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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Resolved, That the heads of the several Departments of the City Government be and they are hereby requested to close their respective offices on Saturday, July 2, 1892, and all other offices not by law required to be kept open for the transaction of public business be closed on that day.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 28, 1892, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor, June 29, 1892.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 1892—ADJOURNED MEETING, 10 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Dana (President), Gallup, Tappen.

Messrs. Arturo Baldansano, Arturo Cuyas and R. A. C. Smith, a committee of the Circulo Colon Cervantes, and Fernando Miranda, artist, appeared and were heard relative to a site for a proposed group monument representing the discovery of America by Columbus.

The minutes of the meeting of May 11 were read and approved.

The following communications were received:

From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting a copy of a resolution for relaying the flagging of the sidewalk on the north side of Seventy-second street, between West End avenue and the Boulevard. Referred to the Engineer of Construction.

A copy of chapter 532, of the Laws of 1892, entitled "An act relative to railways in and near public parks in the cities of the State of New York," was received and placed on file.

From the Comptroller, asking further information respecting the request of this Department for a transfer of \$25,000 to the appropriation for Maintenance of Museums for 1892, as provided by chapter 270 of the Laws of 1892. Filed.

From the Secretary of the American Museum of Natural History, in relation to modifying the agreement between this Department and the Trustees of said Museum. Referred to Commissioner Gallup.

From the Secretary of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, in relation to the expense of opening the Museum to the public on Sundays, with an estimate thereof. Referred to the President.

From the chairman of the Building Committee of the Hancock Memorial Fund, desiring permission to proceed with the erection of the monument to General Winfield Scott Hancock. Referred to the Landscape Architect for report.

From the chairman of the Building Committee of the Grant Monument Association, applying for permission to remove the tomb of General Grant from its present location to a point about seventy-five feet northerly therefrom during the progress of the work on the monument, and also permission to erect a water-closet for the use of the workmen.

On motion of Commissioner Dana, permission was granted as applied for, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

From the Westchester Telephone Company, agreeing to the conditions verbally stated by their representative, under which the said company would be willing to accept permission to maintain three public telephone stations in Pelham Bay Park. Filed.

From Thomas S. Bassford, enclosing a stipulation signed by T. P. Campbell, consenting to the occupation of certain lands for the construction of an approach to the new McComb's Dam Bridge in advance of the completion of the proceeding for acquiring the lands.

On motion, the stipulation was placed on file, and the Secretary was directed to communicate the same to the Counsel to the Corporation.

From Jerome L. Babe, in relation to the sale in the Central of pamphlets containing maps of the park. Filed.

From Henry B. Towle, asking permission to excavate and remove material from Sedgwick avenue and Cedar Park. Denied.

From the Director of the Menagerie, asking authority to exchange one of the nyghaie in the Menagerie for a tapir.

On motion, the exchange of animals was authorized as recommended.

From M. L. Nichols, asking permission to erect a portico in front of No. 763 Fifth avenue. Referred to the President.

From the Engineer in charge of the New Parks, reporting upon a communication from Charles M. Jelliff, respecting improvements in Cedar Park, and recommending that the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards be requested to require the railroad company to construct the bridge across their right of way at One Hundred and Fifty-third street, in order that the park may be made accessible to the thickly populated part of the district.

On motion of Commissioner Gallup, the recommendation of the Engineer was approved and ordered communicated to the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

From J. G. Glover, architect, asking permission to erect a porte cochere over the sidewalk of Sixty-third street in connection with the hotel-building in course of erection, at the intersection of Columbus avenue and the Boulevard. Referred to the President.

From the Superintendent of Parks:

1st. In relation to repairing the Babcock fire extinguishers in the Arsenal Building. Referred to the President.

2d. Forwarding bills of Thomas Ward, for coal delivered in Central Park during the winter of 1890-1.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the bill of Thomas Ward, amounting to five dollars, for one ton of furnace coal furnished in February, 1891, be and the same hereby is audited, approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, chargeable to the appropriation for Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, etc., 1891.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

At the hour of eleven o'clock, Mr. E. G. Marsh, representing the Comptroller, being present, and the meeting open to the public, the President, in the presence of the representative of the Comptroller and such of the parties making proposals as were present, opened the estimate-box and publicly opened and read all the estimates or proposals which had been received in accordance with advertisements duly published in the CITY RECORD for furnishing and delivering forage, as follows:

ITEMS.	QUANTITIES.	THEO. P. HUFFMAN.		JOHN MOONAN.		HORACE INGERSOLL.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1 Hay	3,000 pounds.	\$0 80	\$2,400 00	\$0 90	\$2,700 00	\$0 90	\$2,700 00
2 Straw	35,000 "	70	245 00	75	262 50	70	245 00
3 Oats	2,500 bags.	1 10	2,750 00	1 15	2,875 00	1 00	2,500 00
4 Corn	100 "	1 15	115 00	1 15	115 00	1 20	120 00
5 Bran	250 "	35	87 50	40	100 00	35	87 50
Amount			\$5,837 50		\$6,322 50		\$5,922 50

Commissioner Dana offered the following:

Resolved, That a contract for furnishing and delivering forage be awarded to Theodore P. Huffman at five thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents, he being the lowest bidder; that his proposal be sent to the Comptroller for approval of the sureties, and when so approved, that the President be authorized to sign the contract for and on behalf of the Department.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

The Board then proceeded to consider evidence taken in the trials of Park Policemen.

William C. Bergen, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was cautioned.

James L. Havey, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was cautioned.

James Gorman, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was acquitted.

Albert W. McKean, charged with being late for roll-call, was cautioned.

John J. O'Leary, charged with being late for roll-call, was cautioned.

James Higgins, charged with being off post, was acquitted.

George Hampshire, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as

charged and fined one day's pay, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

Frank A. Smith, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as

charged and fined one day's pay, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

Joseph Verity, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was cautioned.

William Schneider, charged with being late for roll-call, was acquitted.

George Edwards, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty and

fined one day's pay, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

George Edwards, charged with being off post, violation of rules and neglect of duty, was

found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

George Edwards, charged with being off post, was acquitted.

George Edwards, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was acquitted.

James Bennett, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as charged

and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

William H. Schultz, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as

charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

Nicholas O'Neil, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was acquitted.

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William S. Ryerson, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as

charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

Thomas Dalton, charged with being late at roll-call, was cautioned.

Charles B. Britton, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as

charged and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

John J. O'Brien, charged with being late at roll-call, was acquitted.

Michael F. Tallon charged with being absent from duty without leave, was found guilty as

charged and fined one day's pay, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

Day Hardie, charged with being absent from duty without leave, was cautioned.

