 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | George F. Bruning..... | do do..... | 92 17 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | George H. Gale..... | do do..... | 86 57 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Roman Arnold..... | do do..... | 71 23 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Louis Ph. Siener..... | do do..... | 65 20 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Thomas P. Concannon..... | do do..... | 36 71 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | John Ebers..... | do do..... | 11 51 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Henry Kieffers..... | do do..... | 11 65 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Herman Henriers..... | do do..... | 83 30 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Samuel B. Rosenthal..... | do do..... | 103 28 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Gustav J. Markewitz..... | do do..... | 115 39 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| " | Thomas Fitzgerald..... | Damages for personal injuries alleged to have been received by falling on snow and ice on sidewalk at W. 126th st. in Feb., 1895..... | 5,000 00 | " 6 | do do..... | Without trial; upon offer. | |
| 52 | W. Jenks Merritt, assignee J. M. Deuel..... | For services as Master in case of Christopher C. Campbell vs. The Mayor..... | 991 25 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 54 | Francis Lawlor..... | For rebate of excise license fee..... | 4 38 | " 6 | do do..... | Without trial; no defense. | |
| 51 | Thomas B. Bulson..... | do do..... | 25 89 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Leonhard Ziegler..... | do do..... | 44 94 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Henry Broder..... | do do..... | 25 76 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Julia Goldzier..... | do do..... | 6 58 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Albert Newmeyer and ano..... | do do..... | 7 12 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Edward S. Seabury..... | do do..... | 55 35 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | James Byrne..... | do do..... | 14 80 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Mary Bogert..... | do do..... | 14 80 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Abraham Gottman..... | do do..... | 79 81 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Arthur Waterman..... | do do..... | 50 04 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Clotilda Donai..... | do do..... | 47 68 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Louis A. Donai..... | do do..... | 57 64 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Annie Bentz..... | do do..... | 58 09 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John D. Davis..... | do do..... | 63 57 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Peter Coleman..... | do do..... | 67 95 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Joseph Rasche..... | do do..... | 73 98 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Patrick Gallagher and ano..... | do do..... | 41 55 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John L. Batchelder..... | do do..... | 27 40 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Arthur Present..... | do do..... | 14 80 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Abraham Clark..... | do do..... | 10 41 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | James Kiernan..... | do do..... | 89 12 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Elsie J. Simon..... | do do..... | 160 07 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Paul Cresci..... | do do..... | 5 00 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Jacob Kammer..... | do do..... | 24 66 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Leopold Knoch..... | do do..... | 30 68 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Alfonse Simon..... | do do..... | 23 01 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Hegerman & Co..... | do do..... | 13 20 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Albert O. Bogert..... | do do..... | 48 89 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Patrick Hackett..... | do do..... | 41 65 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Max Greenbaum..... | do do..... | 30 41 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Fred. Mumsterman..... | do do..... | 77 27 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Margaret O'Halloran, as executrix..... | do do..... | 46 58 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Isadore Freedman..... | do do..... | 52 08 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Jacob J. Blass..... | do do..... | 58 09 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Lorenz Hassinger..... | do do..... | 59 73 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Forest E. Nichols..... | do do..... | 67 40 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Alfred P. Green..... | do do..... | 36 44 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Nelson H. Patro..... | do do..... | 61 00 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Max Anguer..... | do do..... | 29 05 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Annie Gottlob..... | do do..... | 10 41 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Julius Waterman..... | do do..... | 14 25 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Arthur M. McLaurie..... | do do..... | 16 44 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Solomon A. Isaacson..... | do do..... | 87 14 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Joshua Strouse..... | do do..... | 87 75 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Thomas Maroselli..... | do do..... | 27 50 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Francis D. Weber..... | do do..... | 157 64 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Angelique Basset..... | do do..... | 20 81 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | David Valkenburgh..... | do do..... | 107 80 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Thomas Ross..... | do do..... | 1 10 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles H. Whitney..... | do do..... | 26 80 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Henry Windhorst..... | do do..... | 45 48 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Edward Schoplin..... | do do..... | 51 99 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles Winkler..... | do do..... | 58 64 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John A. Gale..... | do do..... | 67 95 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Myer Levi..... | do do..... | 70 69 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Frederick M. Lowe..... | do do..... | 77 82 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Joseph Doorack..... | do do..... | 60 66 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | James Moore..... | do do..... | 86 60 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles W. Meagher..... | do do..... | 87 68 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Lina Ohi..... | do do..... | 88 77 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Henry Tietjen..... | do do..... | 93 57 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles Hastedt..... | do do..... | 94 25 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles Waldele..... | do do..... | 98 62 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Adolph E. Bosse..... | do do..... | 102 48 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles H. Edmunds..... | do do..... | 104 68 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | George Martin..... | do do..... | 107 42 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Edward B. Evans..... | do do..... | 114 61 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles W. Logeling..... | do do..... | 144 35 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Walter Lander..... | do do..... | 144 35 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Leopold V. Schlosser..... | do do..... | 148 63 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Lena Gebhart..... | do do..... | 156 40 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | James B. Cosgrove..... | do do..... | 55 95 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Emil N. Sorgenfrei..... | do do..... | 156 15 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Matilda Moller..... | do do..... | 154 11 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Paul Wiedman Brewing Co..... | do do..... | 310 95 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles W. Keese..... | do do..... | 32 55 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Leopold Strauss..... | do do..... | 162 42 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | James Hart..... | do do..... | 21 02 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Winnefred Morris..... | do do..... | 24 60 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Martin Rust..... | do do..... | 52 08 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John Crummins..... | do do..... | 58 10 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | August Buckholz..... | do do..... | 62 47 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | George Butler..... | do do..... | 69 05 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Mark M. Sink..... | do do..... | 71 24 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John J. Siemers..... | do do..... | 81 65 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Charles Reidl..... | do do..... | 84 38 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Martin Huberth..... | do do..... | 86 60 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Jonathan Hersberger..... | do do..... | 87 68 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | William H. Lock..... | do do..... | 90 60 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Ludwig Glas..... | do do..... | 95 35 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Alban Busch..... | do do..... | 98 64 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Glen I. Folsom..... | do do..... | 99 74 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Isidore M. Hirsch..... | do do..... | 104 66 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Thomas Hastings..... | do do..... | 105 26 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Diederick Gerken..... | do do..... | 140 41 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | August Schaefer..... | do do..... | 143 52 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Martin Kilpatrick..... | do do..... | 144 53 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John Ford and ano..... | do do..... | 145 56 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Isaac B. Isaacson..... | do do..... | 149 66 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Jacob Manners..... | do do..... | 152 04 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Henry W. Gesing..... | do do..... | 155 67 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Benjamin Westendorf..... | do do..... | 157 32 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John Becker..... | do do..... | 160 98 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Frederick Zimmer..... | do do..... | 69 68 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Bernard Mehrtens..... | do do..... | 177 38 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Frank E. Leonard..... | do do..... | 181 50 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Joseph Gluck..... | do do..... | 341 13 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John H. McGurk..... | do do..... | 171 90 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Joseph Murphy, assignee, etc..... | do do..... | 79 26 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Nestor Wasserman..... | do do..... | 170 69 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Herman F. Siemers and ano..... | do do..... | 169 17 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Frank J. Gallagher..... | do do..... | 177 15 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Michael F. Sharkey..... | do do..... | 284 96 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | Jacob J. Gottlob..... | do do..... | 48 76 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | John Menke..... | do do..... | 798 27 | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | David Stevenson Brewing Co..... | do do..... | | " 6 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 51 | People ex rel. Patrick Bohan vs. The Board of Police, etc..... | To review the dismissal of relator from the Police force..... | | " 9 | Order dismissing appeal pending in Court of Appeals, entered..... | Argued at Appellate Division. | |
| 51 | People ex rel. Thomas Donnelly vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc..... | Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator..... | | " 9 | Order entered denying motion for mandamus..... | Argued before Lawrence, J. | |
| 43 | Edward Fox..... | For balance of salary as Inspector of Masonry on New Aqueduct, from Oct., 1886, to Dec., 1889..... | 3,145 78 | " 9 | Judgment of affirmance on remittitur, entered..... | Argued at the Court of Appeals. | |
| 49 | Andrew L. Smith, Action No. 1..... | To foreclose mechanics' lien on Grammar School No. 3, No. 484 Hudson st..... | 15 42 | " 9 | Order entered discontinuing action without costs..... | By consent. | |
| 49 | Andrew L. Smith, Action No. 2..... | To foreclose mechanics' lien on Grammar School No. 82, Seventieth st. and 1st ave..... | 103 69 | " 9 | do do..... | do do..... | |
| 53 | James K. Hogan..... | For professional services rendered as Expert in The People vs. Paul S. Conitzke, in Aug., 1896..... | 150 00 | " 12 | Transcript of judgment for \$150 certified..... | Without trial; upon offer. | |
| 54 | Jacob Blumenthal..... | For rebate of excise license fee..... | 9 00 | " 12 | Order entered discontinuing action without costs..... | By consent. | |
| 48 | People ex rel. Peter Morgan vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc..... | Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the Police force..... | | " 12 | Judgment entered dismissing writ of certiorari with \$63.50 costs..... | Argued at Appellate Division. | |

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| 48 306 | Supreme | People ex rel. Justin A. Patten vs. Geo. E. Wang, etc. | Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator as Driver in the Street Cleaning Department. | | 1897. Apr. 13 | Appeal abandoned by relator. | By consent. |
| 53 57 | " | Thomas F. Delehanty. | For fees earned as Justice of the Peace, Town of Westchester. | \$239.83 | " 13 | Transcript of judgment for \$239.83 certified. | Without trial; upon offer. |
| 53 199 | " | People ex rel. Leonard Hagen vs. Chas. H. T. Collis, etc. | Mandamus to compel Commissioner of Public Works to complete repairs over the arway at No. 9 Clinton pl. | ..... | " 13 | Order entered denying motion for peremptory writ of mandamus. | Argued before Lawrence, J. |
| 51 162 | " | Louis Cohn. | For rebate of excise license fee. | 63 15 | " 14 | Transcript of judgment for \$81.39 certified. | Without trial; no defence. |
| 54 167 | " | Otto & Flagg. | do | 94 79 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 210 | " | Henry Norden. | do | 67 95 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 168 | " | Charles Otten. | do | 106 44 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 87 | " | Max Kirschbaum. | do | 44 93 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 112 | " | Thomas A. Joyce. | do | 22 00 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 264 | " | Francis X. Zeller. | do | 23 03 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 170 | " | John H. Heitmann. | do | 75 00 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 221 | " | Frank Levy. | do | 140 51 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 198 | " | Henry W. Lambert. | do | 70 80 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 220 | " | Benjamin Koritz. | do | 102 19 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 199 | " | Adolph Kempner. | do | 101 64 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 209 | " | Eberhard Libbe. | do | 106 67 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 223 | " | Paul Lornwater. | do | 48 67 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 215 | " | Sadie L. Lowenstein. | do | 97 74 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 222 | " | George C. Mertz. | do | 9 86 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 222 | " | Stephen McGee. | do | 123 83 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 469 | " | Charles C. Schwarzkopp. | do | 76 56 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 200 | " | Walter Schmidt. | do | 63 70 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 224 | " | Hiram C. Baker. | do | 63 70 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 201 | " | Henry Batjer, et al. | do | 72 19 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 201 | " | Martin Brauer. | do | 71 60 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 225 | " | Frank L. Carr. | do | 47 34 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 221 | " | Edward L. Cohen. | do | 60 96 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 223 | " | Charles Cohen. | do | 52 74 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 224 | " | Max Cohen. | do | 28 71 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 200 | " | Henry Hartman. | do | 174 16 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 209 | " | Adolph Hertz. | do | 107 12 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 220 | " | Ignatz Kempner. | do | 87 16 | " 14 | do | do |
| 51 66 | " | Gerson Rosenberg. | do | 50 00 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 67 | " | Joseph T. Wallace. | do | 157 69 | " 14 | do | do |
| 54 15 | " | Maurice Betts. | do | 36 60 | " 14 | do | do |
| 51 531 | " | Charles Mierisch. | do | 57 09 | " 14 | do | do |
| 49 380 | " | People ex rel. Whitfield Van Cott vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller. | Mandamus to compel payment to relator of amount for services as Deputy Superintendent of Stables in the Fire Department, from Aug. to Oct., 1895. | 266 66 | " 14 | Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus. | Argued before MacLean, J. |
| 40 104 | " | Frank H. Ingram. | Summons only served. | ..... | " 14 | Action abandoned. | Plaintiff dead; attorney disbarred. |
| 49 471 | " | In the matter of the Board of Education. | To acquire title to premises at Avenue A, from 77th to 78th st. | ..... | " 15 | Order confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate entered. | Hearing held before the Commissioners. |
| 53 65 | " | William F. Bullman. | For professional services rendered as expert in The People vs. Mrs. Fleming. | 500 00 | " 15 | Transcript of judgment for \$350.00 certified. | Without trial; upon offer. |
| 53 357 | " | Isabel L. Winterton. | Expenses incurred in repairing premises due to carelessness in placing water-main in front of house. | 19 88 | " 15 | do | do |
| 48 414 | " | Antonio Molinelli. | For amount retained as security for repairs under plaintiff's contract for sewer in 168th st., bet. Amsterdam and Audubon ave. | 67 75 | " 16 | do | do |
| 51 249 | " | Eastern Brewing Co. | For rebate of excise license fee. | 28 31 | " 16 | do | Without trial; no defense. |
| 54 49 | " | Arthur L. Dirne. | do | 135 03 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 50 | " | George A. Papp. | do | 147 97 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 191 | " | Arnold Grob. | do | 75 62 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 190 | " | Carmela Labriola. | do | 107 41 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 169 | " | Drederick Wist. | do | 180 83 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 191 | " | Charles E. George. | do | 40 33 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 192 | " | George M. Wedenkund. | do | 48 77 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 134 | " | Louis L. Todd. | do | 63 28 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 27 | " | Long Island Brewing Co. | do | 519 24 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 210 | " | Benjamin F. Schriesheimer. | do | 52 05 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 194 | " | Joseph Kugler. | do | 13 83 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 212 | " | William Griffin. | do | 181 50 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 173 | " | Morris Leikowitz. | do | 72 14 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 365 | " | George Ringler. | do | 2,692 89 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 101 | " | John Faussner. | do | 83 82 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 46 | " | Charles G. McLeish. | do | 144 54 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 76 | " | Richard Schuler. | do | 155 50 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 192 | " | Simon A. Strasser and ano. | do | 147 06 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 168 | " | Matthias Fecht. | do | 19 72 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 169 | " | Michael Fauser. | do | 45 80 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 107 | " | Edward W. Dolphin. | do | 167 44 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 218 | " | Mortimer Bock. | do | 18 30 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 218 | " | Ernest Bodamer. | do | 28 71 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 216 | " | Morris Jaffey. | do | 38 81 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 219 | " | John Clayton. | do | 31 57 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 217 | " | Charles Levy. | do | 44 29 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 193 | " | John Wendelken. | do | 104 19 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 172 | " | David Katzenstein. | do | 65 89 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 365 | " | George Ringler. | do | 794 17 | " 16 | do | do |
| 54 138 | " | William Wenk. | do | 79 46 | " 16 | do | do |
| 31 596 | " | Caroline E. Lowerre. | To recover possession of Pier Old No. 44, North river, and other rights, for an accounting, etc. | 200,000 00 | " 17 | do | Tried before a Referee. |

