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## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, L NEW YORK, December 7, 1897.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present-Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, George B. Fowler, M. D., the President of the

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:

Names.	AMOUNT.	Names.	AMOUNT.
Mrs. Abby A. White	\$214 00	Albert Busch Co	12 00
Mrs. Fennella Burrell	40 CO	Lehn & Fink	5 35
T. E. Tripler	2,298 00	John Campbell	6 00
Crescent Typewriter Company	4 86	Sheppard & Sloep	11 50
Oelschlaeger Bros	72	Johnson & Johnson	9 00
Typewriter Cushion Company	4 10	Manhattan Surgeons Company	24 00
Francis & Loutrel	2 25	Muck & Co	2 65
New York Wrapping Paper Company		A. E. Barnes & Bro	58 00
Frank S. York	5 58	E. A. Tucker Co	4 55
	7 20	I. Wáck	10 35
Zimdars & Hunt		New York Telephone Company	181 35
Albany Paper Company	7 00	Wyckoff, Seamans & Co	1 50
DeGrauw & Aymar	7 44	L. M. Palmer	105 40
Manhattan Electric Company	13 00 6 80	Consolidated Ice Company	26 25
Paul Y. Decker		George S. Wallen	65 50
Stohlmann, Pfarre & Co	21 00	Park & Tilford	21 60
Borsum Bros	8 40	A. P. Vollmer	
Swan & Finch	1 15		173 52
Leonard & Ellis	. 42 50	Carl Schultz	25 92
Standard Oil Company	6 12	Holly wood Company	96 40
Gilbert & Burkee Co	52 70	Blackford's	19 23
William P. Youngs & Bro	77 97	R. Webber	593 18
Iden & Co	5 10	Carter Iron Works	25 94 17 88
Frost Seating Company	2 88	William Young	
Chesebro, Whitman & Co	11 10	Lincoln & Luchesi	4 45
Pugsley & Chapman	4 39	Jenkins Bros	68 52
Goodyear Rubber Company	4 35	Schieffelin & Co	6 00
Nason Manufacturing Company	13 94	T. F. Fallon	8 50
O. E. A. Weissner	6 18	John Bailey	1 25
Clark & Wilkins	10 CO	Osborne & Burke Co	11 75
Patterson Bros	7 30	Dr. C. Clark	12 50
E. R. Squibb & Sons	17 32	Battelle & Renwick	80 00
Dennison Manufacturing Company	3 50	Hodgman Rubber Company	20 00
Seabury & Johnson	19 51	J. N. Brown	44 30

The Attorney and Counsel Presented the Following Reports:

1st. Weekly Report of Suits Commenced and Discontinued, Judgments Obta	ined	and	Costs
Collected.			
Orders received for prosecution			342
Attorneys' notices issued			433
Nuisances abated before suit			244
Civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (Sanitary Code)			
Civil suits commenced for other causes			30
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit			47
Suits discontinued—by Board.			59
Suits discontinued—by court			
			11
Judgments for the Department—civil suits			
Judgments for the defendant—civil suits			
Judgments opened by the court			4
Transcripts filed			
Executions issued			
Judgments for the people—criminal suits			7
Judgments for defendant—criminal suits			
Civil suits now pending			470
Criminal suits now pending			15
Money collected and paid to cashier—civil suits			
Money paid into the court—criminal suits			\$180
2d. Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated, and recomi	nen d	ations	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:

Names.	No.	Names.	No.
Carroll, Marie	3031	Ludington, Harris	27
Mittnacht, Jacob A	3034	Carbone, Antonio	31
Mangold, Charles	3153	McOuade, Joseph	32
Kane, Terance	3154	Bliss, Alonzo	36
Tobia, John J	3245	O'Neill, Francis	36
White, Isaac	3271	Scallon, John W	36
Donnell, Joseph A	3305	Meyer, Samuel	36
Muller, Conrad	3351	Fimmons, Howard	37
Cohen, Samuel	3401	Zitz, Francis J	37
Mangold, Charles	3407	Bacon, Alexander S	37
Del Gasso, Victor	3418	Lee. Sam	38
		Appleby, Charles E	38
Franck, Charles	3472	Kane. Ter ince	39
Rose, James	48	Appleby, Charles E	39
Kane, Terance	04	Appleby, Charles E	39
Appleton, Edwin J		Eichner, Joseph	41
Fitzsimmons, James M	95	Buchanan, James	42
Powers, Samuel	104	Goodst-in, Isaac,	42
Leaycraft, J. Edgar	215	Goodstein, Isaac	43
Fox, Herman J	218	Cohen, Jacob	43
McNulty, John	256	Goodman, John	44
Verre, Lucia		Fanning, George	51
Foote, Elizabeth V	451	Robinson, Fannie	51
Eisler, Mary	454	Cohen, Louis	51
Witz, Theodore	455	Koehler, Gus	51
Marks, Selini	466	Bover, Louis	52
Koen, Barney	467	Worn, Oscar R. W	52
Higgins, Francis F	474	Kriess, Adolph	52
Mahoney, Patrick	476	Quaintanco, William	52
Canavan, Patrick	49 r	Dalton, Joseph	54
McLaughlin, Joseph	500	Blumberg, Morris	55
Jouberous, Andrew	505	Diumberg, morris	33

Report on application to record the birth of Eleanor Myers.

