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## BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,  
NEW YORK, December 18, 1891.

Owing to the absence of a quorum, no meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement was held this day.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

#### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

#### BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

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

#### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

#### COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner.

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER, Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN FYCK, Secretary

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.

HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES G. WILSON, President; 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.  
ALBERT GALLUP, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

EDWIN A. POST, President; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.  
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

### CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES THOMSON, Chairman of the Supervisory Board  
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

The Mayor, Chairman; E. P. BARKER, Secretary  
CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.  
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary

### BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,  
No. 2 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, December 5, 1891.

**PROPOSALS TO FURNISH THE COURTS AND DEPARTMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK WITH BLANK BOOKS, DOCKETS, LIBERS, BINDING COVERS, BINDING, ETC.**

**TO BOOKBINDERS AND STATIONERS.**  
SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE City Government with Blank Books, Dockets, Libers, etc., will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, the twenty-first day of December, 1891, at or about which time said estimates will be publicly opened and read at a meeting of the Board of City Record, to be held in the Mayor's Office.

Each person making an estimate shall inclose it in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Blank Books, etc.," and with his name and the date of its presentation.

Each estimate shall state the name and place of residence of the person making it; if there is more than one such person, their names and residences must be given; and if only one person is interested in the estimate it must 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 it that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is required 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 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 preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, 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.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor; the amount of preliminary security to be given until each award, and in which the sureties shall justify, shall be One Thousand Dollars.

Should the person 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 bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute

the contract and give the proper security, he 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 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, and no estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

No 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 fifty per centum of the amount of the preliminary 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 Supervisor of the City Record, 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 Supervisor and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the undersigned city officers to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for the work required by any court or department, or for any item in the specifications involving an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars.

The making and delivery of all the books must be completed within fifty days from the execution of the contract; and they must be made and delivered in the order to be prescribed by the Supervisor of the City Record, to the end that the immediate needs of the Departments shall be supplied.

For particulars of the quantities of books required resort must be had to the specifications on file in the Department of Public Works, or to be procured from the Supervisor of the City Record.

The Libers are to be sewed in sections of four sheets, lined inside and outside with linen. The head-bands are to be made on the book. All parchment used is to be covered with linen. The binding is to be of real Russia, with extra back, and the finish antique and gold. The Libers are to have round cornered brass shoes, as per samples in the Register's and Surrogate's offices. Crane's parchment deed paper No. 44 must be used.

Samples of such of the books as are not described herein, or in the specifications, are to be seen in the several courts and departments, and the new books must be made in accordance with those samples, unless the latter are inferior in the qualities of paper and binding to those provided for in the specifications.

Stenographers' books are not to be pagged or indexed; but special attention must be paid to the paper called for, as some stenographers use only a pen and others a pencil.

By order of

J. H. V. ARNOLD,  
Acting Mayor;  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation;  
THOMAS F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

W. J. K. KENNY,  
Supervisor of the City Record.

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

ASSESSMENTS CONFIRMED BY THE BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, DECEMBER 4, 1891.

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 assessment lists, viz.:

Repaying Thirtieth street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

Repaying Sixteenth street, from Avenue C to the East river, with asphalt and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments December 4, 1891, and entered on the 9th day of December, 1891, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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 February 10, 1892, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

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

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

ASSESSMENTS CONFIRMED BY THE BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, DECEMBER 4, 1891.

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 assessment lists, viz.:

Paving Canal street, from West to Washington street, with granite blocks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

Paving St. Nicholas avenue with macadam pavement, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to its intersection with Tenth avenue, and Kingsbridge road, from its intersection with Tenth avenue to One Hundred and Ninetieth street, and laying crosswalks.

Repaying Thirtieth street, from First avenue to the East river (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water), with trap blocks.

Paving Sixty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, with granite blocks.

Paving Sixty-seventh street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite blocks.

Paving Eightieth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

Paving Eighty-seventh street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, with granite blocks.

Paving Eighty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Ninety-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Ninth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, with granite blocks.

Paving One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with asphalt and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eighth to Edgecombe avenue, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, with trap blocks.

Paving One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Tenth to St. Nicholas avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Third to Vanderbilt avenue, with trap blocks.

Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Bradhurst avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Re-regulating, regrading, curbing and flagging Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Eighth to Manhattan avenue.

Laying crosswalks across Amsterdam avenue, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets.

Laying crosswalks across Hamilton place, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

Laying crosswalks across Lenox avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

Laying crosswalks across Lenox avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

Laying a crosswalk across Lenox avenue, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

Laying crosswalks across Western Boulevard, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Fortieth street.

Laying crosswalks across Avenue A at the northerly and southerly sides of Seventy-first street.

Laying crosswalks across Fifth avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth, One Hundred and Fourteenth, One Hundred and Fiftieth, One Hundred and Sixteenth, One Hundred and Seventeenth, and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets.

Laying crosswalks across Fifth avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

Laying crosswalks across Tenth avenue, from the present line of bridge-stone on the easterly house-line of Tenth avenue, to the westerly line of Tenth avenue, at the intersection of the southerly line of Kingsbridge road.

