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### NEW DESIGNATION OF OFFICIAL PAPERS.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, July 29, 1896.

At a meeting of the Board of City Record held this day, the following papers were designated pursuant to section 66 of the Consolidation Act, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended in 1895, to publish during the ensuing three months, or until otherwise ordered as required, brief advertisements calling attention to any contracts intended to be awarded or bonds to be sold:

Morning—"New York Tribune" and "Times."  
Evening—"Mail and Express" and "Commercial Advertiser."  
Weekly—"Frank Leslie's Weekly" and "Harper's Weekly."  
German—"Staats Zeitung."

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor.

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. NEW YORK, July 7, 1896.

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment. Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, George B. Fowler, M. D., the Health Officer of the Port.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

F. C. Langley, \$166.66; T. F. White, \$2,083.33; Emmons Clark, \$270.

The Attorney and Counsel presented the following Reports:

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

Orders received for prosecution, 311; attorneys' notices issued, 415; nuisances abated before suit, 491; civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (San. Code), 0; civil suits commenced for other causes, 51; nuisances abated after commencement of suit, 57; suits discontinued—by Board, 65; suits discontinued—by Court, 0; judgments for the Department—civil suits, 3; judgments for the defendant—civil suits, 0; judgments opened by the Court, 2; executions issued, 0; transcripts filed, 0; judgments for the People—criminal suits, 12; judgments for the defendant—criminal suits, 0; civil suits now pending, 325; criminal suits now pending, 93; money collected and paid to Cashier—civil suits, 0; money paid into the Court—criminal suits, \$195.

2d. Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated, and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued without costs, to wit:

Legrand L. Clark, 3247; Isaac Goodstein, 3525; William H. Payne, 94; Henry Greenbaum, 287; Michael Mooney, 308; Michael Mooney, 309; Peter Doelger, 331; Michael Mooney, 407; Mary Hogan, 467; John Knox, 525; John Knox, 541; Michael Mooney, 558; Morris Levy, 563; George Brown, 578; John H. Timon, 649; Frederick Rothermel, 655; Peter A. Lalor, 671; Francis Cronin, 673; Thomas Fowler, 674; Ira Slosser, 675; Caroline Woodhouse, 676; Agnes K. Mulligan, 680; John Kehoe, 685; Ambrose K. Ely, 686; Mary Wolfarth, 693; John B. Brady, 696; Vincenzo de Vita, 698; George Bruce, 700; William H. Carpenter, 701; Susan Rodgers, 702; Louis F. Therasson, 704; Isador Schaeffer, 705; Harris Rosenthal, 706; Lewis Adelson, 707; William Padian, 712; Jacob Herman, 714; Charles Bernhard, 717; Jacob Berlinger, 718; William I. A. Cranitch, 720; Adam Schmitt, 725; Thomas J. Jenkins, 731; Mier Coleman, 739; Henry Ely, 745; John Mullane, 746; Louis O. Reeve, 747; Bridget Duffy, 749; Eugene Denison, 754; Abby Bloget, 756; George Diable, 760; Mary Fuller, 764; J. de Courcy Ireland, 765; Frederick Wood, 768; August Sparbro, 775; Solomon Cohn, 777; Samuel Kempner, 796; Felix Amabile, 910.

Report in respect to violation of the Sanitary Code by Dr. Felix Amabile. The report was approved and ordered on file.

Report in respect to violations of the Sanitary Code, section 186. The Secretary was directed to notify the persons named that a repetition of this offense will cause a revocation of permits.

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

1st. Weekly report of Sanitary Superintendent; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report of Chief Sanitary Inspector; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police; ordered on file. 4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps; ordered on file. 5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil docks; ordered on file. 6th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses; ordered on file. 7th. Weekly report of work performed by Chemist and Assistant Chemists; ordered on file. 8th. Weekly report of work performed by Milk, Meat, Fish and Fruit Inspectors; ordered on file. 9th. Weekly report of work performed by Inspector of Offensive Trades; ordered on file. 10th. Monthly report of Charitable Institutions; ordered on file. 11. Monthly report on condition of streets and removal of ashes and garbage; ordered on file. 12th. Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital; ordered on file. 13th. Weekly report from Reception Hospital; ordered on file. 14th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox); ordered on file. 15th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers); ordered on file. 16th. Report on changes in the Hospital Service.

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

Riverside—Patrick J. Carr, Fireman, salary, \$360, appointed July 1, 1896; Peter Ingerslew, Orderly, salary, \$360, resigned June 30, 1896; Maria Dolan, Ward Helper, salary, \$168, discharged July 5, 1896.

Reports submitting lists of milk venders who have failed to apply for permits to sell milk after being notified. Referred to Attorney and Counsel to prosecute.

A notice from A. Greenberg that sewer connection of premises No. 452 Second avenue will be cut off from No. 450 Second avenue. Ordered on file.

A communication was received from the Sanitary Superintendent charging Joseph F. Wilson, Complaint Clerk, with neglect of duty, and the Secretary was directed to notify said Wilson that the Board proposes to remove him from his position in this Department for neglect of duty, and that he will be allowed an opportunity of making an explanation in relation to the cause of such proposed removal on Tuesday, July 14, 1896, at 12.30 o'clock P. M. The Board also ordered the suspension of said Wilson from duty until Tuesday, July 14, 1896, at 12.30 o'clock P. M.

Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was Resolved, Leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Assistant Chemist Clark, from July 11 to 15, inclusive; Sanitary Inspector McGill, July 7; Clerk Campbell, from June 25 to 30, inclusive, on account of sickness.

Reports and Certificates on Overcrowding in the following Tenement-houses:

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in the City of New York are so overcrowded that less than six hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses, it is Ordered, that the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced as follows:

Order No. 770, No. 340 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, third floor, east side, rear, Joseph Metrio, adults 5; Order No. 771, No. 471 East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, second floor, west, Jim Garofle, adults 5, children 4; Order No. 772, No. 2215 First avenue, fourth floor, rear, south side, Salvatore De Ellico, adults 4, children 4; Order No. 773, No. 2127 First avenue, third floor, north, rear, Frank Lancy, adults 3, children 4; Order No. 774, No. 19 West street (rear house), second floor, south side, W. Spiller, adults 6, children 1.

Report on compliance with certain orders to vacate premises, etc.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded for the reason that the causes for the same have been removed.

### Vacations.

Order No. 29429, East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, first house east of Vanderbilt avenue; Order No. 27891, No. 385 East Houston street; Order No. 19562, No. 557 West Thirty-second street; Order No. 25965, No. 1 James Slip; Order No. 30398, No. 226 East Ninety-seventh street; Order No. 28045, No. 96 Bayard street, front and rear.

### Public Nuisances.

Order No. 18567, Avenue B, 100 feet south of Eighty-second street; Order No. 18566, Avenue B, 50 feet south of Eighty-second street; Order No. 29266, No. 331 East Thirty-fifth street.

Certificates in respect to the vacation of premises at No. 21 Pell street, No. 77 Mulberry street, No. 184 Madison street, No. 450 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, No. 125 White street,

No. 318 East Seventy-third street, No. 122 East One Hundred and Twentieth street and Nos. 149 and 151 East Eighty-fourth street.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 21 Pell street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 21 Pell street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 13, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 77 Mulberry street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 77 Mulberry street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 13, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 184 Madison street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 184 Madison street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 13, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 450 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 450 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 13, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 125 White street has become dangerous to life because of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 125 White street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 13, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 318 East Seventy-third street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 318 East Seventy-third street be required to vacate said building on or before July 13, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 122 East One Hundred and Twentieth street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 122 East One Hundred and Twentieth street be required to vacate said building on or before July 13, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the buildings situated upon lots Nos. 149 and 151 East Eighty-fourth street have become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said buildings, situated on lots Nos. 149 and 151 East Eighty-fourth street, be required to vacate said buildings on or before July 13, 1896, for the reason that said buildings are dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said buildings and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said buildings be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Report on Applications for Store and Wagon Permits for the Sale of Milk.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits to sell and deliver milk in the City of New York be and the same are hereby granted:

Stores—5901. No. 452 West Thirty-sixth street; 5902. No. 538 West Forty-seventh street; 5903. No. 304 Avenue A; 5904. No. 1891 First avenue; 5905. No. 2078 Third avenue; 5906. No. 2234 First avenue; 5907. No. 349 East Sixty-fifth street; 5908. No. 569 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; 5909. One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Bathgate avenue; 5910. No. 219 East Forty-seventh street; 5911. No. 134 West Houston street; 5912. No. 609 East Sixteenth street; 5913. No. 3603 Third avenue; 5914. White Plains avenue and Second street, Williamsbridge; 5915. No. 752 Tremont avenue; 5916. White Plains avenue, Williamsbridge; 5917. No. 3627 Third avenue; 5918. No. 308 West Thirty-ninth street; 5919. No. 456 West Thirty-second street; 5920. No. 533 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; 5921. No. 110 Suffolk street; 5922. No. 134 Monroe street; 5923. No. 330 Bleecker street; 5924. No. 512 Courtlandt avenue; 5925. No. 383 Bowery; 5926. No. 431 East Seventeenth street; 5927. No. 413 West Fifty-fourth street; 5928. No. 331 First avenue; 5929. No. 1462 Amsterdam avenue; 5930. No.