John Maguire, charged with being off post and intoxication and being absent from duty without

leave (two charges), was found guilty as charged and fined thirty days' pay, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

Michael Delury (Doorman), charged with being absent from duty without leave and intoxication,

was found guilty as charged and fined five days' pay, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

Commissioner Gallup from the Auditing Committee presented the following report:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Abeel Brothers, iron..... Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... \$24 36

Arnold, David P., beef..... Zoological Department..... 234 00

Barron, James S. & Co., brushes, etc..... Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... 58 90

Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music..... Music..... 170 00

Cappa, C. A., music..... Music..... 230 00

Canda & Kane, brick, etc..... Police—Supplies and Repairs..... \$1 35

Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... 37 50

Chadborn & Coldwell Mfg. Co., wheel, etc..... Maintenance and Construction

New Parks north of Harlem

river, etc..... 3 21

Dunham, Thomas C., paints, etc..... Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... 151 80

East River Mill and Lumber Company

(The), spruce..... Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... 15 00

Ferris, Edwin & Co., salt..... Zoological Department..... 4 78

Haffen, Louis F., petty disbursements..... Maintenance and Construction

New Parks north of Harlem

river, etc..... 53 99

Haggerty, J. Henry, oil..... Harlem River Bridges—Special

Repairs..... \$24 75

Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... 5 10

McCloskey, Charles, stalls, etc..... Zoological Department..... 29 85

McDermott, M. J., repairs to house..... Maintenance and Construction

of New Parks north of

Harlem river, etc..... 150 00

Manhattan Supply Company (The),

wrenches..... Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... 18 00

Mason, J. W. & Co., chairs..... Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... 16 00

Patterson Brothers, nails, etc..... Harlem River Bridges—Special

Repairs..... \$10 10

Labor, Maint.—General Main-

tenance..... 7 23

17 33

Rehm & Co., blue pennant	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$6 75
Thorburn, Jas. M. & Co., sun flower seed	Zoological Department	1 25
Valentine & Co., oils, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	71 03
Yellow Pine Company (The), spruce, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	97 57
		<u>\$1,517 67</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance	\$509 24
Zoological Department	390 03
Music	400 00
Police—Supplies and Repairs	1 35
Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem river, etc.	182 20
Harlem River Bridges—Special Repairs	34 85
	<u>\$1,517 67</u>

Amounting to the sum of one thousand five hundred and seventeen dollars and sixty-seven cents.

A. GALLUP, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, May 25, 1892.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

From the Police Surgeon, stating that Officer Charles E. Bertram had been under his care for eight days, suffering from injuries received while in discharge of his duty.

On motion, full pay was allowed Officer Bertram for the time lost.

Mr. A. M. Powell and others, residents of West Seventy-second street, were heard in relation to the condition of that street in the vicinity of Riverside Park, and requested that action be taken to prevent the use of the street as a dumping ground and travel over the lawns at the lower end of Riverside Park.

On motion, at 11.30 A. M., the Board went into executive session.

Commissioner Gallup offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans for fitting up the building known as Castle Garden as an aquarium and for the improvement of the grounds around said building be and hereby are approved, and that the same be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the approval of said Board, as provided by section 2 of chapter 28 of the Laws of 1892.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

From Louis J. Grant, attorney, relative to reinstating Michael Rogan in the employ of the Department. Referred to Commissioner Gallup.

From D. E. Seybel, in relation to an application for permission to construct a foot-bridge over Spuyten Duyvil Creek, at Kingsbridge.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, consent was given to the construction of a foot-bridge as applied for, at the expense of the applicants, subject to the rights and consent of any party in interest in the lands or premises affected.

From Frederick H. Allen, desiring to occupy the "Hoyt House," in Pelham Bay Park.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, the use and occupation of the premises known as the "Hoyt House," was authorized for nine months at \$60 per month, all repairs to be made by the occupant.

Commissioner Gallup submitted the following report:

MAY 23, 1892.

I report with reference to the letter of Mr. Bushe, on behalf of Mr. Peabody, referred to me, relative to the occupancy of the Iselin House on Hunter Island, that the President has approved the form of a letter which has been sent in reply to Mr. Bushe, setting forth his rights as tenant.

I also report concerning the letter of Captain Louis Wendel, referred to me, relative to the improvement of the approaches of the Washington Bridge, that the bill turning over the approaches to the Washington Bridge to this Department has not become a law, and, therefore, this Department can do nothing. I have sent Captain Wendel's letter to the Secretary of the Bridge Commission, with the request that he inform him of the situation of affairs.

Concerning the restaurant at Claremont Park, I report that I have awarded the license to the petitioner for a fee of five per cent. on the gross receipts, and that the license has been duly executed.

From the secretary of the Memorial Committee of the G. A. R., asking that the use of the cottage at Union Square by the committee under a permit from this Department be made to include the placing of signs on the outside of the cottage and the selling of tickets within. Granted.

From Edward G. Arthur, asking permission for a delegation of the Seventh Regiment Veterans to decorate the Seventh Regiment Monument in Central Park on Memorial Day. Granted.

From the Engineer in charge of the New Parks, recommending the transfer of the engineering force under him to the Engineer of Construction and the appointment of a team and ten laborers. Referred to the President, with power.

Commissioner Dana made a verbal report in relation to the condition of the City Island Bridge and recommended that immediate repairs be made to the planking, which recommendation was, on motion, approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

From Robinson & Wallace, applying for a permit to build a vault under the sidewalk in front of premises No. 852 Fifth avenue.

On motion, a permit was ordered granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

From Thomas Brennan, a Laborer employed in the shops, applying for an increase of pay.

On motion, the pay of Thomas Brennan was fixed at \$3 per day, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending the discharge of four carts and the employment of two teams.

On motion, the recommendation of the Superintendent was approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, permission was given to continue the running of horse-cars in Transverse Road No. 3, crossing Central Park until further orders, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Tappen—3.

On motion, at 12.30 P. M., the executive session arose and the Board adjourned to meet Wednesday, June 1, at 10 A. M.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1892—ADJOURNED MEETING, 10 A. M.

Present—Commissioner Dana (President), Gallup, Straus, Tappen.

Mr. R. T. Creamer appeared and asked that favorable action be taken upon a petition referred to this Department by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement asking that the gore bounded by One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Seventh streets, Boulevard and West End avenue, be acquired by the City for park purposes.

Mr. Cyrus Clark, representing the West End Association, was also heard in favor thereof.

On motion, the President was authorized to act in concert with the Commissioner of Public Works in the matter.

The following communications were received:

From the Counsel to the Corporation:

1st. In relation to obtaining possession of lands for approaches to the new McComb's Dam Bridge, in order to proceed with the work of building the Jerome avenue approach in advance of the completion of the proceeding for acquiring the said land. Filed.

2d. Inclosing a form of instrument to be executed by the New York and Northern Railway Company and this Department, giving right of way for temporary approaches to the footways of the bridge over Harlem river at Eighth avenue.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, the President was authorized to execute the said instrument for and on behalf of this Department, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Straus, Tappen—4.

From Robert A. Chesebrough, commending Officer Doolady for stopping a runaway team of horses on Riverside Drive, on the 29th instant. Filed, with directions that the same be communicated to the Police force.

From the Property Clerk, reporting the death of a horse at the Park stables on 30th instant. Filed.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending the acceptance of a quantity of mould offered by P. Fogarty to be delivered free of charge.

On motion, the Superintendent was authorized to accept the mould.

From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting copies of resolutions as follows:

1st. Authorizing the purchase of a stone-crusher, without public letting. Filed.

2d. Authorizing the purchase of cast-steel track circles for the draw of the Madison Avenue Bridge, without public letting. Filed.

From the Secretary of the U. S. Horse and Cattle Show Society, relative to the distribution of prizes won by the members of the Mounted Squad of the Park Police force, and asking suggestions as to the conditions of future contests. Filed.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, the sale of grass in the New Parks was ordered to take in St. Mary's, Crotona, Claremont and Van Cortlandt Parks, on the 15th instant, and in Bronx and Pelham Parks on the 16th instant, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Straus, Tappen—4.

Commissioner Gallup, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following report:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Hopper, John J., Estimate No. 1. For erection of parapet wall, etc., Morningside Park.	\$6,121 60
Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music. Music	170 00
	<u>\$6,291 60</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Morningside Park—Construction of parapet wall, etc.	\$6,121 60
Music	170 00
	<u>\$6,291 60</u>

Amounting to the sum of six thousand two hundred and ninety-one dollars and sixty cents.

NATHAN STRAUS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

NEW YORK, June 1, 1892.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Gallup, Straus, Tappen—4.