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending April 24, 1897:

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

| COURT. | REGIS-TER FOLIO. | WHEN COM-MENCED. | TITLE OF ACTION. | NATURE OF ACTION. |
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| Supreme | 54 422 | Apr. 19 | Turner, Edward W. | For rebate of excise license fee, \$9.42. |
| " | 54 422 | " 19 | Little, Thomas | do do 164.29. |
| " | 54 423 | " 19 | Mayer, Sigmund | do do 20.50. |
| " | 54 423 | " 19 | Shallis, John | do do 26.52. |
| " | 54 424 | " 19 | Flannery, Simon P. | do do 66.67. |
| " | 54 424 | " 19 | Marschall, August, et al. | do do 270.13. |
| " | 54 425 | " 19 | Pospisil, Marie | do do 67.95. |
| " | 54 425 | " 19 | Schneider, Elizabetha. | do do 90.41. |
| " | 54 426 | " 19 | Kolish, Rosa | do do 28.49. |
| " | 54 426 | " 19 | Burwanger, Frank | do do 25.21. |
| " | 54 427 | " 19 | Loretz, Henrietta | do do 160.95. |
| " | 54 427 | " 19 | Bloch, Jacob | do do 9.86. |
| " | 54 428 | " 19 | Siene, William | do do 66.27. |
| " | 54 428 | " 19 | Orth, Konrad | do do 12.47. |
| " | 54 429 | " 19 | Kretschmann, Johanna | do do 41.10. |
| " | 54 429 | " 19 | Kochler, H. & Co. | do do 270.57. |
| " | 53 372 | " 19 | Mulgren, Wm. J. (ex rel.) vs. The Board of Police Commissioners | Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the force. |
| " | 53 373 | " 19 | Aymar, Elizabeth vs. Mary Agnes Wallace Barlow et al. | To foreclose mortgage on lot on northerly side of 38th st., east of 6th ave. |
| " | 53 374 | " 20 | Roberts, Peter vs. The Eighth Avenue Railroad Co., Metropolitan Street Railway Co. and The Mayor, etc. | To restrain opening of streets along line of 8th ave., for purpose of converting present horse railroad into an electric road. |
| " | 53 375 | " 20 | Standard Gas-light Co. vs. The Mayor, etc. | For cost of refilling trenches and openings made by defendant and replacing pavement over same, bet. Nov. 13, 1895, and Oct. 12, 1896, \$969.33. |
| " | 53 376 | " 20 | Donohue, Annie | For value of certain building and broken stone lying at Bathgate ave. and 177th st., in April, 1896, alleged to have been appropriated by the City, \$1,129.05. |
| " | 54 430 | " 20 | Wenz, Frederick | For rebate of excise license fee, \$49.22. |
| " | 54 430 | " 20 | Vincent, Edward | do do 89.90. |
| " | 54 431 | " 20 | Runkel, Jacob | do do 43.74. |
| " | 54 431 | " 20 | Antonino, Guifrida | do do 81.57. |
| " | 54 432 | " 20 | Loehmann, Frederick W. | do do 172.00. |
| " | 54 432 | " 20 | McQuade, Joseph | do do 75.07. |
| " | 54 433 | " 20 | Gallard, William P. | do do 53.70. |
| " | 54 433 | " 20 | Stahl, Jacob, Jr. | do do 152.74. |
| " | 54 434 | " 20 | Philip Ebling Brewing Co. | do do 107.39. |
| " | 54 434 | " 20 | Scappler, Elizabeth | do do 148.63. |
| " | 54 435 | " 20 | Zimmerman, William | do do 165.75. |
| " | 54 435 | " 21 | McGrath, Lawrence W. | do do 152.73. |
| " | 54 436 | " 21 | Lynch, Luke | do do 148.65. |
| " | 54 436 | " 21 | Coffey, Charles A. | do do 92.18. |
| " | 53 377 | " 21 | McMorrow, Charles (ex rel.) vs. the Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force. |
| " | 53 378 | " 21 | Tucker, James P. (ex rel.) vs. the Board of Police Commissioners. | Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force. |
| " | 53 379 | " 21 | Goelet, Robert, & Ogden Goelet. | To recover amount of award made for premises taken in the matter of Carmine st. public school site, \$15,000. |
| " | 53 380 | " 21 | Braithwaite, Isaac | For services, painting and repairing Unionport bridge, \$350. |
| " | 53 381 | " 21 | Waters, Emma, vs. Geo. S. Chapman | Damages for false arrest and imprisonment, \$10,000. |
| " | 53 382 | " 22 | Carroll, William | To recover amount of salary as Section Foreman in Department of Street Cleaning, bet. July 12 and Dec. 2, 1895, \$384.62. |

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| Supreme | 53 383 | Apr. 22 | Presutti, Guiseppi | To recover amount of mechanic's lien for material furnished under contract of James J. Levins for regulating, etc., 189th st. and Amsterdam ave., \$22. |
| " | 53 384 | " 22 | Moore, Joseph (No. 1) | For extra work and material for carriage-house on City farm at Central Islip, L. I., bet. May 4, 1893, and Nov. 1, 1894, \$995. |
| " | 53 385 | " 22 | do (No. 2) | For extra work and materials furnished for pavilions and dining-room on City farm at Central Islip, L. I., bet. May 4, 1893, and Nov. 1, 1894, \$37,407.04. |
| " | 53 386 | " 22 | McGuire, Thomas J., vs. Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works, etc., et al. | To restrain Commissioner of Public Works from preventing plaintiff from laying iron grating over area at Amsterdam ave. and 132d st. |
| " | 53 387 | " 22 | Wood, Mabelle, and James A. Wood, matter of the application. | To have a certain mortgage assigned to them. |
| " | 54 437 | " 22 | Beadleston & Woerz (No. 3) | For rebate of excise license fee, \$210.55. |
| " | 54 437 | " 22 | Ehret, George (No. 5) | do do 1,962.18. |
| " | 54 438 | " 22 | Emerald and Phoenix Brewing Co. (No. 1) | do do 699.86. |
| " | 54 438 | " 22 | India Wharf Brewing Co. (No. 4) | do do 257.54. |
| " | 54 439 | " 22 | Ruppert, Jacob (No. 9) | do do 190.69. |
| " | 54 439 | " 22 | Lebkuehner, Jacob | do do 68.49. |
| " | 54 440 | " 22 | Bernheimer, Simon E., and ano. (No. 9) | do do 58.63. |
| " | 54 440 | " 22 | McMahon, Patrick | do do 156.91. |
| " | 54 442 | " 22 | Bachmann, Johann August | do do 172.13. |
| " | 53 388 | " 23 | Terriberry, Joseph F. | For services as expert witness in trial of George W. Appo, an insane person, Oct. 9, 1896, \$25. |
| " | 53 390 | " 23 | O'Rourke, Charles A. | Damages for personal injuries received at Harlem River Bridge at 158th st., on Jan. 8, 1897, \$20,000. |
| " | 53 391 | " 23 | Fisher, Irving R., George W. Davis and Nathaniel Fisher. | For merchandise sold and delivered bet. Aug. 17 and Dec. 30, 1895, \$490. |
| " | 53 392 | " 23 | Forty-second Street, Manhattan-ville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railroad Co. vs. The Metropolitan Street Railway Co., and The Mayor, etc. | To restrain construction of railroad at 106th st. and 9th ave. |
| " | 53 395 | " 24 | Sigerson, Frank H. | For services as stenographer in the matter of inquiry into sanity of Peter Friedman, \$38.25. |
| " | 53 396 | " 24 | Kivlen, Charles H., vs. Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works, etc. | To restrain defendants from interfering with plaintiff in placing gratings over certain cellars in 135th st. |
| " | (11) 353 | " 24 | Deering, James A. (In re) | To reduce assessment for regulating, etc., St. Nicholas terrace, from 130th st. to Convent ave. |
| " | 53 394 | " 24 | Rutherford M. Louise | To recover amount of assessments paid for sewers in 66th st., bet. 10th ave. and Boulevard, \$36.77. |
| " | 54 442 | " 24 | Adler, Samuel | For rebate of excise license fee, \$170.76. |
| " | 54 443 | " 24 | Aarons, Solomon A. | do do 37.71. |
| " | 54 443 | " 24 | Siconolfi, Ralph | do do 44.36. |
| " | 54 444 | " 24 | Tangradi, Ludwig | do do 20.22. |

SCHEDULE "B."—JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

People ex rel. Ninth National Bank vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller—Order entered granting peremptory writ of mandamus.

People ex rel. Charles A. Watson vs. The Board of County Canvassers—Order entered dismissing the appeal without costs.

People ex rel. Danford N. Barney vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Appellate Division order of affirmance entered in favor of respondents.

Otto Guldmeister—Order entered setting cause down on preferred calendar for April 23, 1897.

People ex rel. Isaac H. Klein vs. James McDonald. Order entered dismissing the appeal without costs.

People ex rel. Frederick Timme vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered affirming the proceedings of the Commissioners with \$50 costs.

ex rel. Francis Mallon vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered dismissing certiorari with \$50 costs.

ex rel. John J. Meagher vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered affirming decision of the Commissioners with \$50 costs.

H. Beers—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

of the Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth streets school site—Order entered confirming Commissioners of Estimate.

ew J. Conley—Judgment entered directing distribution of the fund.

ard Goldman—Order entered amending judgment.

of Margaret Wagner—Order entered inserting name of Margaret Wagner instead of "owners" in matter of opening East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

m H. Naething—Order entered reducing judgment to the sum of \$15,351.

ex rel. Frederick Timme vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered late Division order in favor of the respondents for \$61.20 costs.

nce B. Bostwick—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint with \$110.91 to defendant and Schmidt, and \$235.10 costs to the defendant, The Mayor, etc.

Booth et al. vs. Jane T. Kane et al.—Decree of foreclosure entered.

ex rel. Francis Mallon vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered upon late Division order in favor of respondents for \$66.20 costs.

ex rel. John Meagher—Judgment entered upon the Appellate Division order in favor of respondents for \$56.70 costs.

ex rel. Danford N. Barney vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Judgment entered upon the Appellate Division order in favor of respondents for \$71.90 costs.

of Fritz Wendel; matter of Willis B. Marum et al. (One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street)—Orders entered directing payment of awards into Court.

Judgments were entered in favor of the plaintiffs in the following actions: Edward H. Martin, \$59; Oscar Mann, \$59; Arthur Roberts, \$58.63; Bertha Volkering, \$2,372.96; Patrick K. Lane, \$6,105.55; Frank H. Sigerson, \$91.35; John Farrell, \$1,256.26; Vincenzo Gifuni, \$71.50; Harry J. Rendles, \$150.33; Consumers' Brewing Company, Limited, \$2,068.63; Charles Kilpatrick, \$304.11; John Enser, \$176.32; August Itschner, \$113.82; William B. Gerard, \$93.54; Bruno B. Bostwick, \$27.70; John Kress Brewing Company, \$544.79; Emily Wittenberg, \$210.61; Edward A. Sander, \$208.76; Atoine Steinmetz, \$203.03; Charles Gunther, \$328.59; Henry Muller, \$11.32; Arthur Cranston, \$174.40; August Costa, \$145.50; John A. Meagher, \$136.61; Henry Gunther, \$119.09; Carmine Cava, \$118.48; Joseph Defino, \$106.26; Frank Forster, \$100.52; Jacob Burckel, \$85.07; Patrick J. Rodgers, \$71.48; George Finck, \$60.15; William Rosenblatt, \$56.81; George G. Zamory, \$42.55; Julius Barasch, \$35.38; Adolph Jacobs, \$30.72; Marcus A. Neumeyer, \$30.02; Edward T. Butts, \$107.17; Charles Cahn, \$195.69; Charles Curran, \$174.14; Julius Kaufman, \$129.33; John Ruegg, \$107.93; Perry Borchard, \$106.93; Thomas M. Buckley, \$164.63; Thomas Trubart, \$116.43; Emil Baehr, \$74.61; Vincenzo Dantano, \$43.53; George Huttling, \$124.65; Domenico Collucci, \$123.87; Emil G. Mott, \$166.75; George E. Cobe, \$165.90; Patrick Hughes, \$79.81; Peter P. McLoughlin, \$18.50; Adolph Alexander, \$84.23; Mary E. Belknap, \$85.89; Isaac Clark, \$99.63; Emil A. Bickert, \$101.35; Robert S. Mastulin, \$101.83; John McKinnon, \$114.48; Anna Turkel, \$115.18; William Heinsoth, \$129.48; Christopher Doscher, \$166.72; Frederick W. Straus, \$21; Abraham J. Morris, \$28.14; William Hartman, \$28.70; Thomas Hamil, \$40.80; William R. Ellis, \$50.14; Frederick A. Conklin, \$68.84; Jacob Hyman, \$79.28; Peter Weyand, \$82; Peter Meehan, \$58.69; William G. Dunn, \$96.71; John Meehan, \$190.79; Charles Minners and another, \$181.03; Robert Butter, \$204.67; John J. Gillig and another, \$73.91; Monroe Eckstein, \$15.44; India Wharf Brewing Company, \$56.26; Beadleston & Woerz, \$87.46; John Mulqueen, \$148.92; Simon E. Burnheimer, \$234.28; F. M. Schaefer, \$615.51; Louis Schmidt, \$174.42; George Ehret, \$917.49; Edward R. Scott, \$371.20; Edward A. Ridley and another, \$1,753.91; Isaac Clark, \$113.95; John McKennon, \$75.20; George W. Knight, \$22.13; Louis Cohn, \$174.31; Celestin S. Woehle, \$129.06; The J. Chr. G. Hupfel Brewing Company, \$195.02; John H. Knoop, \$136.47; Perkins Stern, \$113.09; John D. Feldman, \$68.06.