401 East Sixty-third street; 5931. No. 185 Monroe street; 5932. No. 930 Sixth avenue; 5933. No. 420 East Fifth street; 5934. No. 416 Mott avenue; 5935. No. 22 Monroe street; 5936. No. 549 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; 5937. No. 314 East Sixtieth street; 5938. No. 1041 Sixth avenue; 5939. No. 182 East One Hundred and Eighth street; 5940. No. 1825 Madison avenue; 5941. No. 456 West Twenty-seventh street; 5942. No. 255 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; 5943. No. 425 East Seventy-second street; 5944. No. 350 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; 5945. No. 223 East Eighty-second street; 5946. No. 42 Grand street; 5947. No. 170 Forsyth street; 5948. No. 9 Monroe street; 5949. No. 103 Columbia street; 5950. No. 658 Water street; 5951. No. 252 Tenth avenue; 5952. No. 204 Delancey street; 5953. No. 1362 Avenue "A"; 5954. No. 372 Rider avenue; 5955. No. 656 Water street; 5956. No. 439 West Twenty-fifth street; 5957. No. 1710 Third avenue; 5958. No. 195 Broome street; 5959. No. 32 Jackson street; 5960. No. 7 James street; 5961. No. 31 Washington street; 5962. No. 36 Greenwich street; 5963. No. 340 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; 5964. No. 129 Thompson street; 5965. No. 87½ Delancey street; 5966. No. 1 West One Hundred and Thirty-second street; 5967. No. 720 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; 5968. No. 480 Brook avenue; 5969. No. 338 East Forty-eighth street; 5970. No. 160 East Fifty-sixth street; 5971. No. 426 East Fifty-ninth street; 5972. No. 642 Water street; 5973. No. 112 East Forty-first street; 5974. No. 2 East One Hundred and Twelfth street; 5975. No. 2078 Eighth avenue; 5976. No. 576 Courtlandt avenue; 5977. No. 269 West Twelfth street; 5978. No. 445 West Twenty-sixth street; 5979. No. 1193 First avenue; 5980. No. 2120 Eighth avenue; 5981. No. 342 Pleasant avenue; 5982. No. 2462 Eighth avenue; 5983. No. 109 Monroe street; 5984. No. 374 Cherry street; 5985. No. 420 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street; 5986. No. 556 West Forty-second street; 5987. No. 91 West Houston street; 5988. No. 2216 Eighth avenue; 5989. No. 202 Madison street; 5990. No. 3387 Third avenue; 5991. 380 Cherry street; 5992. No. 383 Cherry street; 5993. No. 407 East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; 5994. No. 43 Jackson street; 5995. No. 1069 Park avenue; 5996. No. 340 East Thirty-third street; 5997. No. 153 Perry street; 5998. No. 250 West Thirtieth street; 5999. No. 83 Carmine street; 6000. No. 34 East Eighth street; 6001. No. 359 First avenue; 6002. No. 747 First avenue; 6003. No. 447 Eleventh avenue; 6004. No. 2291 Second avenue; 6005. No. 179 Tenth avenue; 6006. No. 937 Railroad avenue; 6007. No. 298 West Houston street; 6008. No. 1104 Second avenue; 6009. No. 436 Second avenue; 6010. No. 1135 First avenue; 6011. No. 468 Brook avenue; 6012. No. 1086 First avenue; 6013. No. 400 East Seventy-third street; 6014. No. 439 East Seventy-first street; 6015. No. 338 East Seventy-third street; 6016. No. 76 Suffolk street; 6017. No. 632 Morris avenue; 6018. No. 347 West Fifty-second street; 6019. No. 80 Thompson street; 6020. No. 2169 Fifth avenue; 6021. No. 2858 Third avenue; 6022. No. 859 Ninth avenue; 6023. No. 237 West Fifteenth street; 6024. No. 1092 Park avenue; 6025. No. 2092 Eighth avenue; 6026. No. 644 Water street; 6027. No. 465 East One Hundred and Fifth street; 6028. No. 224 East Ninety-eighth street; 6029. No. 2222 Fifth avenue; 6030. No. 596 Park avenue; 6031. No. 216 East Eighty-fourth street; 6032. No. 900 Courtlandt avenue; 6033. No. 462 East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; 6034. No. 557 West Thirty-seventh street; 6035. No. 2403 Eighth avenue; 6036. No. 215 East Twenty-ninth street; 6037. No. 2637 Eighth avenue; 6038. No. 91 Baxter street; 6039. No. 476 East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; 6040. No. 790 Ninth avenue; 6041. No. 557 West Forty-eighth street; 6042. No. 18 Ludlow street; 6043. No. 455 West Thirty-ninth street; 6044. No. 1292 Lexington avenue; 6045. No. 606 Robbins avenue; 6046. No. 474 Brook avenue; 6047. No. 567 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; 6048. No. 652 Morris avenue; 6049. No. 2603 Eighth avenue; 6050. No. 488 Eleventh avenue; 6051. No. 305 East Eighty-fourth street; 6052. No. 220 Railroad avenue; 6053. No. 410 Cherry street; 6054. No. 634 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; 6055. No. 528 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; 6056. No. 531 Courtlandt avenue; 6057. No. 501 East Eighty-seventh street; 6058. No. 518 West Fifty-third street; 6059. No. 506 West Twenty-eighth street; 6060. No. 2096 Eighth avenue; 6061. No. 1679 Avenue B; 6062. No. 500 Eleventh avenue; 6063. No. 31 Roosevelt street; 6064. No. 2725 Eighth avenue; 6065. No. 24 City Hall place; 6066. No. 466 Eleventh avenue; 6067. No. 900 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; 6068. No. 461 Willis avenue; 6069. No. 492 Robbins avenue; 6070. No. 2560 Eighth avenue; 6071. No. 2082 Eighth avenue; 6072. No. 216 East Eighty-fourth street; 6073. No. 192 Hester street; 6074. No. 321 West Eleventh street; 6075. No. 2205 Third avenue; 6076. No. 1845 Third avenue; 6077. No. 1670 First avenue; 6078. No. 551 Third avenue; 6079. No. 2077 Third avenue; 6080. No. 184 Varick street; 6081. No. 752 Second avenue; 6082. No. 224 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

Wagons—Permit No. 1403, No. 324 East Twenty-seventh street; Permit Nos. 1404, 1405, Nos. 583 and 585 Park avenue; Permits Nos. 1406, 1407, No. 225 East Fifty-third street; Permit No. 1408, No. 57 Sixth avenue; Permit No. 1409, stand, corner Liberty street and Broadway; Permit No. 1410, No. 428 West Forty-sixth street; Permit No. 1411, No. 608 East One Hundred and Forty-second street; Permit No. 1412, No. 304 West Thirty-sixth street; Permits Nos. 1413-1415, inclusive, No. 1697 Broadway; Permit No. 1416, No. 608 East One Hundred and Forty-second street; Permits Nos. 1417, 1418, No. 234 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street; Permit No. 1419, No. 234 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street; Permit No. 1420, No. 221 West Twenty-sixth street; Permit No. 1421, No. 522 West One Hundred and Fourteenth street; Permit No. 1422, No. 216 East Twenty-sixth street; Permit No. 1423, No. 141 Ludlow street; Permit No. 1424, No. 427 East Fifth street; Permit No. 1425, No. 520 West Fourteenth street; Permit No. 1426, No. 203 Greenwich street; Permit No. 1427, No. 48 Delancey street; Permit No. 1428, No. 75 First street; Permit No. 1429, No. 200 West One Hundred and Eighth street; Permits Nos. 1430-1433, inclusive, No. 121 West Forty-sixth street; Permit No. 1434, No. 213 West Twenty-sixth street; Permit No. 1435, One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue; Permit No. 1436, Nos. 1311-1313 Amsterdam avenue; Permit No. 1437, No. 14 Renwick street; Permit No. 1438, Pelham Parkway and Westchester avenue; Permit No. 1439, No. 60 Clinton street; Permits Nos. 1440-1442, inclusive, No. 515 West One Hundred and Tenth street; Permit No. 1443, No. 2168 Seventh avenue.