On motion, at 10.35 A. M., the Board adjourned to meet Wednesday, 8th instant, at 10 A. M.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 1892—ADJOURNED MEETING, 10 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Dana (President), Straus, Tappen.

The following communications were received:

From Charles Schwarz, licensee, asking to be reimbursed for expenditures made in repairing the premises occupied by him in High Bridge Park. Filed.

From Nicholas Teator, applying for the privilege of selling refreshments in St. Mary's Park. Referred to the President.

From the Engineer in charge of the New Parks north of Harlem river, reporting in relation to the City Island Bridge, with an estimate of the cost of making necessary repairs to the same.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, the matter was referred to the President, with power, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending acceptance of an offer of Peter Sabbio to deliver a quantity of mould free of charge on Riverside Park.

On motion, the Superintendent was authorized to accept the mould offered.

From the Director of the Menagerie, recommending that the surplus sheep of the Central Park flock be disposed of.

On motion, an auction sale of the surplus sheep was ordered to take place on 29th instant.

From the Entomologist, reporting in relation to damage being done in the parks by obnoxious animals, etc. Referred to the Superintendent of Parks for his recommendation.

From the Engineer of Construction:

1st. Submitting a map showing the westerly boundary lines of Riverside Park, as fixed by chapter 496 of the Laws of 1885, and recommending that the same be submitted to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for their acceptance and approval. Approved.

2d. Submitting an estimate of the cost of improving the grounds around Castle Garden. Filed.

From the Landscape Architect, reporting in regard to a site for the statue of General Hancock, and recommending that a point shown on an accompanying plan be designated.

On motion of Commissioner Dana, the site recommended by the Landscape Architect was approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

A petition signed by E. S. Jaffray & Co., J. K. Hedges and others, asking that Sergeant J. B. Ferris be appointed Captain of the Park Police, was received and placed on file.

From A. P. Boller, Engineer, recommending the appointment of an inspector on the work of building the new McComb's Dam Bridge.

On motion, the matter was referred to the President, with power, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

From the Engineer of Construction, recommending the promotion of Hugh Morrissey from the grade of a Laborer to the grade and pay of Axeman.

On motion, Hugh Morrissey was promoted to the position of Axeman by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

On motion of Commissioner Dana, the circle at Fifty-ninth street and Eighth avenue was designated as the site for the Columbus Monument, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, Roundsman William C. Egan was promoted to grade of Sergeant of the Park Police by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

Commissioner Straus, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following reports:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Barron, James S. & Co., tumblers, etc. Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$0 60
Zoological Department	4 60
	<u>\$5 20</u>
Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music. Music	170 00
Cappa, C. A., music	132 00
Cappa, C. A., music	460 00
Consolidated Gas Company, gas. Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$91 44
Zoological Department	2 81
Harlem River Bridges—Special Repairs	14 87
Police—Supplies and Repairs	20 50
	<u>129 62</u>

Colwell Lead Co., solder, etc. Cleaning Lakes—Central Park.	6 19
Eben, Felix I., music	680 00
Elizabeth Nursery Co. (The), elms. Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	265 00
	<u>\$2,056 46</u>

Huffman, Theo. P., Estimate No. 2. Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$2,056 46
Police—Supplies and Repairs	690 89
Zoological Department	871 72
	<u>3,619 07</u>

Huffman, Theo. P., & Co., salt, etc. Zoological Department	\$8 93
Police—Supplies and Repairs	6 00
	<u>14 93</u>

Hurlburt, C. T., acornite, etc. Zoological Department	3 13
Keuffel & Esser Co., paper, etc. Maintenance and Construction of New Parks North Harlem River, etc.	97 60
	<u>333 33</u>

Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co. (The), telephonic service	17 64
Moffat, D. & Co., leather. Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	50 20
Mott, J. L., Iron Works (The), hoppers, etc. Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	295 00
	<u>49 75</u>

McCloskey, Charles, removing skate building Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	49 75
New York Mutual Gas-light Co. (The), gas. Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	

Smith, Lawrence F., springs, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$14 25
Saddlery Hardware Manufacturing Co.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	21 00
(The), blankets	Harlem River Bridges—Special Repairs	90 69
Willson, Adams & Co., spruce, etc.	Police—Supplies and Repairs.	\$147 00
Whitman Saddle Co., saddle cloth, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	7 50
Young, William, sods	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	500 00
		\$7,109 10

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance	\$3,368 84
Zoological Department	891 19
Music	1,442 00
Harlem River Bridges—Special Repairs	105 56
Police—Supplies and Repairs	864 39
Cleaning Lakes in Central Park—Resolution Board of Estimate and Apportionment, March 29, 1892	6 19
Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River, etc.	97 60
Telephonic Service	333 33
	\$7,109 10

Amounting to the sum of seven thousand one hundred and nine dollars and ten cents.

N. STRAUS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

NEW YORK, June 8, 1892.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:
Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Cappa, C. A., music	Music	\$460 00
Pierce, John, Estimate No. 10	Met. Mus. Art—Completion North Extension	13,688 00
Wolf, Joseph, professional services	Met. Mus. Art—Completion North Extension	171 10
		\$14,319 10

RECAPITULATION.

Music	\$460 00
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion North Extension, Laws 1889	13,859 10
	\$14,319 10

Amounting to the sum of fourteen thousand three hundred and nineteen dollars and ten cents.

N. STRAUS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

NEW YORK, June 8, 1892.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:
Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

On motion, at 10.30 A. M., the Board adjourned to meet Wednesday, 15th instant, at 10 A. M.
CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bill, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Brennan, John, Tompkins Square Cottage, Special Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$745 00
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RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance—General Maintenance	\$745 00
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Amounting to the sum of seven hundred and forty-five dollars.

N. STRAUS, } Auditing Committee.
A. GALLUP, }

NEW YORK, June 8, 1892.

The above-mentioned bill having been read and passed on, on motion, the same was approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, by the following vote:
Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen—3.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 1892—ADJOURNED MEETING, 10 A. M.

A quorum not being present, no business was transacted.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1892—STATED MEETING, 11 A. M.

Present—Commissioner Gallup.

A quorum not being present, no business was transacted.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1892. }

Present—President Henry D. Purroy, in the chair, and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

Proposals Opened.

Affidavits of the Supervisor of the CITY RECORD, as to due publication of advertisements, were read and filed. Approved forms of contracts were submitted.

For 10,000 feet of Hose.

No. 1. The Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company. \$17,500 00

Accompanied by security deposit, certified check for \$400.

For New Building at No. 81 West One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

No. 1. John H. Deeves & Bro.	\$22,000 00
No. 2. Herman Hafke	20,500 00
No. 3. Thomas Dwyer	20,976 00
No. 4. Joseph Spears	21,960 00
No. 5. James H. Brady	21,867 00
No. 6. James D. Murphy	24,980 00

Each accompanied by security deposit, certified check for \$500.

No. 1 for hose and No. 2 for new building were referred to the Comptroller for his action on the sureties, and it was ordered that the security deposits be also transmitted to him. Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6 for new building were filed.

Recess was then taken to 11 o'clock A. M.

The Board reconvened at the hour stated.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy, in the chair, and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

Trials.

Fireman 2d grade Jacob Hoffman, Hook and Ladder 10, for "neglect of duty." Reprimanded.
Fireman 1st grade Michael P. Crowley, Engine 29, for "reckless driving." Reprimanded.
Assistant Foreman Thomas F. Kelly, Engine 29, for "violation of section 140, article IV., Rules and Regulations." Reprimanded.

Fireman 3d grade Thomas J. Tobin, Hook and Ladder 10, for "absence without leave." Reprimanded.