SCHEDULE "C."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

People ex rel. Eugene A. Masterson vs. The Board of Police Commissioners; People ex rel. William F. O'Neill vs. The Board of Police Commissioners; People ex rel. Francis H. D. Mason vs. The Board of Park Commissioners; Henry Merzbach; Henry Smith; Leonora M. O'Rourke—Argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; T. Connolly for the City.

People ex rel. American Exchange National Bank vs. H. D. Purroy—Motion for writ of mandamus argued before Beach, J.; motion granted; C. A. O'Neil for the City.

McKnight Flintic Stone Company—Tried before MacLean, J., and jury; verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$8,901.42; C. Mellen for the City.

Robert Workman—Argued at the United States Supreme Court; decision reserved; Francis M. Scott for the City.

Charles Schneider vs. The Metropolitan Street Railway Company—Motion to amend complaint argued; motion denied; R. C. Beatty for the City.

Samuel B. Pine and another—Argued at the United States Circuit Court of Appeals; order appealed from modified; Francis M. Scott for the City.

Harrison T. Cronk—Tried before Freedman, J., and jury; verdict for the plaintiff for \$250; R. S. Barlow for the City.

Lawrence B. Bostwick—Tried before Bookstaver, J., and jury; verdict for the defendants; W. H. Rand, Jr., for the City.

William Kelly—Motion for reargument submitted at the Appellate Division; C. Mellen for the City.

Matter of East Houston and Essex street school site (awards to Kernochan and Neilson)—Motion to confirm referee's report submitted at Appellate Division; G. Landon for the City.

John Becker vs. Jacob Becker—Motion to amend order argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; J. H. Greener for the City.

Hearings before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

Attorney street school site; Market and Monroe streets school site, two hearings each; Twenty-eighth street school site, One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets school site, Seventy-sixth street school site, Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets school site, Columbine street school site, Fifty-fourth street school site, One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets school site, Twentieth street school site, one hearing each; J. T. Malone for the City.

Riverside Park, St. Nicholas Park, Little Italy Park, Division Street Park, two hearings each; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending May 1, 1897:

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

| COURT. | REGIS-TER FOLIO. | WHEN COM-MENCED. | TITLE OF ACTION. | NATURE OF ACTION. |
|------------|------------------|------------------|--|--|
| Supreme... | 53 397 | 1897. Apr. 26 | Murphy, Peter A. | For salary as Inspector of Buildings, bet. Aug. 12, 1895, and Mar. 18, 1897, \$1,759.03 |
| " | 53 398 | " 26 | Briehof, August (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc. | Certiorari to review dismissal of relator from the force. |
| " | 54 444 | " 26 | Adler, Jacob | For rebate of excise license fee, \$62.05. |
| " | 54 445 | " 26 | Schenberg, Isidor | do do 39.90. |
| " | 54 446 | " 26 | Liebmann, Herman | do do 82.55. |
| " | 54 447 | " 26 | Bogner, John | do do 167.34. |
| " | 54 448 | " 26 | Weber, Louis | do do 110.00. |
| " | 54 449 | " 26 | Bein, James | do do 14.79. |
| " | 54 450 | " 26 | Walden, William L. | do do 12.05. |
| " | 54 451 | " 26 | Felkhusen, Frank | do do 102.46. |
| " | 53 399 | " 28 | Gutta Percha and Rubber Mfg. Co. | For fire-hose sold to Villages of South Mt. Vernon, Williamsbridge, Wakefield and West Chester, \$2,560. |
| " | 53 400 | " 28 | Iba, Caspar, vs. Charles H. T. Collis, as Commissioner of Public Works, etc. | To restrain defendant from interfering with plaintiff in placing cover on part of sidewalk for vault space in front of Bleeker st. and Bowery. |

SCHEDULE "D."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED.

| REGIS-TER FOLIO. | COURT. | TITLE. | CAUSE OF ACTION. | CLAIM. | DATE. | HOW DONE. | REMARKS. |
|------------------|---------|--|---|----------|---------------|--|----------------------------|
| 52 355 | Supreme | Charles Dietrichs | For services cleaning, calcimining and painting naturalization rooms in Court-house. | \$509 78 | 1897. Apr. 19 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$498.40. | Without trial; upon offer. |
| 49 111 | " | People ex rel. Charles A. Watson | To compel recounting certain ballots cast for Alderman, Fourteenth Assembly District. | ..... | " 19 | Order entered dismissing relator's appeal to Appellate Division. | By consent. |
| 54 275 | " | Fredk. Sauter | For rebate of excise license fee. | 26 16 | " 20 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$44.10. | Without trial; no defence. |
| 54 260 | " | Lizzie Matthews | do do | 81 10 | " 20 | do do | do do |
| 54 204 | " | Martin Krikawa | do do | 9 73 | " 20 | do do | do do |
| 54 203 | " | Paul Hilderbrand | do do | 14 25 | " 20 | do do | do do |
| 54 204 | " | William Muller | do do | 42 74 | " 20 | do do | do do |
| 54 205 | " | Salvini Billotto | do do | 78 90 | " 20 | do do | do do |
| 54 203 | " | Imri Nowak | do do | 69 17 | " 20 | do do | do do |

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| Supreme | 53 401 | 1897. Apr. 28 | Hicks, John M. | For salary as Assessor of the Town of West Chester for 1895, \$600. |
| " | 53 403 | " 28 | Noar, Solomon | Damages for personal injuries received opposite Grammar School No. 75, at No. 37 Hester st., \$2,000. |
| " | 53 404 | " 29 | Walsh, Columbia, by William H. Gray, his guardian ad litem... | Damages for personal injuries received at 8th st. and 3d ave., in collision with ash cart, \$10,000. |
| " | 53 405 | " 29 | Slaterry, John | For amount claimed to be due for constructing sewer in 163d st., from Amsterdam ave. to Edgecombe rd., \$4,336.91. |
| " | 53 406 | " 29 | Goss, Frank | For services as Assessor in Town of West Chester, from Mar. 1 to Sept. 1, 1895, \$600. |
| " | 53 406 | " 30 | Patten, Thomas G., et al., executors of Thos. Patten, deceased | To recover rent of premises, Nos. 2401 to 2405 Third ave., for June, 1896, leased by City of New York, \$200. |
| " | 53 407 | " 30 | Horton, Harry L. | To recover rent of premises, Nos. 2401 to 2405 Third ave., for June, 1896, leased by City of New York, \$466.66. |
| " | 53 408 | " 30 | Starr, Henrietta, vs. William Gallagher, William Plimley, Commissioner of Jurors et al. | To foreclose mortgage on premises on southerly side of 45th st., bet. 9th and 10th aves. |
| " | 53 409 | " 30 | Markiewicz, Marcus | For services as Physician, rendered under section 297, chap. 410, Laws of 1882, in 11th Police Precinct, \$249. |
| " | 53 411 | " 30 | Coon, Deborah A. | For personal injuries by falling on icy sidewalk at 138th st. and Railroad ave. on Dec. 19, 1896, \$10,000. |
| " | 53 410 | " 30 | Coon, George W. | Damages for loss of services of plaintiff's wife, Deborah A. Coon, \$10,000. |
| " | 54 447 | " 30 | Wolf, Oscar | For rebate of excise license fee, \$17.75. |
| " | 54 448 | " 30 | Blohm, Herman | do do 22.19. |
| " | 54 448 | " 30 | J. Chr. G. Hupfel Brewing Co. | do do 110.14. |
| " | 54 449 | " 30 | O'Connell, Patrick H. | do do 96.59. |
| " | 54 449 | " 30 | O'Brien, Frank | do do 95.35. |
| " | 54 450 | " 30 | Casso, Virgil R. | do do 27.40. |
| " | 54 450 | " 30 | Schumer, Isaac, and ano. | do do 166.66. |
| " | 54 451 | May 1 | Schaumburg, John | do do 1.10. |
| " | 53 412 | " 1 | Newburg, Moses, Leopold B. Rosenberg, Maloni Gutman and estate of Joseph Newborg | For goods, wares and merchandise sold and delivered to Department of Public Charities and Correction in June, 1896, \$150. |
| " | 53 413 | " 1 | Walker, Henry | Damages for personal injuries by falling on sidewalk, cor. of Church and Liberty sts., on Jan. 9, 1897, \$5,000. |
| " | (11) 354 | " 1 | Gerry, Elbridge T., and Almy G. Gallatin (In re) | Vacate an assessment for paving South st., from Whitehall to Corlears st. |
| " | (11) 355 | " 1 | New York and Brooklyn Ferry and Steam Transportation Co. (In re) | Vacate an assessment for paving South st., from Whitehall to Corlears st. |
| " | 53 418 | " 1 | In the matter of the application of the Mayor, etc. | To acquire title to lands on Chambers, Centre and Reade sts., in 6th Ward, for a building for the Register and other municipal departments. |

SCHEDULE "B."—JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

John J. Walton, et al.—Order entered denying motion for a new trial.

In the matter of the Third Avenue Bridge approaches; matter of Sheriff and Willett streets school site; matter of Thirtieth street school site—Orders entered confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate.

People ex rel. Richard Burke vs. Everett P. Wheeler, et al.—Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus and dismissing alternative writ with costs and disbursements.

People ex rel. Henry S. Van Beuren and another, administrators, vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Order entered affirming order dismissing writ of certiorari with \$10 costs.

People ex rel. Joseph P. Eakins vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered dismissing writ of certiorari with \$50 costs to the respondents.

Thomas J. McGuire vs. Charles H. T. Collis, et al.; Charles H. Kiblen vs. Charles H. T. Collis, et al.—Orders entered granting motion for injunction upon plaintiffs giving undertakings.

People ex rel. Richard Burke vs. Everett P. Wheeler, et al.—Judgment entered dismissing alternative writ of mandamus and for \$57.60 costs.

The McKnight Flintic Stone Company—Order entered directing exceptions to be heard in the first instance at the Appellate Division.

Franklin P. Easton—Order entered granting motion for judgment on remittitur.

Elizabeth Smith vs. Edward F. Croker—Order entered permitting the plaintiff to sue as a poor person.

James Quinn—Judgment entered affirming the judgment appealed from with \$97.20 costs.

Judgments were entered in favor of the plaintiffs in the following actions: Patrick Keenan, \$365; William E. Stillings, \$365; Joseph M. Liebermann, \$365; Louis Barnett, \$32.31; Matthew Bohm, \$177.80; William I. Brown, \$140.47; Katie Buschmann, executrix, etc., \$45.44; Charles Friedman, \$62.06; Christian W. Fuchs, \$34.51; Louis Grosner, \$54.88; Seig Goldstein, \$120.36; Jonas Jonas, \$82.78; Meyer Kahn, \$124.97; John Kelly, \$164.05; Charles F. Levy, \$47.10; Max Lederer, \$175.73; Rudolph M. Myres, \$47.28; Edward W. O'Hara, \$36.92; A. Frederick Silverstone, \$41.50; Ike Wolf, \$126.07; James Wolfson, \$58.92; Edward A. Ridley and another, \$1,753.95; James J. Nealis, \$925.70; Patrick McCarthy, \$21.64; David Jones Company, \$184.78; Michael Farrell, \$94.98; Simon E. Burnheimer and another, \$638.50; Jacob Ruppert, \$335.73; F. & M. Schaefer Brewing Company, 202.21; Jacob Goll, \$166.04; Abraham Glaser, \$40.80; George Ehret, \$174.48; John J. Hickman, Jr., \$186.02; T. H. Comerford, \$165.99; August Brandes, \$143.57; Aaron Myres, \$114.12; Patrick Mallon, \$109.09; Max M. Myres, \$76.72; Emanuel M. Yantzy, \$74.22; Charles J. Weber, \$36.54; Edmund J. McQuade, \$31.84; Harriet Turk, \$28.58; John O'Brien, \$96.59; Johann J. Heckler, \$70.14; George Ackerman, \$69.41; Richard Von Hofe, \$83.91; Benjamin M. Kremer, \$127.44; John H. Gautier, \$378.77; Harrison Taylor Cronk, \$347.53; Francis M. Jencks, \$304.07; Charles J. Gillis and another, \$543.16.

SCHEDULE "C."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

People ex rel. John Buckley vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Motion for reargument of motion for further return argued before Truax, J.; decision reserved; T. Farley for the City.