Laying crosswalks across Tenth avenue, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, and across Tenth and St. Nicholas avenues, at the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-second street.

Laying crosswalks across One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, at the easterly and westerly sides of Eleventh avenue, and across Eleventh avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

Flagging, curbing and recuring in front of Nos. 7 and 9 Abington Square.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring east side of West End avenue, between Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring south side of Fifty-first street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.

Flagging and reflagging in front of vacant lots Nos. 12, 13 and 14 West Fifty-sixth street.

Flagging and curbing south side of Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Flagging and reflagging and recuring both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Avenue A to East river.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recuring, south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

Flagging and curbing One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Manhattan and Columbus avenues.

Flagging and curbing both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Amsterdam avenue to Hamilton place.

Fencing vacant lots on the block bounded by Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets, Boulevard and West End avenue.

Fencing the vacant lots on both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Central Park, West, to Riverside Drive.

Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Ninety-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Fencing vacant lots on north side of One Hundred and Second street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues.

Fencing vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

Fencing vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, St. Nicholas and Manhattan avenues.

Alteration and improvement to sewer in Essex street, between Delancey and Broome streets.

Alteration and improvement to sewer in Ludlow street, between Delancey and Broome streets.

Sewer in College avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets.

Sewer and appurtenances on the east side of Lincoln avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.

Sewer in Park avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets.

Sewer in First avenue, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets.

Sewer in Twelfth avenue, east side, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-seventh streets, with outlet through



pier at Thirty-sixth street, North river, and connections to present sewers in Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets.

Extension of sewer in Twenty-eighth street, between East river and First avenue, connecting with present sewer built by Department of Docks.

Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Sewer in Eighty-second street, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, and in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, with a branch in One Hundred and Forty-first street.

Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Railroad avenue, East, and Courtlandt avenue, with a branch in Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

Receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of Ninety-sixth street and Boulevard.

Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Ninety-eighth street and First avenue.

Receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and Eighth street and Boulevard.

Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Fifth avenue.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred Sixteenth street and Fifth avenue.

Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Eighth avenue.

Correction of Assessments December 4, 1891, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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 February 5, 1892, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

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

PROPOSALS FOR \$98,802.00 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Monday, the 28th day of December, 1891, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of an issue of \$98,802 registered.

CONSOLIDATED STOCK

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

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

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted November 10, 1891, and as authorized by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Education.

CONDITIONS.

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

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

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

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
NO. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),  
NEW YORK, December 2, 1891.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY of New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1891, to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1892, as provided by section 846 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1891, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1892, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the fifth day of October, 1891, on which day the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1891 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 843 of said act.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

### AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at Public Auction, Tuesday, December 22, 1891, seventy Apple Trees now standing on Bronx Park, near Bedford Park Station of the New York and Harlem Railroad, and also all the dead wood lying or standing on the Bronx, Van Cortlandt and Pelham Bay Parks, in lots or quantities to suit purchasers. The sale will take place as follows:

Bronx Park, 9 A. M., at the Lorillard Mansion.

Van Cortlandt Park, 10.30 A. M., at the Tremper House.

Pelham Bay Park, 12.30 P. M., at Scott Building (Police Station).

### TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.

Purchasers will be required to remove the trees and dead wood on or before March 15, 1892, and to be responsible for it from the time of sale.

For further information apply at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,  
CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 16, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

### PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

340,000 pounds of Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.

55,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.

3,300 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

550 bags clean, sound Yellow Corn, 112 pounds to the bag.

375 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, December 20, 1891.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall present the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Forage," with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

All of the articles are to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be directed, at the following places:

Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal).

Sixty-fourth street and Eighth avenue (Sheepfold).

Eighty-fifth street, Transverse road (Stables).

One Hundred and Fifth street and Fifth avenue (Stables).

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

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

The gas shall have an illuminating power of not less than eighteen candles when tested at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture, on the improved form of the Bunsen Photometer, by a Sugg-Letheby 15-hole argand burner, calculated on a consumption of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The regular daily tests, however, will be made with a burner that will obtain from the gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use by the consumer, and consuming at the rate of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The testing candle shall be of sperm of six to the pound, and of twenty summing, as near as possible, one hundred and is twenty grains of spermaceti per hour, and no candle shall be used for testing which consumes less than one hundred and fourteen or more than one hundred and twenty-six grains of spermaceti per hour. And as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphureted hydrogen, and other sulphur and noxious compounds.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the several markets, armories, buildings and offices to which they propose to supply gas, and the illuminating power of the gas they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state one definite and distinct price for each thousand cubic feet of gas furnished (whether the quantity be more or less) to each or any of the public markets, armories, buildings and offices of the city, and this price must be written out in full, and also inserted in figures.

The amount of security required is \$20,000, but the same may be reduced at the option of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, if an award for a portion is made warranting a less amount of security.

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

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

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

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$2,000.

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

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

ALBERT GALLUP,  
NATHAN STRAUSS,  
PAUL DANA,  
ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 14, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ILLUMINATING GAS FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC MARKETS, ARMORIES, BUILDINGS AND OFFICES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 1892, TO DECEMBER 31, 1892, BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ILLUMINATING gas for lighting the Public Markets, Armories, Buildings and Offices of the City of New York, or any of them, for the period from January 1, 1892, to December 31, 1892, both days inclusive, will be received by the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, December 28, 1891, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened.