Resolution.

Resolved, That Temporary Assistant to the Attorney Meyer Butzel be transferred from the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings to the Bureau of Combustibles, such transfer to take effect on June 1, 1892, at 9 A. M.

Promotion—To take effect June 1, 1892.

Inspector of Buildings Cornelius J. Horgan to be Assistant Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings, with salary at the rate of \$1,900.

Transfers—To take effect on 26th instant.

Clerk William J. Finley, from Headquarters to Bureau of Buildings.
Clerk Michael Reidy, from Bureau of Inspection of Buildings to Headquarters.

Requisitions—Expenditures Authorized.

Painting at quarters of Engine 22	\$96 00
Plumbing and gas-fitting at temporary quarters Engine 40	250 00
Tinsmith work at quarters Engine 14	39 00
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Tinsmith work at Fuel Depot 12	67 00
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Wagon hardware, steam-fittings, harness trimmings	250 00
Repairs to fire-extinguishers, ladders, wagons, etc.	250 00
Furniture	198 80
Collar-pipes and Siamese connections	270 00
Cast iron, composition castings, etc.	480 00

Referred.

Finance Department—Returning proposal of The Standard Underground Cable Company, for laying pipes, etc., with approval of sureties. To Chairman of Committee on Telegraph and Supplies.

Filed.

Chief of Department—Recommending purchase of four new fire-engines. Ordered that proposals be advertised for.

Same—Reporting transfer of Engine 18 to new quarters and recommending that temporary quarters be sold at auction. Approved, and sale ordered.

Finance Department—Returning proposal of The Standard Underground Cable Company for action on substitution of sureties. Substitution of sureties having been approved by the Acting President, action approved.

Same—Relative to price agreed upon for purchase of lot on One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, near Seventh avenue.

On motion, the resolution adopted at meeting, March 2, 1892, was rescinded and the following adopted:

Resolved, That in pursuance of the authority conferred by section 425 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, this Board does authorize the purchase of a certain lot described as follows, viz.:

"All that certain lot on the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, distant about one hundred feet east of Seventh avenue, and running easterly twenty-five feet, said lot being twenty-five feet wide in front and rear, by half of the block in depth, for the sum of eight thousand dollars; and that Commissioner Eickhoff is hereby authorized to execute a contract on behalf of this Board with the owner of said lot for such purchase, and the Counsel to the Corporation is hereby requested to prepare the proper contract."

Same—Weekly statement of condition of appropriation.

Same—Receipt for security deposit accompanying proposals for repairing quarters of Engine 13.

Bills and Pay-rolls Audited.

Schedule No. 143 of 1891, on this date.

Apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$528 00
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Schedule No. 46 of 1892, on this date.

Apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$1,694 39
Repairs and alterations to buildings	881 00

\$2,575 39

Schedule No. 47 of 1892, on this date.

Apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$722 75
Placing fire-alarm conductors underground	74 55
Salaries	1,443 38

\$2,240 68

Schedule No. 48 of 1892, on this date.

Salaries	\$139,676 04
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Communications, etc., Referred.

Chief of Department—Forwarding report of Theatre Detail of a violation of section 26, chapter 566, Laws of 1887, and fire-alarm box out of order at Union Theatre, in Eighth street. To the Attorney for prosecution.

Attorney to the Department—Returning six fire-escape cases, with recommendation that complaints be dismissed. To the Superintendent of Buildings.

Filed.

Chief of Department—Relative to providing additional firemen for companies furnishing details at places of amusement. Approved.

Same—Forwarding report of Instructor of School of Instruction of members relieved from attendance.

Fireman 3d grade John Sullivan, of Engine 19, tendering resignation. Acceptance by the Acting President approved.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder 21—Reporting death of Fireman 1st grade Thomas R. Godfrey, from injuries received while driving apparatus to alarm of fire.

Foreman Engine 10—Reporting death of retired Fireman Dennis J. Leary.

Commissioner of Public Works—Relative to transfer of unexpended balance of appropriation for placing fire-hydrants.

Machinist Adolph A. Austin, at Repair Shops—Applying for leave of absence without pay. Approved.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Reporting fire-alarm circuits cut down. To be communicated to Board of Electrical Control.

Secretary—Certified copy of chapter 703 of the Laws of 1892, amending sections 454 and 465 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882. Opinion from Counsel to the Corporation to be requested as to whether there is any conflict with the provisions of chapter 275, Laws of 1892; and the Secretary and Chief of Department directed to prepare necessary rules to carry out the provisions of the act.

The building used as quarters for Engine 49, on Blackwell's Island, having been reported to be in a dangerously unsafe condition, it was,

On motion, ordered that the Commissioners of Charities and Correction be notified thereof and requested to have the same repaired and made safe without delay.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, May 27, 1892. }

Present—President Henry D. Purroy, in the chair, and Commissioner Eickhoff.

Requisitions, etc.—Expenditures Authorized.

Repairs to Engine 9	\$75 50
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Referred.

C. H. Bauer—Offering to sell the premises, No. 604 East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, for \$7,000. To the Chief of Department.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That President Purroy be and is hereby authorized for and on behalf of this Department to visit the principal western cities for the purpose of examining into the organization, apparatus and administration of their Fire Departments.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, May 31, 1892.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins, in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Communications, etc., Filed.

Superintendent of Buildings—Notice that the Department of Buildings is now organized, and requesting transfer to the new Department of all books, records, etc., in use in the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

On motion, the following was adopted:

"Whereas, The Superintendent of Buildings, appointed by the Mayor, under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 275 of the Laws of 1892, has notified this Department, under the provisions of said act, that the Department of Buildings thereby created is organized and has requested the transfer of all books, etc., as provided in said act; therefore,

"Resolved, That the Acting Superintendent of Buildings, the Attorney to the Department and the Foreman in charge of the Hospital and Training Stables, be and are hereby instructed to transfer to the Superintendent of the new Department of Buildings all books, papers, records, property, leases, moneys, accounts, claims and things of every kind and description belonging to or in the custody of said Fire Department and used in connection with the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, which are held by them respectively, and to take a proper receipt therefor, and file such receipt in the office of the Secretary of the Department."

Chairman of Committee on Telegraph and Supplies—Returning proposal of The Standard Underground Cable Company for laying pipes, etc., with recommendation that contract be awarded for Lots Nos. 1 and 2, amounting to \$8,309.18. Approved and contract awarded.

Finance Department—Returning proposal of The Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company for hose, \$17,500, with approval of the sureties. Contract awarded thereon.

Appointments—To take effect June 1, 1892.

Ununiformed Firemen as Firemen of the 3d grade:

Robert McDonald.

Adjourned.

Henry Snyder.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL T. DALY, CHARLES G. F. WAHLE.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN J. TUCKER, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, H. W. CANNON, and the MAYOR, COMPTROLLER and COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, ex officio, Commissioners; J. C. LITTLE, Secretary; A. F. FOLEY, Chief Engineer; E. A. WOLFF, Auditor.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner, Room A.
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6).
GEORGE W. BURDALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9);
JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4);
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent of Street Improvements (Room 5); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (Room 9); WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); WM. H. BECKER, Water Purveyor (Room 2); STEPHEN H. MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11); JOHN J. RYAN, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16).

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

No. 2622 Third Avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER, Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN EYCK, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller; D. LOWBER SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.
Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

Office of the Corporation Attorneys.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES F. MACLEAN, JOHN McCLEAVE and JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KILPATRICK, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBROUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third Avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., and EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FRIDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street
HENRY D. BURROUGHS, President; S. HOWLAND ROBBINS and ANTHONY EICKHOFF, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELIJAH SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.
Central Office open at all hours.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 220 Fourth Avenue, corner of Eighteenth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent.

