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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
November 16, 1894.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor:

SIR—I have the honor to send you herewith a statement of the operations and condition of the City Treasury and the Sinking Funds for the quarter ending September 30, 1894, as required by section 49 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Respectfully,

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

Statement of the Operations and Condition of the City Treasury during the Quarter ending September 30, 1894,

AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 49 OF THE NEW YORK CITY CONSOLIDATION ACT OF 1882.

I.

THE CITY TREASURY.

Receipts. TAXES.

Amount of Taxes Collected—	
By Receiver of Taxes.....	\$30,901 43
By Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears—Arrears of Taxes.....	545,930 01
Total receipts from Taxes.....	\$576,831 44

THE GENERAL FUND.

Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Costs...	\$393 32
CITY RECORD, Sales of.....	544 90
Collector of City Revenue—	
Market permits.....	\$17 00
Pipe-line franchises.....	324 50
Rents—Law Telegraph and Law Telephone Stations, New County Court-house.....	150 00
Coroners' Fees.....	491 50
Corporation Counsel—Costs, etc.....	367 25
County Clerk's Fees.....	285 05
Department of Public Charities and Correction—Steamboat fares, board, sales of old material, etc.....	10,307 35
Department of Public Parks—Rents, licenses, permits, etc.....	1,961 37
Department of Public Works—	18,841 90
Labor and material.....	\$4,717 07
Sales of old material.....	3,072 15
Sewers and drains.....	5,836 37
Street incumbrances.....	186 75
Tapping water-pipes.....	3,424 00
Department of Street Cleaning—Sale of "trimmings".....	17,236 34
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—	21,777 60
Labor and material.....	\$126 00
Licenses and permits.....	21 00
Sales of old material.....	1,025 46
Sewers and drains.....	3,020 00
Forfeited recognizances.....	4,192 46
Health Department—Searches and Transcripts of Births, Marriages and Deaths.....	1,300 00
Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures—	144 00
Inspectors' fees.....	\$1,073 25
Sealers' fees.....	110 49
Interest on Taxes—	1,183 74
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$6,024 56
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.....	66,964 07
Interest on Assessments—Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.....	72,988 63
Arrears.....	31,151 01
Interest on "Security Deposits"—Comptroller.....	796 84
Licenses—City Treasury—Mayor's First Marshal.....	6,863 25
Plumbers' certificates.....	260 00
Premium on Assessment Bonds.....	2,675 00
Registers' fees.....	22,778 06
Reimbursements—Account Committed Children—New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	937 00
Sheriff's Fees (one-half payable to Sheriff).....	23,324 22
Surrogate's Court—Fees.....	1,080 21
Public Administrator—Commissions.....	2,076 05
Miscellaneous—Subpoenas, copying, etc.....	5 46
Total receipts of the General Fund.....	\$243,962 51

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

Being reimbursements for moneys expended and unclaimed amounts, errors, etc., refunded—	
Department of Public Works—Repaving Streets and Avenues—Refund.....	406 10

* From and after May 9, 1894, the fees for searches and transcripts of births, marriages and deaths are paid into the Health Department Pension Fund, pursuant to chapter 555, Laws of 1894.

Department of Public Charities and Correction—Salaries.....	\$65 03
Fire Department—Apparatus and Supplies—Refund.....	4 20
Public Instruction—Salaries.....	408 50
Health Department—Hospital Fund—From United States Government for care of sick immigrants.....	372 00
Department of Public Parks.....	5 28
Salaries—Common Council.....	8 06
Total receipts on Appropriation Account.....	\$1,269 17

SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

Additional Public Parks Fund—Assessments.....	\$579 84
Annexed Territory of Westchester County—	
Disputed Tax.....	\$48 55
Interest on Disputed Tax.....	70 88
Assessment Sales Moneys Refunded—Transfer from Sinking Fund.....	119 43
Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	65 00
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	110 50
Croton Water Rent Refunding Account—Transfer from Sinking Fund Interest.....	113 00
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	483 46
Dock Fund—Repairs for Private Owners, etc.....	1,178 17
Excise Licenses.....	21,870 38
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination—Sales of Bovine Vaccine or Virus.....	418,130 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings—Assessments.....	874 65
Harlem River and Spuyten Duyvil Creek Improvement Fund—Assessments.....	168,003 19
Intestate Estates.....	839 66
Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments.....	1,041 28
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Redemption of.....	30 74
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	5 71
Land Drainage Fund—Assessments.....	13 86
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	10 61
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Parks.....	24,271 25
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	152 00
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886—Assessments.....	813 00
Street Incumbrances—Department Street Cleaning.....	615,985 96
Theatrical and Concert Licenses.....	690 00
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	2,300 00
Water-meter Fund—	3,053 07
Water Register.....	\$2,975 52
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.....	528 79
Interest on Water-meter Fund.....	3,504 31
New York State Dairy Commissioners' Fund—Fines for violation of Agricultural Law—Transferred from Sinking Fund Interest.....	77 83
Total receipts on Special and Trust Accounts.....	7,415 00

Total receipts on Special and Trust Accounts..... \$1,271,731 90

LOANS.

Moneys Borrowed on the Credit of the Corporation on Bonds and Stocks.

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSES ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR THE LOAN.	RATE OF INTEREST, PER CENT.	AMOUNT ISSUED.
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	To provide for a further supply of pure and wholesome water for the City of New York.....	Sec. 141, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	3	\$65,000 00
Additional Water Stock.....	For new reservoirs, dams and a new aqueduct.....	Sec. 34, chap. 490, Laws of 1883.....	3	310,000 00
Additional Water Stock of the City of New York.....	To provide for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.....	Chaps. 189 and 515 Laws of 1893.....	3	47,000 00
Armory Bonds.....	For purchasing sites, erecting and furnishing new armories.....	Chap. 487, Laws of 1886 .. Chap. 299, Laws of 1883 .. Chap. 330, Laws of 1887 .. Chap. 485, Laws of 1890 ..	3	27,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Street Improvements).....	For local improvements, regulating, grading and paving streets and building sewers.....	Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	3½	*250,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Park avenue, north of One Hundred and Sixth street).....	For improvement of Park avenue north of One Hundred and Sixth street.....	Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	3	50,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Fort Washington Ridge road).....	To provide for setting and establishing the location and boundaries of Fort Washington Ridge road, and for the improvement thereof.....	Sec. 18, chap. 114, Laws of 1892.....	3	825 45
Criminal Court-house Bonds.....	For the erection of a building for the criminal courts and other purposes in the City of New York.....	Chap. 371, Laws of 1887 ..	3	55,000 00
Water-main Stock.....	For the erection of the necessary pumping machinery, etc., and to lay the necessary mains to deliver water at higher elevations in the City of New York.....	Chap. 38, Laws of 1892.....	3	20,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of a bridge over Harlem river, about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge (Washington Bridge).....	Chap. 487, Laws of 1885 .. Chap. 573, Laws of 1888 .. Chap. 249, Laws of 1890 ..	3	21,500 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of a bridge over Harlem river at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street (Macomb's Dam Bridge).....	Chap. 207, Laws of 1890 .. Chaps. 13 and 552, Laws of 1892.....	3	90,698 12
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of a bridge over Harlem Ship Canal (Kingsbridge).....	Chap. 232, Laws of 1892.....	3	75,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of Sedgwick avenue and Ogden avenue approaches to new bridge at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street (Macomb's Dam Bridge).....	Chap. 207, Laws of 1890 .. Chap. 319, Laws of 1893 ..	3	30,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For improvement of Riverside Park.....	Chap. 575, Laws of 1887 ..	3	5,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For Military Parade Ground, Van Cortlandt Park.....	Chap. 530, Laws of 1892 ..	3	26,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For improvement of East River Park extension.....	Sec. 10, chap. 320, Laws of 1887.....	3	4,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For furnishing and equipping Castle Garden for an aquarium.....	Chap. 254, Laws of 1893 ..	3	10,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For the enlargement of the American Museum of Natural History Building—East Wing.....	Chap. 423, Laws of 1892 .. Chap. 448, Laws of 1893 ..	3	58,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For completion of Metropolitan Museum of Art—North Extension.....	Chap. 513, Laws of 1889 .. Chap. 420, Laws of 1892 ..	3	31,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For erection and equipment of additional buildings for insane on Ward's Island and at Central Islip.....	Chap. 276, Laws of 1893 .. Chap. 537, Laws of 1892 ..	3	48,500 00

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSES ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR THE LOAN.	RATE OF INTEREST, PER CENT.	AMOUNT ISSUED.
Consolidated Stock.....	For improvement of parks, parkways and drives.....	Chap. 11, Laws of 1894.....	3	185,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	To pay for damages to lands and buildings, caused by change of grade to streets and avenues by depression of railroad tracks in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	Chap. 537, Laws of 1893.....	3	3,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	To lay out, establish and regulate a public driveway in the City of New York.....	Chap. 102, Laws of 1893.....	3	173,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For repaving Third avenue, from Harlem river to East One Hundred and Seventieth street.	Chap. 305, Laws of 1892.....	3	65,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	Disinfecting plant at Riker's Island.....	Sec. 5, chap. 368, Laws of 1894	3	18,425 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	To provide for indexing and reindexing mortgages and other instruments, etc., under the Block Tax and Assessment Map System.....	Chap. 536, Laws of 1893.....	3	1,000 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	To defray the necessary expenses of the Board of Health of the City of New York for preserving the health of the City.....	Chap. 535, Laws of 1893.....	3	9,450 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	For expenses of the Rapid Transit Commission.....	Chap. 752, Laws of 1894.....	3	2,500 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	For the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	Chap. 25 and 336, Laws of 1894.....	3	10,000 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	For payment of judgments.....	Sec. 159, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	3	10,000 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	Claim of Edward Winslow Paige for legal services, etc., in action New York State vs. James C. Duane.....	Secs. 155 and 196 of New City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	3	4,466 66
Revenue Bonds—Special..	Claim of J. B. Kavanagh for services in office of Commissioners of Accounts, December to March, 1885.....	Chap. 526, Laws of 1894.....	3	1,250 00
Revenue Bonds.....	For current expenses of City Government.....	Sec. 154, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	1½ 2	2,500 00 7,170,000 00
Total Amount derived from Loans.....				\$8,974,115 23

* Premium, \$2,675. Credited to "General Fund."

Payments.