Any person making an estimate for the above-mentioned supplies shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope at said office, at 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.

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, they shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same purpose; and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimates 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 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 bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the 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 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 security required for the completion of the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with an 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.

The gas shall have an illuminating power of not less than eighteen candles when tested at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture, on the improved form of the Bunsen Photometer, by a Sugg-Letheby 15-hole argand burner, calculated on a consumption of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The regular daily tests, however, will be made with a burner that will obtain from the gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use by the consumer, and consuming at the rate of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The testing candle shall be of sperm of six to the pound, and of twenty summing, as near as possible, one hundred and is twenty grains of spermaceti per hour, and no candle shall be used for testing which consumes less than one hundred and fourteen or more than one hundred and twenty-six grains of spermaceti per hour. And as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphureted hydrogen, and other sulphur and noxious compounds.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the several markets, armories, buildings and offices to which they propose to supply gas, and the illuminating power of the gas they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state one definite and distinct price for each thousand cubic feet of gas furnished (whether the quantity be more or less) to each or any of the public markets, armories, buildings and offices of the city, and this price must be written out in full, and also inserted in figures.

The amount of security required is \$20,000, but the same may be reduced at the option of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, if an award for a portion is made warranting a less amount of security.

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

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 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 right is reserved, when an estimate is made containing bids for supplying gas to one or more of the markets, armories, buildings, offices, etc., as aforesaid, to accept from such estimate or bid so much thereof as may be the lowest in respect to each particular market, armory, building or office as aforesaid, and to reject the remainder of such estimate or bid which may not be the lowest as aforesaid. The contract for lighting any particular market, armory, building, office, etc., will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest bidder on the lighting of each particular market, armory, building, office, etc.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless a written permission shall have been previously obtained from the Commissioner of Public Works.

The right is also reserved to discontinue the lighting of any of the public markets, armories, buildings, offices, etc., to which gas shall be furnished, if at any time gas should not be required in any such public market, armory, building or office.

The right to decline all estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation, by the Commissioner of Public Works, and 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.

If the estimate of any bidder shall include any market, armory, building or office, situated on any street in which the gas-mains of such bidder are not laid at the time of the making of the bid, and a contract for furnishing gas to said market, armory, building or office shall be awarded to any such bidder, then, in that case, thirty days from the date of the execution of such contract shall be allowed to such bidder for the laying of the gas-mains of such bidder in said street, providing such bidder shall have a franchise or grant from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, authorizing the laying of gas-mains in such street. Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
NEW YORK, December 7, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Monday, December 21, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE REPAIRS OF THE BUILDINGS KNOWN AS NOS. 8, 10, 12 AND 14 CHAMBERS STREET.

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

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

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

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

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

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

THOS. F. GILROY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 405.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, NEAR THE FOOT OF VESEY STREET, NORTH RIVER, TO BE KNOWN AS "PIER NEW 15," NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a New Wooden Pier, with its Appurtenances, near the foot of Vesey street, North river, and depositing rip-rap stone in connection therewith, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1891,

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is in the specifications, which may be obtained at the office of the Department of Docks.

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

(2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and



in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the several classes of the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work to be done under the contract (except about 60 feet of the shore end of the pier, which will not be constructed until the bulkhead-wall is constructed by the Department of Docks), is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of June, 1892, or within as many days thereafter as the date of the execution of this agreement, by the Department of Docks in dredging for the pier; and the said about 60 feet is to be completed within thirty days after notice shall be given to the contractor by said Department of Docks that work on the said about 60 feet may be begun; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 19, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO ROOFS, GUTTERS, ETC., INSANE ASYLUM, WARD'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction,

No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, December 31, 1891, until 10 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Roofs, Gutters, etc., Insane Asylum, Ward's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

For further particulars see General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts at the end of this list of contracts.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 17, 1891.

#### PROPOSALS FOR 2,000 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Wednesday, December 30, 1891, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, for TWO THOUSAND Tons Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds; to be well screened and delivered in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time, SOUTH OF EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in FOUR THOUSAND (\$4,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

For further particulars see General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 15, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR BOILER-HOUSE FOR INSANE ASYLUM, B. I.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Monday, December 28, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Boiler-house for Insane Asylum, B. I.," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of the said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$2,500) DOLLARS.

For further particulars see General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 15, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR SIX PAVILIONS FOR NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR INSANE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Monday, December 28, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Six Pavilions, Insane Asylum, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES

IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND (\$100,000) DOLLARS.

For further particulars see General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 11, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing the following hospital supplies, viz.:

1.—Articles to be delivered in instalments as may be required during the year 1892.

4,200 gallons, more or less, of two-stamp copper distilled PURE RYE WHISKEY, to be delivered in the City of New York, free of all charges, in lots of five barrels or more at a time as may be required during the year 1892. To be not less than two years old from the date of the warehouse entry stamp, the whiskey to be consigned by Bill of Lading to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, and upon the arrival of each shipment in the City of New York the same shall be gauged at the dock or depot at the expense of the contractor, who shall also cause it to be carted to the General Drug Department, at Bellevue Hospital, direct, the gaugers' certificate in all cases to be attached to the bill. Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on distilled spirits during the year 1892 shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfulfilled at the time when the act making such alteration shall go into effect.