#### Reports on Applications for Permits.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows:  
No. 126, to keep a lodging-house for 116 lodgers;  
No. 8958, to board and care for 2 children at No. 688 East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; No. 8959, to board and care for 1 child at No. 413 East Eighty-first street; No. 8960, to board and care for 2 children at No. 328 East Fifty-ninth street; No. 8961, to board and care for 2 children at No. 243 East Thirty-ninth street; No. 8962, to board and care for 1 child at No. 311 East Forty-fifth street; No. 8963, to occupy the basement as a place of living and sleeping at No. 13 Clinton street; No. 8964, to occupy the basement as a place of living and sleeping at No. 11 Clinton street; No. 8965, to keep 25 chickens at Inwood-on-Hudson; No. 8966, to keep 12 chickens at southeast corner of Sedgwick avenue and Hampden street; No. 8967, to keep 25 chickens at Dyckman street, opposite C street; No. 8968, to keep 6 chickens at Dyckman street, opposite F street; No. 8969, to keep 12 chickens at One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Seventh avenue; No. 8970, to keep 25 chickens at One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street and Kingsbridge road; No. 8971, to keep 25 chickens at Two Hundred and Sixth street, near Dyckman street; No. 8972, to board and care for 2 children at No. 760 Second avenue.  
On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied, as follows:  
No. 274, to slaughter poultry at No. 516 East Houston street; No. 275, to keep 12 chickens at No. 432 East Eighty-second street; No. 276, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 715 Second avenue; No. 277, to keep, sell and deliver milk at Eastchester road, Westchester; No. 278, to keep, sell and deliver milk at Morris avenue and Brush street; No. 279, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 818 Second avenue; No. 280, to keep 7 chickens at No. 594 Seventh avenue.  
On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked:  
No. 49, to keep a lodging house at No. 128 Park row; No. 601, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 189 Mulberry street; No. 859, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 532 West Twenty-ninth street; No. 1309, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 551 East Eleventh street; No. 1344, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 1051 Second avenue; No. 1346, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 500 East Fifty-fifth street; No. 5626, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 109 Avenue A; No. 5647, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 465 East One Hundred and Fiftieth street; No. 7949, to keep chickens at No. 735 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; No. 8587, to keep chickens at south side One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street 75 feet east of Boulevard; No. 8939, to board and care for 1 child at No. 210 West Twenty-seventh street.

#### Reports on Applications for Relief from Orders.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following orders be suspended, extended, modified, rescinded or referred, as follows:  
Order No. 11093, No. 2 Stryker's lane, extended to July 25, 1896; Order No. 27710, No. 1834 Vanderbilt avenue, extended to August 15, 1896; Order No. 28293, No. 1410 Second avenue, extended to August 1, 1896; Order No. 32187, No. 90 East Broadway, extended to July 25, 1896; Orders Nos. 32815 and 32816, Nos. 355 and 357 Ninth avenue, extended to August 1, 1896, on whitewashing; Order No. 33833, No. 714 Fifth street, extended to July 15, 1896; Order No. 33872, No. 60 Pike street, extended to July 15, 1896; Orders Nos. 33904, 33905, 33906 and 33907, Nos. 478 to 484 Cherry street, extended to July 15, 1896, on whitewashing; Order No. 33957, No. 2067 Bathgate avenue, extended to August 1, 1896, provided the cesspool be emptied, cleaned and disinfected; Order No. 18677, No. 1871 Third avenue, modified so as not to require a ventilator in roof over the hall; Order No. 29996, No. 508 West Forty-third street, modified so as not to require the yard to be flagged, providing the brick pavement thereof be repaired and so graded as to discharge all surface water into the drain thereat; Order No. 31062, No. 4 City Hall place, modified so as to require a water supply on the second floor, in the hall only; Order No. 32505, No. 1873 Third avenue, modified so as not to require a ventilator in roof over hall; Order No. 32656, No. 409 East Fifty-ninth street, modified so as not to require the provision of a new iron house drain, provided the present earthen drain be properly repaired and made gas tight; Order No. 32906, No. 132 Leonard street, modified so as not to require a ventilator to be placed over the halls of the rear house, and the rest of the order enforced; Order No. 33535, No. 314 East Thirty-

fourth street, extended to August 1, 1896, on portion of order relating to whitewashing; Order No. 25992, No. 237 East One Hundred and Ninth street, modified so as not to require the grading and flagging of the yard; Order No. 33658, Southeast corner West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Boulevard, modified so as to allow the use of six-inch earthen pipe for the house sewer and four-inch extra heavy iron pipe for the house drain.

Order No. 5095, No. 128 East Sixty-first street, rescinded; Order No. 25714, No. 684 Broadway, rescinded; Order No. 27094, No. 24 Spring street, rescinded; Order No. 28829, No. 349 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, rescinded; Order No. 29432, No. 136 East Seventy-first street, rescinded; Order No. 29806, No. 310 East Eighty-sixth street, rescinded; Order No. 30203, No. 2069 Madison avenue, rescinded; Order No. 30360, No. 2071 Madison avenue, rescinded; Order No. 30867, No. 1097 Third avenue, rescinded; Order No. 30868, No. 1103 Third avenue, rescinded; Order No. 31060, No. 1343 Bristow street, rescinded; Order No. 31072, No. 1119 Home street, rescinded; Order No. 31164, No. 311 East Sixty-first street, rescinded; Order No. 31354, No. 198 East One Hundredth street, rescinded; Order No. 31728, No. 248 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, rescinded; Order No. 31762, No. 172 East Seventy-second street, rescinded; Order No. 32443, No. 2262 First avenue, rescinded; Order No. 32509, No. 149 West Fourth street, rescinded; Order No. 32899, No. 206 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, rescinded; Order No. 32935, No. 503 Amsterdam avenue, rescinded; Order No. 33163, No. 85 Greenwich avenue, rescinded; Order No. 33197, No. 907 Columbus avenue, rescinded; Order No. 33826, No. 31 East Sixty-second street, rescinded; Order No. 34182, No. 74 West Forty-fifth street, rescinded; Order No. 34349, No. 68 West Thirty-fifth street, rescinded.

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

Orders Nos. 29667, 29668, 29669, 29670 and 29671, Nos. 412-420 East Eighty-sixth street; Order No. 30150, No. 633 West Forty-second street; Order No. 30172, No. 2283 Seventh avenue; Order No. 31910, Nos. 183, 183½ Division street; Order No. 31966, No. 52 Division street; Order No. 33499, No. 339 West Thirty-eighth street; Order No. 33514, No. 1975 Third avenue; Order No. 34002, No. 1885 Bathgate avenue; Order No. 28044, No. 204 Avenue C; Order No. 32521, southwest corner One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Morris avenue; Order No. 33720, No. 162 Lewis street; Order No. 34263, No. 436 Cherry street; Order No. 34383, No. 45 Lexington avenue.

The following communications were received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases: 1st. Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian; ordered on file. 3d. Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Messenger Schnell, from June 29 to July 3, on account of sickness.

Report of an inspection of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital. Ordered on file.

The following communications were received from the Register of Records:

1st. Weekly letters; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly abstract of births; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly abstract of still-births; ordered on file. 4th. Weekly abstract of marriages; ordered on file. 5th. Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious disease; ordered on file. 6th. Weekly mortuary statement; ordered on file. 7th. Weekly report of work performed by clerks; ordered on file. 8th. Reports on delayed birth and marriage certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the delayed birth and marriage certificates named in his report dated July 7, 1896.

Report on application to file supplemental papers.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to file supplemental papers relating to Mathilda Arnold, born March 2, 1890.

Submitting certificate of marriage of Clarence Boice Stette.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to file in the volume of "Delayed and Imperfect Certificates" the certificate of marriage of Clarence Boice, April 25, 1893.

The following communication was received from the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratory:

Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection. Ordered on file.

Report transmitting circular of "Information Regarding the Use of Mallein in the Diagnosis of Glanders in Horses." The circular was approved and ordered printed.

Report transmitting circular entitled "The Importance of Bacteriological Examinations in Early Diagnosis of Pulmonary Tuberculosis." The circular was approved and ordered printed.