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

Payable from Taxation and Revenues of the General Fund—Warrants drawn for the Payment of—	
State Taxes.....	\$36,386 46
General Expenses of the City Government, viz.:	
Interest on the City Debt.....	\$429,777 33
The Common Council.....	21,673 02
The Mayoralty.....	6,887 64
Finance Department.....	73,090 70
Law Department.....	54,579 80
Department of Public Works.....	930,505 79
Department of Public Parks.....	329,865 47
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	120,712 68
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	402,756 70
Health Department.....	104,015 86
Police Department.....	1,231,431 87
Department of Street Cleaning.....	563,280 88
Fire Department.....	464,797 17
Department of Buildings.....	49,434 96
Board of Education.....	430,564 92
College of the City of New York.....	7,027 76
Normal College of the City of New York.....	1,276 23
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	32,234 06
The Judiciary.....	378,944 28
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	80,376 74
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions.....	312,947 07
Municipal Service Examining Board.....	5,294 13
Bureau of Elections.....	1,500 00
Judgments.....	5,738 88
The Coroners.....	9,368 12
The Sheriff's Office.....	28,891 45
Register's Office.....	32,499 98
Commissioners of Accounts.....	8,151 69
Miscellaneous.....	104,670 41
	6,278,295 59
Total warrants drawn.....	\$6,314,682 05
Add Warrants outstanding June 30, 1894.....	1,320,416 81
Total.....	\$7,635,098 86
Deduct Warrants canceled by Comptroller.....	\$64 76
Deduct Warrants outstanding September 30, 1894.....	1,253,103 69
	1,253,168 45
Total payments from City Treasury on Appropriation Account.....	\$6,381,930 41

SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

Payable from Special or Trust Funds and Proceeds of Bonds and Stocks—	
Warrants drawn against, viz.:	
Additional Water Fund.....	\$353,093 27
Additional Water Fund of the City of New York—Chapter 189, Laws 1893.....	48,807 52
American Museum of Natural History—	
Enlargement of Building, East Wing.....	\$65,911 55
Completion of Addition.....	4,618 75
	70,530 30
Armory Fund—	
Seventy-first Regiment Armory.....	\$20,087 98
Troop "A," Armory.....	9,394 50
	29,482 48
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	291 48
Block Tax Assessment Map Fund.....	2,924 94
Board of Education Building Fund.....	8,087 00
Bridge over the Harlem River—	
About 1,500 feet north of High Bridge (Washington Bridge).....	21,377 49
At One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street (Macomb's Dam Bridge).....	102,831 97
At Third avenue.....	9,141 78
Bridge over the Harlem Ship Canal (Kingsbridge).....	74,903 24
Castle Garden in Battery Park—	
Improvement of, etc.....	\$800 00
Equipment and Furnishing Aquarium.....	15,398 29
	16,198 29
Central Islip—Construction of Buildings for Insane.....	16,145 43
Change of Grade—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—	
Damage Commission.....	6,506 98
Charity Hospital—Legacy from Estate of Emma Strecker, deceased.....	23 74

* Exclusive of \$20,367 paid from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

† Exclusive of \$12,590.96 one-half amount of fees collected under section 17, chapter 523, Laws of 1890.

Commissioners of Excise Fund—	
Account 1893-1894.....	\$100 90
Account 1894-1895.....	36,635 25
	\$36,736 15
Criminal Court-house Fund.....	56,084 10
Croton Water Fund.....	63,404 22
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	735 81
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	279 50
Department of Street Cleaning—New Plant.....	16,582 50
Dock Fund.....	501,250 83
East River Park, Improvement of Extension.....	6,271 71
Excise Licenses.....	198,813 16
Fort Washington Ridge Road, Improvement of.....	825 45
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	800 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	100,904 57
General Fund—Refund.....	865 00
Improvement of Parks and Parkways, etc., chapter 11, Laws of 1894—	
Bronx Park—Improvement of Old Boston Post Road, etc....	219 46
Central Park, Improvement of—	
Construction of Walk Connecting Seventy-ninth Street and Fifth Avenue with North Ramble.....	373 47
Central Park, West—Completing Tree Planting between Ninety-seventh and One Hundred and Tenth Streets. Between Seventh and Eighth Avenues, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Tenth Street.....	1,157 00
Walk, Entrance, Fifth Avenue and Eighty-fifth Street....	2,816 30
Manhattan Square—Walks, Drainage, etc.....	15,007 08
Widening Bridle Roads from One Hundred and Third Street, East Drive, to Ninety-third Street, West Drive	1,039 73
Reconstructing Entrance and Drive, Fifth Avenue and One Hundred and Second Street.....	472 50
Resurfacing Walks with Asphalt, Fifty-ninth Street to Transverse Road No. 3.....	8,187 25
Between Ninety-seventh Street, One Hundred and Second Street, Fifth Avenue and East Drive.....	13,023 72
Pointing the Inclosing Walls.....	3,032 92
Transverse Road No. 4.....	36 32
Graveling Roads in Upper Portion.....	1,178 00
Central Park and City Parks, Improvement of—	
Painting Settees, Fences, etc.....	3,754 63
Repairing Settees by Carpenters.....	11,233 80
Cathedral Parkway, Improvement of—Seventh Avenue to Riverside Drive.....	4,239 16
Crotona, Van Cortlandt and Bronx Parks, Improvement of—	
Removing dead trees, etc.....	5,559 59
Macomb's Dam Road, Improvement of—One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street to Seventh Avenue.....	14,593 20
Morningside Park, Improvement of—Walks north of One Hundred and Twentieth Street, and completing walks south of One Hundred and Twentieth Street.....	10,116 51
Moshulu Parkway, Improvement of—Building thirty-foot roadway.....	4,107 36
Mount Morris Park, Improvement of—Completing entrance to.	93 91
Pelham Avenue, Improvement of—From Southern Boulevard through Bronx Park, etc.....	1,595 11
Pelham Park, Improvement of—Improvement of Eastern Boulevard, from Waterbury Lane to Pelham Bridge.....	1,971 85
Riverside Park, Improvement of—	
From Eighty-first to Ninety-sixth Street.....	16,009 04
From Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street.....	32,555 33
Van Cortlandt Park, Moshulu Parkway, Bronx Park, above Harlem River, Improvement of—Stone-breaking, etc....	5,356 05
Interest on Assessments Refunded.....	83 89
Intestate Estates.....	253 88
Metropolitan Museum of Art—	
Equipment and Furnishing North Wing.....	\$8,923 66
Electric Plant and Boiler-house.....	22,836 89
	31,760 55
New York Fire Department Relief Fund.....	21,031 00
New York State Dairy Commission Fund.....	7,415 00
Park Avenue—Improvement of, above One Hundred and Sixth street.....	48,285 00
Police Pension Fund.....	75,000 00
Public Driveway, Construction of.....	176,133 91
Public Park in Seventh Ward (Corlear's Hook Park)—Acquiring title to.....	202,174 80
Rapid Transit Fund.....	1,675 19
Rapid Transit Fund No. 2 (chapter 52, Laws 1894).....	775 25
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error.....	711 81
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	42,251 84
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	24,319 60
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Parks.....	70 24
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	867 64
Revenue Bond Fund—	
Judgments.....	\$4,073 85
County Clerk's Office.....	1,699 95
Health Department.....	6,941 16
Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments	3,924 78
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	10,000 00
Department of Taxes and Assessments—Salaries.....	2,250 00
Claim of Edward W. Paige.....	4,466 66
Claim of John B. Kavanagh.....	1,250 00
	34,606 40
Repaving—Chapter 346, Laws of 1889.....	16,941 16
Repaving—Chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	204,838 37
Repaving Third Avenue, from Harlem River to East One Hundred and Seventieth Street.....	66,084 82
Riverside Park—Construction of Retaining Wall.....	6,122 70
School-house Fund No. 2.....	324,506 98
Sedgwick Avenue and Ogden Avenue—Approaches to New Bridge Over Harlem River and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street..	31,402 63
Sheriff's Fees.....	11,190 96
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	965,875 77
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	2,955 00
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	3,531 85
Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground—	
Improvement of.....	\$28,746 31
Extending Improved Portion of.....	152 20
	28,898 51
Water-main Fund—Chapter 38, Laws of 1892.....	25,488 77
Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	3,635 80
Ward's Island—Construction of Buildings for Insane.....	30,922 75
Revenue Bonds, 1894—Redemption of.....	1,302,650 00
Total warrants drawn.....	\$5,605,777 01
Add Warrants outstanding June 30, 1894.....	583,182 57
Total.....	\$6,188,959 58
Deduct Warrants canceled by the Comptroller.....	\$4,588 57
Deduct Warrants outstanding September 30, 1894.....	1,797,619 36
	1,802,207 93
Total payments from City Treasury on Special Trust Account.....	\$4,386,751 65

SUMMARY OF CITY TREASURY ACCOUNT.

Balance in City Treasury at close of business June 30, 1894.....	\$939,928 62
Receipts—	
From Taxes	\$576,831 44
From General Fund	243,962 51
On Appropriation Account.....	1,269 17
On Special and Trust Accounts.....	1,271,731 90
From Loans.....	8,974,115 23
Total receipts	11,067,910 25
Total	\$12,007,838 87
Payments—	
On Appropriation Account—General Expenses of the City Government	\$6,381,930 41
On Special and Trust Accounts—From Special Funds and Proceeds of Bonds and Stocks.....	4,386,751 65
Total payments.....	10,768,682 06
Balance in City Treasury at close of business September 30, 1894.....	\$1,239,156 81

II.

THE SINKING FUNDS.

I.—SINKING FUNDS FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.

RECEIPTS.

Market Rents and Fees.....	\$69,457 70
Market Cellar Rents.....	1,156 25
Bonds and Mortgages.....	7,000 00
Licenses—	
Hackney Coaches	\$834 50
Pawnbrokers.....	6,000 00
Junk Dealers.....	187 50
Second-hand Dealers	475 00
	7,497 00
Dock and Slip Rent.....	466,082 33
Street Vaults—	
Department of Public Works.....	\$34,562 27
Department of Public Parks.....	963 98
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	438 86
	35,965 11
Revenue from Investments.....	20,067 00
Interest on Deposits.....	13,894 19
Commissioner of Jurors—Fines.....	70 00
Assessments Collected under Chapter 550, Laws 1880—	
Assessment Fund.....	\$1,027 30
Street Improvement Fund	6,316 83
Riverside Avenue Improvement Fund.....	665 54
Assessment Fund—Road or Public Drive.....	10 00
	8,019 67
Railroad Franchises	83,802 73
Forfeited Security Deposits	220 00
Surplus Revenue—Interest Fund.....	1,500,000 00
Total revenues of the Redemption Fund.....	\$2,213,231 98

PAYMENTS.

Warrants Drawn for the Redemption of Three per cent. Bonds and Stock, viz.:	
Armory Bonds.....	\$302,000 00
Consolidated Stock—For Riker's Island Purchase.....	180,000 00
School-house Bonds.....	1,000,000 00
Total Warrants drawn for Redemption.....	\$1,482,000 00
Warrants drawn for Investments in New York City Three per cent. Bonds and Stocks, viz.:	
For account of Redemption Fund No. 2—	
Additional Water Stock.....	\$310,000 00
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	18,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Street Improvements).....	50,000 00
Criminal Court-house Bonds.....	40,000 00
Water-main Stock.....	10,000 00
Consolidated Stock, viz.:	
Bridge over Harlem River, at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	50,000 00
Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal.....	40,000 00
Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground.....	25,000 00
American Museum of Natural History.....	35,000 00
Buildings for Insane at Ward's Island and Central Islip.....	35,000 00
Public Driveway.....	62,000 00
Repaving Third avenue.....	25,000 00
Disinfecting Plant, Riker's Island—Account Department Street Cleaning.....	18,425 00
Total Investments, account Redemption Fund No. 2.....	718,425 00
For Account of Redemption Fund No. 1—	
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	\$47,000 00
Additional Water Stock of the City of New York (chap. 189, Laws of 1893).....	47,000 00
Armory Bonds.....	27,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Street Improvements).....	50,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Park Avenue Improvement).....	50,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Fort Washington Ridge road).....	825 45
Criminal Court House Bonds.....	15,000 00
Water-main Stock.....	10,000 00
Consolidated Stock for—	
Bridge over Harlem River about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge.....	21,500 00
Bridge over Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	40,698 12
Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal.....	35,000 00
Approaches to Macomb's Dam Bridge.....	30,000 00
Riverside Park Improvement.....	5,000 00
Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground.....	1,000 00
East River Park Extension.....	4,000 00
Castle Garden Equipment for an Aquarium.....	10,000 00
American Museum of Natural History—Enlargement of Building.....	23,000 00
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion of Extension, North Wing.....	31,000 00
Buildings for Insane—Ward's Island and Central Islip.....	7,500 00
Improvement of Parks, Parkways, etc., (chap. 11, Laws 1894).....	185,000 00
Land Damage Commission for Change of Grade, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	3,000 00
Public Driveway.....	111,000 00
Repaving Third Avenue.....	40,000 00
Revenue Bonds Special, viz.:	
For Indexing Conveyances.....	1,000 00
For Health Department.....	9,450 00
For Rapid Transit Commission.....	2,500 00
For New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	10,000 00
For Judgments.....	10,000 00
For Claim of E. W. Paige.....	4,466 66
For Claim of J. B. Kavanagh.....	1,250 00
Total Investments for Account Redemption Fund No. 1.....	833,190 23

Warrants drawn for Refunding, viz.:

Over-payments for Street Vault Permits	\$317 50
Purchase Money for Lands Sold in Error for Assessments.....	65 00
Total Warrants drawn for Refundings.....	\$382 50
Total warrants drawn.....	\$3,033,997 73
Add Warrants outstanding June 30, 1894.....	17,234 03
Total.....	\$3,051,231 76
Deduct Warrants outstanding September 30, 1894.....	19,378 51
Total payments from City Treasury on Redemption Account.....	\$3,031,853 25

II.—SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

RECEIPTS.

Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....	\$1,329 30
House Rent	18,383 37
Ground Rent	10,567 50
Ferry Rent.....	84,667 25
Water Lot Rent.....	19 84
Croton Water Rent—	
Water Register.....	\$1,247,335 37
Clerk of Arrears.....	28,327 70
	1,275,663 07
Interest on Croton Water Rent.....	4,058 23
Court Fees and Fines	32,251 67
Stenographers' Fees	1,266 00
Fines and Penalties—	
Corporation Attorney	\$1,064 05
Warden City Prison.....	721 00
Warden District Prison	4,441 00
Department of Public Charities and Correction, Workhouse.....	211 00
	6,437 05
Total.....	\$1,434,643 28

PAYMENTS.

Warrants drawn for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt, viz.:	
On Bonds and Stocks payable from this fund under laws authorizing their issue.....	\$300 00
On Bonds and Stocks held by Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (section 1, chapter 178, Laws 1889).....	20,067 00
	\$20,367 00
Warrants drawn for Refunding, viz.:	
Croton Water Rent Paid in Error.....	483 46
Warrants drawn for amount of fines imposed and collected by Court of Special Sessions, pursuant to law, payable to—	
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	\$296 00
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	1,115 00
Trustees of the College of Pharmacy.....	450 00
New York State Dairy Commissioners' Fund.....	7,415 00
	9,276 00
Warrant drawn for Surplus Revenue of the Interest Fund transferred to the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.....	1,500,000 00
Total warrants drawn.....	\$1,530,126 46
Add Warrants outstanding June 30, 1894.....	1,532 00
Total.....	\$1,531,658 46
Deduct Warrants outstanding September 30, 1894.....	403 00
Total payments from City Treasury on account of Interest Fund.....	\$1,531,255 46

SUMMARY OF THE SINKING FUNDS.

	REDEMPTION FUND No. 1.	REDEMPTION FUND No. 2.	TOTAL REDEMPTION FUNDS.	INTEREST FUND.	TOTALS.
Cash Balance in the City Treasury at close of business, June 30, 1894.....	\$158,113 76	\$786,465 55	\$944,579 31	\$1,021,918 89	\$1,966,498 20
Receipts.....	2,213,231 98		2,213,231 98	1,434,643 28	3,647,875 26
Total.....	\$2,371,345 74	\$786,465 55	\$3,157,811 29	\$2,456,562 17	\$5,614,373 46
Payments.....	2,313,428 25	718,425 00	3,031,853 25	1,531,255 46	4,563,108 71
Balance in City Treasury at close of business, September 30, 1894.....	\$57,917 49	\$68,040 55	\$125,958 04	\$925,506 71	\$1,051,264 75

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Balance in the City Treasury at close of business June 30, 1894—	
To credit of the City Treasury	\$939,928 62
To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For the redemption of the City Debt.....	\$944,579 31
For the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.....	1,021,918 89
	1,966,498 20
Total balance.....	\$2,906,426 82
Receipts during the quarter ending September 30, 1894—	
For account of the City Treasury	\$11,067,910 25
For account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For the Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$2,213,231 98
For the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.....	1,434,643 28
	3,647,875 26
Total receipts.....	14,715,785 51
Total.....	\$17,622,212 33
Payments during the same period—	
On account of the City Treasury	\$10,768,682 06
On account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For the Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$3,031,853 25
For the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.....	1,531,255 46
	4,563,108 71
Total payments	15,331,790 77
Balance on hand at close of business, September 30, 1894—	
To credit of the City Treasury.....	\$1,239,156 81
To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For the Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$125,958 04
For the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.....	925,306 71
	1,051,264 75
	\$2,290,421 56

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
November 15, 1894.

I. S. BARRETT, General Bookkeeper.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending December 22, 1894:

Deposited in the Treasury.	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$69,724 09
City Treasury.....	477,807 59
Total.....	\$547,531 68
Warrants Registered for Payment.	
The Mayoralty—	
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$41 19
The Finance Department—	
Cleaning Markets.....	\$772 18
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	367 64
Salaries—Finance Department.....	268 50
Interest on the City Debt.....	1,408 32
The Aqueduct Commission—	24,475 00
Additional Water Fund.....	13,953 55
The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office.....	\$7 00
Contingencies—Law Department.....	295 31
The Department of Public Works—	
Additional Water Fund—City of New York.....	\$7,896 00
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	2,674 31
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	67 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	611 69
Bridge over the Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	96 00
Bridge over the Harlem Ship Canal at Kingsbridge Road.....	57 00
Bronx River Works—Repairs and Maintenance.....	265 87
Criminal Court-house Fund.....	81 00
Croton Water Fund.....	9,659 28
Free Floating Baths.....	511 70
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	145 33
Laying Croton Pipes.....	2,476 41
Public Building, Seventh District Police Court and Eleventh Judicial District Court.....	48 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	4,900 48
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	1,288 50
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	3,191 58
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	5,101 55
Repaving, Chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	1,827 38
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	8,110 57
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	5,487 25
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved, Maintenance of, and Sprinkling.....	155 00
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	1,579 75
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,621 25
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	25,379 70
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	48 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	2,265 59
Water-main Fund.....	199 75
	85,745 94
The Department of Public Parks—	
Aquarium.....	\$1,218 69
Bridge over the Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street.....	24,083 16
Castle Garden in Battery Park, etc.....	941 61
Corlears Hook Park, Construction and Improvement of.....	172 45
East River Park, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	896 64
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement and Maintenance.....	692 93
Improvement and Maintenance of Parks in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	2,226 16
Improvement of Parks and Parkways, Chapter 11, Laws of 1894.....	21,936 68
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	15,922 98
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Equipment and Furnishing, etc., North Wing.....	14,872 39
Morningside Park and Avenue, Improvement and Maintenance of Parks outside of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	1,132 25
Public Driveway, Construction of.....	50 93
Riverside Park and Avenue, Improvement and Maintenance of ..	34,147 51
Riverside Park and Driveway—Completion of Extension.....	4,175 90
Riverside Park, Construction of.....	56 00
Telephone Service.....	24 00
	433 33
	122,983 61
The Department of Street Improvements—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—	
Bridges Crossing the New York and Harlem Railroad Depressions, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	\$3 00
Bronx River Bridges.....	148 66
Cromwell's Creek Bridges.....	6 50
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	74 43
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	69 50
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	46 50
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	73,192 13
Surveying, Laying-out, Maps, Plans, etc.—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	227 38
Telephonic Services and Contingencies.....	54 59
	73,822 69
The Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Central Islip—Construction of Building for Insane.....	\$750 00
Public Charities and Correction.....	42,697 70
	43,447 70
The Health Department—	
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.....	\$35 00
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	21 98
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	45 32
Hospital Fund—For Hospital Supplies, Improvement, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	164 06
New Reception Hospital for Contagious Diseases, foot of East Sixteenth Street.....	600 24
	866 60
The Police Department—	
Police Station-houses—Rents.....	79 17
The Department of Street Cleaning—	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	46,089 08
The Fire Department—	
Fire Department Fund.....	14,038 23
The Department of Buildings—	
Department of Buildings—Board of Examiners' Fees.....	\$370 00
Department of Buildings—Contingencies and Emergencies.....	142 79
	512 79
The Department of Taxes and Assessments—	
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	24 85
The Department of Docks—	
Dock Fund.....	95,823 68
The Board of Education—	
College of the City of New York.....	\$10,601 51
Public Instruction.....	23,805 76
School-house Fund.....	31,708 85
The Normal College.....	9,540 02
	75,656 14

The Board of Excise—	
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	\$320 96
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	459 33
The Commissioners of Accounts—	
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	90 08
The Sheriff—	
Furniture, Keep of Horses, Repairs to Vans, etc.....	54 00
The Bureau of Elections—	
Election Expenses.....	3,280 44
The Judiciary—	
Salaries—Judiciary.....	32 76
Charitable Institutions—	
For Support of Children Committed by Police Magistrates, etc. .	\$69,791 28
New York Catholic Protectory.....	20,795 08
New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	350 00
	90,936 36
Miscellaneous Purposes—	
Change of Grade, Damage Commission—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	\$135 75
Construction of Bridge over the Harlem River, about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge.....	325 00
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	866 60
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	46 20
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	3,788 39
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials.....	6,080 00
Park Avenue Improvement above One Hundred and Sixth Street.....	37,500 00
Rapid Transit Fund.....	214 50
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error.....	22 60
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	679 92
Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	357 47
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	115 09
	50,131 52
Total.....	\$744,576 30