Matter of Mabelle S. Wood et al.—Motion that County Clerk execute assignment of mortgage submitted to Truax, J.; R. S. Barlow for the City.

Joseph Becker vs. Jacob Becker et al.—Motion for amendment of judgment made before Truax, J.; motion granted; J. H. Greener for the City.

Maicho Fortunato—Reference proceeded and adjourned; J. L. O'Brien for the City.

Marie Eisler vs. Eighth Avenue Railroad Company et al.; Eugene Clifford Potter vs. Eighth Avenue Railroad Company et al.—Motions for injunctions argued before Beach, J.; decision reserved; W. L. Turner and R. C. Beatty for the City.

Dorothea R. Christ vs. Third Avenue Railroad Company; Catherine L. Beekman vs. Third Avenue Railroad Company—Motions for leave to be heard on the argument made at the Court of Appeals; motions granted; Francis M. Scott for the City.

Dorothea R. Christ vs. Third Avenue Railroad Company; Catherine L. Beekman vs. Third Avenue Railroad Company—Appeals argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; Francis M. Scott for the City.

Franklin B. Eastman—Motion for judgment on remittitur made before Beach, J.; motion granted; J. H. Greener for the City.

Elizabeth Smith vs. Edward F. Croker—Motion for leave to sue as a poor person made before Beach, J.; motion granted; J. H. Greener for the City.

David W. Ford—Motion to restore to calendar made before Gildersleeve, J.; motion granted; A. T. Campbell, Jr., for the City.

One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street school site; One Hundred and Thirty-third street school site; Gansevoort street school site; Sixth street school site; One Hundred and Eighth street school site; motions to appoint Commissioners of Estimate made before Smyth, J.; decision reserved; G. Landon for the City.

Hearings Before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets school site, Columbine street school site, One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets school site, One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets school site, Twentieth street school site, Attorney street school site, Wadsworth avenue school site, one hearing each; J. T. Malone for the City.

Riverside Park, two hearings; Little Italy Park, two hearings; Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets park, one hearing; Eleventh Ward Park, one hearing; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

| | | 1897. | | Apr. 20 | | Transcript of judgment certified at \$82.45..... | | Without trial; no defence. | |
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| 51 439 | Supreme | John Essner..... | For rebate of excise license fee..... | \$65 20 | Apr. 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 213 | " | Michael Mulqueen..... | do | 48 40 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 173 | " | George Horn, Jr..... | do | 4 17 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 111 | " | Albert Bauman..... | do | 171 47 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 217 | " | Alexander Bernstein..... | do | 96 12 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 283 | " | Henry Wiegand..... | do | 157 54 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 282 | " | Henry Dreyer..... | do | 51 63 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 259 | " | Louis Seglock..... | do | 109 59 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 272 | " | Samuel Lynch and ano..... | do | 69 25 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 270 | " | Peter Hartman..... | do | 48 49 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 213 | " | Morris B. Edinger and others | do | 173 58 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 51 502 | " | Leon Levy..... | do | 319 22 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 141 | " | John S. Brown..... | do | 41 00 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 144 | " | Thomas Foster..... | do | 18 44 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 117 | " | Wilhelm Lenman..... | do | 182 16 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 119 | " | Joseph H. Zenner..... | do | 147 94 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 95 | " | John P. Binzen..... | do | 119 44 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 116 | " | John Gohring..... | do | 31 23 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 206 | " | Michael McGuire..... | do | 104 00 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 206 | " | John Long, Jr..... | do | 10 96 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 205 | " | William Walonek..... | do | 25 75 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 202 | " | George Klett..... | do | 45 49 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 210 | " | Abraham Harris..... | do | 103 69 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 171 | " | Philip Schiemester..... | do | 83 80 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 215 | " | Septimus W. Granger..... | do | 59 31 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 121 | " | Percy M. Sampson..... | do | 101 23 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 172 | " | Albert Baumann and ano..... | do | 49 22 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 113 | " | Herman Brandt..... | do | 637 13 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 282 | " | Simon E. Bernheimer and ano. (No. 6)..... | do | 103 14 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 272 | " | Frederick Uhlmann..... | do | 92 05 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 271 | " | John J. Sullivan..... | do | 29 59 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 271 | " | Herman Raschen..... | do | 67 94 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 214 | " | John Hyland..... | do | 66 66 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 49 | " | Frank Fedor..... | do | 91 90 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 109 | " | Ernest F. W. Bunge..... | do | 131 30 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 141 | " | Joseph Josephson..... | do | 81 46 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 142 | " | Catherine Murray..... | do | 14 25 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 88 | " | Elizabeth Corbuser..... | do | 173 28 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 498 | " | James Pfeiffer..... | do | 143 82 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 18 | " | Julius Kamsler..... | do | 65 76 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 18 | " | Robert Prince..... | do | 18 63 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 202 | " | Arthur B. Prince..... | do | 50 96 | " 20 | do | do | do | do |
| 54 189 | " | Peter Vogel..... | do | 192 23 | " 22 | do | do | do | do |
| 50 185 | " | In the matter of the Board of Education..... | To acquire title to property on Sheriff and Willett sts. for a school site..... | ..... | " 21 | Order entered confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate..... | Hearings held before the Commissioners. | do | do |
| 49 343 | " | In the matter of the Board of Education..... | To acquire title to property on 30th st., West, for a school site..... | ..... | " 21 | Order entered confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate..... | do | do | do |
| 47 482 | " | People ex rel. Isaac H. Klein | Mandamus directing Board of Elections to prevent any election officer to enter voting booth with illiterate voter..... | ..... | " 21 | Order entered dismissing relator's appeal to Appellate Division without costs..... | By consent. | do | do |
| 53 248 | " | Patrick K. Lantry..... | For balance claimed to be due for carpenter work furnished in Criminal Court Building..... | 4,900 00 | " 22 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$6,105.55..... | Tried before McAdam, J., and jury. | do | do |
| 54 171 | " | Edward D. O'Brien..... | For services of plaintiff and two others as Commissioners to inquire as to the sanity of Joseph Borelli..... | 450 00 | " 22 | do do 450.00..... | Upon offer; without trial. | do | do |
| 44 286 | " | John N. Stewart..... | Case on submission to ascertain whether plain- tiff is entitled to receive salary as Clerk, 24th District Court..... | 1,475 80 | " 22 | do do 1,638.45..... | Argued at Appellate Division. | do | do |
| 49 471 | " | Martha H. Beers..... | For damages to premises No. 35 West 82d st., by a break in water-main..... | 192 23 | " 22 | Order entered discontinuing action without costs..... | By consent. | do | do |
| 54 80 | " | In the matter of the Board of Education..... | To acquire title to property on 77th and 78th sts., East, for a school site..... | ..... | " 22 | Order entered confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate..... | Hearings held before the Commissioners. | do | do |
| 54 68 | " | Charles Cohn..... | For rebate of excise license fee..... | 32 55 | " 23 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$51.88..... | Without trial; no defence. | do | do |
| 54 68 | " | Max Hoelzerlein..... | do | 590 84 | " 23 | do do 533.91..... | do | do | do |
| 54 195 | " | Henry D. Muller..... | do | 150 00 | " 23 | do do 182.73..... | do | do | do |
| 54 197 | " | Bertha J. Klaus..... | do | 79 26 | " 23 | do do 120.89..... | do | do | do |
| 54 198 | " | John A. B. Wendell..... | do | 141 42 | " 23 | do do 105.91..... | do | do | do |
| 54 180 | " | Marcus Rosenblum..... | do | 150 09 | " 23 | do do 181.26..... | do | do | do |
| 54 174 | " | Harlem Casino Co..... | do | 90 99 | " 23 | do do 115.56..... | do | do | do |
| 54 184 | " | John Mangin..... | do | 22 95 | " 23 | do do 44.08..... | do | do | do |
| 54 183 | " | Ernest Meyer..... | do | 22 47 | " 23 | do do 40.79..... | do | do | do |
| 54 78 | " | Gustave Reaske..... | do | 68 49 | " 23 | do do 87.07..... | do | do | do |
| 54 165 | " | Korner and Schwabeland Co. | do | 98 84 | " 23 | do do 123.39..... | do | do | do |
| 54 175 | " | Julius Singer..... | do | 153 42 | " 23 | do do 172.18..... | do | do | do |
| 54 179 | " | David Trilling..... | do | 160 94 | " 23 | do do 179.76..... | do | do | do |
| 54 182 | " | DeWitt C. Ward..... | do | 19 03 | " 23 | do do 36.94..... | do | do | do |
| 54 212 | " | Mary A. Driscoll..... | do | 47 37 | " 23 | do do 66.63..... | do | do | do |
| 54 308 | " | Anna Schmidt..... | do | 176 39 | " 23 | do do 197.05..... | do | do | do |
| 51 346 | " | Albert Zammali..... | do | 170 83 | " 23 | do do 188.82..... | do | do | do |
| 51 225 | " | Consumers' Brewing Co. (No. 7)..... | do | 353 69 | " 23 | do do 389.57..... | do | do | do |
| 54 80 | " | Gustav W. Lydecker..... | do | 177 25 | " 23 | do do 198.00..... | do | do | do |
| 54 105 | " | George Gossman..... | do | 73 43 | " 23 | do do 91.07..... | do | do | do |
| 54 106 | " | Samuel Sosenberg..... | do | 36 07 | " 23 | do do 57.15..... | do | do | do |
| 54 105 | " | Alfred J. Koch..... | do | 70 50 | " 23 | do do 91.47..... | do | do | do |
| 54 99 | " | Aaron Shapiro..... | do | 56 02 | " 23 | do do 76.41..... | do | do | do |
| 54 416 | " | Max Perelman..... | do | 47 37 | " 23 | do do 69.37..... | do | do | do |
| 54 81 | " | David L. Friedenberg..... | do | 10 41 | " 23 | do do 30.53..... | do | do | do |
| 54 80 | " | Congress Brewing Co..... | do | 1,358 66 | " 23 | do do 1,516.05..... | do | do | do |
| 54 67 | " | Aaron Cohn..... | do | 95 35 | " 23 | do do 117.32..... | do | do | do |
| 54 197 | " | Constant Katz..... | do | 99 74 | " 23 | do do 121.95..... | do | do | do |
| 54 190 | " | Victor Streicher..... | do | 102 46 | " 23 | do do 133.63..... | do | do | do |
| 54 183 | " | Max S. Grifenhagen..... | do | 178 29 | " 23 | do do 204.48..... | do | do | do |
| 54 166 | " | Jacob C. Rosenblum..... | do | 28 88 | " 23 | do do 44.00..... | do | do | do |
| 54 177 | " | John Kiernan..... | do | 4 38 | " 23 | do do 22.63..... | do | do | do |
| 54 176 | " | James F. Hall..... | do | 144 66 | " 23 | do do 163.61..... | do | do | do |
| 54 175 | " | Charles Marks..... | do | 91 64 | " 23 | do do 110.21..... | do | do | do |
| 54 178 | " | John E. McBride..... | do | 59 73 | " 23 | do do 78.18..... | do | do | do |
| 54 176 | " | John G. Schaff..... | do | 94 07 | " 23 | do do 110.61..... | do | do | do |
| 54 180 | " | Rosa Simmons..... | do | 23 84 | " 23 | do do 42.17..... | do | do | do |
| 54 174 | " | Grau Smith..... | do | 25 61 | " 23 | do do 43.05..... | do | do | do |
| 54 110 | " | Louis Tolle..... | do | 49 32 | " 23 | do do 67.73..... | do | do | do |
| 54 321 | " | Moritz Broder..... | do | 56 59 | " 23 | do do 115.15..... | do | do | do |
| 54 110 | " | William C. Jordan..... | do | 372 33 | " 23 | do do 405.40..... | do | do | do |
| 54 211 | " | Charles Garibaldi..... | do | 106 66 | " 23 | do do 123.65..... | do | do | do |
| 54 44 | " | Horace W. Clark..... | do | 282 00 | " 23 | do do 303.95..... | do | do | do |
| 54 38 | " | Charles Sproat..... | do | 14 80 | " 23 | do do 33.12..... | do | do | do |
| 51 223 | " | Mark S. Remstein..... | do | 38 91 | " 23 | do do 57.37..... | do | do | do |
| 54 108 | " | Adolph Alexander..... | do | 77 27 | " 23 | do do 96.95..... | do | do | do |
| 54 86 | " | Sol. Schoenthal..... | do | 67 21 | " 23 | do do 89.77..... | do | do | do |
| 54 106 | " | Herman S. Boylston..... | do | 21 04 | " 23 | do do 41.52..... | do | do | do |
| 54 106 | " | Samuel Grosner..... | do | 57 62 | " 23 | do do 76.24..... | do | do | do |
| 54 100 | " | Samuel Fox..... | do | 27 62 | " 23 | do do 46.79..... | do | do | do |
| 54 107 | " | Abraham Nochensohn..... | do | 60 41 | " 23 | do do 82.63..... | do | do | do |
| 51 375 | " | Emily Levy..... | do | 77 26 | " 23 | do do 98.27..... | do | do | do |
| 54 323 | " | Charles H. Chummar..... | do | 34 36 | " 23 | do do 32.10..... | do | do | do |
| 51 312 | " | Peter C. Nickel..... | do | 102 22 | " 23 | do do 120.89..... | do | do | do |
| 53 366 | " | Napoleon B. Barry..... | do | 60 83 | " 23 | do do 81.53..... | do | do | do |
| 47 366 | " | In re partition Margaret Wagner..... | For order amending final report of Commis- sioners for opening East 156th st., by inserting name of petitioner to damage No. 23..... | ..... | " 23 | Order directing payment of award to the petitioner entered..... | No opposition to the motion. | do | do |
| 47 370 | " | John L. Merritt..... | Damage for being compelled to vacate barn at Lewisboro, Westchester County, by order of Commissioner of Public Works..... | 4,000 00 | " 23 | Judgment entered in favor of City dismissing complaint | Tried before Dykman, J. | do | do |
| 48 48 | " | People ex rel. Fredk. Timme vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc..... | Certiorari to review dismissal of relator from Police force..... | ..... | " 24 | Entered judgment of affirmance, dismissing complaint with \$61.20 costs..... | Argued at Appellate Division. | do | do |
| 53 301 | " | Lawrence B. Bostwick..... | Damages for personal injuries received from falling on sidewalk at No. 661 Columbus ave. Mandamus to compel redemption of premises as lot No. 3, Plot 17, salt meadow, West Chester, from 1891 taxes..... | 5,000 00 | " 24 | Entered judgment in favor of the City dismissing com- plaint with costs..... | Tried before Bookstaver, J. | do | do |
| 52 81 | " | People ex rel. Ninth National Bank vs. The Register, etc. | Certified order granting the motion..... | ..... | " 24 | Certified decree directing a distribution of the fund and sent same to Comptroller..... | Argued before Pryor, J. | do | do |
| 53 79 | " | Matthew J. Conley..... | To foreclose mechanic's lien on contract, Charles W. Collins, for regulating and grading Pelham ave..... | 600 00 | " 24 | Decree of foreclosure entered, directing sale, etc..... | Tried before Andrews, J. | do | do |
| 46 318 | " | Alfred Booth et al. vs. Jane T. Kane et al..... | To foreclose mortgage..... | ..... | " 24 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$2,269.51..... | City has no interest. | do | do |
| 53 7 | " | Elizabeth Seery..... | Damages for personal injuries by falling on snow and ice on 89th st., bet. 2d and 3d aves., Feb. 6, 1894..... | 4,000 00 | " 24 | Certified mandamus..... | Tried before Giegerich, J., and jury. | do | do |
| 54 51 | " | People ex rel. William T. Graff vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller..... | Mandamus to compel repayment of assessment for opening 12th ave..... | 722 10 | " 26 | ..... | Argued before Andrews, J. | do | do |
| 54 131 | " | Sam Gallinek..... | For rebate of excise license fee..... | 66 66 | " 26 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$87.19..... | Without trial; no defence. | do | do |
| 54 132 | " | Harry P. Whitaker et al..... | do | 80 82 | " 26 | do do 85.30..... | do | do | do |
| 54 439 | " | William G. Leland..... | do | 143 84 | " 26 | do do 163.32..... | do | do | do |
| 54 148 | " | William Sasse..... | do | 168 75 | " 26 | do do 193.87..... | do | do | do |
| 54 101 | " | James Corbuser..... | do | 42 66 | " 26 | do do 62.56..... | do | do | do |
| 51 533 | " | Max Steiner..... | do | 177 78 | " 26 | do do 203.32..... | do | do | do |
| 54 131 | " | Elvine Guldner..... | do | 160 20 | " 26 | do do 177.93..... | do | do | do |
| 54 104 | " | Harry P. Whitaker and ano. | do | 86 30 | " 26 | do do 105.78..... | do | do | do |
| 51 509 | " | Max Steiner..... | do | 23 15 | " 26 | do do 41.73..... | do | do | do |
| 54 118 | " | Andrew Kehde..... | do | 48 67 | " 26 | do do 67.95..... | do | do | do |
| 54 128 | " | Thomas Morris..... | do | 66 24 | " 26 | do do 76.85..... | do | do | do |
| 54 127 | " | Charles Welge..... | do | 71 23 | " 26 | do do 88.22..... | do | do | do |
| 54 130 | " | A. Susskind & Co..... | do | 82 73 | " 26 | do do 101.16..... | do | do | do |
| 54 269 | " | Nicholas Guntzer..... | do | 155 08 | " 26 | do do 174.13..... | do | do | do |
| 54 268 | " | Henry C. Schrader..... | do | 86 41 | " 26 | do do 104.40..... | do | do | do |
| 54 284 | " | Frank Rose..... | do | 40 27 | " 26 | do do 59.75..... | do | do | do |
| 54 232 | " | William Taylor and ano..... | do | 150 00 | " 26 | do do 174.18..... | do | do | do |
| 54 233 | " | Frederick Luhrs..... | do | 178 71 | " 26 | do do 205.12..... | do | do | do |
| 54 233 | " | Kate Wolf..... | do | 28 00 | " 26 | do do 46.23..... | do | do | do |
| 54 233 | " | Henry Gutmann..... | do | 70 68 | " 26 | do do 90.16..... | do | do | do |
| 54 233 | " | William C. Muschenheim..... | do | 131 50 | " 26 | do do 150.98..... | do | do | do |