350,000 yards, more or less, BLEACHED HOSPITAL GAUZE, in 100 yard pieces, to be delivered in instalments as required.

12,000 pounds, more or less, of pure ABSORBENT COTTON, in one-pound rolls, to be delivered in 50-pound boxes, and in such quantity at a time as may be required.

6,000 pounds, more or less, pure ABSORBENT LINT, in one-pound rolls, to be delivered in 50-pound boxes, in such quantity at a time as may be required.

II.—Articles to be delivered at once after the contract is awarded.

4,000 pounds pure White MEDICINAL CARBOLIC ACID, of the standard of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, to be delivered in 1-pound flint glass unlettered bottles, labeled with red "Carbolic Acid" and "Poison" labels, and in boxes containing 50 pounds.

5,000 pounds pure MEDICINAL GLYCERINE, of the standard of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, to be delivered in 50-pound boxes cans.

3,500 ounces SULPHATE OF QUININE, of the standard of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, to be delivered in 100-ounce cans.

125 ounces SULPHATE OF MORPHINE, pure, in 1/2-ounce vials.

36 barrels prime pure imported NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL, in original packages.

4,000 pounds Contis pure WHITE CASTLE SOAP, in original boxes, weight to be determined on delivery and Public Weigher's certificate, together with the tare as tested by 10 boxes to be furnished by the contractor.

2,500 pounds pure "CRYSTAL" CASTOR OIL, in 50-pound boxes cans.

800 pounds purified CHLOROFORM of the standard of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, in 1-pound bottles and in boxes holding 50 pounds each.

410 gross GREEN PRESCRIPTION BOTTLES, Boston round, viz: 80 gross 1 ounce, 100 gross 2 ounces, 24 gross 4 ounces, 90 gross 8 ounces, 10 gross 16 ounces, 10 gross 32 ounces.

1,875 gross First Quality Selected LONG TAPER DRUGGISTS' CORKS XX, free from lower grades, viz.: 225 gross No. 2, 250 gross No. 3, 400 gross No. 4, 300 gross No. 5, 250 gross No. 6, 200 gross No. 7, 150 gross No. 8. All to be delivered in 5-gross bags properly marked.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, December 23, 1891.

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

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

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

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

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

The quality of the Hospital Supplies must conform in every respect to the specifications and samples, and bidders are cautioned to examine both specifications and samples of the articles required before making their estimates.

For further particulars see General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 15, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR STEAM HEATING, VENTILATING SIX PAVILIONS FOR INSANE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Monday, December 28, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating, Ventilating Six Pavilions for Insane, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of

same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating and Ventilating Six Pavilions for Insane, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWELVE THOUSAND (\$12,000) DOLLARS.

For further particulars see General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 11, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house pier, Blackwell's Island (east side), 13,000 Barrels Extra Wheat Flour, Nos. 1 and 2, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, December 23, 1891, said flour to be delivered in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels (1,000 barrels fortnightly), one-half of each quality, and all to be delivered as required during the first six months of the year 1892, to be delivered in barrels only, viz.:

6,500 barrels like sample No. 1.

6,500 barrels like sample No. 2.

Empty barrels to be returned, and the price bid for the same by the contractor to be deducted from the price of the flour.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For further particulars see General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 11, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries and other Supplies during the year 1892, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, December 23, 1891.

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

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

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

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

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

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

For further particulars see General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 10, 1891.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY FOR THE YEAR 1892.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Poultry for the year ending December 31, 1892, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 A. M., Tuesday, December 22, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry for the year 1892," and with his or their name or names, and the date of



presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS**.

For further particulars see *General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts*.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 10, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1892.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** all the Meats required for the year 1892, to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City and County of New York, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 A. M., Tuesday, December 22, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1892," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000)**.

For further particulars see *General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts*.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 10, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR TWELVE HUNDRED TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL FOR 1892.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** twelve hundred (1,200) tons of (2,240 pounds each) of White Ash Coal, as required, during the year 1892, and in accordance with the specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, December 22, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 1,200 Tons White Ash Coal," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS**.

For further particulars see *General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts*.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 10, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED COW'S MILK, 1892.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** Condensed Cow's Milk for the year 1892, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, December 22, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Condensed Cow's Milk, 1892," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS**.

For further particulars see *General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts*.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 10, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR FRESH COW'S MILK, 1892.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** Fresh Cow's Milk for the year 1892 will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, December 22, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Cow's Milk for the year 1892," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS**.

For further particulars see *General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts*.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 10, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH, ETC., FOR 1892.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** during the year ending December 31, 1892, **FRESH FISH, ETC.**

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, December 22, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc., for the year ending December 31, 1892," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction. And the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS**.