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	The People ex rel. Everett P. Wheeler and another, trustees, vs. A. P. Fitch, as Comptroller.....		Copies affidavits and notice of motion for mandamus, in matter of certain awards made to Paul N. Spofford, for opening Intervale avenue and Southern Boulevard.....	R. H. Smith.
Com. Pleas	B. Wintermeyer and another.....	\$119 23	Transcript of judgment.....	Hayman & Rosenthal.
Supreme..	Henry Dusenbury....	6,679 85	Certified copy order directing payment of awards for Parcels Nos. 37 and 40, in matter of opening Marcher avenue, from Jerome avenue to Featherbed lane.....	C. D. Ridgway.
" ..	The People ex rel. The Bleeker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.....		Certified copy order vacating assessment of \$133,050, personal estate of the relator for 1891, and directing the return of \$2,411.42, amount of tax paid thereon, with interest from October 5, 1891.....	Hatch & Wickes.
" ..	The People ex rel. Rachel Purdy vs. A. P. Fitch, as Comptroller.....		Copy affidavit and notice of motion to be made on December 26, for peremptory mandamus directing, etc., the Comptroller to issue bonds to provide for payment of award of \$2,500, made to Rachel Purdy by Commissioners, pursuant to provision of chapter 537, Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 567, Laws of 1894, for change of grade of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; also, of \$75 made to Thomas S. Bassford, attorney for relator, as counsel fee.....	T. S. Bassford.
" ..	Matthew Baird.....	2,290 00	Summons and complaint. For balance claimed to be due under contracts for regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, etc., Hudson street, from Spring to Fourteenth street, and other streets.....	J. C. Shaw.
" ..	" ..	365 03	Summons and complaint. For balance claimed to be due under contracts for regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, etc., Hudson street, from Beach to Spring street, and other streets.....	"
" ..	" ..	7,182 30	Summons and complaint. For amount claimed to be due for repairing security retained under contracts for regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, Madison avenue, from Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Third street, and from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Eighth street, etc.....	"
" ..	The People ex rel. Frederick Thilemann, Jr., vs. Commissioner of Public Works and Comptroller.....		Copy writ of peremptory mandamus commanding the Commissioner of Public Works and Comptroller to pay said Frederick Thilemann, Jr., his representatives or assignees, the sum of \$2,586.88 alleged to be due under contract for construction of sewer in Ninetieth street, between Harlem river and Avenue A....	C. W. Dayton.
" ..	New York Institution for the Instruction of Deaf and Dumb.....		Copies affidavits and certified copy order directing cancellation of taxes of 1893 and 1894 on certain premises owned by said institution.....	E. L. Fancher.
Com. Pleas	Elizabeth Duck, as administratrix, etc..	3,368 72	Transcript of judgment.....	E. K. Camp.
Supreme..	Elizabeth M. Hart, guardian, etc.....	2,626 30	Copy petition and notice of motion for an order directing the Comptroller to pay award made for Parcel No. 6, in matter of opening Brookline street, from Webster to Bainbridge avenue.....	M. Butzel.
Gen. Sess.	Charles E. Le Barbier.....	100 00	Certified copy order directing payment of counsel fee in case of the People, etc., against Antonia Morelli, on assignment by the Court.....	C. E. Le Barbier.
Supreme..	Walter E. Stevens, executor, vs. The Mayor, etc., John F. Johnson and others.....	5,000 00	Summons. Complaint not served.....	R. Foster.
" ..	The People ex rel. The Equitable Gas-light Company vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.....		Certified copy of order on remittitur from Court of Appeals, vacating tax on personal estate for 1892.....	Coudert Brothers.
" ..	James M. Baldwin....	907 95	Certified copy order directing payment of award made for Parcel No. 207, in matter of opening Bronx Park.....	J. M. Baldwin.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 22, 1894.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
14345	Sept. 10, 1894	Board of Education	William J. Prime	None	None.	Transporting pupils (not to exceed 60), residing at Williamsbridge and its vicinity to Grammar School No. 64 and return, from September 10, 1894, to December 24, 1894, inclusive, Twenty-fourth Ward.....per day, \$5.50	.....
14346	Dec. 13, "	Public Works	Patrick McInerney	Charles McGinness Thomas Regan	\$5,000 00	Regulating and grading Convent avenue, from One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Avenue St. Nicholas, and setting curb-stones and flagging.....Estimate	\$1,369 44
14347	" 13, "	"	"	Charles McGinness Thomas Regan	700 00	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Park to Lexington avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging.....Estimate	967 52
14348	" 13, "	Commissioner of Street Improvement, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	F. Thilemann, Jr., and F. V. Smith, composing the firm of Thilemann & Smith	Theodore Dieterlen George B. Brown	10,000 00	Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and building fences in One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to Sheridan avenue.....Estimate	11,362 46
14349	" 17, "	Health	P. Carraher, Jr.	Philip Heipershausen George Vassar	1,500 00	Furnishing labor and materials for alterations to be made in the boiler-house of the Reception Hospital, near the foot of East Sixteenth street, and for the furnishing and erection of a steam laundry plant on said premises for the use of the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals.....Total	2,473 00
14350	" 14, "	Public Works (Bond)	Joseph A. Devlin	Patrick Larney	100 00	Laying a crosswalk across Avenue St. Nicholas, at its intersection with the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street.....	.....
14351	" 15, "	"	Patrick Larney	Andrew Berger	200 00	Constructing receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of Fifty-fifth street and Twelfth avenue.....Estimate	332 00
14352	" 18, "	"	E. J. McLaughlin	Thomas Guilfoyle Michael Dwyer	3,000 00	Constructing sewer in Avenue St. Nicholas, west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, and in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and summit west.....Estimate	5,196 00
14353	" 19, "	" (Bond)	John Kenny	Charles H. Babcock	200 00	Laying a crosswalk across the Western Boulevard, at its intersection with the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-second street.....	.....
14354	Sept. 17, "	Board of Education	The Wells & Newton Company	Benajah M. Martin J. Leland Wells	200 00	Heating apparatus for Grammar School Building No. 62, at One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, near Courtlandt avenue, Twenty-third Ward.....Total	546 00
14355	" 17, "	"	The Wells & Newton Company	Benajah M. Martin J. Leland Wells	275 00	Heating apparatus for Grammar School Building No. 84, at No. 430 West Fiftieth street, Twenty-second Ward.....Total	795 00
14356	July 13, "	"	H. Benson & Co.	Thomas F. McLaughlin Thomas J. Tuomey	200 00	Repairs, alterations, etc., to Grammar School Building No. 83, at No. 216 East One Hundred and Tenth street, Twelfth Ward.....Total	500 00
14357	Dec. 20, "	Commissioner of Street Improvement, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	Martin Lipps	Henry Lipps Jacob R. Wilkins	1,500 00	Constructing sewer and appurtenances in Forest avenue, from the existing sewers in Home street to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.....Estimate	2,230 06

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Dec. 17	William G. Leeson	\$400 00	For damages by reason of the deposit of large quantities of earth-filling on his lot during the grading of One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Boulevard and Twelfth avenue.....	J. A. Deering.
" 17	William G. Leeson and another	400 00	For damages by reason of the deposit of large quantities of earth-filling on his lot during grading of One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Boulevard and Twelfth avenue.....	"
" 17	Robert J. Hoguet	.....	Protest against encroachments on his premises by the City by the grading of One Hundred and Forty-third street.....	"
" 17	James Van Dyck Card, trustee, etc.	76,652 51	For amount awarded by Commissioners for No. 180 Greenwich street and Nos. 58 and 60 Dey street in matter of widening College place.....	C. D. Ridgway.
" 18	Henry Dusenbury	6,679 85	For awards made for Parcels Nos. 37 and 40 in matter of opening Marcher avenue, from Jerome avenue to Featherbed lane.....	A. E. Woodruff.
" 18	William H. Mountford	8,000 00	For damages to premises on Vanderbilt avenue, caused by change of grade of Vanderbilt avenue, filed pursuant to chapter 567, Laws of 1894.....	N. Smith.
" 18	Nelson Smith, Jr.	2,500 00	For damages to premises situated in the block between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, and Third and Brook avenues, caused by change of grade of Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, filed pursuant to chapter 567, Laws of 1894.....	J. Wamsley.
" 18	H. Fischer	75 00	For damage to harness and wagon caused by falling over an obstruction in One Hundred and Sixteenth street, near Madison avenue, on November 24, 1894.....	Wise & Flanagan.
" 18	Julius Meyer	1,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	Dayton, Dunphy & Swift.
" 19	Charles D. Shain	20,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	G. N. Baldwin.
" 19	William G. Horgan	20,871 38	For cleaning and constructing a concrete bottom in the Pond in Central Park, near Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.....	Larned, Warren & Knapp.
" 19	George W. Folsom, trustee, etc.	.....	Petition for repayment of taxes for years 1888 to 1890 on premises Nos. 49 and 51 Avenue C, and No. 300 East Fourth street, and to have the taxes imposed thereon for said years cancelled.....	J. C. Fraser.
" 20	S. M. Bixby	.....	For loss of kitchen boiler, caused by shutting off water-main.....	C. A. Flammer.
" 20	Anna Ostrander, executrix	21,067 00	For award in matter of College place opening.....	
" 21	Hudspeth & Collier	10 00	For return of amount paid to the Clerk of the City Court, for filing notes of issue.....	
" 21	Julius Frankel	65 00	For damage to wagon caused by collision with a cart of the Department of Street Cleaning.....	
" 21	James Hebron	78 00	For damages to carriage, etc., resulting from collision with an apparatus of the Fire Department in February, 1894.....	
" 21	The American Encaustic Tiling Company, Limited	.....	Petition for correction of personal taxes for years 1888 to 1894, inclusive.....	

Certificates of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, Reducing Taxes of 1894 on Real Estate, as follows:

DATE.	WARD.	BLOCK No.	WARD No.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	CORRECTED VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
Dec. 21	Twelfth	1018	12 to 16	\$60,000 00	\$10,000 00	\$895 00
" 21	Nineteenth	376	68	9,000 00	7,000 00	35 80
" 21	Section.	751	Lot No.	7,000 00	5,000 00	35 80
" 21	Three	923	22	7,500 00	5,500 00	35 80

Official Designation.

December 22. Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller to act as Comptroller on December 22, 1894.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

December 17. The Mayor's Office (by the Armory Board)—For making the alterations and addition to the rifle range in the Seventh Regiment Armory Building, and for the erection of an additional gallery in the armory building on the westerly side of Ninth avenue, extending from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street.

December 18. The Department of Public Works, by representative—For furnishing illuminating gas for lighting the public markets, armories, buildings and offices of the City of New York, from January 1 to December 31, 1895.

December 20. The Department of Public Charities and Correction, by representative—For furnishing poultry and provisions for Christmas, and for furnishing hospital supplies.

December 21. The Mayor's Office, by representative—For supplying printed, lithographed or stamped forms, pamphlets and stationery, etc., to the Courts and the Departments and Bureaus of the City Government, for the year 1895.

December 22. The Department of Public Charities and Correction, by representative—For furnishing 3,500 tons of stove coal, and 22,250 barrels of flour.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

December 17. For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric-lamps, for the period of one year, commencing on January 1 and ending December 31, 1895.
North River Electric-light and Power Company, Ryder avenue, Principal.
William H. Zeltner, One Hundred and Seventieth street and Third avenue, } Sureties.
Frederick Folz, No. 1395 Washington avenue, }

December 18. For regulating, grading, etc., Two Hundred and First street, from Academy street to Harlem River.
James Leeson, No. 473 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Principal.
Wright Gillies, No. 2018 Amsterdam avenue, } Sureties.
William G. Leeson, No. 471 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, }

December 19. For furnishing one-third size steam fire engine, with "La France" boiler, and for repairing, etc., first size, double pump, Clapp & Jones Crane Neck Steam Fire Engine No. 380.
La France Fire Engine Company, Elmira, N. Y., Principal.
Amadee Spadone, No. 9 West Eighty-second street, } Sureties.
Dorman T. Warren, No. 170 West Fifty-ninth street, }

December 19. For repairing first size, double pump, Clapp & Jones Crane Neck Steam Fire Engine No. 381.
American Fire Engine Company, Seneca Falls, N. Y., Principal.
Amadee Spadone, No. 9 West Eighty-second street, } Sureties.
Dorman T. Warren, No. 170 West Fifty-ninth street, }

December 19. For regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Seventh avenue to Harlem river.
J. J. Haiduvon, No. 696 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Principal.
J. T. Brady, No. 525 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, } Sureties.
W. J. Ford, No. 316 West Nineteenth street, }

December 19. For furnishing the illuminating material for, and lighting and extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps on the streets, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the City of New York, from January 1 to December 31, 1895.
Central Gas-light Company, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Locust avenue, Principal.
Silas D. Gifford, No. 707 East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, } Sureties.
William R. Beal, No. 350 Alexander avenue, }

December 20. For furnishing the Health Department with 500 tons of coal.
Meyer, Denker & Hoerig, No. 323 Fourth street, Principals.
George Grau, No. 218 East Twenty-seventh street, } Sureties.
George Cinram, No. 109 Seventh street, }

Removed.

December 17. The following-named Temporary Clerks in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, viz.:

Charles F. Davis.	Narcisse W. Remond.
Samuel B. Newman.	Charles Bennett.
William J. Lee.	T. F. Baldwin.
Joseph H. Devoe.	Charles J. Collins.
Jefferson O'Reilly.	Thomas J. Mulvey.
Robert P. Getty.	William Roome.
Stephen J. Connell.	Frederick V. Rushton.
William C. Tagga, d.	