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| preme | Ernest Krom | For rebate of excise license fee | \$164 58 | 1897. | Apr. 26 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$189.52 | Without trial; no defence. |
| | Jeremiah Kelly | do do | 137 04 | " 26 | do do | 161.17 | do do |
| | Charles Meehan | do do | 10 41 | " 26 | do do | 28 85 | do do |
| | Harris Rosen | do do | 180 56 | " 26 | do do | 206.22 | do do |
| | Max Steiner | do do | 75 54 | " 26 | do do | 96.47 | do do |
| | do | do do | 38 85 | " 26 | do do | 58.13 | do do |
| | do | do do | 26 11 | " 26 | do do | 44.82 | do do |
| | Henry W. Thramann | do do | 26 30 | " 26 | do do | 44.24 | do do |
| | Henry Grother | do do | 60 27 | " 26 | do do | 78.55 | do do |
| | Cord D. Degenhardt | do do | 65 70 | " 26 | do do | 87.73 | do do |
| | Christopher Blank | do do | 72 87 | " 26 | do do | 91.23 | do do |
| | Peter Steiroth | do do | 147 25 | " 26 | do do | 166.15 | do do |
| | Cord D. Degenhardt | do do | 136 18 | " 26 | do do | 181.51 | do do |
| | Louis L. Todd | do do | 61 64 | " 26 | do do | 81.12 | do do |
| | Max Steiner | do do | 136 04 | " 26 | do do | 157.01 | do do |
| | Anthony Fischer | do do | 155 72 | " 26 | do do | 184.59 | do do |
| | John Falvey | do do | 19 40 | " 26 | do do | 37.55 | do do |
| | The Excelsior Brewing Co. | do do | 68 34 | " 26 | do do | 86.35 | do do |
| | Edward C. Springmeyer | For payment of award made for lands taken in Henry st. school site | 24,500 00 | " 26 | Judgment distributing fund certified and sent to Comptroller | | Tried; City not interested. |
| | People ex rel. Richard M. Shaw vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller | Mandamus to compel repayment of amount for 12th ave. assessment | 106 35 | " 28 | Certified writ of mandamus to the Comptroller | | Argued before Andrews, J. |
| | Arthur Roberts | For award made to "unknown owners" opening Claremont Park, Parcel No. 671 | 38 25 | " 28 | Transcript of judgment certified at \$58.63 | | Without trial; upon offer. |
| | Frank H. Sigerson | For services as Stenographer to Commission to inquire as to the sanity of Louis S. Holmes | 91 35 | " 28 | do do | 91.35 | do do |
| | John Farrell | For amount claimed to be due under contract for construction of outlet sewer | 3,422 68 | " 28 | do do | 1,256.26 | Tried before Stover, J., and jury. |
| | Maria Mangino | For rebate of excise license fee | 147 74 | May 1 | do do | 169.90 | Without trial; no defence. |
| | Maurice Hanley | do do | 98 67 | " 1 | do do | 117.67 | do do |
| | Ernest Bromberger | do do | 153 35 | " 1 | do do | 172.84 | do do |
| | Isaac Streep | do do | 146 51 | " 1 | do do | 165.21 | do do |
| | Israel B. Cebulsky | do do | 157 45 | " 1 | do do | 177.02 | do do |
| | Consumers' Brewing Co. | do do | 422 65 | " 1 | do do | 415.95 | do do |
| | do | do do | 1,550 02 | " 1 | do do | 1,574.80 | do do |
| | do | do do | 167 81 | " 1 | do do | 188.54 | do do |
| | Louis Long | do do | 106 15 | " 1 | do do | 124.65 | do do |
| | Julius Reich | do do | 106 57 | " 1 | do do | 125.19 | do do |
| | Sigmund H. Schwartz | do do | 30 36 | " 1 | do do | 48.63 | do do |
| | Morris Fraenkel | do do | 337 44 | " 1 | do do | 358.79 | do do |
| | Consumers' Brewing Co. | do do | 2,042 46 | " 1 | do do | 2,068.63 | do do |
| | Vincenzo Grifani | For award made for Parcel No. 165, Madison and Henry sts. school site | 50 00 | " 1 | do do | 71.50 | do do |
| | Louis Cohn | For rebate of excise license fee | 156 07 | " 1 | do do | 174.31 | do do |
| | William G. Dunn | do do | 78 72 | " 1 | do do | 96.71 | do do |
| | Michael J. Curley | do do | 57 53 | " 1 | do do | 75.74 | do do |
| | Joe Streiner | do do | 15 61 | " 1 | do do | 34.58 | do do |
| | Isidor Gordon | do do | 20 06 | " 1 | do do | 39.13 | do do |
| | Elias Moss | do do | 23 78 | " 1 | do do | 41.99 | do do |
| | James Neustadt | do do | 106 02 | " 1 | do do | 125.20 | do do |
| | Meyer Stern | do do | 101 64 | " 1 | do do | 120.78 | do do |
| | C. S. Woehle | do do | 128 22 | " 1 | do do | 129.06 | do do |
| | Charles Mummers and ano. | do do | 91 66 | " 1 | do do | 181.03 | do do |
| | Louis Schmitt | do do | 173 28 | " 1 | do do | 174.42 | do do |
| | F. M. Schaefer Brewing Co. | do do | 611 49 | " 1 | do do | 615.51 | do do |
| | Monroe-Eckstein Brewing Co. | do do | 15 34 | " 1 | do do | 15.44 | do do |
| | John Mahan | do do | 177 60 | " 1 | do do | 100.79 | do do |
| | Peter Mahan | do do | 180 92 | " 1 | do do | 56 69 | do do |
| | Emil Adler | do do | 105 76 | " 1 | do do | 129.87 | do do |
| | Isabel M. Graham | do do | 151 38 | " 1 | do do | 169.49 | do do |
| | Louis Dahlman | do do | 50 02 | " 1 | do do | 74.45 | do do |
| | David S. Seiffer | do do | 57 12 | " 1 | do do | 75.69 | do do |
| | H. S. Baron | do do | 182 39 | " 1 | do do | 202.36 | do do |
| | Perkins Stern | do do | 89 44 | " 1 | do do | 113.09 | do do |
| | Simon E. Bernheimer and ano. (No. 7) | do do | 225 07 | " 1 | do do | 234.28 | do do |
| | George Ehret (No. 3) | do do | 911 50 | " 1 | do do | 917.49 | do do |
| | John Mulqueen | do do | 147 95 | " 1 | do do | 148.92 | do do |
| | Beadleston & Woerz (No. 2) | do do | 86 57 | " 1 | do do | 87.46 | do do |
| | J. M. Lieberman | For services as Commissioner to inquire as to sanity of William G. Wood | 350 00 | " 1 | do do | 365.00 | Without trial; upon offer |
| | Oscar Mann | For services as Laborer, Armory, 1st Battery, Aug. 10 to 31, 1896 | 44 00 | " 1 | do do | 59.00 | do do |
| | Ed. H. Martini | For services as Laborer, Armory, 1st Battery, Sept. 1 to Dec. 31, 1896 | 244 00 | " 1 | do do | 259.00 | do do |
| | Patrick Keenan | For services as Commissioner to inquire as to sanity of William G. Wood | 350 00 | " 1 | do do | 365.00 | do do |
| | W. E. Stillings | For services as Commissioner to inquire as to sanity of William G. Wood | 350 00 | " 1 | do do | 365.00 | do do |
| | Francis M. Jencks | To recover excess of assessment for regulating, etc., Morningside ave. | 224 32 | " 1 | do do | 304.07 | do do |

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

NEW YORK, June 28, 1897.

Operations for the week ending June 26, 1897:
Plans filed for new buildings, main office, 41; estimated cost, \$1,432,000; plans filed for new buildings, branch office, 19; estimated cost, \$107,450; plans filed for alterations, main office, 25; estimated cost, \$49,858; plans filed for alterations, branch office, 10; estimated cost, \$5,750; buildings reported as unsafe, 64; buildings reported for additional means of escape, 18; other violations of law reported, 293; unsafe building notices issued, 207; fire-escape notices issued, 30; violation notices issued, 667; unsafe building cases forwarded for prosecution, 3; fire-escape cases forwarded for prosecution, 10; violation cases forwarded for prosecution, 127; iron and steel inspections made, 5,564; complaints lodged with the Department, 110.

STEVENSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent of Buildings.

WILLIAM H. CLASS, Chief Clerk.

COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

June 26, 1897. To the Supervisor of the City Record:
SIR—In compliance with section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the office of Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending June 24, 1897:

Permits Issued—For sewer connections, 33; for sewer repairs, 3; for Croton connections, 27; for Croton repairs, 5; for placing building material, 17; for crossing sidewalk with team, 7; for moving building, 2; for miscellaneous purposes, 25—total, 119.

Public Moneys Received—For sewer connections, \$340; for restoring pavements, \$135; for use of steam roller, \$6—total, \$481.

Plans and Specifications Approved—Constructing sewer in Union avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Westchester avenue; constructing sewer in Wilkins place, from Jennings street to Southern Boulevard; constructing sewer in One Hundred and Ninetieth street, from Creston avenue to Morris avenue; constructing sewer in One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Jerome avenue to Concourse.