For further particulars see *General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts*.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 10, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR FORTY THOUSAND (40,000) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL FOR 1892.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** the Department of Public Charities and Correction, during the year 1892, as may be required and in accordance with the specifications, **FORTY THOUSAND (40,000) TONS (2,240 POUNDS EACH) OF WHITE ASH COAL**, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, December 22, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 40,000 Tons White Ash Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FORTY THOUSAND (\$40,000) DOLLARS**.

For further particulars see *General Conditions of Bidding for Contracts*.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, November 24, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO RANDALL'S ISLAND STABLES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Wednesday, December 23, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Randall's Island Stables," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

#### GENERAL CONDITIONS OF BIDDING FOR CONTRACTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### NEW AQUEDUCT.

#### SODOM DAM AND RESERVOIRS.

#### SUPREME COURT, SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 196 of the Laws of 1887, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under said acts.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the third separate report of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein on July 23, 1887, which report was filed on October 8, 1891, in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County, at the Court-house in the Village of White Plains, in said county, and a copy of which was, on October 12, 1891, filed in the office of the Clerk of Putnam County, at Carmel, in said county, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in the City of Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on December 19, 1891, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, October 30, 1891.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
New York City.

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

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

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

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the Towns of Yorktown and Cortlandt, County of Westchester, and is laid out and indicated on a certain map entitled "Property map of lands for the construction of Cornell Dam, etc.," filed in Westchester County Register's Office, at White Plains, in said county, on November seventeenth (17th), 1891, as Map No. 1004.

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

All those certain pieces or parcels of land in the Towns of Cortlandt and Yorktown, County of Westchester and State of New York, which, taken together, constitute a tract of land particularly described and shown on said map and divided into two parts by the Croton Aqueduct, that portion lying north of said aqueduct being described as follows:

All that tract of land situated, lying and being on the northerly side of the Croton Aqueduct, in the Towns of Cortlandt and Yorktown, County of Westchester and State of New York, bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at monument marked "A. C." on the northerly side of the Croton Aqueduct in the Town of Cortlandt, at the corner of the lands of Ann Burt, known as Parcel No. 14 on said map; thence north 31 degrees 52 minutes, west, 713 48-100 feet to the centre of the Croton river; thence along the centre of the said river, south, 41 degrees 20 minutes, west, 1,150 feet; thence leaving the said river and across the road from Croton Landing to Croton Dam, north, 53 degrees 30 minutes, west, 134 13-100 feet; thence north 20 degrees 30 minutes, east, 1,450 feet; thence north 27 degrees 56 minutes, west, 376 3-10 feet; thence north 50 degrees 4 minutes, east, 238 feet to a fence and a creek; thence along the said fence and the said creek, south, 22 degrees 14 minutes, west, 106 feet to a corner of the land of Daniel Webber; thence on the said land and leaving the said fence and creek, south, 63 degrees 41 minutes, east, 518 7-10 feet to the land of Elvin W. Cornell; thence on the said land, north, 66 degrees 30 minutes, east, 1,168 feet to the land of Aaron P. Cornell; thence on the said land, north, 17 degrees 28 minutes, east, 332 feet to the land of Daniel Webber; thence on the said land, north, 21 degrees 41 minutes, west, 500 feet; thence across two fences, north, 41 degrees 11 minutes, west, 690 feet to a point; thence across four fences and the Collaugh Brook, south, 69 degrees 22 minutes, east, 1,214 33 feet to the centre of the Mt. Erie road and the land of Sophia Webb; thence along said land and a lane, north, 39 degrees 36 minutes, east, 375 feet; thence north, 30 degrees 32 minutes, east, 149 feet; thence north 20 degrees 32 minutes, east, 305 feet; thence leaving the said lane on the said land and across several fences, south, 22 degrees 23 minutes, east, 1,097 6-10 feet to a point; thence north 61 degrees 46 minutes, east, 2,601 6 feet to the land of Isaac Losee, near the line between the Towns of Yorktown and Cortlandt; thence nearly following said township line on the said land, north, 26 minutes, east, 443 1-10 feet to a corner; thence across a fence and along the land of Sophia Webb, north, 9 minutes, east, 397 2-10 feet to a corner; thence north 2 degrees 28 minutes, east, 332 5-10 feet to the west side of the road, from Peekskill to Yorktown, on the said township line; thence along the land of William H. Kerr across the said road and following the said township line, north, 34 minutes, east, 549 47-100 feet to a point near the Mill Brook and the land of Geo. F. Teed; thence south 47 degrees 30 minutes, east, 361 7-10 feet to a corner; thence south 46 degrees 3 minutes, west, 143 8-10 feet to a corner; thence south 42 degrees 10 minutes, east, 216 6-10 feet to a corner; thence north 89 degrees 39 minutes, east, 178 3-10 feet to a corner; thence south 16 degrees 9 minutes, east, 462 9-10 feet to a corner; thence across the Mill Brook, south, 29 degrees 1 minute, west, 282 feet to the centre of the road, from Peekskill to Yorktown, at or near the northerly end of a bridge over the Mill Brook; thence along the said road and the said land, south, 38 degrees 16 minutes, east, 375 5-10 feet to a point; thence on the said land and along the said road, south, 59 degrees 14 minutes, east, 280 feet; thence south 28 degrees 54 minutes 40 seconds, east, 323 36-100 feet; thence leaving the said road, along the line of the lands of the said George F. Teed and Leonard Chadeayne, south, 65 degrees 21 minutes, east, 192 feet to a corner near the northwesterly corner of a house; thence north 78 degrees 55 minutes, east, 472 feet to the centre of the aforesaid road; thence following the said road, the land of the said George F. Teed and that of Sarah Green, north, 63 degrees 12 minutes, east, 742 feet to a point; thence along the last-named land, north, 40 degrees 4 minutes, east, 154 5-10 feet to the land of Phoebe Tompkins; thence along the said land, north, 36 degrees 47 minutes, east, 57 feet to