Report on the examinations of covers of Bibles used in the General Sessions and Special Sessions Courts. Ordered on file.

Report on probationary services of Johanna Dehm.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Johanna Dehm, provisionally employed as a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, having served as such six months, and her conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of \$300 per annum.

#### Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

The weekly statement of the Comptroller was received and ordered on file.

A copy of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approving pay-rolls of Medical Inspectors and Boatmen of the Life Saving Corps, amounting to \$1,080 was received and ordered on file.

A report on the probationary services of Charles A. Koerber was received.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Charles A. Koerber, provisionally employed as Chief Order Clerk in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed a Chief Order Clerk in this Department, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

Eligible lists for the appointment of a Medical Inspector, Assistant Resident Physician and Assistant Chemist were received and ordered on file.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Dr. Whitmore Steele be and is hereby appointed a Medical Inspector upon the Summer Corps of Physicians, to serve until September 1, 1896, subject to Civil Service Rules and Regulations, with salary at the rate of one hundred dollars (\$100) per month to fill vacancy.

The resignation of Dr. E. F. Smith of the position of Medical Inspector on the Summer Corps of Physicians, to which he was appointed June 23, 1896, was accepted.

On motion, it was Resolved, That J. T. Deaken be and is hereby appointed Temporary Laboratory Assistant for one month from July 1, 1896, with salary at the rate of thirty-five dollars per month, the Civil Service Board having assented to such appointment until an eligible list can be furnished from which to make a permanent appointment.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the salary of Max Weill, Laboratory Assistant, be fixed at forty-five dollars (\$45) per month from and after July 1, 1896.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

#### BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—CITY HALL, NEW YORK, Friday, June 26, 1896, 11 A. M.  
The Hon. William L. Strong, Mayor, Francis M. Scott, Counsel to the Corporation, and C. H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works, the officers designated by section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, met this day.

The minutes of the meetings of June 9 and June 16 were read and approved.

On motion of the Counsel to the Corporation, the Supervisor of the City Record was directed to appoint David A. Bruner, veteran, from the eligible list submitted by the Boards of Civil Service, as Bookbinder for the City Record at a compensation of \$3.50 per diem.

A communication from the Bookbinders of the City Record was received requesting the privilege of having a vacation. On motion of the Commissioner of Public Works, two weeks' vacation, with pay, was granted to each of the Bookbinders.

A communication from the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments was received:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, June 16, 1896. MR. JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor, City Record:

SIR—In pursuance of the requirements of section 9, chapter 269, of the Laws of 1880, I have to request that authority be given to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments to publish a notice of the opening of the assessment rolls for public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen; said publication to be for fifteen days from July 6, 1896, in the CITY RECORD, and in such other newspapers as your Board may designate.

Inasmuch as the books will be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen on Monday, July 6, it will be necessary that an evening paper of that date be among those designated.

Respectfully, E. P. BARKER, President.

On motion of the Counsel to the Corporation the same papers that were designated last year for this purpose ("Mail and Express," the "Tribune" and the "World"), were again designated for the publication of the notice referred to.

"Letters of explanation from the Department of Charities in reference to bills from Thomas Humphrey for 14 "Record Books for use of Superintendent of Out-door Poor," and from J. J. Little & Co. for printing "5,000 Cards, Lodging-house for Homeless Men," were received. On motion of the Counsel to the Corporation, these bills were approved and ordered paid by concurrent vote of all the members of the Board present.

Also, the bill of C. G. Burgoyne for printing briefs for the District Attorney in the Matter of The People vs. McLaughlin was submitted to the Board of City Record, and, on motion of the Counsel to the Corporation, was approved and ordered paid by concurrent vote of all the members of the Board.

On motion of the Counsel to the Corporation, it was resolved that the copies of the translation of the Dutch records, when received from the printer, shall be distributed as follows:

75 copies to the Common Council for such distribution as it may see fit to make.

75 copies to his Honor, the Mayor and 50 copies to the Special Committee having in charge the consideration of the Dutch records to be distributed on the order of the Mayor to such persons and societies as shall be entitled to recognition in the matter.

On motion of the Commissioner of Public Works it was resolved that further consideration of the matter of printing the translation of the Dutch records be postponed until the next meeting of the Board of City Record, to be held on Thursday, July 2, at 11 A. M.

The following requisitions were approved by concurrent action of the members of the Board of City Record:

**Department of Charities**—June 1—6 books for Harlem Hospital. June 9—25 copies specifications, each, alterations to Fordham Hospital, Alcoholic Ward, Bellevue Hospital, materials for repairing buildings on Randall's Island. June 12—25 reams book paper, 24 x 38 inches; 500 sheets cardboard, 22 x 28, blue; 500 sheets cardboard, 22 x 28, red; 500 sheets cardboard, 22 x 28, white; 500 sheets cardboard, 22 x 28, yellow; 175 sheets cardboard, 22 x 28, green. June 12—75 history books. June 20—50 copies contract, etc., repairs to City Hospital; 50 copies contract, etc., material and work, City Hospital; 1 proposal book, 1 requisition book.

**Commissioner of Street Improvements**—June 5—75 copies specifications, etc., drain Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street. June 6—100 copies specifications, etc., sewers Williamsbridge. June 12—75 copies specifications, etc., grading River avenue, etc.; 30 copies specifications, etc., paving One Hundred and Forty-third street. June 15—30 copies specifications, etc., paving Alexander avenue. June 18—50 copies specifications, etc., sewer One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; 30 copies specifications, etc., paving Stebbins avenue. June 22—30 copies specifications, etc., paving One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

**Fire Department**—June 9—25 copies, each, specifications for repairing 1 fourth size single pump, 2 fourth size single pumps, and 1 second size double pump Clapp & Jones steam fire-engines; 1 letter press copying book, 700 pages; 15 Bailey's copying pads. June 16—35 copies contract, etc., repairs to fire-boat "Zophar Mills." June 22—500 copies form of proposal, sample; Record of Sick Leaves No. 5. June 24—8,000 Forms No. 13, in pads of 100 each; 10,000 Form No. 14; 15,000 Form No. 14½; 5,000 letter heads; 2,500 white envelopes; 6,500 heavy manila envelopes.

**Common Council**—June 26—100 extra copies Journal of Proceedings.

**Department of Correction**—June 2—100 jury lists. June 12—1 book to be altered to two.

**City Record Office**—April 30—6 books, description of blank books. June 8—Item No. 63. Finance Department, change from 400 pages to 400 leaves. June 10—1 rubber hand stamp, June 24—1 bankers' inkstand.

**Health Department**—April 9—Bindings, certificates of births, estimated, 150 volumes; bindings, certificates of marriages, estimated, 50 volumes; bindings, certificates of deaths, estimated, 100 volumes; bindings, certificates of still-births, estimated, 6 volumes; bindings, weekly reports, 8 volumes; bindings, transit permits, 4 volumes; rebinding and repairing register. June 12—Form 134C, 50,000 applications; Form 135C, 50,000 certificates; Form 136C, 10,000 applications; Form 137C, 10,000 vacation certificates; Form 138C, 5,000 applications; Form 139C, 5,000 permits; Form 140C, 40,000 school certificates; Form 141C, 10,000 notices. June 22—1,000 permits, transport manure; 1,000 permits, transport fat and bones. June 24—200,000 cards, removal of ashes.

**Department of Street Cleaning**—June 6—3 boxes semi-carbon paper. June 12—4 receipt books. June 22—3,000 McGill's fasteners, No. 1.

**District Attorney**—January 4—50 copies brief appeal from order; 30 copies brief appeal from judgments. January 5—50 copies brief People vs. Wilson. January 10—1 blank book.

**Department of Buildings**—June 5—1,000 Form 4A; 1,000 Form 4B; 1,000 Form 4C; 1,000 Form 4D; 1,000 Form 47. June 11—5 rubber hand stamps, A; 5 rubber hand stamps, Branch office. June 13—100 boxes McGill's fasteners, No. 1; 10 boxes eyelets; 2 eyelet punches. June 18—9 rubber hand stamps. June 19—2 rubber hand stamps, No. 1; 2 rubber hand stamps, No. 2. June 23—6 letter press copying books.

**Finance Department**—June 4—1 keg of paste. June 8—500 blank affidavits. June 10—2,000 statement blanks, unpaid taxes; printing and binding 500 copies Annual Report of Comptroller. June 17—Printing titles and advertisements on 200 vouchers. June 18—2,950 A warrants; 450 B warrants; 200 C warrants. June 20—295 Paymasters' checks. June 23—40 yards unbleached muslin.