Laboring Force Employed during the Week—Foremen, 31; Assistant Foremen, 18; Engineers of Steam Rollers, 5; Sewer Laborers, 34; Laborers, 635; Toolmen, 13; Stableman, 1; Truckmen, 2; Oilers, 4; Sweepers, 6; Carps, 19; Teams, 117; Carpenters, 3; Pavers, 18; Pruners, 1; Blacksmith's Helpers, 4; Machinists, 2; Inspectors of Sewer Connections, 2; Inspectors of Regulating and Grading, 2; Stokers, 2; Mason, 1; Flaggers, 11; Sounders, 106; Cleaners, 4—total, 1,041.

Total amount of requisitions drawn upon the Comptroller during the week, \$92,771.73.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFEN, Commissioner.

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

LAW DEPARTMENT—The Committee on Law Department will hold a meeting on Friday, July 2, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M., in Room 13, City Hall.

RAILROADS—The Railroad Committee will hold a meeting on every Monday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.

WM. H. TEN EVCK, Clerk, Common Council.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Section 68 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (the Consolidation Act of the City of New York), provides that "there shall be published in the CITY RECORD, within the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any department (except laborers), with their salaries, and residences by street numbers, and all changes in such subordinates or salaries shall be so published within one week after they are made. It shall be the duty of all the heads of departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publication of the CITY RECORD everything required to be inserted therein."

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor City Record.
Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Bureau of Licenses—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Aqueeduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Public Works—No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Corner One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.
City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Corporation Attorney—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Bureau of Street Openings—Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.

Public Administrator—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Charities—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Correction—Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Examining Board of Plumbers—Meets every Thursday, at 2 P. M. Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, sixth floor.

Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.

Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centres street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway.

Department of Street Cleaning—No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building.

Board of Assessors—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.

Sheriff's Office—Old "Brown Stone Building," No. 9 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Governor's Room—City Hall, open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 to 12 A. M.

Coroners' Office—New Criminal Court Building, open constantly. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.

Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Appellate Division, Supreme Court—Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.

Supreme Court—County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Criminal Division, Supreme Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, opens at 10.30 A. M.

Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 910 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Twelfth District—Westchester, New York City. Open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Thirteenth District—Corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Magistrates' Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ADDITION TO THE PUBLIC BUILDING IN CROTONA PARK, NEAR THIRD AVENUE, IN THE TWENTY-FOURTH WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 404, LAWS OF 1896.

Bids for the entire work, only, will be received. SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE work, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Comptroller, Rooms Nos. 14 and 15, Finance Department, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, July 14, 1897, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by and in presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the Department of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 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 thereupon the work shall be readvertised and relet, and so on until the contract is accepted and executed; the work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards may designate.

N. B.—Permission will not be given for the with-

drawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to reject all estimates should they deem it to the public interest to do so. 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.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the same purpose, 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. 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 making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall 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 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 or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be determined by the Comptroller after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

For the nature and extent of the work to be done bidders are referred to the plans and specifications. The plans may be seen at the office of the Architect, Mr. George B. Post, No. 33 East Seventeenth street, New York City.

The entire work is to be completed within one hundred and fifty days after the notice to commence work has been given by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

The damages to be paid by the contractor or contractors for each day that the contract or contracts may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at One Hundred and Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidder will state, in writing, and also in figures, a price for the whole work complete, which price is to cover the furnishing of all necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the plans and specifications and form of agreement.

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 (5%) of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The amount of security required is Forty-five Thousand Dollars.

Blank forms of estimates and further information, if desired, also the form of agreement, including the specifications for the work, can be obtained at the office of the Comptroller, No. 250 Broadway.

The plans and detailed drawings can be seen at the office of Mr. George B. Post, Architect, No. 33 East Seventeenth street, where all information relative thereto can be obtained.

New York, July 1, 1897.

WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain; JOHN T. OAKLEY, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, New York, June 30, 1897.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING articles and work, below enumerated, to this Department will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 137 and 139 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 A. M., Wednesday, July 1, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Fifty (50) Fire-alarm Signal Boxes complete, with Keyless Doors.

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

For information as to the description of the articles to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals, and to samples which may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of Fire-alarm Telegraph and Electrical Appliances, at these Headquarters.

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

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, the said time being Sixty (60) Days after the date of the contract, are fixed and liquidated at the sum of Ten (10) Dollars.

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

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

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

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

of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of One Thousand and Eight Hundred (1,800) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimates will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Ninety (90) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, O. H. LA GRANGE and THOMAS STURGIS, Commissioners.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, BUREAU OF INSPECTOR OF COMBUSTIBLES, Nos. 137 and 139 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, New York, June 28, 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE OWNER or owners of explosives seized at No. 514 East Seventy-fourth street, on June 24, 1897, for violation of section 455, chapter 470, Laws of 1882, that on Friday, July 2, 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., the Fire Commissioners will sell at the Bureau of Combustibles, Nos. 137 and 139 East Sixty-seventh street, forty-seven (47) pounds of dynamite and seventy-four (74) detonators.

By order of the Board of Fire Commissioners, GEO. E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles.

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, June 29, 1897. SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Department of Street Cleaning with the following articles:

Three hundred (300) Spruce Planks, 2" x 4" x 16', (3,200 feet); five hundred Spruce Planks, 2" x 5" x 16', (12,000 feet); five hundred Spruce Planks, 2" x 10" x 16', (13,333 1/3 feet); five hundred Spruce Planks, 2" x 12" x 16', (16,000 feet); five hundred Spruce Planks, 3" x 4" x 16', (8,000 feet); six hundred Spruce Planks, 3" x 12" x 16', (28,800 feet); one hundred Spruce Planks, 3" x 12" x 21', (6,300 feet), will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the office of said Department, No. 32 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., Wednesday, July 1, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the Dumps and Stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in various places of the city, as will be required, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

No estimate will be received or considered after the day and hour mentioned.

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

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per thousand feet of spruce planks and spruce joists, as above mentioned.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the above must present the same in a sealed envelope to said Commissioner of Street Cleaning, 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 Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of fifty dollars (\$50). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits except that of the successful bidder will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

GEO. E. WARING, JR., Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING THE FOUNDATIONS AND SUPERSTRUCTURE FOR A STEEL POCKET DUMP ON PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST THIRTIETH STREET, NORTH RIVER, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building the foundations and superstructure for a steel pocket dump on pier at foot of West Thirtieth street, North river, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the office of said Department, No. 32 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until Thursday, the 8th day of July, 1897, at 12 o'clock M., 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.

N. B.—The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted the 22d day of June, 1897, authorized the issue of bonds to an amount not to exceed (\$12,500) twelve thousand five hundred dollars, for payment for the work under the said contract, and bids in excess of the above-mentioned amount will, therefore, not be entitled to be received.

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

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

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

1. Piles, White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress, 8g. (It is expected that these piles will have to be about 60 and upwards in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
2. Yellow Pine, 12 inches by 12 inches, 6,000 feet, B. M.
3. Yellow Pine, 12 inches by 15 inches, 1,650 feet, B. M.
4. Bolts, Spikes, Strap-bolts, Straps, etc., 6,000 pounds.
5. Painting.
6. Labor of every description.
7. Structural Steel, about 160,000 pounds.
8. Forged Iron, about 338 pounds.
9. Cast-iron, about 1,950 pounds.
10. Wrought-iron, about 460 pounds.
11. Flat Iron, about 41,000 pounds.
12. Wrought-iron Dock-spikes and Nails, about 1,600 pounds.
13. Spruce Timber and Boards, about 5,500 feet, B. M.
14. Yellow Pine Timber, about 25,500 feet, B. M.
15. Galvanized Corrugated Iron, about 1,450 square feet.
16. Galvanized Smooth Iron, about 4,500 square feet.
17. Tin Roofing, laid on 2-ply tar paper, about 1,760 square feet.
18. Window-sashes, with hinges, locks, etc., 10.
19. Steel Wire Hoisting Rope, 5/8-inch, about 700 lineal feet.
20. Triple Iron Pulley-blocks, 12-inch sheave, 10.
21. Double Iron Pulley-blocks, 12-inch sheave, 10.
22. Double Purchase Winches, 10.
23. Wrought-iron Ladders, about 125 feet.
24. Painting.
25. Labor of every description.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner 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.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of execution of the contract, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed within three calendar months from the date of said execution of this contract, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for such performance and completion, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in 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 whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract is awarded will be required to attend at the the sureties offered by him or them, and contract within five days from the date of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure to do so, 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 accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates 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 or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, 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 any other officer or employee of the City of New York, or any of its departments, 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 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.

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, 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 in the sum of six thousand (6,000) dollars as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested.

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

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

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.

In case there are two or more bids at the same price, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, if awarded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED AND 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.

GEO. E. WARING, JR., Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated New York, June 23, 1897.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—sashes, 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 Criminal Court Building.

GEORGE E. WARING, JR., Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

ST. OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held at the Mayor's Office on Friday next, July 2, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated New York, June 30, 1897.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out new streets, to be known as One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eleventh avenue distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 519.98 feet, to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly along said line, distance 13.52 feet; thence still northerly and along said westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distance 32.66 feet; thence westerly, distance 493.28 feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eleventh avenue distant 459 feet 8 inches northerly from the

of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; and parallel with said street, distance to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; and along said line, distance 64.03 feet; and distance 306.42 feet, to the easterly line of Prospect avenue; thence southerly along said line, to the point or place of beginning, and to be 60 feet in width between the lines of Prospect avenue and Kingsbridge road. Such proposed action of the said Board of Assessments and Improvement has been duly laid out and approved by the Board of Aldermen.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.
NEW YORK, June 22, 1897.

CIVIL SERVICE COMM.

EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:
Monday, July 12, 10 A. M., AUDITORS, FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Tuesday, July 13, 10 A. M., STOREKEEPERS.
Wednesday, July 15, 10 A. M., VISITORS, OUT-DOOR POOL.
Friday, July 16, 10 A. M., MATE.
Applicants are desired for the positions of Building Inspectors of Masonry and Building Inspectors of Iron and Steel Construction. Applicants must have at least two years' experience in their respective lines and be able to read building plans. The salary for Building Inspectors \$1,100 to \$1,800 per annum, and the Inspectors are eligible to advancement to Chief Inspectors of the several branches, the salary of which is from \$1,800 to \$2,500 per annum.
Notice is also given that applications are desired for the position of Inspector of Light, Plumbing and Ventilation in the Building Department.
S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

NEW YORK, July 1, 1897.
NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRATION day in the Labor Bureau will be Friday, and that examinations will take place on that day at 1 P. M.
S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, etc., of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named streets and avenues in the

TWELFTH WARD.
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road; confirmed May 28, 1897, entered June 21, 1897. Area of assessment: 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.:
On the north by a line drawn parallel to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and distant 100 feet north of the northerly side thereof, from 100 feet east of Amsterdam avenue to 100 feet west of Kingsbridge road; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets, from 100 feet east of Amsterdam avenue to 100 feet west of Kingsbridge road; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Kingsbridge Road, and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof.

SPENCER PLACE, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street; confirmed June 7, 1897, entered June 21, 1897. Area of assessment: 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.: On the north by a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and said northerly side produced and distant 175 feet northerly therefrom; on the south by the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and said middle line produced; on the east by Railroad avenue, East, or Park avenue, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Mott avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
STEBBINS AVENUE, from Dawson street to Boston road; confirmed June 26, 1896, entered June 21, 1897. Area of assessment: 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 boundary of Crotona Park; easterly by the easterly side of Wilkins place and said easterly side produced; thence by the easterly side of Intervale avenue to its intersection with the easterly side of Hall place; thence by the easterly side of Hall place, the easterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, the easterly side of Rogers place and said easterly side produced, to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Dawson street and distant easterly 100 feet from the easterly side thereof, and thence by said last-mentioned parallel line to Dawson street; southerly by a line drawn parallel to Lane avenue, and distant southerly 100 feet from the southerly side thereof; westerly by a line drawn parallel to Dawson street and distant 200 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof from the last-mentioned line parallel to Lane avenue to a point distant about 205 feet from the westerly side of Stebbins avenue; thence by a line parallel to Stebbins avenue and distant westerly about 205 feet from the westerly side thereof to the southerly side of Westchester avenue; thence by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, Westchester avenue and Prospect avenue to the easterly side of Prospect avenue; thence by the easterly side of Prospect avenue to a point distant southerly 100 feet from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence by a line parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant southerly 100 feet from the southerly side thereof to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Prospect avenue; thence by a line drawn parallel to Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the southerly side of Home street; thence by the southerly side of Home street to the easterly side of Prospect avenue; thence by the easterly side of Prospect avenue to a point distant northerly 100 feet from the northerly side of Freeman street; thence by a line drawn parallel to Freeman street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to a point distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side of Bristow street, and thence by a line drawn parallel to Bristow street and distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side thereof to the southerly boundary of Crotona Park.

OAKLEY STREET, from Mount Vernon avenue to Verio avenue; confirmed June 7, 1897, entered June 21, 1897. Area of assessment: 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.: On the north by a line drawn parallel to Oakley street or East Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to Oakley street or East Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Verio avenue, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, and on the west by Mount Vernon avenue.

The above-entitled assessments were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," on the respective dates herein above given, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the said respective dates of entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 20, 1897, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessments in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 26, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK, June 29, 1897.

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, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 2 o'clock P. M., of Monday, July 12, 1897, for the following-named works:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TOLFORED PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF PROSPECT HILL ROAD, between Pelham Bridge road and the northerly line of Pelham Bay Park, in Pelham Bay Park, in the City of New York.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TOLFORED PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF MOSHOLU AVENUE, between Grand and Jerome avenues, AND GRAND AVENUE, between Mosholu and Jerome avenues, in Van Cortlandt Park, in the City of New York.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TOLFORED PAVEMENT CERTAIN ROADWAYS IN MOSHOLU PARKWAY, between Van Cortlandt avenue and Webster avenue, in the City of New York.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF BOSTON ROAD IN BRONX PARK, between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and the easterly line of Bronx Park, in the City of New York.