the land of the heirs of the late James Wilson; thence leaving the said road, across a fence and along the said land, south, 55 degrees 38 minutes, east, 907 feet to the centre of the Croton River and the land of Brady J. Orser; thence along the said land and the centre of the said river, north, 35 degrees 36 minutes, east, 166 feet; thence north 80 degrees 46 minutes, east, 115 feet; thence north 58 degrees 13 minutes, east, 465 feet; thence north 31 degrees 45 minutes, east, 259 feet; thence north 37 degrees 28 minutes, east, 224 feet to the land of Caleb McCord; thence south 2 degrees 55 minutes west, 1,195 8-10 feet to a corner on the land of the Corporation of the City of New York on the northerly side of the Croton Aqueduct; thence along the said land and aqueduct the following courses and distance, south, 85 degrees 52 minutes, west, 228.6 feet to a corner; thence across the said road, south, 76 degrees 32 minutes, west, 570 feet to a corner; thence across a lane and a brook, south, 60 degrees 58 minutes, west, 309 9-10 feet to the northerly side of the aforesaid road; thence across the said road, south, 29 degrees 2 minutes, east, 66 feet to a corner; thence leaving the said road, south, 60 degrees 58 minutes, west, 772 8-10 feet to a corner; thence leaving the said aqueduct, north, 92 1-10 feet to the corner of the road from Sing Sing to Croton Dam; thence along the said road, south, 39 degrees 47 minutes, west, 169 5-10 feet to a point; thence south 71 degrees 20 minutes west 300 feet to the easterly side of a bridge over Bailey's brook; thence north 82 degrees 25 minutes, west, 178 feet to a point; thence south 49 degrees 48 minutes, west, 118 feet to a point; thence south 47 degrees 39 minutes, west, 579.8 feet to the northerly side of the Croton Aqueduct; thence leaving the said road along the northerly side of the said aqueduct and across the township line, south, 75 degrees 19 minutes, west, 2,301 80-100 feet to a point; thence across a brook on a curve to the right with a radius of 950 feet, 421 43-100 feet; thence north 79 degrees 16 minutes, west, 461 85-100 feet to a point; thence on a curve to the left with a radius of 1,650 feet, 592.84 feet to a point; thence across a lane and brook, south, 68 degrees 23 minutes, west, 1,261 feet; thence on a curve to the left with a radius of 1,050 feet, 484.42 feet to a point; thence south 41 degrees 57 minutes, west, 296 9-10 feet to the point or place of beginning. Containing 379 and 771 thousandths acres, more or less.

Also all that tract of land on the southerly side of the Croton Aqueduct, in the Towns of Cortlandt and Yorktown, Westchester County, N. Y., described as follows: Beginning at a stone monument marked A. C., on the southerly side of the Croton Aqueduct, in the Town of Cortlandt, Westchester County, about opposite the monument set in the ground at the commencement of the description of the tract shown on said map on the northerly side of the said aqueduct and hereinbefore described; thence north 44 degrees 57 minutes, east, 411 5-100 feet; thence on a curve to the right with a radius of 950 feet, 438 28-100 feet; thence north 68 degrees 23 minutes, east, 1,261 feet; thence on a curve to the right with a radius of 950 feet, 536 38-100 feet; thence south 79 degrees 16 minutes, east, 466 85-100 feet; thence south 79 degrees 16 minutes, east, 6 8-10 feet; thence on a curve to the right with a radius of 1,050 feet, 438 98-100 feet; thence north 75 degrees 19 minutes, east, 357 31-100 feet; thence north 75 degrees 19 minutes, east, 759 75-100 feet; thence north 75 degrees 19 minutes, east, 863 feet; thence north 77 degrees 48 minutes, east, 258 feet; thence south 1 degree 13 minutes, east, 25 feet; thence north 75 degrees 4 minutes, east, 444 feet; thence north 68 degrees 49 minutes, east, 157 feet; thence north 5 degrees 55 minutes, west, 21 feet; thence north 55 degrees 1 minute, east, 172 feet; thence north 45 degrees 31 minutes, east, 494 feet; thence south 4 degrees 25 minutes, west, 601 7-10 feet; thence south 51 degrees 47 minutes, west, 1,043 9-10 feet; thence south 30 degrees 55 minutes, west, 616 feet; thence north 11 degrees 46 minutes, west, 213 feet; thence north 30 degrees 25 minutes, east, 252 feet; thence north 22 degrees 47 minutes, east, 500 feet; thence north 79 degrees 43 minutes, west, 509 feet; thence south 34 degrees 4 minutes, west, 383 6-10 feet; thence south 42 degrees 32 minutes, west, 104 5-10 feet; thence south 55 degrees 29 minutes, west, 85 feet; thence north 28 degrees 48 minutes, west, 424 feet; thence south 60 degrees 42 minutes, west, 1,173 feet; thence south 2 degrees 49 minutes, west, 300 feet; thence south no degrees 6 minutes, west, 208 6-10 feet; thence south 47 degrees 9 minutes, west, 1,100 feet; thence south 69 degrees 58 minutes, west, 496 5-10 feet; thence north 65 degrees 2 minutes, west, 407 feet; thence south 75 degrees 49 minutes, west, 607 feet; thence south 45 degrees 23 minutes, west, 499 feet; thence south 64 degrees 30 minutes, west, 113 feet; thence south 45 degrees 52 minutes, west, 75 feet; thence north 1 degree 35 minutes, east, 135 5-10 feet to the point or place of beginning. Containing 92 acres and 526-thousandths of an acre.