On motion, it was
Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to register the birth of
nor Myers, born April 4, 1890, pursuant to section 607 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The Following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

- Ist. Weekly report of Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.
  2d. Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital. Ordered on file.
  3d. Weekly report from Reception Hospital. Ordered on file.
  4th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital. Ordered on file.
  5th. 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 Hospital.

Names.	Position.	SALARY.	APPOINTED. RESIGNED.	DATE,
Agnes McCrossen	Ward Helper	\$168 oo 168 oo	Discharged	Nov. 30, 1897 Dec. 1, "

#### Willard Parker Hospital.

Mary Dorsey	Ward Helper	\$168 oo	Resigned	Nov. 30. 1	1807
Mary Dorsey		144 00	Appointed	Dec. I.	
Helen Peterson		168 co			
Angela McAuley	"	1 8 co	"	" I.	66
Angela McAuley Charles Sheridan	Fireman.	420 00	Discharged	** 2.	665
Russel Geer		420 00	Appointed	" 6.	66
Minnie Watson		360 00		Nov. 28.	44-

Report recommending that the order to discontinue blasting rock on Lexington avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, be discontinued. The report was as approved, and on motion the order was rescinded.

7th. 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 four 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:

rder.	0. 6.	Location of Room.	Occupant,	REDUCED TO	
No. of Order.	On Prmises.	LOCATION OF ROOM.	OCCUPANT.	Adults.	Children.
1007 1008 1009	29 Roosevelt street, rear house 44 26 Washington street	4th floor, r	Salvator Bano	4 3 5	3

8th. Certificates in respect to the vacation of premises at No. 412 East Twentieth 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. 412 East Twentieth 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 because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 412 East Twentieth street be required to vacate said building on or before December 13, 1897, 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 because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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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 the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this

Board.

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. I Pitt street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. I Pitt street be required to vacate said building on or before December 13, 1897, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises 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 the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Board.

oth. 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:

No. of Order.	Location.	No. of Order.	LOCATION.	
36416 35807 34452	No. 630 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street. No. 248 West Forty seventh street. No. 1119 Tinton avenue.	3 <sup>6</sup> 97 <sup>2</sup> 22803 23014	No. 34 Pitt street (resr). No. 222 Elizabeth street. No. 147 Stanton street.	

10th. Reports on applications for permits.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows:

No.	Business Matter or Thing Granted.	ON PREMISES AT	
9634 9635 9636 9637 9638	To board and care for one child	No 45r West Forty-second street, No. 123 West Twenty-fourth street, No. 230 Mott street.	. =(

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied as follows:

No.	Business Matter or Thing Denied.	On Premises at
510 511 512		No. 1,848 Washington avenue. Nos. 2183-2185 Third avenue. East side Amsterdam avenue, One Hundred and Forty first and One Hundred and Forty-second stree s.

On motion, it was

No.	Business Matter or Thing Revoked.	ON PREMISES AT
9352	To board and care for children	No. 232 West Sixty-second street.

11th. Reports on applications for relief from orders.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be extended, modified or rescinded, as follows:

No. of Order.	On Premises at	TIME . EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
38863	No. 282 West One Hundred and Seven-		(Modified so as not to require the remova of the present pan water-closets, provided they be put in a proper santary condition.
39369 39562	No. 229 Tenth avenue No. 504 West Twenty-sixth street	Dec. 31, 1897	
39594	No. 321 West Forty-first street	Jan. 1, 1898	On the part of the order requiring the pro- vision of drip trays for water-closets.
40043	No. 255 Tenth avenue	************	Modified so as not to require the walls and ceilings of halls to be cleaned and white- washed.
40055	No.52 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth		The state of the s
	No. 1630 Park avenue	Dec. 15, 1897	
32370	No. 1630 Park avenue	************	Modified so as not to require additional water-closets, if a properly trapped, water-supplied porcelain urinal be provided.
38903	No. 2703 Eighth avenue		
38995	No. 325 West Sixty-seventh street		Modified so as not to require a ventilator over the hall provided a louvred opening be placed in bulkhead door of at least three square feet in area.
39866	No. 257 East Sixty-first street	Dec. 10, 1897	Modification was denied.
30072	No. 2130 Amsterdam avenue		Rescinded.
	street	**********	
32116	Nos. 1705 and 1707 Third avenue	*****	44
31410	No. 153 West One Hundred and Twenty-third		
35419	No. 568 East One Hundred and Fifty-third		**
	street		:
35670	No. 21 Hamilton street		::
36986	No. 237 Ezst One Hundred and Eighth street		11
37345	No. 316 East One Hundred and Fourth street No. 506 East Eighty-ninth street		
38695	No. 230 Bleecker street		**
39468	No. 416 East Fitty-eighth street		44
39900			6
30840	No. 319 West Forty-first street		**
33948	No. 1029 Stebbins avenue	**********	"
34452	No. 1119 Tinton avenue		**
37739	No. 137 Avenue A	**********	"
38900	No. 1621, 1623 Lexington avenue		
9305	No. 176 Bleecker street and Nos. 4 and 6		"
10154			
8800	No. 36 Rogers place		
0055	No. 596 Grand street No. 52 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth		
	street		**