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 3, 1894.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending October 27, 1894:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$58,318 64
For penalties, water rents.....	716 40
For tapping Croton pipes.....	247 50
For sewer permits.....	340 80
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	1,468 75
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	15 75
For vault permits.....	3,835 34
Total.....	\$64,943 18

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the Week ending October 27, 1894, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Gas, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	Observed.	Corrected.
Oct. 22	4:30 P.M.	72.	30.30	{ Consolidated, } Branch 1..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	IN. 1.48	CU. FT. 5.00	116.3	25.72	24.92	
" 23	3:30 P.M.	72.	30.31	"	"	1.44	5.00	120.0	24.96	24.96	
" 24	4:30 P.M.	73.	30.14	"	"	1.46	5.00	119.0	26.64	26.42	
" 25	3:30 P.M.	72.	30.05	"	"	1.43	5.00	124.0	25.34	26.18	
" 26	2:30 P.M.	71.	29.85	"	"	1.44	5.00	120.0	26.68	26.68	
Average.										25.83	
Oct. 22	5 P.M.	72.	30.30	{ Consolidated, } Branch 2..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	1.39	5.00	115.8	24.88	24.01	
" 23	3 P.M.	72.	30.31	"	"	1.39	5.00	123.0	21.96	22.50	
" 24	5 P.M.	73.	30.14	"	"	1.37	5.00	120.0	23.60	23.60	
" 25	3 P.M.	72.	30.05	"	"	1.37	5.00	120.5	23.68	23.78	
" 26	3 P.M.	71.	29.85	"	"	1.36	5.00	122.0	22.72	23.09	
Average.										23.40	
Oct. 22	4 P.M.	72.	30.30	{ Consolidated, } Branch 3..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	1.55	5.00	119.5	30.28	30.16	
" 23	4 P.M.	72.	30.31	"	"	1.55	5.00	114.5	31.40	29.96	
" 24	4 P.M.	73.	30.14	"	"	1.54	5.00	120.0	30.68	30.68	
" 25	4 P.M.	72.	30.05	"	"	1.53	5.00	121.0	29.68	29.92	
" 26	2 P.M.	71.	29.85	"	"	1.54	5.00	122.4	30.92	31.56	
Average.										30.46	
Oct. 22	7:30 P.M.	77.	30.40	{ Consolidated, } Branch 4..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.66	5.00	123.0	23.72	24.30	
" 23	6:30 P.M.	76.	30.36	"	"	.68	5.00	116.7	24.36	23.70	
" 24	5:30 P.M.	74.	30.18	"	"	.66	5.00	122.0	23.64	24.02	
" 25	6:30 P.M.	74.	30.04	"	"	.68	5.00	120.0	24.66	24.66	
" 26	9:30 A.M.	72.	29.90	"	"	.62	5.00	114.5	22.80	21.75	
Average.										23.69	
Oct. 22	8 P.M.	77.	30.40	{ Consolidated, } Branch 5..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.70	5.00	118.6	26.44	26.12	
" 23	6 P.M.	76.	30.36	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	26.28	26.28	
" 24	6 P.M.	74.	30.18	"	"	.70	5.00	116.7	27.32	26.58	
" 25	6 P.M.	74.	30.04	"	"	.70	5.00	115.4	26.00	25.00	
" 26	10 A.M.	72.	29.90	"	"	.72	5.00	117.6	28.64	28.08	
Average.										26.41	
Oct. 22	3:30 P.M.	72.	30.30	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	1.55	5.00	114.5	31.64	30.18	
" 23	4:30 P.M.	72.	30.31	"	"	1.56	5.00	121.0	29.72	29.96	
" 24	3:30 P.M.	73.	30.14	"	"	1.56	5.00	118.1	30.24	29.76	
" 25	4:30 P.M.	72.	30.05	"	"	1.56	5.00	117.2	30.16	29.46	
" 26	1:30 P.M.	71.	29.85	"	"	1.56	5.00	125.0	28.28	29.46	
Average.										29.76	
Oct. 22	3 P.M.	72.	30.30	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	1.55	5.00	114.1	32.28	30.68	
" 23	5 P.M.	72.	30.31	"	"	1.56	5.00	116.7	31.84	30.98	
" 24	3 P.M.	73.	30.14	"	"	1.56	5.00	120.0	30.70	30.70	
" 25	5 P.M.	72.	30.05	"	"	1.56	5.00	116.3	30.80	29.84	
" 26	1 P.M.	71.	29.85	"	"	1.56	5.00	123.5	28.20	29.00	
Average.										30.24	
Oct. 22	8:30 P.M.	77.	30.40	Standard	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.79	5.00	119.0	27.56	27.34	
" 23	5:30 P.M.	76.	30.36	"	"	.78	5.00	125.5	24.96	26.10	
" 24	6:30 P.M.	74.	30.18	"	"	.75	5.00	114.9	27.80	26.62	
" 25	5:30 P.M.	74.	30.04	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	27.14	27.14	
" 26	10:30 A.M.	72.	29.90	"	"	.76	5.00	114.9	29.08	27.84	
Average.										27.01	

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

Public Lamps.

- 11 new lamps lighted.
- 4 old lamps relighted.
- 2 old lamps discontinued.
- 2 lamp-posts removed.
- 4 lamp-posts reset.
- 5 lamp-posts straightened.
- 2 columns relaid.
- 14 service pipes refitted.
- 13 stand pipes refitted.

Permits Issued.

- 56 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 34 permits to open streets.

- 14 permits to make sewer connections.
- 9 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 108 permits to place building material on streets.
- 20 permits—special.
- 7 permits to construct street vaults.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 44 receiving-basins relieved.
- 107 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 1,050 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 1,100 lineal feet of sewer relieved.
- 5,600 lineal feet of sewer examined.
- 11 lineal feet brick sewer rebuilt.
- 11 lineal feet brick culvert rebuilt.
- 1 manhole head reset.
- 5 new manhole heads and covers put on.
- 5 new manhole covers put on.
- 3 new basin covers put on.
- 3 new basin grates put on.
- 61 cubic feet of brickwork built.
- 29 square yards of pavement relaid.
- 29 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled.
- 2 cart-loads of earth filling.
- 257 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Obstructions Removed.

- 22 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Repairs to Pavement.

- 5,937 square yards of pavement repaired.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending October 27, 1894.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	38	114	5	18
Laying Croton Pipes.....	2	15	3	..
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	80	146	1	23
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	..	19	3	1
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	..	..	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	22	48	..	27
Repairing and Renewals of Pavements	269	326	3	102
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	18	22	4	6
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	10	73	24	6
Total	445	763	43	177
Increase over previous week .....	..	1	3	..
Decrease from previous week.....	2	..	..	6

Contracts Entered Into.

NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	ESTIMATED COST.
Paving Twenty-ninth street, from Park to Madison avenue.....	Barber Asphalt Paving Company	\$5,407 70

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$190,492 29.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

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.
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor. JOB E. HEDGES, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD H. HEALEY, First Marshal.
JOHN P. BRENNAN, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. LEHMAIER and SETH S. TERRY.

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; EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary, A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

BOARD OF ARMOY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, 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.
MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6).
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, 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); MAURICE FEATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 11); STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11); JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16); NICHOLAS R. O'CONNOR, Superintendent of Street Openings (Room 14).

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 F. HAPFEN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller; EDGAR J. LEVEY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, 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.
DAVID O'BRIEN, 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.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes; JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, 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 I. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

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.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row.
JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to the Counsel to the Corporation, in charge.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**Central Office.**

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES H. MURRAY, JOHN C. SHEEHAN and MICHAEL KERWIN, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.
CHARLES H. KNOX, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

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, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

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.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, President; ANTHONY EICKHOFF and S. HOWLAND ROBBINS, 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. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph. Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and CYRUS EDSON, M. D., the President of the Police Board, *ex officio*, and the HEALTH OFFICER of the Port, *ex officio*, Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President; ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN, NATHAN STRAUS and EDWARD BELL, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; JAMES J. PHELAN and ANDREW J. WHITE, Commissioners; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; JOHN WHALEN and JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Commissioners; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL.

No. 1262 Broadway.
HENRY S. KEARNEY, JACOB HESS, and AMOS J. CUMMINGS, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
Criminal Court Building, Centre street, from Franklin to White street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS, Commissioner; JOHN J. RYAN, Deputy Commissioner; J. JOSEPH SCULLY, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.
Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL P. HAYS, Chairman; LEMUEL SKIDMORE and LEE PHILLIPS, *ex officio*, Members of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer; JOHN FOORD, Examiner.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.
The Mayor, Chairman; E. P. BARKER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, and the COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, Members; CHARLES V. ADIE, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM DALTON, President; MICHAEL C. MURPHY and EUGENE L. BUSH, Commissioners; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD J. H. TAMSEN, Sheriff; HENRY H. SHERMAN, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FERDINAND LEVY, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; HENRY W. UNGER, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, WILLIAM H. DOBBS, EMIL W. HOEBER and WILLIAM O'MEAGHER, 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.
FRANK T. FITZGERALD and JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Surrogates; 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; GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, GEORGE C. BARRETT, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, EDWARD PATTERSON and MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, Justices; HENRY D. PURROY, Clerk.

General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk. Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, JAMES B. F. SMITH, 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. 36.

Chambers, Room No. 33.

Part I., Room No. 34.

Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; JOHN J. FREEDMAN, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID MCADAM, HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and HENRY R. BECKMAN, Judges; THOMAS BOESE, 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.

JOSEPH F. DALY, Chief Judge; MILES BEACH, HENRY BOOKSTAVEN, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., ROGER A. PRYOR and LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, Judges; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held at the Mayor's office, on Friday next, January 4, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

Dated New York, January 2, 1895.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, January 2, 1895.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1895, will be opened on January 14, and will remain open for examination and correction until the 30th day of April, 1895.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturdays, when between 10 A. M. and 12 M., at this office, during the same period.

EDWARD P. BARKER,
JOHN WHALEN,
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS

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

The act further provides that the owner of any such lot may notify the Commissioner of Public Works, in writing, specifying the ward number and street number of the lot that he desires, for himself, his heirs and assigns, to be released from the obligation of such covenants, and elects and agrees that said lot shall be thereafter liable to be assessed as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns

shall thenceforth be relieved from any obligation to pave, repair, uphold or maintain said street, and the lot in respect of which such notice was given shall be liable to assessment accordingly.

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 491.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 600 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING about 600 Tons of Anthracite Coal 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 11 o'clock A. M. of THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1895.

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of coal to be furnished and delivered is about 600 tons.

It is expected that about 250 tons will be required to be delivered at the West Fifty-seventh Street Yard of the Department of Docks, and that about 100 tons will be required to be delivered at the East Twenty-fourth Street Yard.

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

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

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

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

A ton of coal under these specifications shall be 2,240 pounds avoirdupois.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within ten days from the date of the receipt of an order from the Engineer to begin the delivery of coal, and the delivery will be continued in lots of about 200 tons, at such times and places and in such manner as may be directed by the Engineer, and the delivery of said coal will be fully completed on or before the 1st day of July, 1895; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price, per ton, for furnishing and delivering coal, 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 be accepted and executed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,

JAMES J. PHELAN,

ANDREW J. WHITE,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, December 6, 1894.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,

PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 492.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE EAST and Harlem rivers, 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 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1895.

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 before 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 Eight Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged is as follows:

Mud dredging, not to exceed.....100,000 cubic yards.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received: 1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in slips or portions of slips between the Battery and East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, on the East and Harlem rivers, and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of May, 1895.

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

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is directly or indirectly interested

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, December 6, 1894.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 492.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING NORTH OF WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH river will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. 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 Eight Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged is as follows:

ON THE NORTH RIVER.

Mud dredging, not to exceed.....1,000,000 cubic yards.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in slips or portions of slips between West Thirty-fourth and West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, on the North river, and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of May, 1895.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price, per cubic yard, for doing such dredging, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in

or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, December 6, 1894.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 490.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED SPRUCE TIMBER.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED Spruce Timber 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 11 o'clock A. 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 One Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of materials to be furnished is as follows:

SPRUCE PLANK FOR REPAIRS.

3-inch and 4-inch plank, as ordered, in pieces

varying in length from 11 feet to 26 feet, 9 inches wide and upward, about.....250,000

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

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

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed delivery of materials, and by such other means as they may

prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The contractor shall be ready to commence the delivery of the materials called for under this contract within five days after the date of this contract, and the delivery shall be commenced and shall be continued in such manner and quantities and at such times and places as may from time to time be directed by the Engineer-in-Chief, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of July, 1895, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, December 6, 1894.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
NEW YORK, December 20, 1894.