All the lands within the above boundaries are to be acquired in fee, and include all the parcels shown on said map. Reference is hereby made to the said map filed as aforesaid in the said office of the Register of Westchester County for a more detailed description of the said real estate to be taken or affected, of which the boundaries are above stated.

Dated New York, November 18, 1891.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
New York City.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

### NOTICE TO CITIZENS AND TAXPAYERS.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT held December 15, 1891, it was

Resolved, That this Board hereby designates and fixes the day below mentioned for meeting to take up for consideration the Final Estimate for the year 1892, and that a notice thereof be published in the CITY RECORD to allow the taxpayers of this City a hearing in regard thereto, as provided by section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, viz.: Monday, December 22, 1891, at 11 o'clock A. M.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 18, 1891.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:  
510,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.  
100,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.  
5,000 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 at the head 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., Thursday, December 31, 1891, 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 estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

Any person making an estimate for the above 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 six thousand (6,000) 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 three hundred (300) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to 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.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,  
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,  
Commissioners.

## 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 3716, No. 1. Paving Hubert street, from West to Greenwich street, with granite blocks, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.
- List 3720, No. 2. Paving Beach street, from West to Washington street, with granite blocks, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.
- List 3735, No. 3. Receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Pleasant avenue.
- List 3736, No. 4. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of Tompkins and Rivington street.
- List 3739, No. 5. Sewer in Astor place, between Broadway and Lafayette place.

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

- No. 1. Both sides of Hubert street, from West street to a point about 87 feet easterly from Washington street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 2. Both sides of Beach street, from West to Washington street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 3. East side of Pleasant avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
- No. 4. West side of Tompkins street, from Rivington to Stanton street, and north side of Rivington street, extending 100 feet westerly from Tompkins street.
- No. 5. Both sides of Astor place, from Broadway to Lafayette place.

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 19th day of January, 1892.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, Dec. 18, 1891.

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

- List 3685, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.
- List 3685, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Jumel Terrace, from One Hundred and Sixtieth to One Hundred and Sixty-second street.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all

the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces or parcels of land situated on—

- No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.
- No. 2. Both sides of Jumel Terrace, from One Hundred and Sixtieth to One Hundred and Sixty-second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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 16th day of January, 1892.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 15, 1891.

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

- List 3411, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Ninth street, from Ninth avenue to the Riverside Drive.
- List 3487, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from the Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

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

- No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from Ninth avenue to the Riverside Drive.
- No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from the Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

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 12th day of January, 1892.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 11, 1891.

## 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 CAMMANN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Fordham Road to Harlem River Terrace, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, etc.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of December, 1891, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 17, 1891.  
THOMAS E. GRACE,  
JOSEPH H. STINER,  
THOMAS P. FITZSIMONS,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Prospect avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

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

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 4th day of February, 1892.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Northerly, from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue by a line parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and 200 feet northerly therefrom; thence by an irregular line through the centre of the blocks between Intervale avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence westerly by the centre line of the block between Fox street and Simpson street to the centre line of the block between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence northerly by the centre line of the block between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to the centre line of the block between Vyse street and West Farms road; thence westerly by the centre line of the block between Vyse street and West Farms road to the centre line of the block between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence northerly by the last-mentioned centre line and the centre line of the block between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Westchester avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Westchester avenue to the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Hoe street; thence westerly by a line drawn at a right angle to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and 170 feet southerly therefrom; southerly by last mentioned line to the easterly line of West Farms road; thence by the centre line of the blocks between Westchester avenue, West Farms road and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Stebbins avenue; thence by said centre line

prolonged westerly to the westerly line of Prospect avenue; westerly by the westerly line of Prospect avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of February, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 18, 1891.  
JOHN H. ROGAN, Chairman,  
HENRY WINTHROP GRAY,  
SAMUEL W. MILLBANK,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of December, 1891, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 11, 1891.  
WILLIAM N. ARMSTRONG,  
GILBERT M. SPEIR, JR.,  
ROBERT O'BRYNE,  
Commissioners.