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION

Washington Building, No. 1 Broadway.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and JOSEPH D. BRYANT, M. D., the PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD and HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, ex officio, Commissioners; EDMUND CLAPP, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
PAUL DANA, President; ALBERT GALLUP, ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN and NATHAN STRAUS, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS

Battery, Pier A, North river

J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; EDWIN A. POST and JAMES J. PHELAN, Commissioners; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; THOMAS L. FEITNER and EDWARD L. PARRIS, Commissioners; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; J. JOSEPH SCULLY, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES THOMPSON, Chairman; WILLIAM HILDRETH FIELD and HENRY MARQUAND, Members of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT
The MAYOR, Chairman; E. P. BARKER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER and PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, Members; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD P. GILSON, Chairman; EDWARD CAHILL, CHARLES E. WENDT and PATRICK M. HAVERTY; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH KOCH, LEICESTER HOLME and WILLIAM S. ANDREWS, Commissioners; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. GORMAN, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under-Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD F. MARTIN, Commissioner; JAMES F. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney; EDWARD T. FLYNN, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 47 Chambers street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZ, JOHN B. SHELA, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

New County Court-house. Court opens at 10:30 A. M. adjourns 4 P. M.
RUSTUS S. RANSOM, Surrogate; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

SUPREME COURT

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens 10:30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; WILLIAM J. McKENNA, Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. McCALL, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN LERSCHER, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 22, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH F. DALY, Chief Justice; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Chief Clerk.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 21.
Part III., Room No. 15.
Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
SIMON M. EHRLICH, Chief Justice; JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

No. 32 Chambers street. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner Room No. 12. Court opens at 10:15 o'clock A. M.
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

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

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, June 30, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 1 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, July 14, 1892, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING CULVERTS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from the westerly curb-line of Union Avenue to Westchester Avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET, from Willis Avenue to Brook Avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF BROOK AVENUE, between the New York and Harlem Railroad and Third Avenue, and laying crosswalks.

No. 4. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF WESTCHESLER AVENUE, from Trinity Avenue to Prospect Avenue, and laying crosswalks.

No. 5. FOR READJUSTING CURB, FLAGGING AND CROSSWALKS AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET, from Third Avenue to Courtlandt Avenue.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAGLE AVENUE, from Westchester Avenue to summit north of Westchester Avenue.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREETS, between Willow Avenue and New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad.

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

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

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

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

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards reserves the right to reject all bids received for any particular work if he deems it for the best interests of the city.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any other information desired, can be obtained at this office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 Broadway,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Department of Street Cleaning with the following articles:

780,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Oats.
310,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.
60,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
15,000 pounds Bran.
2,000 pounds Coarse Salt.
2,000 pounds Rock Salt.
1,000 pounds Oil Meal.
1,000 pounds Oatmeal (coarse).

—will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the office of said Department, Room 189, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. July 15, 1892, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the Department of Street Cleaning, at the corner of Broadway and Avenue C, No. 614 West Fifty-second street, and in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, near Eighth Avenue, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

No estimate will be received or considered after the 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 cwt. of Hay, Straw, Oats, Bran, Coarse Salt, Rock Salt, Oil Meal and Coarse Oatmeal.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the above shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said 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 his faithful performance in the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five hundred (\$500) 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-book, 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 him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, in the Stewart Building.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS.

ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, CONFIRMED BY THE SUPREME COURT, JUNE 21, 1892.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, from CARTER AVENUE TO THIRD AVENUE, in the TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, June 21, 1892, and entered on the 28th day of June, 1892, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and

all payments made thereon on or before August 30, 1892, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 23, 1892.

SALE OF FERRY LEASE.

THE LEASE OF THE FRANCHISE OF THE Ferry from foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, North river, to Fort Lee, New Jersey, will be sold by the Comptroller, by order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted March 31, 1892, along with the wharf property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, used for ferry purposes, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1892, under a lease for a term of five years, commencing April 1, 1892.

The resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, authorizing the sale of this ferry, is as follows: Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to take measures to advertise and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, as provided by law, the lease of the franchise of the ferry from One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, North river, to Fort Lee, New Jersey, for a term of five years from April 1, 1892. For the franchise, together with all the wharf property now used and required for ferry purposes, the minimum yearly rental is appraised and fixed at eight per cent. of the gross receipts on the New York side of the ferry, which said eight per cent shall not be less than fifteen hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly; the receipts of the ferry on the New York side, upon which the percentage is to be computed, shall not be less than one-half the gross receipts of the ferry.

The terminal points as now established to be the same points or landing places between which the ferry is now run.

The City shall not be liable to pay any damages on account of the extension of Manhattan street. The lease shall be deemed to extend to and cover any new bulkhead and land under water which may be formed by the extension of Manhattan street or by any change of the present bulkhead-line.

Provided further, that if at the sale the franchise should be purchased by any one other than the present occupant, the vendee of the franchise shall be required to purchase the property actually used in and necessary for the operation of the ferry at the appraised value thereof, and that such appraisal be made by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTE.—At a meeting of the Board held April 22, 1892, the Commissioners approved of an appraisal of the property on the docks, boats, etc., at \$84,657, the value of the bulkhead leases in New York, and land and land under water used for ferry purposes in New Jersey, to be hereafter appraised.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder for the ferry will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and to deposit with the Comptroller, at the time of sale, a sum equal to twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid, which shall be credited on the rent of the first quarter, or be forfeited to the City if the lease shall not be executed by the purchaser when notified and required by the Comptroller, and he shall execute an obligation to that effect at the time of sale.

The lessee of the ferry will be required to give a bond in double the amount of the yearly rental, with two sufficient sureties, approved by the Comptroller, and conditioned for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the lease, which will be such as are required by law and the ordinances of the Common Council relating to ferries, and are usually contained in ferry leases, which shall be approved by the Counsel to the Corporation.

The lease shall contain a covenant providing for the purchase, at a fair appraised valuation, of the boats, buildings and other property belonging to the lessees, used in and actually necessary for the operation of the ferry upon the termination of the lease and the surrender and yielding up of the premises by the lessee, if the lessee shall not become the purchaser of the franchise for another term, which appraisal shall be made in the usual way before advertising a lease for a new term of the franchise, at least four months prior to the termination of the lease.

The rates for ferriage shall not exceed those heretofore charged at the ferry.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The right to reject any bid is reserved if deemed by the Comptroller to be for the interest of the City.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 27, 1892.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING HARLEM RIVER TERRACE, TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, CONFIRMED BY THE SUPREME COURT JUNE 6, 1892.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to HARLEM RIVER TERRACE, from CEDAR AVENUE TO FORDHAM ROAD, in the TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court June 6, 1892, and entered on the 16th day of June, 1892, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 15, 1892, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 23, 1892.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING CEDAR AVENUE, TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, CONFIRMED BY THE SUPREME COURT, JUNE 10, 1892.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives

public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to CEDAR AVENUE, FROM SEDGWICK AVENUE TO FORDHAM ROAD, in the TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court June 10, 1892, and entered on the 11th day of June, 1892, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 15, 1892, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 23, 1892.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING ALEXANDER AVENUE, TWENTY-THIRD WARD, CONFIRMED BY THE SUPREME COURT, May 5, 1892.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to ALEXANDER AVENUE, FROM HARLEM RIVER TO THIRD AVENUE, in the TWENTY-THIRD WARD, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 5, 1892, and entered on the 18th day of June, 1892, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 17, 1892, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 23, 1892.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 421.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE DUMPING-BOARD SUPERSTRUCTURE AND A PORTION OF THE SUPERSTRUCTURE OF THE OLD PIER AND FOR PREPARING FOR AND REPAIRING THE PIER, DUMPING-BOARD AND A PORTION OF THE CRIB-BULKHEAD AT THE FOOT OF EAST FORTY-SIXTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE DUMPING-BOARD SUPERSTRUCTURE and a portion of the superstructure of the existing Pier, and for repairing the Pier, Dumping-board and a portion of the Crib-bulkhead, with all their appurtenances, at the foot of East Forty-sixth street, East 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 1 o'clock P. M. of

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

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

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

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

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	2,134
" " " 12" x 12".....	47,088
" " " 11" x 12".....	9,240
" " " 10" x 12".....	16,750
" " " 8" x 12".....	800
" " " 7" x 12".....	2,023
" " " 6" x 12".....	1,710
" " " 5" x 12".....	20
" " " 5" x 10".....	51,802
Total.....	131,615

NOTE.—This yellow pine timber is to 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 pier at his own expense and risk.