MESSEURS, VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, auctioneers, will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, on account of the Department of Docks, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 7, 1895,

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, the following described old material, at the places designated, to wit:

AT EAST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET YARD.

Lot 1—About 6,300 pounds of old Wrought-iron.
Lot 2—About 550 pounds of old Cast-iron.
Lot 3—About 75 pairs of old Rubber Boots.
Lot 4—About 36 old Shovels.
Lot 5—About 5 old Diving Dresses.
Lot 6—About 17 old Oil Barrels.
Lot 7—About 25 old Wheelbarrows.

AT WEST FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET YARD.

Lot 8—About 14,000 pounds of old Wrought-iron.
Lot 9—About 10,000 pounds of old Cast-iron.

Lot 10—About 1,300 pounds of old Rope.
Lot 11—About 45 old Wheelbarrows.
Lot 12—About 13 pairs of old Rubber Boots.
Lot 13—About 10 old Diving Dresses.
Lot 14—About 29 old Shovels.
Lot 15—A lot of old Rubber Hose, about 425 pounds.
Lot 16—About 33 old Oil Barrels.

AT WEST SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET BASIN (IN WATER)

Lot 17. Raft No. 1 of old Timber, carrying Pile Butts. Raft about 37 feet long, about 26 feet wide and about 3½ feet deep; about 80 Pile Butts visible.

Lot 18. Raft No. 2 of old Timber, carrying Pile Butts. Raft about 42 feet long, about 18 feet wide and about 4 feet deep; about 55 Pile Butts visible.

Lot 19. Raft No. 3, bunch of long Pile Butts, about 23 feet long, about 16 feet wide and about 8 feet deep.

Lot 20—Raft No. 4, bunch of long Pile Butts, about 23 feet long, about 17 feet wide and about 6½ feet deep.

Lot 21—Raft No. 5, bunch of Pile Butts, about 36 feet long, about 21 feet wide and about 1 foot deep.

Lot 22—Raft No. 6, lot of old Timber, about 25 feet long, about 18 feet wide and about 2½ feet deep.

Lot 23—Raft No. 7, lot of old Timber, about 32 feet long, about 15 feet wide and about 1 foot deep.

Lot 24—Raft No. 8, lot of old Timber, about 25 feet long, about 21 feet wide and about 1 foot deep.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1894.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 357 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to amend chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled 'An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings, suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise,'" notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 58 Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated NEW YORK, September 10, 1894.

DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
DANIEL P. HAYS,

Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

FOR THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of William S. Andrews, Commissioner of Street Cleaning in the City of New York, for the sale of carts, trucks and other property removed from the public streets.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT William S. Andrews, Commissioner of Street Cleaning in the City of New York, pursuant to a final order made and issued by the Hon. Wauhope Lynn, Justice of the District Court for the First Judicial District of the City of New York, will sell at public auction, on the 5th day of January, 1895, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Corporation Yard situated at West Fifty-sixth street, North (Hudson) river, all the trucks, carts, wagons, vehicles, boxes and barrels and other things seized and removed from the public streets of the City of New York, as provided for by chapter 607 of the Laws of 1894.

Dated NEW YORK, December 20, 1894.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 26, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles:

500,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.

100,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.

4,500 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,600 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, January 9, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of two hundred and fifty (\$250) dollars. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
Commissioners.

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 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, January 3, 1895, for supplying the New Furniture required for the Addition to Grammar School Building No. 58, on north side of Fifty-second street, near Eighth avenue.

JACQUES H. HERTS, Chairman,
RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.
Dated New York, December 21, 1894.
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.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 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 following assessments, viz.:

FIRST WARD.

STATE STREET—BASIN, northeast corner of Bridge street. Area of assessment: Block bounded by Whitehall and State streets, Bowling Green and Bridge street.

THIRD WARD.

BARCLAY STREET—BASIN, northeast corner of College place. Area of assessment: Block bounded by Church street and College place, Barclay street and Park place.

FOURTH WARD.

JAMES STREET—BASINS, northwest corner of Madison street and northwest corner of Batavia street; also basin on the northeast corner of Oliver and Madison streets. Area of assessment: Triangle bounded by New Bowery, James and Madison streets; block bounded by New Chambers, James, Oak and Batavia streets; block bounded by Henry, Madison, Oliver and Catharine streets.

MADISON STREET—BASIN, northeast corner of James street. Area of assessment: Block bounded by Madison, James and Oliver streets and Bowery.

ROSE STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING SIDEWALK in front of Street No. 28. Area of assessment: No. 28 Rose street, known as Ward No. 28.

WATER STREET—BASIN, northeast corner of Oliver street; also basin, northwest corner of Oak and Oliver streets; also basin, northwest corner of James and Oak streets. Area of assessment: Block bounded by Water, Oliver, Cherry and Catharine streets; also north side of Oak street, from James street to Oliver street, and west side of Oliver street, between Oak and Madison streets; also block bounded by James, Oak, Madison and Roosevelt streets.

FIFTH WARD.

DUANE STREET—BASINS, southeast and southwest corners of West Broadway. Area of assessment: Blocks bounded by Hudson, Duane, Church and Reade streets.

THOMAS STREET—SEWER, between Hudson and Church streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Reade, Duane and Thomas streets, from Broadway to West Broadway; west side of Broadway, from Chambers to Thomas street; both sides of Church street and West Broadway, from Chambers to Thomas street.

WASHINGTON STREET—SEWER, between North Moore and Franklin streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Washington street, between North Moore and Franklin streets.

SIXTH WARD.

PEARL STREET—BASIN, southwest corner of Park Row. Area of assessment: Park Row, west side, from Pearl to Duane street.

SEVENTH WARD.

MADISON STREET—BASINS, northeast and northwest corners of Clinton street; also, BASIN on the northwest corner of Monroe and Jefferson streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Clinton street, from Madison to Henry street; also block bounded by Madison and Henry streets, Clinton and Montgomery streets, and block bounded by Madison and Monroe streets, Jefferson and Rutgers streets.

MADISON STREET—BASINS, northeast and northwest corners of Pike street. Area of assessment: Block bounded by Pike and Birmingham streets, Madison and Henry streets; also south side of Henry street, commencing about 143 feet east of Pike street, to Pike street, and east side of Pike street, from Madison to Henry street.

WATER STREET—BASINS, northeast and northwest corners of Rutgers street; also basin on the northwest corner of Cherry and Pelham streets. Area of assessment: North side of Water street and south side of Cherry street, extending about 250 feet westerly from Rutgers street, and both sides of Rutgers street, from Water to Cherry street; also westerly half of the block bounded by Water and Cherry streets, Jefferson and Rutgers streets; west side of Pelham street, from Cherry to Monroe street.

EIGHTH WARD.

SPRING STREET—BASIN, northwest corner of Thompson street. Area of assessment: West side of Thompson street, between Spring and Prince streets, and north side of Spring street and south side of Prince street, between Thompson and Sullivan streets.

NINTH WARD.

CHARLES LANE—PAVING, between West and Washington streets, and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of Charles lane, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating streets.

ELEVENTH WARD.

STANTON STREET—BASINS, on the northwest and southwest corners of Goerck street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Stanton street, from Lewis to Goerck street, west side of Goerck street, commencing about 245 feet south of Stanton street and extending about 200 feet north of Stanton street, and east side of Lewis street, extending about 250 feet south of Stanton street and about 225 feet north of Stanton street.

TWELFTH WARD.

AMSTERDAM AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, east side, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hundred and Seventieth street. Area of assessment: East side of Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hundred and Seventieth street.

AMSTERDAM AVENUE—SEWER, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets, on Ward Nos. 61, 62 and 63 of Block 1076.

EIGHTY-NINTH AND NINETIETH STREETS—FLAGGING AND CURBING SIDEWALKS, between Columbus avenue and the Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, from Columbus avenue to the Boulevard.

EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, between Amsterdam and the Boulevard, and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting or terminating avenues.

ELEVENTH AVENUE—SEWER, east side between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-second streets. Area of assessment: East side of Eleventh avenue, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-second streets.

MADISON AVENUE—FENCING, east side, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Seventh streets. Area of assessment: East side of Madison avenue, extending about 100 feet south of One Hundred and Seventh street.

MANHATTAN STREET—PAVING, from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river. Area of assessment: Both sides of Manhattan street, from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson River Railroad and to the extent of half the block on Twelfth avenue, at the intersection.

MANHATTAN STREET—FLAGGING, both sides, from Columbus avenue to the Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of Manhattan street, from Columbus avenue to the Boulevard.

NINETY-FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING SIDEWALK, south side, commencing about 150 feet west of Columbus avenue and extending westerly about 50 feet. Area of assessment: South side of Ninety-fifth street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, on Ward Nos. 39 and 40 of Block 1021.

NINETY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING, from West End avenue to Riverside Park. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

NINETY-NINTH STREET—PAVING, from the Boulevard to West End avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

NINETY-NINTH STREET—PAVING, between Third and Fourth avenues, and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDREDTH STREET—SEWER, between Park and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundredth street, from Park avenue to Lexington avenue, and east side of Park avenue, from Ninety-ninth street to One Hundredth street.

ONE HUNDREDTH STREET—SEWER, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundredth street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET—PAVING, from Madison avenue to Park avenue, and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and First street, between Madison and Park avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET—SEWER, between Harlem river and First avenue. Area

of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and First street, from Harlem river to First avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD AND ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREETS—FLAGGING, both sides, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive; also flagging the west side of the Boulevard, from One Hundred and Third street to One Hundred and Fourth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, from Boulevard to West End avenue, and north side of One Hundred and Third street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, and west side of Boulevard, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fourth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET—FENCING, south side, beginning at First avenue and extending 100 feet west; also on the west side of First avenue, beginning at One Hundred and Fourth street and extending 100 feet south. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Fourth street, extending from First avenue 100 feet westerly; also west side of First avenue, running southerly 100 feet from the corner of One Hundred and Fourth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET—FENCING, commencing 125 feet west of Columbus avenue, and extending westerly about 100 feet. Area of assessment: Ward Nos. 24, 25 and 26½ of Block 1031, on north side of One Hundred and Fourth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Central Park, West, and Manhattan avenue. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Fourth street, extending easterly 175 feet from the corner of Manhattan avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, north side, between Madison and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Fifth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Amsterdam and Columbus avenues. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Amsterdam and Columbus avenues, on Ward Nos. 1, 8½, 9, 24 and 25.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET—FENCING, south side, between Park and Madison avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Seventh street, commencing at Madison avenue and extending easterly about 30 feet.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET—FENCING, north side, between Fifth and Madison avenues. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Ninth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET—FENCING, south side, between Fifth and Madison avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Tenth street, east of Fifth avenue, on Ward Nos. 66 and 67.

ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, south side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET—PAVING, with asphalt, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET—PAVING with asphalt, between Lenox and St. Nicholas avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Lenox and St. Nicholas avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREET—BASIN, southeast corner of Seventh avenue. Area of assessment: East side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, north side, in front of street number 171. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Third and Lexington avenues, on Ward No. 28A of Block 413.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET—FENCING, south side, between First and Pleasant avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between First and Pleasant avenues, on Ward No. 33 of Block 122.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, on Ward Nos. 47 and 48.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET—SEWER, between Eighth and St. Nicholas avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, extending from Eighth avenue about 125 feet westerly.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET—SEWER, between Amsterdam and Convent avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Amsterdam and Convent avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREETS—BASINS, northeast and southeast corners of Lenox avenue. Area of assessment: East side of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and north side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, extending about 145 feet east of Lenox avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET—BASIN, northwest corner of Lenox avenue. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Lenox to Seventh avenue, and east side of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—FENCING, north and south sides, between Lenox and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Lenox and Seventh avenues, on Ward Nos. 10 to 14, both inclusive, of Block 722.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Amsterdam and Convent avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Amsterdam and Convent avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—BASIN, northeast corner of Seventh avenue. Area of assessment: East side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—BASINS, northwest and southwest corners of Madison avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and Madison avenue. Area of assessment: Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, Fifth and Madison avenues, excepting the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, south side, between Lenox and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Lenox and Seventh avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Boulevard to Hudson River Railroad. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Boulevard to Hudson River Railroad.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from a point 500 feet west of the Boulevard to the Hudson River Railroad tracks. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson River Railroad tracks.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET—SEWER, between Eleventh and Amsterdam avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, between Eleventh and Amsterdam avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Tenth and Edgecombe avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, between Tenth and Edgecombe avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET and through acquired lands to Harlem river—OUTLET SEWER for Sewerage District No. 25. Area of assessment: Property bounded by One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets, Kingsbridge road and Harlem river, including south side of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Edgecombe road and Kingsbridge road; also, both sides of Jumel terrace, from Sylvan place to One Hundred and Sixty-second street; also, west side of Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Sixty-second to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND ST. NICHOLAS PLACE—CROSSWALKS at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second street. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the east line of St. Nicholas place to a point distant half way between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

SECOND AVENUE—FLAGGING AND CURBING, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Second avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

MOTT STREET—BASINS, northeast and northwest corners of Spring street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Mott street, from Spring street to Prince street.

MOTT STREET—BASIN, northwest corner of Broome street; also BASIN on the northeast corner of Prince and Crosby streets. Area of assessment: East side of Crosby street, from Jersey to Prince street; south side of Jersey street, extending about 122 feet easterly from Crosby street; north side of Prince street, from Crosby to Marion street, and west side of Marion street, from Prince street to its northerly terminus, near Jersey street; west side of Mott street, from Broome to Spring street.

SPRING STREET—BASINS, northeast and northwest corners of Marion street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Marion street, between Spring and Prince streets, and north side of Spring street, extending about 125 feet from the corner of Marion street.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

BROADWAY—FLAGGING in front of Street No. 751. Area of assessment: Street No. 751, known as Ward No. 1886.

GREENE STREET—SEWER, between West Third and West Fourth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Greene street, between West Third and West Fourth streets.

NINETEENTH WARD.

"A" AVENUE—CROSSWALKS, at Seventy-third street. Area of assessment: Extending half the block from the southerly intersection of Avenue A and Seventy-third street.

FIFTIETH STREET—CROSSWALKS, east and west sides of Beekman place. Area of assessment: Extending half the block from the easterly and westerly intersections of Fiftieth street and Beekman place.

FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING, in front of Street Nos. 239 to 245. Area of assessment: Ward Nos. 17, 18, 19 and 20, on Block 260.

SIXTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER, between First avenue and Avenue A. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixty-second street, from Avenue A to First avenue.

SEVENTY-NINTH STREET—BASIN, northwest corner of Avenue B. Area of assessment: Block bounded by Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets, Avenues A and B.

TWENTIETH WARD.

BROADWAY—FLAGGING, in front of Nos. 1345 and 1347. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 42 and 43 on Block 811, Section 3.

TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET—FLAGGING, in front of Nos. 136 and 138 West Twenty-eighth street. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 60 and 61, on Block 803, Section 3.

THIRTIETH STREET—SEWER, IMPROVEMENTS at Eleventh avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Thirtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Thirtieth and Thirtieth-second streets, from Ninth to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Thirtieth street, commencing about 350 feet westerly from Ninth avenue to Eleventh avenue; south side of Thirtieth street, extending about 200 feet easterly from Tenth avenue; west side of Ninth avenue, from Thirtieth to Thirtieth-second street; both sides of Tenth avenue and Eleventh avenue, from Thirtieth to Thirtieth-fourth street, and west side of Eleventh avenue, extending about 50 feet south of Thirtieth street.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET—BASIN, southeast corner of Amsterdam avenue. Area of assessment: South side of Eighty-fifth street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues.

ELEVENTH AVENUE—FLAGGING AND CURBING, west side, between Thirtieth and Thirtieth-sixth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Eleventh avenue, between Thirtieth and Thirtieth-sixth streets.

FORTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING, between Eleventh avenue and the Hudson river, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water. Area of assessment: South side of Forty-second street, from Eleventh avenue to the Hudson river; north side of Forty-second street, from the Hudson river to a point about 390 feet east of Twelfth avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SECOND STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, both sides, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-second street, from Eleventh avenue to Twelfth avenue.

FIFTY-THIRD STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, both sides, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

SIXTY-THIRD STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, south side, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Sixty-third street, between Tenth (Amsterdam) and Eleventh avenues.

SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWER, between Riverside Drive and West End avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-fourth street, between Riverside Drive and West End avenue.

SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET—PAVING, with asphalt, between West End avenue and Riverside Drive. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-fifth street, between West End avenue and Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting or terminating avenues.

TWELFTH AVENUE—SEWER, east side, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, and improvement to sewer in Fifty-fifth street, between Eleventh and

Twelfth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth to Twelfth avenue; east side of Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street; south side of Fifty-sixth street, from Ninth to Twelfth avenue; north side of Fifty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; west side of Ninth avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street.

WEST END AVENUE—FENCING, west side, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets. Area of assessment: West side of West End avenue, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets.

WEST END AVENUE—FLAGGING AND CURBING, west side of West End avenue, from Sixty-ninth to Seventieth street, and on the east side of West End avenue, from Sixty-ninth to Seventieth street, and on the north side of Seventieth street, from West End avenue to wall, and on the south side of Seventieth street, commencing at West End avenue and extending about 175 feet. Area of assessment: West side of West End avenue, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets; east side of West End avenue, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, and both sides of Seventieth street, and both sides of Seventieth street, extending about 100 feet west of West End avenue.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

CHISHOLM STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Jennings street to Tenth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Chisholm street, from Jennings street to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting street and the terminating street and avenue.

EAGLE AVENUE—BASIN, east side, opposite John street. Area of assessment: East side of Eagle avenue, from Cedar place to Clifton street, and north side of Cedar place, from Eagle avenue to Cauldwell avenue.

JOHN STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between St. Ann's and Brook avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of John street, between St. Ann's and Brook avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

MORRIS AVENUE—REGRADING AND REGRADING, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets, and REGRADING the approaches of intersecting streets and avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-third street to the north house-line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Alexander and Brook avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Alexander and Brook avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET—BASIN, north side, opposite Rider avenue. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Morris avenue, and west side of Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET—BASIN, south side, opposite Spencer place. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from the line of the New York and Harlem Railroad to Mott avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET—BASIN, northwest corner of Spencer place. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Mott avenue to Spencer place; west side of Spencer place, from One Hundred and Forty-fourth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and south side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Spencer place to Mott avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Third avenue and Railroad avenue, East. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Third avenue and Railroad avenue, East, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET—REGRADING, REGRADING AND REGRADING THE CURB, FLAGGING AND CROSSWALKS, between Morris avenue and Railroad avenue, East. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Morris avenue and Railroad avenue, East, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Courtlandt avenue and Railroad avenue, East. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Courtlandt avenue and Railroad avenue, East.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Elton and Morris avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Elton and Morris avenues, and the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET—BASIN, northwest corner of Washington avenue. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Washington and Elton avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET—BASIN, northwest corner of Washington avenue. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, between Washington and Elton avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET—SEWER, between Railroad avenue, West, and Morris avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Railroad avenue, West, to Morris avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Third and Brook avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Third and Brook avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD—BASIN, southeast corner of Willis avenue. Area of assessment: South side of the Southern Boulevard, extending from the corner of Willis avenue easterly a distance of about 500 feet.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Third avenue and Vanderbilt avenue, East. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-second street, between Third avenue and Vanderbilt avenue, East, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments on November 23, 1894, and entered the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," and 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 assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1892."

Section 917 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 assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A.M. and 2 P.M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 22, 1895, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 21, 1894.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.: List 4120, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbs, stones, flagging, laying crosswalks, and building culverts in One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Third to Gerard avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 4496, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curbs, stones, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Mott to Third avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Third to Gerard avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Mott to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 1st day of February, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.: List 4640, No. 1. Regulating and grading, setting curbs, stones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in Eagle avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Sixty-third street; also building steel bridge in Eagle avenue, crossing Clifton street, together with a list of awards for damages caused by change of grade.

List 4671, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Twelfth avenue to Hudson river.

List 4698, No. 3. Outlet-sewer at One Hundred and Thirtieth street, North river, with alteration and improvement to sewers in Manhattan street, north side, and One Hundred and Thirtieth street at Twelfth avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Eagle avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Sixty-third street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Twelfth avenue to Hudson river.

No. 3. All the land included within the following area: On the south by Manhattan street, on the north by One Hundred and Thirtieth street, on the east by Convent avenue and on the west by the Hudson river; also land within the following area: On the south by One Hundred and Thirtieth street, on the north by One Hundred and Forty-second street, on the east by Amsterdam avenue, on the west by the Boulevard, including west side of the Boulevard, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Forty-second street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 23d day of January, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 22, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.: List 4708, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and rebuilding receiving-basins in One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Webster and Third avenues, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 4615, No. 2. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Amsterdam to Convent avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Third to Webster avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Amsterdam to Convent avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 22d day of January, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 21, 1894.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ONE THOUSAND TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL (egg size), for the Riverside Hospital, at North Brother Island, under the charge of the Board of Health, will be received at the office of the Health Department, in the City of New York, until 1.30 o'clock P. M. of the 9th day of January, 1895. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Furnishing Coal for Riverside Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its 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 Board and read.

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates, as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, 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.

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

The Coal to be of good quality, and the quantity that will be required will be about One Thousand (1,000) Tons of White Ash Coal, to be well screened and in good order, each ton to be 2,240 pounds, in accordance with the specification attached to and which forms a part of the contract aforesaid.

Delivery to be made at the Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island, in such quantities and at the time required by the Board of Health; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made in writing by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated only and bidders are notified that the Board of Health reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding fifteen per cent. of the estimated quantities, and the contractor will be paid therefor only at the rate or price named in the contract, and that in case the above-named quantity shall not be required by the Department, no allowance will be made for any real or supposed damage or loss of profit.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS.

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

Bidders will be required to furnish testimonials that they are engaged in the coal business in the City of New York, and have the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Board of Health, and must furnish an undertaking for the faithful performance of all the provisions thereof in the manner provided by law, executed by two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, each justifying in the penal sum of THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS, and agreeing that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the said contract 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 shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of 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.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is 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 estimate, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment for the Coal will be made by requisition on the Comptroller, and as more specifically and particularly is set forth in the contract form.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the contract and specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Board of Health.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets.

CHARLES G. WILSON,
CYRUS EDSON, M.D.,
WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M.D.,
JAMES J. MARTIN,
Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, December 27, 1894

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Twelve Patrol Wagons will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of Friday, the 11th day of January, 1895.

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

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

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

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

Three of the wagons are to be completed and delivered within sixty-five (65) days after the execution and delivery of the contract, three additional wagons are to be completed and delivered within eighty (80) days after the execution and delivery of the contract, and the six additional wagons called for in the contract are to be completed and delivered within one hundred and fifty-five (155) days after the execution and delivery of such contract. The deliveries to be made at such places as shall be directed by the Board of Police.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.
NEW YORK, December 26, 1894.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1893

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 STREET
CLEANING.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

RELATIVE TO THE GRANTING OF PERMITS
FOR THE TEMPORARY OCCUPANCY OF
PUBLIC STREETS BY LICENSED VEHICLES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHAPTER 697, Laws of 1894, authorizes the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to grant permits for the temporary occupancy of portions of the streets and public places in the City of New York, from 4 P. M. until 8 A. M., and on Sundays and legal holidays only, by unlicensed licensed trucks or other unlicensed licensed vehicles owned by residents of the City of New York who have the consent of the owner or lessee of the abutting property upon the condition that the owners of trucks or vehicles for which such permits are issued shall keep the street clean under and around said trucks or vehicles, and subject to such other rules and conditions as the said Commissioner may from time to time prescribe, which permits the said Commissioner may at any time revoke.