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 the opening of CEDAR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, etc.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of December, 1891, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 12, 1891.  
THOMAS DUNLAP,  
LEWIS J. CONLAN,  
LEICESTER HOLME,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of December, 1891, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 8, 1891.  
JAMES MITCHELL,  
JOHN H. ROGAN,  
LEICESTER HOLME,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CONVENT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Convent avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, distant 350 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly and parallel with said avenue, distance 979 feet 4 inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence easterly and along said line, distance 75 feet; thence northerly, distance 979 feet 4 inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence westerly along said line, distance 75 feet to the point or place of beginning. Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, distant 350 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly and parallel with said avenue, distance 979 feet 4 inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence easterly along said line, distance 75 feet; thence northerly, distance 979 feet 4 inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence westerly along said line, distance 75 feet to the point or place of beginning. Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, distant 350 feet



easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly and parallel with said avenue, distance 339 feet 10 inches; thence southeasterly, distance 78 feet 5 1/2 inches; thence northerly, distance 362 feet 11 3/4 inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence westerly along said line, distance 75 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said avenue to be 75 feet wide between the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and the points above described, near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation and in the office of the Department of Public Works.

Dated New York, December 2, 1891.

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 ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, between the Boulevard and Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extension of a certain street known as One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between the Boulevard and Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the Boulevard, distant 715 feet 6 inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 200 feet to the easterly line of Claremont avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 200 feet to the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Claremont avenue, distance 715 feet 6 inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence westerly, distance 200 feet to the easterly line of Riverside avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 200 feet to the westerly line of Claremont avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of the Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

Dated New York, December 1, 1891.

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 ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extension of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 201 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 775 feet to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 775 feet to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

Dated New York, December 1, 1891.

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 ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and Morningside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street known as One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Amsterdam avenue and Morningside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 201 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 450 feet to the westerly line of Morningside avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence westerly, distance 450 feet to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Morningside avenue, West.

Dated New York, December 1, 1891.

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 LIND AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Devoe street to Sedgwick 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.

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Northerly by the southerly line of a certain unnamed street and the northerly line of Devoe street; easterly by the centre line of the block between Summit avenue, Lind avenue and Sedgwick avenue, and Devoe street and Anderson avenue; southerly by a line drawn perpendicular to the southern extremity of the most southerly line of the western boundary of the land to be acquired for the opening of Lind avenue; westerly by Sedgwick avenue and the centre line of the block between Lind avenue, Sedgwick avenue and a certain unnamed street; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of February, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 18, 1891.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Chairman,  
JAMES C. LALOR,  
ADOLPH G. HUPPEL,  
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 FORTY-FOURTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extension of a certain street known as One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Convent avenue to Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 710 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 350 feet to the westerly line of Convent avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence westerly, distance 350 feet to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Convent avenue.

Dated, New York, November 24, 1891.

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 ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET, between Riverside avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Fifth street, between Riverside avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of West End avenue, distant 201 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fourth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 400 feet to the easterly line of Riverside avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 400 feet to the westerly line of West End avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of West End avenue, distant 201 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fourth street;

thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 217 feet 5 inches to the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line, distance 65 feet 1/2 inch; thence westerly, distance 192 feet 3 inches to the easterly line of West End avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Riverside avenue and the Boulevard.

Dated New York, November 24, 1891.

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 SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Webster avenue to Franklin 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.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 202 Broadway (fifth floor), in said city, on or before the twenty-sixth day of December, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said twenty-sixth day of December, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Northerly by a line parallel with and distant 800 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and extending from Crestline avenue to the centre line of the block between Franklin avenue and Clinton avenue; easterly by the centre line of the block between Franklin avenue and Clinton avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Franklin avenue and Poston road; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 800 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and extending from the centre line of the block between Franklin avenue and Boston road to Clay avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Clay avenue, the easterly line of Highwood avenue and the easterly line of Crestline avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares, and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 16, 1891.

MICHAEL J. KELLEY, Chairman,  
JOHN FENNEL,  
ROGER A. PRYOR, JR.,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street known as One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Amsterdam avenue to Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 459 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 350 feet to the westerly line of Convent avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence westerly, distance 350 feet to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Convent avenue.

Dated New York, November 17, 1891.

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 ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the open-

ing and extension of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Amsterdam avenue to Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard, distant 191 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 375 feet to the easterly line of Riverside avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 375 feet to the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Riverside avenue.

Dated New York, November 17, 1891.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
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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 ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Convent avenue to Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extension of a certain street known as One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Convent avenue to Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 350 feet to the westerly line of Convent avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence westerly, distance 350 feet to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Convent avenue.

Dated New York, November 17, 1891.

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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 THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extension of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 350 feet, to the westerly line of Convent avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence westerly, distance 350 feet, to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Convent avenue.

Dated New York, November 17, 1891.

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## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, December 24, 1891, for Sanitary Work, etc., at Grammar School No. 46, corner of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and St. Nicholas avenue.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,  
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.  
Dated New York, December 11, 1891.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of School Trustees for the Seventeenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, December 23, 1891, for fitting up premises Nos. 206 and 208 East Eleventh street for Primary School No. 22.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman,  
H. H. HAIGHT, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.  
Dated New York, December 10, 1891.

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.