2. White Pine, Yellow butts, about 15 feet long.
NOTE.—These pile-butts will be delivered at the site of the work of Docks to the contractor free hereafter specified.

3. Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 12".....	330
" " " 3" x 12".....	53
" " " 3" x 10".....	1,575
" " " 5" x 7".....	63
" " " 6" x 6".....	7,740
" " " 5" x 6".....	122
" " " 3" x 9".....	57
" " " 2" x 4".....	
Total.....	10,222

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber, in item 3 are to be furnished by the contractor, and are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles for Pier..... 61
(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 45 feet in length to about 85 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

5. White Oak Fender Piles, about 65 feet long.... 35
6. 3/4" x 26", 3/4" x 24", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 1 1/2" x 18", 1 1/2" x 16", 1 1/2" x 14", 1 1/2" x 12", 1 1/2" x 10", 1 1/2" x 8", 1 1/2" x 6", 1 1/2" x 4", 1 1/2" square, and 3/8" x 8 1/2" and 3/8" x 5 1/2" round, Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, 40d. Cut Nails and 3/8" x 3" Wood Screws, about..... 10,130 pounds.

7. Wrought-iron Wearin Strips and Washers, about..... 4,504 "

8. 1 1/2", 1 1/2" and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts, about..... 8,363 "

9. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/2" and 1" Screw Bolts, about..... 4,277 "

10. Cast-iron Pile-shoes, about..... 1,090 "

11. Cast-iron Half Windlasses, about..... 200 "

12. Cast-iron Cleats, about..... 2,025 "

13. Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring.

14. Labor of removing superstructure of old Pier and Dumping-board at the foot of East Forty-sixth street, East river, and of removing all the old material from the premises.

15. Labor of every description for repairing about 5,400 square feet of new Pier and rebuilding about 3,510 square feet of overhanging Dumping-boards and repairing the face of the Crib-bulkhead.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, or within five days from the receipt of a notice from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that the work may be begun, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 27th day of August, 1892, or within as many days thereafter as may elapse after the date of the contract before a notice is given to the contractor by the Engineer that the work may be begun, 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, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said pier and dumping-board and bulkhead to be removed under this contract will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

iciency 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 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.

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES I. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, June 24, 1892.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 29, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO STOREHOUSE ROOFS, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

(No. 13.)

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, July 14, 1892, until 10 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Storehouse Roofs, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FIVE HUNDRED (\$500 DOLLARS)**.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be 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.

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

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

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

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

HENRY H. PORTER, President.
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house pier, Blackwell's Island (east side), 13,000 Barrels Extra Wheat Flour, Nos. 1 and 2, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, July 6, 1892, said flour to be delivered in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels (1,000 barrels fortnightly), one-half of each quality, and all to be delivered as required during the last six months of the year 1892, to be delivered in barrels only, viz.: 6,500 barrels like sample No. 1. 6,500 barrels like sample No. 2. 7,000 empty barrels to be returned, and the price bid for the same by the contractor to be deducted from the price of the flour.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 23, 1892.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 30, 1892.

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

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Maggie McCray, aged 32 years; 4 feet 9 1/2 inches high; brown hair, gray eyes. Had on when admitted black hat, check sacque, black dress, gray petticoat, red flannel petticoat, shoes, stockings. Hannah Fitzgerald, aged 29 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; auburn hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted black straw hat, black waist, brown skirt, red petticoat. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 and the laws amendatory thereof.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, New York, on the 23rd day of July, 1892, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 and the laws amendatory thereof. The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the town of North Salem, County of Westchester, and is laid out and indicated on a certain map, entitled:

Map of additional lands required for the construction of Reservoir M, which said map was filed in Westchester County Register's office, at White Plains, in said County, on November 9, 1891, as Map No. 1003.

The real estate proposed to be taken or affected is required for the construction and maintenance of the dam and reservoir known as Reservoir M or Titicus Reservoir, and the following is a statement of the boundaries of said dam and reservoir and of the real estate to be acquired therefor under this proceeding:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land in the town of North Salem, County of Westchester and State of New York, which taken together constitute a tract of land particularly described and shown on said map, and described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of parcel number nineteen on said map; from thence running south 88 degrees 35 minutes, east 1,029 13-100 feet; south 66 degrees 5 minutes, east 541 10-100 feet; south 82 degrees 36 minutes, east 1,544 36-100 feet; south 58 degrees 6 minutes, east 1,862 60-100 feet; north 21 degrees, east 423 47-100 feet; north 40 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds, east 106 95-100 feet; south 46 degrees 32 minutes, east 922 24-100 feet; south 77 degrees 41 minutes, east 561 93-100 feet; south 44 degrees, east 462 36-100 feet; south 13 degrees 13 minutes, west 435 42-100 feet; south 61 degrees 25 minutes, east 263 15-100 feet; south 82 degrees 35 minutes, east 55 3-10 feet; north 63 degrees 9 minutes, east 326 1-10 feet; south 59 degrees 15 minutes, east 1,032 00-100 feet; north 64 degrees 14 minutes, east 349 18-100 feet; south 39 degrees 15 minutes, east 905 1-10 feet; south 24 degrees, west 710 15-100 feet; south 11 degrees 41 minutes, west 157 99-100 feet; south 69 degrees 9 minutes, east 193 75-100 feet; south 75 degrees 51 minutes, east 122 5-10 feet; south 81 degrees 44 minutes, east 357 7-10 feet; south 82 degrees 59 minutes, east 132 28-100 feet; south 82 degrees 5 minutes, east 329 8-100 feet; south 15 degrees 7 minutes, west 280 51-100 feet; south 52 degrees, east 513 11-100 feet; south 40 degrees 43 minutes, west 73 5-10 feet; north 74 degrees 32 minutes, west 191 24-100 feet; south 40 degrees 10 minutes, west 597 90-100 feet; south 43 degrees 35 minutes, east 457 79-100 feet; south 67 degrees 47 minutes, west 239 58-100 feet; south 1 degree 12 minutes 30 seconds, west 819 29-100 feet; south 84 degrees 37 minutes, west 902 27-100 feet; north 4 degrees 5 minutes, east 566 58-100 feet; north 1 degree 7 minutes, east 1,538 99-100 feet; north 73 degrees 34 minutes, west 794 55-100 feet; north 40 degrees 31 minutes, west 833 60-100 feet; north 72 degrees 15 minutes, west 955 feet; north 51 degrees 6 minutes, west 330 2-100 feet; south 63 degrees 40 minutes 30 seconds, west 1,364 feet; north 64 degrees 21 minutes 30 seconds, west 1,149 20-100 feet; north 48 degrees 49 minutes, west 702 feet; north 71 degrees 50 minutes, west 601 70-100 feet; south 27 degrees 52 minutes, west 2,054 40-100 feet; north 57 degrees 35 minutes, west 402 feet; north 5 degrees 2 minutes 30 seconds, west 307 66-100 feet; north 85 degrees 13 minutes, west 29 feet; north 10 degrees 9 minutes, east 78 3-10 feet; north 11 degrees 41 minutes, east 139 6-10 feet; north 58 degrees 53 minutes 30 seconds, west 133 5-10 feet; north 58 degrees 47 minutes, west 184 feet; north 46 degrees 54 minutes 30 seconds, west 1,010 8-10 feet; south 35 degrees 9 minutes, west 370 feet; north 4 degrees 11 minutes, east 1,597 40-100 feet; north 86 degrees 26 minutes 30 seconds, west 466 13-100 feet; north 4 degrees 13 minutes, east 330 75-100 feet; north 3 degrees 44 minutes, east 653 89-100 feet; north 6 degrees 5 minutes, east 318 26-100 feet; north 4 degrees 33 minutes, east 226 24-100 feet; north 4 degrees 46 minutes 30 seconds, east 100 3-10 feet;