Such permits will not be granted for either side of a street contiguous to a public building of the City and County of New York, or a church, school-house, hospital, asylum or other incorporated benevolent institution, or a licensed place of amusement, or for the following-named streets and public places:

Bowery, Broadway, Carmine street, Catharine street, Chambers street, Christopher street, College place, Cortlandt street, Desbrosses street, Essex street, Exchange place, Fulton street, Hester street, Hudson street, Liberty street, Nassau street, New street, Park Row, Varick street, Wall street, West Broadway.

Second avenue (East Houston street to Twenty-third street), Third avenue (Bowery to Harlem river, Harlem river to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street), Fourth avenue (Sixth street to Forty-second street), Fifth avenue (Washington place to Fifty-ninth street), Sixth avenue (all), Seventh avenue (Forty-second street to Fifty-ninth street), Eighth avenue (Hudson street to Fifty-ninth street), Lexington avenue (all), Madison avenue (all), Fourteenth street (First avenue to Eighth avenue), Twenty-third street (all), Thirty-fourth street (East river to Tenth avenue), Forty-second street (Second avenue to Ninth avenue), Fifty-ninth street (First avenue to Tenth avenue), One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street (Third avenue to Ninth avenue).

Or for any streets under the control of the Department of Parks, Docks and Public Works, except upon the consent of the heads of those Departments.

All existing permits for the occupancy by unlicensed vehicles of any of the streets or portions of streets or places enumerated above are hereby revoked.

All unlicensed wagons, trucks or other vehicles standing in the streets or public places, other than those for which permits have been issued and which are in compliance with the conditions of the same will be seized and removed to the Corporation Yards of the Department of Street Cleaning, in pursuance of the provisions of the law.

Applications for permits as above must be made at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, in the basement of the New Criminal Court-house, corner of Centre and Franklin streets. Entrance on Centre street.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
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 Criminal Court Building.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY
AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARD,
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
NEW YORK, December 26, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations, for the positions below mentioned, will be held on the dates specified: January 3, 1895, EXAMINER, Finance Department. January 4, MALE STENOGRAPHER AND TYPE-WRITER.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Willis 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, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York the 17th day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 6th day of September, 1893, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made under authority of chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868 and filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County, at White Plains, on or about February 21, 1871, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapter 470 of the Laws of 1882, entitled "Map or Plan of the streets, roads and avenues in that portion of the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York bounded on the north by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, on the east by St. Ann's avenue and Long Island Sound, on the south by Long Island Sound and Harlem river, and on the west by Railroad avenue, East, as established and classified by the Department of Public Parks, in pursuance of chapter 470 of the Laws of 1882," and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 29th day of January, 1885, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 27th day of January, 1885, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 26th day of January, 1885, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed 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 or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the

extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (January 3, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of January, 1895, 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, January 3, 1895.
CHAS. PUTZEL,
GEO. A. CHAPPELL,
JOSEPH A. CARBERRY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Jacob Lorillard, Vernon H. Brown and David James King, the Commissioners heretofore appointed in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 487 of the Laws of 1885, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the report of David McClure, Samuel W. Milbank and Edmund H. Martine, as Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above-entitled proceeding by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 5th day of January, 1893, which said report bears date November 28, 1894, and was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 1st day of December, 1894, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, at Chambers, to be held in the First Judicial District, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that a motion will then and there be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, December 10, 1894.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 22d day of January, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 22d day of January, 1895, 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 in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of February, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the easterly line of Rider avenue to the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; easterly by the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard to the easterly line of Rider avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Rider avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of February, 1895, 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, December 26, 1894.
JAMES L. WELLS, Chairman,
JNO. H. SPELLMAN,
PATRICK A. MCMAHON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to NELSON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Kemp place to Boocobell avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards 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 Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, the 17th day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of

the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Nelson avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 28th day of May, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on certain maps entitled "Plan and Profile showing the laying-out of Nelson avenue, from Devco street to Kemp place; also showing the location, width, course, windings, classifications and grades of Nelson avenue, from Devco street to Fetherbed lane, Plimpton avenue, from Orchard street to Fetherbed lane, and of Fisk place, from Plimpton avenue to Nelson avenue, prepared by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, under chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890, in order to render more definite and certain a part of the map of the Highbridge District, filed by the Department of Public Parks September 9, 1884, and another map made under authority of chapter 407 of the Laws of 1886, and filed by the Department of Public Parks May 16, 1888, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 17th day of February, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 21st day of February, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 21st day of February, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed 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 or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 31, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of January, 1895, at 4 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, December 31, 1894.
THOS. J. CREAMER,
ISAAC FROMME,
MATTHEW CHALMERS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 22d day of January, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 22d day of January, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of February, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning a point in the United States pier and bulkhead line distant 628.11 feet from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; running thence parallel with East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Locust avenue; thence along Locust avenue to a point midway between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets; thence parallel with and midway between the lines of East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets to the Southern Boulevard; thence along the Southern Boulevard to a point midway between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets; thence parallel with and midway between the lines of East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets to Locust avenue; thence along Locust avenue to the corner of Locust avenue and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence along East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the United States pier and bulkhead line; thence along said bulkhead line to the point of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of February, 1895, 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, December 26, 1894.
JAMES L. WELLS, Chairman,
JNO. H. SPELLMAN,
PATRICK A. MCMAHON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved 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. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 7th day of February, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 7th day of February, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 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 said city, there to remain until the 7th day of February, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Riverside avenue with the southerly line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street; running thence along said easterly line of Riverside avenue to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets; thence along said centre line to the centre line of the block between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue; thence along said last-mentioned centre line to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets; thence along said last-mentioned centre line to the westerly line of Morningside avenue, West; thence along said last-mentioned line to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets; thence along said last-mentioned centre line to Amsterdam avenue; thence along Amsterdam avenue to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets; thence along said centre line to the centre line of the block between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue; thence along said last-mentioned centre line to the easterly line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street prolonged; thence along said last-mentioned line to the point of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 14th day of February, 1895, 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, December 29, 1894.
ROLLIN M. MORGAN, Chairman,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands on the westerly side of RIDGE STREET, between Broome and Delancey streets, in the Thirteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for buildings for police purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 350 of the Laws of 1892.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 350 of the Laws of 1892, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice (December 28, 1894), file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 350 of the Laws of 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 11th day of January, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1895, 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, December 27, 1894.
JAMES E. LEARNED,
MARTIN T. MCMAHON,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

I. B. BRENNAN, 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 that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as One

Hundred and Sixty-second street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 14th day of December, 1893, and signed Joseph O. B. Webster, Assistant Engineer and Surveyor of the Department of Public Works, and as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 660 of the Laws of 1893, and filed on or about the 15th day of September, 1893, one in the office of the Department of Public Works, one in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and one in the office of the Department of Public Parks, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed 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 or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 28, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of January, 1895, at 4 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, December 28, 1894.
EDWARD C. STONE,
H. ALFRED FREEMAN,
CHARLES PRETZEL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth 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 Board.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 17th day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as One Hundred and sixty seventh street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein dated the 14th day of December, 1893, and signed Joseph O. B. Webster, Assistant Engineer and Surveyor of the Department of Public Works, and as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under chapter 660 of the Laws of 1893 and filed on or about the 16th day of September, 1893, one in the office of the Department of Public Works, one in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and one in the office of the Department of Public Parks, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed 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 or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 28, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of January, 1895, at 4 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, December 28, 1894.
JOHN G. O'KEEFE,
ALBERT BACH,
ISAAC RODMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth 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 Board.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as One Hundred and Sixty-sixth, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 14th day of December, 1893, and signed Joseph O. B. Webster, Assistant Engineer and Surveyor of the Department of Public Works, and as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 660 of the Laws of 1893, and filed on or about the 15th day of September, 1893, one in the office of the Department of Public Works, one in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed 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 or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 28, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of January, 1895, at 4 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, December 28, 1894.
ALBERT BACH,
JOHN G. O'KEEFE,
ISAAC RODMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks 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 in fee to certain pieces or parcels of land extending from the easterly line of Jerome avenue, nearly opposite Sedgwick avenue and Ogden avenue, to the Jerome avenue approach to the New Macomb's Dam Bridge, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of the construction of the Sedgwick avenue and Ogden avenue approach or viaduct to the New Macomb's Dam Bridge across the Harlem river in said city.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate 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 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. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 14th day of January, 1895, and thereafter, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of January, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate, together with our damage map, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in the said city, there to remain until the 26th day of January, 1895.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of January, 1895, 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, December 19, 1894.
WM. C. HOLBROOK, Chairman,
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
HENRY J. SAYERS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein dated the 9th day of May, 1893, and signed Joseph O. B. Webster, Assistant Engineer and Surveyor of the Department of Public Works, and as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 300 of the Laws of 1883, chapter 17 of the Laws of 1884, and chapter 185 of the Laws of 1885, and filed on or about the 21st day of April, 1893, in the office of the

Department of Public Works, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed 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 or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 24, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of January, 1895, at 4 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, December 24, 1894.
ANDREW S. HAMERSLEY, JR.,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks 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 in fee to certain pieces or parcels of land extending from the easterly line of Jerome avenue, at One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the easterly bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, opposite One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Seventh avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, for the purpose of the construction of the Jerome avenue approach, with the necessary abutments and arches, to the New Macomb's Dam Bridge across the Harlem river in said city.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate 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 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. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 4th day of February, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 4th day of February, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate, together with our damage 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 5th day of February, 1895.

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 12th day of February, 1895, 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, December 19, 1894.
LEWIS J. CONLON, Chairman,
WM. C. HOLBROOK,
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to INWOOD AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Cromwell avenue to Featherbed lane, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Inwood avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on the map attached to the petition herein dated the 3d day of January, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or plan showing proposed changes of avenues and streets in that part of the City of New York, bounded on the north by Belmont street and Elliot street, on the east by Sheridan avenue and Mott avenue, on the south by the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad, and on the west by Jerome avenue, Boscobel avenue and Cromwell avenue," filed in the Department of Public Parks on the 24th day of March, 1888, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 29th day of March, 1888, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and on the 30th day of March, 1888, and as also shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled "Map or plan showing location, width, course, windings, classification and grades of avenues and streets lying between Elliot street, Inwood avenue, Featherbed lane and Jerome avenue, in order to render more definite and certain a part of a map filed by the Department of Public Parks, March 29, 1888, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, prepared by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York under chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890," and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on the 15th day of July, 1892, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 21st day of July, 1892, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed 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 or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 20, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of January, 1895, 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, December 20, 1894.
ANDREW S. HAMERSLEY, JR.,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Wolf place, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 14th day of February, 1893, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled "Map or plan showing proposed changes of avenues and streets in that part of the City of New York, bounded on the north by Belmont street and Elliot street, on the east by Sheridan avenue and Mott avenue, on the south by the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad, and on the west by Jerome avenue, Boscobel avenue and Cromwell avenue," filed in the Department of Public Parks on the 24th day of March, 1888, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 29th day of March, 1888, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and on the 30th day of March, 1888, and as also shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled "Map or plan showing location, width, course, windings, classification and grades of avenues and streets lying between Elliot street, Inwood avenue, Featherbed lane and Jerome avenue, in order to render more definite and certain a part of a map filed by the Department of Public Parks, March 29, 1888, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, prepared by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York under chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890," and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on the 15th day of July, 1892, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 21st day of July, 1892, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed 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 or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 20, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of January, 1895, at 4 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, December 20, 1894.
ANDREW S. HAMERSLEY, JR.,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
JAMES A. DONEGAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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