The works must be bid for separately. The Engineer's estimates of the several works upon which the bids are to be based are as follows:

No. 1. ABOVE-MENTIONED.
10,000 square yards of Telford pavement.
50 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in culverts.
4,000 pounds of vitrified stoneware pipe in place.
200 square yards rubble or cobble stone pavement in gutters.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be Seventy Consecutive Working Days.

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 Ten Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. ABOVE-MENTIONED.
6,750 square yards of Telford pavement.
15 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in culverts.
6,000 pounds of vitrified stoneware pipe in place.
200 square yards rubble or cobble stone pavement in gutters.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be Sixty Consecutive Working Days.

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 Ten Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. ABOVE-MENTIONED.
6,710 square yards of Telford pavement.
70 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in culverts.
7,500 pounds of vitrified stoneware pipe in place.
300 square yards rubble or cobble stone pavement in gutters.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be Sixty Consecutive Working Days.

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 Ten Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. ABOVE-MENTIONED.
9,800 square yards of macadam pavement.
30 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in culverts.
6,000 pounds of vitrified stoneware pipe in place.
100 square yards rubble or cobble stone pavement in gutters.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be Fifty Consecutive Working Days.

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 Ten Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Five 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, any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complaint 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. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

holder 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Blank forms for proposals, and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park.

SAMUEL MC MILLAN, S. V. R. CRUGER, WILLIAM A. STILES, SMITH ELY, Commissioners of Public Parks.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Stationery and Printing for election purposes will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, the 14th day of July, 1897.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Stationery and Printing," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable.

For particulars as to the quantity and kind of stationery and printing required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state a price for the work and material furnished in accordance with the specifications. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire quantity of stationery and printing is to be put up in boxes and delivered at such times and places, and in such quantities in each place, as shall be directed by the Chief of the Bureau of Elections.

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

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

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

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

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

The Board of Police reserves the right to reject all the bids received if deemed for the best interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received.

Samples of stationery and printing required may be examined and blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the Chief of the Bureau of Elections, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.
NEW YORK, June 29, 1897.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.

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.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3:30 o'clock P. M. on Monday, July 12, 1897, for Erecting a New School Building at One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard; also, for Erecting a New School Building at City Island for Grammar School No. 102; also, for Supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the New School Building at Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, for the New Annex Grammar School No. 93, for Grammar School No. 97, and for the New Annex Grammar School No. 99; also, for Making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Primary School No. 33; also, for Heating and Ventilating the Building of former Grammar School No. 62 for use as a High School; also, for Supplying New Furniture for the New School Building at Ninety-first street and First avenue (P. S. No. 51); also, for Supplying New Furniture for the following-named school buildings: Additions to Grammar Schools Nos. 34, 97 and 99; also, for supplying New Slate for Old School Buildings; also, for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 49 and 65; also, for Excavating etc., for the New School Building on the south side of Eighty-ninth street, 200 feet east of Amsterdam avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

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

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

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

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

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of, one of the State or National banks or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that, on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposits made, to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

EDWARD H. PEASE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings.
Dated New York, June 30, 1897.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3:30 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 6, 1897, for Supplying the Furniture for New School Building on southwest corner of Tremont and Anthony avenues, Item 5 of specifications; for Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 35, 47 and old Grammar School No. 62, which are to be used for High Schools; for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 4, 8, 28 and 31; for Supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for new annex and Ventilating Apparatus for main building of Grammar School No. 94, on northwest corner of Amsterdam avenue and West Sixty-eighth street; also, for Supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the New Annex and Ventilating System for the Main Building of Grammar School No. 2, at Nos. 114 to 124 Henry street and Nos. 165 to 171 Madison street; also, for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 88, and 92 and Primary Schools Nos. 10, 21 and 40; also, for Supplying Furniture for the Addition to Primary School No. 31; also, for Supplying the Furniture for the New School Building on south side of East Eighty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues; also, for Erecting an Annex to and Improving the Premises of Grammar School No. 97; also, for Erecting a New School Building on the southwest corner of Suffolk and Rivington streets; also, for Supplying Furniture, etc., for the New School Building at Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; also, for Supplying Furniture at New School Building at Union avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; also, for Supplying New Furniture for the Annex to Primary School No. 27; also, for Installing Electric-light

Plant in New School Building at Henry, Oliver and Catharine streets; also for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 52, 58, 61 and Primary School No. 48.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

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

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

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

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

It is required as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National banks or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposits made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCWENNY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings.

Dated New York, June 24, 1897.

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 5420, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from the Southern Boulevard to a line 270 feet east of Locust avenue; also the triangular space at the intersection of the Southern Boulevard, Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 5428, No. 2. Laying crosswalks across One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, at the easterly and westerly sides of Edgecombe, Bradhurst and Convent avenues and across One Hundred and Fifty-second street at the westerly side of the Western Boulevard.

List 5457, No. 3. Sewer in Fourth avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.

List 5458, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Hudson river and Boulevard.

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 One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from the Southern Boulevard to a line 270 feet east of Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. To the extent of half the block from the easterly and westerly intersections of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Edgecombe, Bradhurst and Convent avenues, and to the extent of half the block from the westerly intersection of One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Western Boulevard.

No. 3. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from Thirty-first to Thirty-second street.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Hudson river, and extending on west side of Western Boulevard about 100 feet north and south of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 30th day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, June 29, 1897.

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 5430, No. 1. Paving Park avenue (west side), from Ninety-seventh to One Hundred and First street, with asphalt.

List 5355, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Hawthorne street, from Seaman avenue to Amsterdam avenue.

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. West side of Park avenue, from Ninety-seventh street to halfway between One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Hawthorne street, from Seaman to Amsterdam avenue, 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 23d day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, June 22, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, June 30, 1897.

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 No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock on Tuesday, July 13, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in the

basement at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINETY-EIGHTH STREET, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PARK AVENUE, EAST SIDE, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and Second street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LEXINGTON AVENUE, from One Hundred and First to One Hundred and Third street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PARK AVENUE, WEST SIDE, from One Hundred and First to One Hundred and Second street.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Convent to Amsterdam avenue.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, from the Boulevard to New York Central Railroad tracks.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, from Kingsbridge road to the east side of Wadsworth avenue.

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 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 in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of 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 a 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 in Bureau of Water Purveyor in basement.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works.

PERMIT ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK TO TUBULAR DISPATCH COMPANY.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, June 14, 1897.

PERMISSION IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE Tubular Dispatch Company, a corporation organized and existing under the Laws of the State of New York to take up the pavements and to excavate portions of the streets, and to lay down, construct and maintain two pneumatic tubes or pipes of iron (not exceeding nine-inch bore and twelve-inch flange), and appurtenances, under the streets, for the transmission of mail and other matter in and through said tubes or pipes, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 400 of the Laws of 1874, and chapter 977 of the Laws of 1895, from the General Post-office to the Produce Exchange branch post-office, as follows:

Starting at the General Post-office, thence across Park Row to Beekman street, four feet six inches from the north curb-line of Beekman street; thence along Beekman street from Park Row to Nassau street, four feet six inches from the north curb-line of Beekman street; thence along Beekman street from Nassau street to William street, seven feet from the north curb-line of Beekman street; thence along William street, from Beekman street to Ann street, 11 feet from the west curb-line of William street; thence along William street, from Ann street to Fulton street, 11 feet 6 inches from the west curb-line of William street; thence along William street, from Fulton street to John street, 12 feet 6 inches from the west curb-line of William street; thence along William street, from John street to Platt street, 11 feet 6 inches from the west curb-line of William street; thence along William street, from Platt street to Maiden Lane, 12 feet from the west curb-line of William street; thence along William street, from

Maiden Lane to Liberty street, 8 feet from the west curb-line of William street; thence along William street, from Liberty street to Wall street, 4 feet from the west curb-line of William street; thence along William street from Wall street to South William street, 1 foot from the west curb-line of William street; thence along South William street 7 feet 6 inches from the west curb-line to the change of direction or bend in said street 4 feet from the west curb-line; thence to the intersection with Broad street 11 feet from the west curb-line of South William street; thence across and along Broad street 7 feet 6 inches from the west curb-line of Broad street to Stone street; thence along Stone street 12 feet from the north curb-line to a point opposite the Produce Exchange, 11 feet from the north curb-line; thence into the branch post-office in the Produce Exchange Building.

This permit is granted and accepted subject to the construction and maintenance of said pneumatic tubes or pipes from the General Post-office to the Produce Exchange branch post-office in accordance with the plans thereof filed by said Tubular Dispatch Company upon their application for this permit with the Department of Public Works, and such modifications of said plans as have been or may be required by the Commissioner of Public Works, as indicated by the foregoing route for laying said tubes or pipes; and also subject to the following terms, conditions and provisions, besides such further provisions and restrictions as may be hereafter from time to time imposed by the Commissioner of Public Works in the public interests:

1. The construction and maintenance of said pneumatic tubes or pipes shall be subject to the terms, conditions and obligations imposed by the charter of said company and by the Laws of the State of New York and ordinances of the City of New York hereof or hereafter enacted or adopted.

2. The laying and construction of said pneumatic tubes or pipes and appurtenances shall be so prosecuted as to cause as little inconvenience to public travel as practicable, and as may be directed by the Commissioner of Public Works, and so as not to interfere with the water-mains or service connections, or with the sewers or house connections, or with the subways or subway connections, in any of said streets, nor with such connections hereafter to be made.

3. Wherever water-mains or sewers, or connections therewith or other impediment are encountered, the work at such points shall be stopped until proper plans and specifications are prepared and submitted to and approved by the Commissioner of Public Works for necessary changes, for protection of the same and to clear the impediment thereof in the plan for laying said pneumatic tubes or pipes before entering on the work.

4. The trench or excavation for said pneumatic tubes or pipes may be 4 feet wide and from 3 to 7 feet deep; and immediately after said tubes or pipes shall be laid, said trench or excavation shall be filled with clean earth, well and thoroughly rammed while being put in, and the pavement shall be immediately replaced in a good and workmanlike manner, and to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and in all respects in accordance with the plans and specifications thereof of the Department of Public Works, and shall be so maintained by said company for two years after such pavement shall have been relaid; and the necessary materials and the labor for all said work shall be furnished by and at the expense of said Company.

5. In case said company shall fail or neglect to so replace the pavement, or to so maintain the same for two years, then the Commissioner of Public Works, or his successor in authority in reference thereto, after a lapse of forty-eight hours' notice served on any of the agents or employees of said company, shall make such repairs as he finds necessary, and the said company shall pay, on demand, to the Department of Public Works or its successor in authority in reference thereto, all cost incurred for labor and material in making such repairs.

6. The said company shall place sufficient and proper guards for the prevention of accidents, and shall put up and keep at night suitable and sufficient lights, and they shall indemnify and save harmless the City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, against and from all damages, costs and expenses which they may suffer or to which they may be put by reason of any injury to the person or property of another, resulting from carelessness or negligence on the part of said company.

7. The said company shall immediately remove from the line of work all surplus materials, earth, sand, rubbish and stones as rapidly as the work progresses.

8. The work shall be carried on only in such places and for such distances in each street as the Commissioner of Public Works or his representative shall from time to time designate; but the said company shall prosecute the work with all necessary force of labor at such times and places as said Commissioner may from time to time require.

9. All the frames and heads for manholes or other places for access to said tubes or pipes placed on the line of the work shall have noiseless covers and plates.

10. All the work, from the time the excavation shall be commenced to the time the pavement shall be relaid, shall be under the supervision of Inspectors, who shall be appointed by, and receive their instructions from, the Commissioner of Public Works, and whose salaries shall be paid by said company.

11. If any contractor, foreman, mechanic, or laborer shall be insolent, or negligent in carrying out any instructions given by any properly authorized representative of the Department of Public Works, he shall be forthwith discharged, and not re-employed on the work without the consent of the Commissioner of Public Works. A notice of order given to any contractor or foreman in charge of any of the work shall be considered a notice or order to the said company.

12. Whenever, in consequence of the weather, or any process of law, or other unexpected obstacle, the work of laying said pneumatic tubes or pipes shall be stopped for so long a time that the public travel shall be obstructed, the street shall be immediately refilled and repaved by said company, upon notice or order from the Commissioner of Public Works, as if the work contemplated in this permit was actually completed.

13. The said company shall give forty-eight hours' notice to the Water Purveyor of their desire to commence work at any point, and shall not disturb the pavement, commence work, or deposit material anywhere until the Inspectors are on the ground to give the necessary instructions, and shall apply twenty-four hours in advance to the General Inspector for separate permit for each section to be opened.

14. The said company shall give the Health Department twenty-four hours' notice of the time and place of making excavation under each sectional permit issued from the Department of Public Works, and the said company shall provide and use such disinfectants as and when required by the Health Department.

15. If the said company, their contractor or agent, shall refuse or neglect to carry out any of the provisions or requirements of this permit, or of the Laws of the State of New York, or ordinances of the City of New York, in reference to said work, the Commissioner of Public Works shall have the right and power to do the same at the cost and expense of said company, which said company hereby agrees to pay to the Department of Public Works upon demand.

16. The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to revoke this permit in case of any violation of its terms and conditions, or of any Laws of the State of New York, or ordinances of the City of New York. In consideration of the permission hereby given, the said Tubular Dispatch Company, their successors or assigns, shall keep an accurate account of their gross receipts, and shall report the same to the Comptroller of the City of New York in writing, under oath, of their President or Treasurer, annually, on or before the first day of February of each year, for the preceding calendar year; and also, at the time of making report of receipts, as aforesaid, shall pay into the Treasury of the City of New York, the credit and for the benefit of the Sinking Fund thereof, one per centum of their gross receipts for the first twelve months after the commencement of the use of any portion of said pneumatic

tubes or pipes for transmission of mail or of one and one-half per centum of their gross receipts for the next succeeding twelve months, and two of their gross receipts for each succeeding year thereafter. And the said company, their successors or assigns, shall, whenever required by the said Comptroller, furnish further assurance of their obligation of the percentage of their gross receipts as the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York may devise and advise in the interest of the City of New York.