**Public Works**—May 18—4 rolls Imperial tracing cloth, 1 steel straight edge, 1 quire Whatman's double elephant paper, 3 dozen thumb tacks, 4 rolls profile paper, 3 dozen manila pads, 1 roll cross section paper, 4 brushes, 1 bow pen, 5 dozen Faber's pencils, 4 drawing pens, 5 dozen Eagle pencils, 6 H; 1 8-inch protractor, 1 beam compass, 4 paper scales, 4 dozen Field books, 2 celluloid curves. June 10—1,000 sidewalk notices, 2,000 slips to be attached to same. June 11—250 each, specifications, estimates and envelopes. June 15—Binding 7 volumes contracts; 75 copies contracts, etc., Old Croton Aqueduct. June 16—750 each, specifications, estimates and envelopes, as per sample.

**Civil Service Board**—June 22—20,000 sheets examination paper. June 16—2 copying ribbons, 1 record ribbon.

**Public Parks**—June 12—200 posters, sale of grass. June 15—1,000 invitations, 1,000 envelopes. June 22—75 copies contract, asphalt walks, City parks; 75 copies estimates, asphalt walks, City parks; 75 copies contract, asphalt walks, Central Park; 75 copies estimates, asphalt walks, Central Park; 50 copies contract, asphalt walks, Transverse road; 50 copies estimates, asphalt walks, Transverse road.

**Armory Board**—June 23—50 copies each, contract and specifications, estimates and envelopes, furniture etc.; 50 copies each of same for gas, etc.

**Special Sessions**—June 23—1 staple press and staples.

**Public Administrator**—June 23—1,000 blanks, Form 37; 500 blanks, Form 52; 500 blanks, Form 53.

**Magistrates' Courts**—June 8—500 manila clasp envelopes.

**Counsel to the Corporation**—June 9—Bind Volume 90 for library.

**Register**—June 18—12 printed signs.

**Mayor's Office**—June 17—1 box envelopes to match paper (sample).

**Sheriff's Office**—June 5—6 Underwood's copying ribbons, 6 Underwood's record ribbons.

**Coroners' Office**—June 19—2,000 blanks as per sample, 1 commitment book.

**County Clerk**—June 12—50 rolls red tape. June 17—1 register, No. 1; 1 book, No. 2.

**Surrogate**—May 6—Repairing books as per letter.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid by concurrent vote of all the members of the Board.

Wynkoop-Hallenbeck-Crawford Company (Voucher No. 982), \$124.50; Richard Evans (Voucher No. 983), \$15.75; M. B. Brown (Voucher No. 981), \$98.75; (Voucher No. 967), \$224.21; The L. W. Ahrens Stationery and Printing Company (Voucher No. 979), \$179.50; (Voucher No. 969), \$23.16; (Voucher No. 980), \$39.20; Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict (Voucher No. 966), \$37.80; Tower Manufacturing and Novelty Company (Voucher No. 968), \$10.34; Richard Evans (Voucher No. 964), \$4.00; George F. Nesbitt & Co. (Voucher No. 965), \$111.50; Everson & Reed (Voucher No. 959), \$8.35; H. Griffin & Sons (Voucher No. 958), \$27.75; The Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company (Voucher No. 960), \$21.70; M. B. Brown (Voucher No. 984), \$2,442.90.

On motion of the Commissioner of Public Works, the following was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he is hereby instructed to procure by direct order, that is, without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by the requisitions allowed, that course being deemed to be for the best interests of the City.

Adjoined. JOHN A. SLEICHER, Secretary.

JULY 22, 1896.

By the concurrent action of the Acting Mayor, John Jeroloman, the Acting Counsel to the Corporation, William L. Turner, and the Commissioner of Public Works, Charles H. T. Collis, the officers designated by section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, the Comptroller was this day authorized to publish an abstract of the advertisements of the sale of \$4,205,962.56 3½ per cent. Gold Bonds and Stock of the City of New York, to be opened on July 27 and 28, 1896, in the following newspapers in addition to the designated newspapers of this Board, to wit:

"Sun,"

"Daily News,"

"New York Herald,"

"New York Tribune,"

"The World,"

"New York Handels Zeitung,"

"Bond Buyer,"

"Journal of Commerce & Bulletin,"

"American Banker,"

"Commercial and Financial Chronicle,"

"Commercial Advertiser."

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Secretary.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Republican County Committee to erect poles and suspend a banner therefrom across Broadway, one pole to be erected at the southeast corner of Thirty-eighth street and Broadway and the other at the southwest corner of Thirty-eighth street and Broadway, provided the said Republican County Committee shall restore the pavement or flagging to its present condition upon the removal of said poles, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only until December 1, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Twenty-seventh Assembly District Republican organization to erect a stand on the west side of Forty-fourth street, fifty feet from the corner of Sixth avenue, for the purpose of holding an open-door meeting, the work to be

done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only from July 14 to July 16, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That so much of the report of the Committee on Law Department, presented this day, July 14, 1896, as relates to the Eighth District, permitting below-named persons to keep stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda-water within the stoop-lines, be and the same is hereby adopted:

Hilbert Bernstein, northwest corner of Eighth street and Broadway.

Antonio Cella, northeast corner of Third and Macdougall streets.

S. Pelz, 33 Sixth avenue.

Gaetano Penaro, 547 West Broadway.

Joseph Bier, 64 South Washington Square.

Giovanni Zito, 66 West Ninth street.

George Gemakoplos, 66 East Thirteenth street.

Frank Cuoco, 23 Sullivan street.

Nichless Grande, 98 Macdougall street.

Giovanni Riccio, 134 Macdougall street.

Jacob Cohen, 157 Thompson street.

Michael Angelo Pierro, 124 Bleecker street.

Giuseppe Logemarsino, 88 and 90 Bleecker street.

Francisco Pelole, 90 Bleecker street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Church of St. Jean the Baptiste to erect, place and keep an iron storm-door in front of its premises on the north side of East Seventy-sixth street, about two hundred feet west of Third avenue, provided said storm-door be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance of 1886, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William A. Smith Association to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northeast corner of Horatio street and Eighth avenue, southeast corner of Eighteenth street and Eighth avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during for two weeks from date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Perry Street M. E. Church to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Perry and Fourth streets, Jane and Fourth streets, Bedford and Morton streets, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only until July 16, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Renwick Social Circle to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixth street and Lexington avenue, southwest corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and Lexington avenue northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Third avenue, southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixth street and Third avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for two weeks from date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Alpine Club to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Southwest corner Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Sixth street, northeast corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street, northwest corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, southeast corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for two weeks from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That the resolution permitting Frank B. Murtha to place and keep a lamp on the east side of Lexington avenue, fifty feet south of Forty-second street, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 30, 1896, and approved by the Mayor, July 7, 1896, be and the same is hereby corrected and amended by striking out the words "east side of Lexington avenue, fifty feet south side of Forty-second street," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "southeast corner of Forty-second street and Lexington avenue."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Ford to place and keep a show window in front of his premises, No. 418 Pearl street, provided the same does not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Martin J. Connellan to place and keep a show-window in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Ninety-ninth street and Amsterdam, within the stoop-line, provided the dimensions of said window shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Siegel-Cooper Company to lay a crosswalk of asphalt from the easterly to the westerly side of Sixth avenue, in the middle of the block from Eighteenth to Nineteenth streets, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 24, 1896.

Resolved, That so much of G. O. 872 as is contained in the application of the following-named persons to keep stands within the stoop-line at the location set opposite their names be and the same is hereby adopted:

**Second Assembly District.**

Daniel W. Heaney, Whitehall street, Hamilton Ferry.

**Fourth Assembly District.**

Israel Tarlowski, 110 Henry street.

Philip Gurian, 231 Cherry street.

Henry Label, 158 Madison street.

Nathan Kramer, 266 Cherry street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 24, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Kirk to place and keep an iron watering-trough in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Greenwich and Franklin streets, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 24, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William H. Butterworth, Secretary of the Building Committee of St. Bartholomew's Church, to extend a vault in front of the parish house of said church, No. 203 to No. 211 East Forty-second street, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, without payment of the usual fee, provided the said William H. Butterworth, for said St. Bartholomew's Church, stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of extending said vault, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, July 24, 1896.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Operations for the week ending July 25, 1896:

Plans filed for new buildings, 72; estimated cost, \$3,256,375; plans filed for alterations, 54; estimated cost, \$76,650; buildings reported for additional means of escape, 27; other violations of law reported, 132; buildings reported as unsafe, 46; violation notices issued, 129; fire-escape notices issued, 34; unsafe buildings notices issued, 138; violation cases forwarded for prosecution, 133; unsafe buildings cases forwarded for prosecution, 3; complaints lodged with the Department, 52; iron beams, columns, girders, etc., tested, 6,841.

STEVENSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent of Buildings.

WILLIAM H. CLASS, Chief Clerk.

## APPOINTMENTS.

LAW DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, No. 2 TRYON ROW, July 24, 1896.

The Counsel to the Corporation has made the following appointments in this office, to take effect August 1, 1896:

Miss Josephine M. Strong, No. 43 Lafayette place, Stenographer and Typewriter, at the yearly salary of \$1,000.

William H. Lake, No. 201 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Examiner, at the yearly salary of \$1,200.

Clarence B. Iliffe, No. 1050 Madison street, Brooklyn, Examiner, at the yearly salary of \$720.

## ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Railroads.

RAILROADS—The Committee on Railroads will hold a meeting on Monday, August 3, 1896, at 2.30 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.

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

# OFFICIAL PAPERS DESIGNATED JULY 29, 1896.

Morning—"Tribune" and "Times." Afternoon—"Mail and Express" and "Commercial Advertiser." Weekly—"Frank Leslie's Weekly" and "Harper's Weekly." German—"Staats Zeitung."

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor of the City Record.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

**Mayor's Office**—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
**Saturdays**, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**Mayor's Marshal's Office**—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Commissioners of Accounts**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Assessors**—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Board of Armory Commissioners**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**Clerk of Common Council**—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Department of Public Works**—No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards**—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
**Department of Buildings**—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Comptroller's Office**—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Auditing Bureau**—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents**—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
**Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets**—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
**Bureau for the Collection of Taxes**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
**City Chamberlain**—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Counsel to the Corporation**—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**City Paymaster**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Corporation Attorney**—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Bureau of Street Openings**—Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.  
**Public Administrator**—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Police Department**—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Board of Education**—No. 146 Grand street.  
**Department of Charities**—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Department of Correction**—Central Office, No. 148 East Twelfth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Fire Department**—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.  
**Health Department**—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Department of Public Parks**—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
**Department of Docks**—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Department of Taxes and Assessments**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
**Board of Electrical Control**—No. 1262 Broadway.  
**Department of Street Cleaning**—No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Civil Service Board**—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Board of Estimate and Apportionment**—Stewart Building.  
**Board of Assessors**—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Board of Excise**—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Sheriff's Office**—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Register's Office**—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Commissioner of Jurors**—Room 127, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**County Clerk's Office**—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**District Attorney's Office**—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**The City Record Office**—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**Governor's Room**—City Hall, open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 to 12 A. M.  
**Coroners' Office**—New Criminal Court Building, open constantly. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.  
**Surrogate's Court**—New County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Appellate Division, Supreme Court**—Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
**Supreme Court**—County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Criminal Division, Supreme Court**—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, opens at 10.30 A. M.  
**Court of General Sessions**—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.  
**City Court**—City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20; Part II, Room No. 21; Part III, Room No. 15; Part IV, Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Court of Special Sessions**—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Opens daily, except Saturday, at 10 A. M. Clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. until 12 M.  
**District Civil Courts**—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Third street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Twelfth District—Westchester, New York City. Open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Thirteenth District—Corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**City Magistrates' Courts**—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET  
 NEW YORK, July 28, 1896.  
 TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's Office, Room No. 1704-7, until 11 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, August 8, 1896. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department in the basement at No. 150 Nassau street at the hour above-mentioned.**

**No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTH AVENUE, from Ninth to Fifty-ninth street, except where in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works the grade is too great.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, JUNE 22, 1896.

## NOTICE TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

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

STEVENSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent Buildings.

## STREET CLEANING DEPT.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE PRIVILEGE of picking over the rubbish of the City, other than ashes, garbage and street sweepings gathered by the Department of Street Cleaning, or committed to the Department of Street Cleaning by the Department of Docks, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the office of said Department, No. 32 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., Wednesday, August 26, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.**

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment by the contractors, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department. All bids must be made with reference to the above-mentioned form of agreement and its requirements, on file in the office of the Department of Street Cleaning.

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

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

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

The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the

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

A deposit of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) must be paid over to the Comptroller by the bidder to whom the contract has been awarded, on or before the execution of the contract, as a guarantee for the faithful performance of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; 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.

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 hundred dollars (\$500). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and 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.

F. M. GIBSON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

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

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

## CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, JULY 14, 1896.

## EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:

August 3, 10 A. M. FEMALE CLERKS.  
 August 4, 10 A. M. WARDEN.  
 August 5, 10 A. M. INSPECTORS OF CONSTRUCTION. Applicants must have knowledge of massive masonry in difficult foundations; pile work, sewer work, street work and pipe laying.

Thursday, July 30, 10 A. M. EXAMINER, LAW DEPARTMENT. Candidates must have knowledge of the laws relating to service of legal papers.

Thursday, August 6, 10 A. M. INSPECTOR OF MERCANTILE ESTABLISHMENTS. Candidates will be examined in letter writing, official reports, etc., and knowledge of chapters 384 and 991 of Laws of 1896.

Friday, August 7, 10 A. M. INSPECTOR OF MERCANTILE ESTABLISHMENTS. Applicants must be Civil or Sanitary Engineers, and have a knowledge of plumbing, ventilation and lighting of mercantile buildings, and will also be examined in letter writing, official reports, and also knowledge of chapters 384 and 991 of the Laws of 1896.

July 31, 10 A. M. NURSES.  
 August 11, 10 A. M. INSPECTORS OF PIPE LAYING AND CONNECTIONS.

Notice is hereby given that no applications shall be received excepting from residents of the State of New York.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

NEW YORK, March 19, 1896.  
**NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRATION days in the Labor Bureau will be Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and that examinations will take place on those days at 2 P. M.**

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Monday, August 3, 1896, for making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 1, 2, 3, 7, 12, 20, 41, 44, 54, 69, 93, 97, 98, 100, 101, Primary Schools Nos. 36 and 48; also for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 8 and 65; also for supplying Three Square and Two Upright Pianos.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

JOSEPH J. LITTLE, Chairman.  
 ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.  
 Dated New York, July 22, 1896.

## 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 5248, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Beach avenue, from the existing sewer in East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to summit south.

List 5253, No. 2. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Eightieth street and Madison avenue.

List 5254, No. 3. Receiving-basins on the southwest corner of Ninety-ninth street and northwest corner of Ninety-eighth street and Lexington avenue.

List 5255, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Convent avenue and St. Nicholas terrace.

List 5258, No. 5. Sewer in Fifth avenue, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets.

List 5261, No. 6. Receiving-basin and appurtenances on the north side of Pelham avenue, east of New York and Harlem Railroad.

List 5263, No. 7. Sewer and appurtenances in Pelham avenue (south side), between the existing sewer in Pelham avenue and Vanderbilt avenue, West.

List 5265, No. 8. Receiving-basins and appurtenances in Jerome avenue, on the west side, opposite One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; on the west side, opposite McClellan street (or Endrow place), and on the northeast corner of Clark place.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Beach avenue, extending about 243 feet south of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

No. 2. East side of Madison avenue, from Eightieth to Eighty-first street; south side of Eighty-first street, from Park to Madison avenue, and north side of Eightieth street, extending easterly from Madison avenue about 134 feet.

No. 3. Block bounded by Ninety-eighth and Ninety-ninth streets, Lexington and Park avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Convent avenue to St. Nicholas terrace.

No. 5. Both sides of Fifth avenue, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street.

No. 6. North side of Pelham avenue east of New York and Harlem Railroad, on Block 972, Ward Nos. 400, 53, 56, 59, 60, 61 and 64.

No. 7. South side of Pelham avenue, west of Vanderbilt avenue, West, on Block 1021, Ward Nos. 14 and 23.

No. 8. West side of Jerome avenue, south of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, on Block 338, Ward Nos. 145, 154, 163 and 173; also west side of Jerome avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fourth to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; also west side of Jerome avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to Union street; also north side of Clark place, extending about 427 feet east of Jerome avenue, and east side of Jerome avenue, from Clark place to Marcy 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 27th day of August, 1896.

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

NEW YORK, July 27, 1896.

## PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE

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

List 4120, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, laying crosswalks and building culverts on One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Third to Gerard avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

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

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

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 24th day of August, 1896.