north 5 degrees 3 minutes, east 135 27-100 feet, to the point and place of beginning.

All of said lands are to be acquired in fee, and include all of the parcels shown on said map Number 1003.

Reference is hereby made to said map for a more detailed and particular description of the premises to be acquired.

Public notice is also given that in the construction of the said dam and reservoir, known as Reservoir M, it has been and will be necessary to change the highway system through the lands acquired and to be acquired, and that on June 2, 1892, a map was filed in the Westchester County Register's office, at White Plains in said County, entitled "Map of lands in the Town of North Salem acquired by the City of New York, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 in the construction of Reservoir M, said map being numbered in said Register's office by the Number 1016." That said map shows the portion of the real estate heretofore acquired by the City of New York for the construction of said reservoir which it is proposed to substitute in place of the real estate heretofore used for highway purposes, and said map further shows the portions of the old roads to be used and raised, and shows where new roads are to be constructed through the same parcels heretofore acquired by the City, and designated as parcels 1-16, both inclusive; and public notice is further given that on June 2, 1892, a map was filed in the Westchester County Register's office, entitled: "Map of lands in the Town of North Salem to be acquired by the City of New York, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, in the construction of Reservoir M, said map being designated by Number 1017; that said map shows the portions of the real estate to be acquired, and which it is proposed to substitute in place of the real estate heretofore used for highway purposes, and said map further shows the portions of the old roads to be used and raised, and shows where new roads are to be constructed through the parcels to be acquired and designated on said map as parcels 17-38, both inclusive, and further notice is given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court at the above mentioned time and place for an order approving the highway system or substituted highway, as shown on the maps above referred to.

Dated NEW YORK CITY, June 3, 1892.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
New York City

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-second Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, July 13, 1892, for erecting Additions to Grammar School Building No. 69.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,
R. S. TREACY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 30, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, July 13, 1892, for erecting a New School Building on the site on northeast corner of Eighty-fifth street and Madison avenue; also for supplying New Furniture for the new wings of Grammar School Building No. 18.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 30, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, July 13, 1892, for supplying the New Furniture required for the New School Building, corner Fifty-first street and First Avenue.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 30, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, July 13, 1892, for removing Grammar School Building No. 9 to the lots on northwest corner of West Eighty-second street and Boulevard.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,
R. S. TREACY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 30, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, July 13, 1892, for Improving the Lots adjoining Grammar School Building No. 55, at No. 146 West Twentieth street.

GEORGE LIVINGSTON, Chairman,
G. T. SPRINGSTEED, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 30, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 9 o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 11, 1892, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School Building No. 65.

ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman,
THEO. E. THOMSON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 27, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, July 8, 1892, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 40 and 50.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman,
EWEN MCINTYRE, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 25, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, July 6, 1892, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Department, Grammar School Building No. 60, on College Avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets.

SAMUEL SAMUELS, Chairman,
ALBERT F. BRUGMAN, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 23, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, July 6, 1892, for making Sanitary Improvements at Primary School Building No. 4.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman,
EWEN MCINTYRE, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 22, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, July 5, 1892, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 20, 42 and Primary School Building No. 1.

HENRY KOPF, Chairman,
LOUIS HAUPT, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.
Dated NEW YORK, June 21, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the Board of School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 3:30 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 5, 1892, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School No. 13.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman,
HENRY H. HAIGHT, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 21, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 5, 1892, for Heating the New School Building to be erected at Woodlawn.

ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman,
THEODORE E. THOMSON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.
Dated New York, June 21, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 4 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, July 5, 1892, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Building No. 38.

WILLIAM BRANDON, Chairman,
FRANK W. MERRIAM, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.
Dated New York, June 21, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 5, 1892, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School Building No. 58.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,
R. S. TREACY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.
Dated New York, June 21, 1892.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, July 5, 1892, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School Building No. 11.

GEORGE LIVINGSTON, Chairman,
G. T. SPRINGSTEED, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 21, 1892.

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

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

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

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

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

The party submitting a proposal must include in his proposal the names of all sub-contractors, and no change will be permitted to be made in the sub-contractors named without the consent of the School Trustees and Superintendent of School Buildings.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 29, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Thursday, July 14, 1892, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS AND THE NECESSARY BRANCHES, CURVED PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS IN LEXINGTON, VANDERBILT, AMSTERDAM, KINGSBRIDGE AND TERRACE VIEW AVENUES; IN SIXTY-FOURTH, NINETY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH AND INWOOD STREETS, AND IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER-MAINS IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, between Second and Fifth avenues.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK FOR THE PAINTING OF THE EXTERIOR OF WASHINGTON MARKET.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Hudson river and Boulevard.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN AMSTERDAM AVENUE, WEST SIDE, between One Hundred and Seventy-third street and a point about 316.5 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, and SEWERS ON NORTH AND SOUTH SIDES OF ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, between Amsterdam and Wadsworth avenues, WITH CURVES INTO ELEVENTH AVENUE.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by

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

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTERS,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, May 1, 1892.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual Water Rates for 1892 are now due and payable at this office.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to FORT INDEPENDENCE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from its junction with Boston avenue to Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of December, 1890, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening

a certain street, herein designated as Fort Independence street, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 4th day of February, 1890, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 18th day of January, 1878, and on the 3d day of February, 1890, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 17th day of January, 1878, and on the 3d day of February, 1890, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street 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 them 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same duly verified to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of August, 1892, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon 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 in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant 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 30, 1892.
LEICESTER HOLME,
HENRY STEINERT,
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Burnside avenue to La Fontaine avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of December, 1890, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and filed in the office of the Secretary of State, on the 6th day of August, 1888, on the 1st day of June, 1889, and on the 13th day of June, 1890; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of August, 1888, on the 1st day of June, 1889, and on the 12th day of June, 1890, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 14th day of August, 1888, on the 21st day of May, 1890, and on the 11th day of June, 1890, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street 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 them 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 affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same duly verified to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of July, 1892, at 11 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 in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant 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 21, 1892.
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
EMANUEL M. FRIED,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to INTERVAL AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to Wilkins place, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of September, 1891, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence

of opening a certain avenue herein designated as Interval Avenue, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on the 5th day of June, 1879, and on the 4th day of June, 1890; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 8th day of August, 1879, on the 4th day of June, 1879, and on the 12th day of June, 1890; and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 2d day of August, 1878, on the 4th day of June, 1879, and on the 3d day of June, 1890, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said 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 them 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 avenue, or affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same duly verified to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of July, 1892, 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 in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant 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 21, 1892.
THOMAS P. WICKES,
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
DANIEL SHERRY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, have been appointed, by an order of the Supreme Court duly made and entered in the above entitled matter, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose, by and in consequence of the opening of that certain street, road or avenue, known and designated as East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street although not yet named by proper authority, extending from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to Railroad avenue, West, and from Brook avenue to Trinity avenue, and the acquisition of title by the City to the land included within the lines of such street or avenue, as the same was laid out by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and shown and delineated on certain maps made by the said Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapters 329 and 604 of the Laws of 1874, chapter 436 of the Laws of 1876, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 and chapter 577 of the Laws of 1887, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 4th day of August, 1888, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 3d day of August, 1888, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 31st day of July, 1888, and more particularly set forth and described in the petition of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and in the order appointing us Commissioners, which said petition and order are now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and for the purpose also of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of such street or avenue, so to be opened, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but deemed by us to be benefited thereby, and for the purpose of executing the trusts and duties imposed upon us as such Commissioners by title 5 of chapter 16 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, 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 by such acts or parts of acts as relate to or prescribe our duties as such Commissioners, passed subsequent thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of the opening of the said street or avenue, or affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same to us, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proof as the owners or claimants may desire, at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor, Room 25), in the City of New York, within thirty days after the date of this notice (June 23, 1892). And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of July, 1892, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, or at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may be then offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 23, 1892.
ADOLPH L. SANGER,
LAMONT M. LOUGHLIN,
CHARLES W. DAYTON,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of June,

1890, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Sixteenth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioner of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1891, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1888, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises 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 them 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of July, 1892, at 11 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 in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 20, 1892.
ROLLIN M. MORGAN,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 2d day of May, 1891, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Nineteenth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, by and under authority of chapter 607 of the Laws of 1867, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 17th day of September, 1869, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises 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 them 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of July, 1892, at 10:30 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 in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 15, 1892.
EZEKIEL THOMSON, JR.,
JACOB BLUMENTHAL,
JOSEPH L. MCKEON,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 2d day of May, 1891, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, by and under authority of chapter 607 of the Laws of 1867, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 17th day of September, 1869, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises 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 them 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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All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of July, 1892, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon 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 in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations, as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 15, 1892.
MAX MOSES,
BRYAN L. KENNELLY,
EDWARD PURCELL,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO the provisions of section 986, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, by the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, to all persons interested in these proceedings or in any lands affected thereby, and to any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate and assessment.

First—That we did deposit with the Commissioner of Public Works, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the City of New York, for and during the space of forty days, an abstract of our estimate of assessment, accompanied by copies of the diagrams prepared by us, which distinctly indicate, by separate numbers, the names of the owners of or the claimants to the respective tracts or parcels to be taken or assessed in these proceedings, and which also specify, in figures, with sufficient accuracy, the dimensions and bounds of each of said tracts or parcels. Whenever we have been unable to ascertain with sufficient certainty the name of any owner of any parcel of said land we have indicated such parcel upon the diagram embracing it as belonging to unknown owners. We have also published a notice for thirty days in the City Record, beginning the 3d day of May, 1892, stating our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at the time and place therein specified, and that all persons interested in such proceeding or in any of the lands affected thereby, having objections thereto, shall file the same in writing with the undersigned Commissioners, within thirty days after the first publication of said notice, and that we would hear such objections within the ten week days next after the expiration of said thirty days, in the manner prescribed by section 984 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

Second—That we have assessed for benefit in these proceedings all the several lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Birch street and Union street; easterly by the westerly line of Anderson avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Union street and Devoe street; westerly by the easterly line of Lind avenue and Aqueduct avenue, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

Third—That our abstract of estimate and assessment, together with the diagrams embracing the respective tracts or parcels of lands to be taken or assessed in these proceedings, may be inspected and examined at our office, Rooms 3 and 4, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York.

Fourth—That we will hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by such estimate and assessment in opposition to the same, on the 5th day of July, 1892, at three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at our said office.

Fifth—That it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be heard at Chambers street, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of July, 1892, 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 27, 1892.
CHARLES P. MCLELLAND,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
OLIVER B. STOUT,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of September, 1891, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for

the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and duly filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 17th day of September, 1889, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises 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 them 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of July, 1892, at two o'clock in the afternoon 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 in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 15, 1892.
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
DAVID K. SCHUSTER,
HERMAN BOLTE,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of WEBSTER AVENUE, commencing at One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and running to its intersection with the south line of Middlebrook Parkway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, have been appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, duly made and entered in the above entitled matter, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of the opening of that certain street or avenue designated as Webster avenue, extending from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Middlebrook Parkway, and the acquisition of title by the City to the land included within the lines of such street or avenue, as the same was laid out by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and shown and delineated on certain maps made by the said Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapters 329 and 604 of the Laws of 1874 and chapter 436 of the Laws of 1876, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the first day of March, 1879, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 28th day of February, 1879, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 21st day of February, 1879, and more particularly set forth and described in the petition of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and in the order appointing us Commissioners, which said petition and order are now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and for the purpose also of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of such street or avenue, so to be opened, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but deemed by us to be benefited thereby, and for the purpose of executing the trusts and duties imposed upon us as such Commissioners by title 5 of chapter 16 of the Laws of 1882, 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 by such acts or parts of acts as relate to or prescribe our duties as such Commissioners, passed subsequent thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of the opening of the said street or avenue, or affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same to us, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proof as the owners or claimants may desire, at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor, Room 25), in the City of New York, within thirty days after the date of this notice (June 10, 1892). And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of July, 1892, at twelve o'clock noon of that day to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place or at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 10, 1892.
JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
JOHN H. MOONEY,
JOHN HALLORAN,
Commissioners.
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, have been appointed, by an order of the Supreme Court duly made and entered in the above

entitled matter, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose, by and in consequence of the opening of that certain street or avenue designated as Tremont avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Aqueduct avenue to Boston road, and the acquisition of title by the City to the land included within the lines of such street or avenue, as the same was laid out by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and shown and delineated on certain maps made by the said Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapters 329 and 604 of the Laws of 1874, chapter 436 of the Laws of 1876 and chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 6th day of May, 1881, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of May, 1881, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 5th day of May, 1881, and more particularly set forth and described in the petition of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and in the order appointing us Commissioners, which said petition and order are now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and for the purpose also of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of such street or avenue, so to be opened, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but deemed by us to be benefited thereby, and for the purpose of executing the trusts and duties imposed upon us as such Commissioners by title 5 of chapter 16 of the Laws of 1882, 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 by such acts or parts of acts as relate to or prescribe our duties as such Commissioners, passed subsequent thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of the opening of the said street or avenue, or affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof are hereby required to present the same to us, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proof as the owners or claimants may desire, at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor, Room 25), in the City of New York, within thirty days after the date of this notice (June 10, 1892). And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of July, 1892, at twelve o'clock noon of that day to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, or at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 10, 1892.
JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
JOHN HALLORAN,
GEORGE R. KELSIO,
Commissioners.
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the twenty-fifth day of June, 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said twenty-fifth day of June, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock p.m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-seventh day of June, 1892.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Willis avenue and Brook avenue, from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence by a line drawn parallel to Willis avenue and distant 35 feet easterly therefrom to the United States channel-line in the Harlem river; southerly by the United States channel-line in the Harlem river; westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Alexander and Third avenues and Willis avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the eleventh day of July, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 12, 1892.
THOMAS F. GRADY, Chairman,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DURN, Clerk.

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