It is made a condition of the issuance of this acceptance, in all its terms, conditions and provisions, is attested hereunder by the President and Secretary of the Tubular Dispatch Company, and by the Board of Directors of said company, and by the Commissioner of Public Works, and upon this permit shall take effect.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

The foregoing permit, in all of its terms, conditions and provisions, is hereby accepted by the Tubular Dispatch Company, which agrees to all the terms, conditions and provisions thereof.

In attestation whereof the Tubular Dispatch Company has hereto caused its seal to be affixed, and acceptance to be executed by its President and Secretary, this 24th day of June, 1897.

Seal of Tubular Dispatch Company.

THE TUBULAR DISPATCH COMPANY, by JNO. E. MILHOLLAND, President; JOHN F. LANGAN, Secretary.

Certificate of acceptance of the Permit of the Department of Public Works, dated June 14, 1897, by the Tubular Dispatch Company.

A permit having been issued by Howard Payson Wilds, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, dated June 14, 1897, to the Tubular Dispatch Company to take up the pavements and to excavate portions of the streets, and to lay down, construct and maintain two pneumatic tubes or pipes of iron under the streets, for the transmission of mail or other matter, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 400 of the Laws of 1874 and chapter 977 of the Laws of 1895, along the line of certain streets therein designated, from the General Post-office to the Produce Exchange branch post-office, upon certain terms, conditions and provisions, including as follows:

"In consideration of the permission hereby given, the said Tubular Dispatch Company, their successors or assigns, shall keep an accurate account of their gross receipts, and shall report the same to the Comptroller of the City of New York in writing, under oath, of their President or Treasurer, annually, on or before the first day of February of each year for the preceding calendar year; and also, at the time of making report of receipts, as aforesaid, shall pay into the Treasury of the City of New York, to the credit and for the benefit of the Sinking Fund thereof, one per centum of their gross receipts for the first twelve months after the commencement of the use of any portion of said pneumatic tubes or pipes for transmission of mail or other matter, and one-half per centum of their gross receipts for the next succeeding twelve months, and two per centum of their gross receipts for each succeeding year thereafter. And the said company, their successors or assigns, shall, whenever required by the said Comptroller, execute such further assurances of their obligation for payment of the percentage of their gross receipts as aforesaid as the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York may devise and advise in the interest of the City of New York."

It is made a condition of the issuance of this permit that its acceptance, in all its terms, conditions and provisions, is attested hereunder by the President and Secretary of the Tubular Dispatch Company, and certificate of such acceptance and agreement thereto, in all of its terms, conditions and provisions, by resolution of the Board of Directors of said company, shall be filed with the Commissioner of Public Works; and that thereupon this permit shall take effect."

The Tubular Dispatch Company, pursuant to the resolution of its Board of Directors, hereby certifies and declares that it accepts the said permit, with all its terms, conditions and provisions, and agrees to all the terms, conditions and provisions of the said permit, and directs that this certificate be executed on behalf of the Tubular Dispatch Company, under the seal of said company, by its President and Secretary.

Seal of Tubular Dispatch Company.

THE TUBULAR DISPATCH COMPANY, by JNO. E. MILHOLLAND, President; JOHN F. LANGAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, June 25, 1897.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ELM STREET—WIDENING AND EXTENSION.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, by and under authority of chapter 641 of the Laws of the State of New York, passed May 22, 1897, hereby notifies all owners and occupants within the lines of the property taken for the widening and extension of Elm street, from City Hall place, near Chambers street, to Great Jones street, opposite Lafayette place, to vacate the premises within the lines of the said street on or before July 31, 1897, at which time the buildings and parts of buildings will be sold at public auction.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, June 22, 1897.

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 No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock on Tuesday, July 6, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department in the basement at No. 150 Nassau street at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ROOSEVELT STREET, from Park Row to Water street.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MARKET STREET, from Division to Cherry street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTEENTH STREET, from Sixth to Tenth avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from Central Park, West, to Riverside Drive.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

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 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 in the work to which it relates or in any portion of 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

of New York, to the effect that if the contract for the person making the estimate, they will, so awarded, become bound as his sureties for performance, and that if he shall refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the City the difference between the sum to which he is entitled upon its completion and that which he is obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent time to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

It is last above mentioned must be accompanied by an affidavit, in writing, of each of the signers of the estimate, that he is a householder or the City of New York, and is worth the security required for the completion of the work, over and above all his debts of every nature, and that he has offered himself as surety for the performance of the work, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by 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 estimate, which check or money must not be inclosed in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Bureau of Water Purveyor in basement.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, March 23, 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PLUMBERS, to whom license has been or may be issued to make and connect service pipes, for conducting water to houses and tenements with the distributing pipes in this city, after said pipes have been tapped, and to make connections with sewers or drains from houses and tenements with the sewers or drains in the streets or avenues of this city, that such license will be revoked in the case of any plumber who permits another to use his license and to do the work of a master plumber without holding a certificate of competency from the Examining Board of Plumbers; or who violates any of the regulations which have been or may hereafter be established by the Department, respecting the introduction and use of the Croton water and connections made with sewers and drains.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, August 6, 1896.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE charge for vault permits is fixed at the rate of \$2 per square foot, under and pursuant to ordinance of the Common Council relating thereto.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 20, 1896.

TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL ORDINANCES of the Common Council, approved December 31, 1880, and subsequent thereto, in relation to the use and occupancy of sidewalks, must be complied with, and that all hoistways must occupy only such space of the sidewalk as is authorized by special ordinance of the Common Council, passed March 30, 1886, viz.:

"Hoistways may be placed within the stoop-lines, but in no case to extend beyond five feet from the house-line, and shall be guarded by iron railings or rods to prevent accidents to passers-by."

You are further notified that all violations now existing of such ordinances must be removed, and that all conditions set forth in permits granted for vault or other purposes must be complied with within sixty days. The special ordinances permitting court-yard inclosures give no right to occupy this space otherwise.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS, BUILDERS, FLAGGERS AND OTHERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE practice of placing concrete or other friable curbs on the streets of this city is in contravention of chapter 6, Article 7, section 105, Revised Ordinances of 1880, which reads: "All curbs-stones * * * shall be of the best hard blue or gray granite." And this Department will find it necessary to prosecute to the full penalty imposed by law persons setting or making such curbs, whether they have broken up or removed the curbs-stones provided by the City or not.

Further notice is given that this Department will in no case entertain claims or damages to concrete or other artificial sidewalks that are caused by repair or setting of hydrants, or by other work which the City does for the general good.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 594.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW PIER NEAR THE FOOT OF WEST ELEVENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW Pier near the foot of West Eleventh street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

MONDAY, JULY 12, 1897, 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 thirty-five thousand dollars.

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

To be furnished by the Department of Docks.

1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 65,492 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 629,652 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 64,550 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 10", about 442 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 16", about 283 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,270 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 3,608 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 12", about 5,775 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12", about 49,644 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 12", about 830 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 119,504 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 12", about 1,680 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 704,690 feet, B.M., measured in the work—total, about 1,640,226 feet, B.M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—It is the intention of the Department of Docks to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks to the contractor free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereinafter specified, and the contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

To be furnished by the Contractor.

2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 16", about 736 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 8", about 6,784 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 15,427 feet, B.M., measured in the work; total, about 22,947 feet, B.M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—The Contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in item 1 required to do the work under this contract.

3. White Oak Timber, 6" x 12", about 11,088 feet, B.M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—All of the above quantity of timber is inclusive of extra lengths required for laps, etc., but is exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles, 24 in.

(It is expected that these piles will have to be about from 80 to 85 feet in length, to average 83 feet, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

5. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet in length, 13 in.

6. $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 28", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 26", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 24", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 19", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 16", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 10", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 8", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 6", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 4", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 3", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 2", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 1", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{8}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{16}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{32}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{64}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{128}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{256}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{512}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{1024}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2048}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{4096}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{8192}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{16384}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{32768}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{65536}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{131072}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{262144}$ ", 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The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of materials to be furnished is as follows:

STRUCK PLANK FOR REPAIRS.

Three-inch and 4-inch plank, as ordered, in pieces varying in length from 12 feet to 26 feet, 9 inches wide and upward, about 150,000 feet, B. M.

The 3-inch and 4-inch plank called for shall be delivered in lots of not less than 500 feet, board measure, within six hours after receipt of an order that said delivery is to commence.

Where the City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which the materials under this contract are to be delivered, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

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

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

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

The contractor shall be ready to commence the delivery of the materials called for under this contract within five days after the date of this contract, and the delivery shall be commenced and shall be continued in such manner and quantities and at such times and places as may from time to time be directed by the Engineer-in-Chief, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1897, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per thousand feet, board measure, for spruce timber delivered, 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 expense 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 consultation, connection or agreement with and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which he is directly or indirectly interested, or of which he has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or not less than a certain price, for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon, and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its Departments, is directly or indirectly interested in this estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder, or anyone in his behalf, with a view to influencing his action or judgment in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

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

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

In case there are two or more bids at the same price, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, if awarded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

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.

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, June 21, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 580.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING BETWEEN BANK STREET AND BETHUNE STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH river, between Bank and Bethune streets, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of materials necessary to be dredged is as follows (in place):

Earth filling in rear of cribwork, about 22,000 cubic yards; Cribwork, about 21,700 cubic yards; Cribwork, not filled in with stone, about 200 cubic yards; old Foundation Piles, about 2,600.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. 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 this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be between Bank and Bethune streets, on the North river, and is to be done, from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer, and all work done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of eighty days from the date of service of the above mentioned notification.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the dredging 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.

All material to be excavated or removed from the area to be dredged will become the property of the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under this contract.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimate 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 that fact; also that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon, and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this department, 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.*

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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

estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

In case there are two or more bids at the same price, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, if awarded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

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.

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, June 5, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 587.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING BETWEEN BETHUNE STREET AND WEST TWELFTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH river, between Bethune and West Twelfth streets, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of materials necessary to be dredged is as follows (in place):

Earth-filling in rear of cribwork, about 165,000 cubic yards; Cribwork, about 16,500 cubic yards; Cribwork, not filled in with stone, about 200 cubic yards; old foundation piles, about 1,460.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. 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 this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be between Bethune street and West Twelfth street, on the North river, and is to be done, from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer, and all work done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of sixty days from the date of service of the above-mentioned notification.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the dredging 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.

All material to be excavated or removed from the area to be dredged will become the property of the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under this contract.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimate 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 also that the estimate is made without any connection or agreement with, and the amount has not been disclosed to, any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon, and also that no member of the Common Council, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, 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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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.

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EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, June 5, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 22, 1896.
NOTICE TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS HAS established a branch office at junction of Third and Courtlandt avenues, where all plans for the erection or alteration of buildings above the Harlem river may be submitted and filed.

STEVENS ON CONSTABLE, Superintendent Buildings.

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners, appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Scherhorn Building, No. 95 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, October 30, 1895.
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WALTON STREET (East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street), (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Marion avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and

as a first-class street or road, in the North Ward of the City of New York.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 7th day of June, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 1, 1897.
FREDERIC A. TANNER, CORNELIUS DONOVAN, HENRY REYNARD, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening KELLY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 8th day of June, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of June, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 1, 1897.
FRANK E. HIPPLE, ABRAHAM KLING, E. F. WOKAL, Commissioners.
H. DE F. BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 7th day of June, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively

ively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 1, 1897.
HORACE BARNARD, JR., JAMES A. HOOPER, JAMES R. ELDY, Commissioners.
H. DE F. BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WALTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to Fordham road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 7th day of June, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 29, 1897.
FRANCIS J. THOMSON, ALFRED J. JOHNSON, W. W. NILES, JR., Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening the uplands, lands, wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York on the North river, between Jane and Horatio streets, and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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 or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or having any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto or affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the uplands, lands, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Room Nos. 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 7th day of September, 1897; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 7th day of September, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the preliminary report and the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage map and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Opening in the Law Department of the City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 7th day of September, 1897.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the eleventh day of October, 1897, at the opening of 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, and for such other and further relief as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, June 17, 1897.
JNO. DELAHUNTY, Chairman; WILBUR LARREMORE, WM. H. MCCARTHY, Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening MANIDA STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Garrison avenue (Mohawk avenue) to the United States bulkhead-line of the East river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of July, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 25, 1897.
WELLSLEY W. GAGE, RIGUAL D. WOODWARD, J. RHINELANDER DILLON, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CLAY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West) to Webster avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 8th day of June, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of June, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Room No. 1, fourth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office, on the 20th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 2, 1897.
LYMAN H. L. W., JOHN J. QUINLIN, GEO. L. NICHOLS, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Marion avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 8th day of July, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of

the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 23, 1897.
H. W. VANDERPOEL, SAMUEL GOLDSTICKER, HUGH G. KELLY, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and in behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, in fee, to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Twelfth and Twenty-third Wards of the City of New York, for the purpose of the construction of a drawbridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and arches, over the Harlem river, connecting the northerly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward in said city, with the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of July, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our fifth separate estimate or assessment in the above-entitled matter (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us, for and during the space of thirty days, in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, in the American Tract Society Building, corner of Nassau and Spruce streets, in said City), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway; that it is our intention to present our fifth separate report herein for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part I., in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

DATED NEW YORK, June 28, 1897.
DAVID LEVENTRITT, PETER BOWE, ARTHUR INGRAHAM, Commissioners.
JAMES A. C. JOHNSON, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CLIFFORD PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Walton avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 7th day of June, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 19, 1897.
J. PHILIP BERG, JACQUES P. ROSENBERG, EDWARD F. HOLLISTER, Commissioners.
H. DE F. BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CRESTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to Minerva Place, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 7th day of June, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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