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

NEW YORK, July 24, 1896.

## 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 5203, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Mott to easterly crosswalk of Rider avenue, with granite blocks.

List 5244, No. 2. Receiving-basins and appurtenances on the northwest corner of Webster avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and on the east side of Webster avenue, opposite East One Hundred and Seventy-second street.

List 5245, No. 3. Receiving-basin and appurtenances on the northeast corner of Fulton avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

List 5246, No. 4. Receiving-basins and appurtenances on the northeast and northwest corners of St. Paul's place and Third avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Mott avenue to the easterly side of Rider avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. East side of Webster avenue, from Wendover avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and north side of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Webster avenue to Clay street, and west side of Webster avenue, extending about 291 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

No. 3. East side of Fulton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-eighth to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; north side of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Fulton to Franklin avenue, and west side of Franklin avenue, extending from One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to a point 280 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

No. 4. Both sides of Third avenue, from St. Paul's place to One Hundred and Seventy-first street, and north side of Julia street, from Crotona place to Third 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 10th day of August, 1896.

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

NEW YORK, July 10, 1896.

## STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

July 25, 1896.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF** the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office No. 2622 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Friday, August 14, 1896, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH VITRIFIED BRICK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WEBSTER AVENUE, from the northerly crosswalk of the Kingsbridge road to the southerly crosswalk of the Southern Boulevard.

The paving-bricks shall consist of the best quality of sound, hard-burned, vitrified machine-pressed shale or clay paving-brick, made and burned specially for street paving purposes, and shall stand all reasonable tests as to hardness, toughness, uniformity of shape and size and non-absorption of water required by the Chief Engineer of Construction, and to which paving material is usually subjected. All brick shall be rectangular and straight, with upper corners slightly rounded, if required, free from cracks or defects of any kind, of uniform size and texture, four to five inches deep, eight and one-half inches to nine and one-quarter inches long, and three inches to three and one-quarter inches wide. Not less than ten bricks of the kind proposed to be used shall be submitted by each bidder on or before the 3d day of August, 1896. No bid on proposal No. 1, for brick pavement will be considered unless the bidder can refer to a city street, or portion thereof, which has been paved with the brick proposed to be used and subjected to travel for a period of at least one year and which is now in good condition.

Bidders may submit more than one set of sample bricks from different works, to be laid at one and the same price, but only one kind and size of brick will be allowed for the entire work.

The cost of the tests made upon all the samples submitted, not exceeding one hundred and fifty dollars, shall be paid to the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards by the party to whom the contract may be awarded at the time of signing the contract.

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

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN, Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

July 25, 1896.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF** the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, August 8, 1896, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN UNION AVENUE, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Boston road.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN WALTON AVENUE, from the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN RIVER AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Jerome avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT, ON THE PRESENT BLOCK

PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF BOSTON ROAD, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON PRESENT BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Alexander avenue to Brook avenue.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET (Union Street), from Nelson avenue to the summit east of Bremer avenue, WITH BRANCHES IN NELSON AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth streets, AND IN BREMER AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and the summits north and south.

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

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

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

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN, Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

July 21, 1896.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF** the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, August 1, 1896, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND FLAGGING THE WESTERLY SIDEWALK OF SEDGWICK AVENUE, from Commerce avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and from a point about 350 feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-third street to a point about 200 feet south of Fordham road, and from a point about 300 feet north of Fordham road to Kingsbridge road, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING THE NECESSARY APPROACHES.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT, ON THE PRESENT BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ALEXANDER AVENUE, from the Southern Boulevard to Third Avenue.

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN BROOK AVENUE, from the existing sewer in Webster avenue to Wendover avenue.

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN TREMONT AVENUE, from the existing sewer in Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue.

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

Each bid or 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.

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

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN, Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Police Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 300 Mulberry street, New York, until Friday, July 31, 1896, at 9.30 o'clock A. M.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO BUILD AND COMPLETE THE NEW STATION-HOUSE, PRISON AND STABLE ON THE GROUND AND PREMISES IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS NOS. 133, 135 AND 137 CHARLES STREET.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Building a Station-house, Prison and Stable in Charles Street," 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 date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Architect's schedule of materials to be furnished and work to be done, upon which the bids are to be based, is as follows:

**SCHEDULE.**  
The removal of buildings now on lots.  
All trenching, preparation and leveling of ground, necessary excavating or blasting, refilling, grading, all concrete and concrete in foundations, floor areas and elsewhere, stone-filling and ramming of trenches; all to be carried to solid bottom.

All drains, waste, leader, gas and all other pipes, and all parts connected with the gas-lighting and drainage of the building.

All common and front brickwork in the walls, piers, arches, facing, lining, racking, corbelling, flues and elsewhere.

All furring blocks, partition blocks, roof blocks, tile and other fireproof work.

All the cut and other granite and stonework, including all molded, carved and tooled work, bond-stones in piers, and the setting and cleaning of the above.

All the bluestone in sills, lintels, bed-plates, coping and elsewhere.

All the damp-proofing; also all the boxing and protection of work; also cutting, patching, pointing and cleaning down of all work inside and outside; also all grouting, whitewashing, and all other necessary work.

All the wrought-iron or steel girders, beams, steel and wrought-iron columns, iron doors, railings, step details, posts, tees, angles, zees, channels, clamps, dowels, anchors, straps, ladders, gratings, iron guards, cells, and all other wrought-iron work.

All cast lintels, plates, boxes, brackets, bases, railings, fittings, shoes, stair-facings, and other constructional and ornamental cast-iron work.

All wire, lath and iron construction to ceilings, boxing of girders, walls and elsewhere.

All galvanized-iron work; all copper and all other metal work.

All gutters, skylights, glazing, snow-guards, flashings, hardware and metal work.

All plastering and stucco work.

All tiling, painting, electro-plating, decorating and other work.

All plumbing, piping, fixtures, gas-fitting and other plumbers' work.

All carpenters and joiners' work, including all sash, doors, fanlights, trimming, glass, centres and grounds, fittings and shades.

All steam and heating work, boilers, piping, radiators, valves and other parts.

All electric wiring, switches, conduits, plugs, cut-outs, keys, hardwood boxes, locks, hardware and other parts mentioned in electric specifications.

Removal of all surplus material and rubbish, and thoroughly scrubbing and cleaning of the entire building ready for occupancy.

Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the site, its present condition and nature as to the sufficiency of the foregoing Architect's schedule and plans, and shall not at any time after the submission of their bids dispute or complain of such schedule and plans or the specifications and directions explaining or interpreting them, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the location, extent, nature or amount of work to be done.

Bidders must particularly examine into the depth at which solid bottom is found.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work within seven (7) months from the date of the contract, to the satisfaction of the Board of Police and the Architect appointed by them, and in accordance with the drawings and directions given or which may be given by the Architect, and in conformity with the specifications hereunto annexed. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work contemplated, and which shall be actually performed at the price therefor, to be specified by the accepted bidder, shall be due or payable, and no allowance will be made nor anything paid for blasting or excavating, nor for carrying masonry to solid bottom, nor for any filling or ramming of trenches, nor for any bailing or pumping rendered necessary in prosecuting the work, nor for any sheet-piling, shoring or other timbering, nor for any underpinning or other precautions necessary to protect adjoining buildings or grounds or the work in progress, nor for any scaffolding or centres required in prosecuting the work.

Bidders will be required to prepare for all pumping and bailing which may be found necessary in the prosecution of the work.

Bidders will state, in writing, and also in figures, upon blanks which will be furnished on application, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Board of Police to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests to do so.

Bidders in submitting their bid are required to write the names of all subcontractors in their proposals.

All persons estimating are requested to enter their names and addresses in a book provided for this purpose in the Estimating room.

Before submitting estimates, contractors must consult "Contractors' Bulletin Board," and compare the office copy of specifications with the set to be submitted with their proposal, and such proposal shall be read as in conformity with said office copies of specifications. In case of any discrepancy they are to report to the Chief Clerk of the Police Department and their specifications will be corrected to conform with the office copy.

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

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

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person, other than subcontractors, be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact.

The estimate shall contain the names of all subcontractors, also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to 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 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 or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety 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.

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

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

No estimate for a sum in excess of Ninety Thousand Dollars can be considered.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, July 17, 1896.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

## DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 72 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners, appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 35, Schermerhorn Building, No. 95 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.**

Dated New York, October 30, 1895.

DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

**NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE** "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the

**TWENTY-THIRD WARD.**  
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET, from Franklin avenue to Boston road; confirmed June 19, 1896, entered July 22, 1896. Area of assessment: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz. On the north by a line drawn parallel to East One Hun

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 proper security he or they shall be considered as having defaulted and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

**A. H. LA GRANGE, JAMES R. SHEFFIELD,  
AUSTIN E. FORD, Commissioners.**

NEW YORK, July 24, 1896.  
TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING** the materials and labor and doing the work required in making repairs, etc., to the Fire-boat "Zophar Mills" (Engine Company No. 51) of this Department 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 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, August 5, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The work is to be completed and delivered within the twentieth (20th) day after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any or 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 his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as 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 fifty (\$50) 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 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.

O. H. LA GRANGE, JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, AUSTIN E. FORD, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, July 24, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING, ETC.,** each of the following-mentioned Steam Fire Engines will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, August 5, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read:

1. Clapp & Jones second size Double Pump Steam Fire Engine, registered No. 403.
2. Clapp & Jones fourth size Single Pump Steam Fire Engines, registered Nos. 359, 378 and 370.
3. Clapp & Jones fourth size Single Pump Steam Fire Engine, registered No. 362.

Separate bids must be made for the repairs, etc., to the engines, as above.

For the repairs, etc., to second-size Engine No. 403, above mentioned, the security required is \$1,200, and the time allowed for the completion of the repairs is sixty days.

For the repairs, etc., to Fourth size Engines Nos. 359, 378 and 370, above mentioned, the security required is \$3,500 and the time allowed for the completion of the repairs is sixty days.

For the repairs, etc., to Fourth size Engine No. 362, above mentioned, the security required is \$1,200 and the time allowed for the completion of the repairs is sixty days.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at fifteen (15) dollars.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any or 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, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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, to the amount of five (5) per centum of the amount of the security required. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and 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.

O. H. LA GRANGE, JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, AUSTIN E. FORD, Commissioners.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the lands under water and the lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of the waterfront of the City of New York on the North river, between Thirty-fourth street and the centre line of the block between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets and Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 1st day of September, 1896; that we, the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 1st day of September, 1896, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2.30 o'clock.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage map and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway in the said city, there to remain until the 1st day of September, 1896.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of October, 1896, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed, and for such other and further relief as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, July 23, 1896.  
ALBERT B. BOARDMAN, Chairman; SAMUEL W. MILBANK, CHARLES H. WEBB, Commissioners.  
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands, lands, lands under water, wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, lands and lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of the City of New York, on the North river, between Bethune and West Twelfth streets, and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 2d day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the uplands, lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the uplands, lands, lands under water and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice and on or before August 20, 1896.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of August, 1896, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 23, 1896.  
CHARLES W. GOULD, Chairman; JNO. DELAHUNTY, MICHAEL COLEMAN, Commissioners.  
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands at the southeasterly corner of EAST HOUSTON AND ESSEX STREETS, in the Seventeenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, July 27, 1896, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 7th day of August, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part I, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of August, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 25, 1896.  
EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL, DANIEL O'CONNELL, HERMAN W. VANDER POEL, Commissioners.  
ROBERT C. BEATTY, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 9th floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of August, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 27, 1896.  
JNO. DELAHUNTY, HENRY L. BRIDGES, JOHN J. QUINLAN, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 14th day of July, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 9th floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of August, 1896, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 22, 1896.  
MAX SELIGMAN, OWEN MCGINNIS, G. THORNTON WARREN, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the northerly side of ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, between Third and Lexington avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, July 21, 1896, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 3d day of August, 1896, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part I, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 19th day of August, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 20, 1896.  
LAWRENCE GOKIN, EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL, IRVING W. BAMBERGER, Commissioners.  
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands, lands, wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and land to be taken for the improvement of the City of New York on the North river, between West Twelfth and Jane streets, and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 2d day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate

and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the uplands, lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the uplands, lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice, and on or before July 30, 1896.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of July, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 3, 1896.  
WILBUR LARREMORE, Chairman; FREDERICK S. PARKER, JOHN H. SPELLMAN, Commissioners.  
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 90 West Broadway (9th floor), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of July, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 2, 1896.  
ROBERT STURGIS, DAVID J. LEES, JOHN MURPHY, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the under-

signed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 90 West Broadway (9th floor), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of July, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 2, 1896.  
JACOB E. SALOMON, HENRY ALLEN, JNO. H. SPELLMAN, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 90 West Broadway (9th floor), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of July, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 2, 1896.  
THEODORE E. SMITH, MAX K. KAHN, EUGENE S. WILLARD, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 90 West Broadway (9th floor), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of July, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 2, 1896.  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, GEORGE LIVINGSTON, PHIL M. LEAKIN, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening LEGGETT AVENUE (although not yet named by

proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Randall avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 90 West Broadway (9th floor), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of July, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 2, 1896.  
THEODORE E. SMITH, CHAS. BIGGS, J. ASPINWALL HODGE, JR., Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**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:

1st.—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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, on or before the 14th day of September, 1896, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of September, 1896, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12.30 o'clock P. M.

2d.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 15th day of September, 1896.

3d.—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.:

On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and said southerly side produced; on the east by the Bronx river; on the south by the northerly side of Jennings street and said northerly side produced; and on the west by a line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard and distant 200 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown on our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

4th.—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of October, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 2, 1896.  
JAMES R. TORRANCE, Chairman; THEODORE WESTON, T. J. CARLETON, JR., Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, on or before the 8th day of September, 1896, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 8th day of September, 1896, 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 the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92

West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 9th day of September, 1896.

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.:

On the north by the southerly and southeasterly boundary line of Crotona Park and the southerly side of Westover avenue; on the south by the northwesterly side of Westchester avenue; on the east by the northwesterly side of Boston road, from the southerly side of Westover avenue to its intersection with the prolongation of the middle line of the block between Bristow street and Stebbins avenue; thence by the middle line of the block between Bristow street and Stebbins avenue to a line drawn parallel to Jennings street and distant southerly 100 feet from the southerly side thereof; thence by a line drawn parallel to Jennings street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence by a line drawn parallel to Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the northwesterly boundary-line of Crotona Park to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Boston road; thence by the easterly side of Union avenue, from the northwesterly side of Boston road to a line drawn parallel to Jennings street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence by a line drawn parallel to Jennings street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; and thence by a line drawn parallel to Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the northwesterly side of Westchester avenue; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of October, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 1, 1896.  
EUGENE A. PHILBIN, Chairman; CHAS. A. HELFER, JULIAN B. SHOPE, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York as and for a public park, to be designated and known as Fort Washington Park, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 581 of the Laws of 1894.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** report of William W. MacFarland, William B. Ellison and Matthew Chalmers, the Commissioners of Appraisal duly appointed in the above-entitled proceeding, which bears date July 9, 1896, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 10th day of July, 1896, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part I., at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, in the First Judicial Department, on the 7th day of August, 1896, at the opening of Court on that day.

Dated New York, July 14, 1896.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title to certain lands in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 20th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of ascertaining and appraising the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described and laid out, appropriated or designated by said chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as and for a public park in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, and proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes named in said act, and to perform such other duties as are by said act prescribed.

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected for said purposes comprises all the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not now owned or the title to which is not vested in The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, within the limits or boundaries of the parcels of land laid out, appropriated or designated for said public park by said act of the Legislature, namely: All those pieces or parcels of land situate in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; on the east by the westerly line of Cromwell's creek as far south as the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and south of that point by the northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek; on the south by said northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek and the easterly bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, and on the west by the easterly line of Jerome avenue, excepting and reserving therefrom all public streets, avenues or places now laid out across or over any part of said land and shown on the official filed maps of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

All parties and persons, owners, lessees or other persons interested in the real estate above described and to be taken for the purposes of said public park, or any part thereof, or affected by the proceedings had under or authorized by said act, chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are required to present the same to us, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proof in support thereof as the said owner or claimant may desire, within sixty days after the date of this notice (July 9, 1896), at our office, Room 3, on the fourth floor of the Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of September, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and in case any such person or claimant shall desire at such time and place to offer further and additional proofs or testimony, such person or claimant will be heard or said proofs or testimony will be received by us.

And at such time and place, or at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear the proofs and allegations of any owner, lessee or other person in any way entitled to or interested in such real estate, or any part or parcel thereof, and also such proofs and allegations as may be then offered on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 9, 1896.  
CHARLES L. GUY, WILLIAM H. BARKER, H. H. PORTER, Commissioners.

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