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

No. of Order.	On Premises at	No. of Order.	On Premises at
37969	No. 304 West Tenth street.	39891	No. 161 East One Hundred and Third st.
38704	No. 1428 Park avenue.	37493	No. 121 Ludlow street.
38848	No. 224 Madison street.	38282	No. 327 West Thirty-seventh street.
39047	No. 27 West Sixty-first street.	38691	No. 129 Cannon street.
39726	No. 60 West Ninety-ninth street.	38750	No. 308 West Sixty-ninth street.

# FIRST DIVISION.

Division of General and Special Sanitary Inspection.

1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

2d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police. Ordered on file.

3d. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps. Ordered on file.

4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night soil docks. Ordered on file.

5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses. Ordered on file.

6th. Monthly report on condition of streets and removal of ashes and garbage. Ordered

7th. Report on application for leave of absence.

Board of Health.

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

Name.	FROM	То	Remarks.
Sanitary Inspector Tennant	December 8	December 22	On account of sickness in family.

# SECOND DIVISION.

Division of Contagious Diseases and Medical Sanitary Inspection.

1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

2d. Monthly report of charitable institutions. Ordered on file.

3d. Report of inspection of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital. Ordered on file.

THIRD DIVISION.

Division of Food Inspection, Offensive Trades and Mercantile Establishments.

1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

Forwarding letter from Russell B. Moore in respect to the importation of horse meat. Ordered

Reports in respect to the seizure of carcasses of cow beef at West Washington Market affected tuberculosis. The Secretary pro tem. was directed to forward copies of the same to the State

FOURTH DIVISION.

Division of Pathology and Bacteriology.

1st. Weekly report of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories. Ordered

2d. Report on application for leave of absence.
On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence be and is granted as follows: NAMES. FROM To REMARKS.

November 26 November 30 On account of sickness. Assistant Bacteriologist Meyer.....

FIFTH DIVISION.

Division of Medical School Inspection, 1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

Ist. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

The following Communications were received from the Register of Records:

1st. Weekly report. Ordered on file.

2d. Weekly report of work performed by Clerks. Ordered on file.

3d. 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 December 7, 1897.

4th. Report on application to record corrected certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to record corrected certificates relating to:

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.	
John Disherert Isaac Clark Fritz Heinzemann Fernand Morlotti Adolph Zortner John S. Carter Eva Wachtel	Married	Nov. 24, 1897 Dec. 4, "26, 1892 Nov. 4, 1894 Sept. 28, 1897	

5th. Report on applications to correct clerical errors.
On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to amend the record of birth of Aurelia Neidner, born October 31, 1874, to Aurelia Weidner, the same being a clerical error.

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 appropriating the sum of \$2,554 for the payment of bills for removing condemned rear-tenement buildings, was received and ordered on file.

A copy of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, appropriating the sum of \$775 to pay for the services of 10 Medical Inspectors from December 8 to December 31, 1897, was

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following-named Medical Inspectors (Vaccinators) be and are hereby continued in the service of this Department until December 31, 1897, with salary at the rate of one

hundred dollars per month: Michael George Franghiadi, Edwin L. Rose, LeRoy W. Hubbard, Daniel F. Linehan, Edward W. Perkins, Henry DuBois Goetchius, Elihu R. Houghton, Thomas A. King, Thomas Peddie,

Samuel Wesley Smith.

A report from Charles I. Berg, Architect, in respect to the requirements of the contract in constructing the Ambulance Station and Vaccine Laboratory was received, and, on motion, the report was accepted and ordered on file.

A report from the Secretary pro tem., in respect to the examination at Riverside Hospital of articles worn out in the service, recommending that the same be condemned, was received, and, on motion, the report was approved and ordered on file.

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A communication from the Department of Docks in respect to the transfer of Junior Clerk.

A communication from the Department of Docks in respect to the transfer of Junior Clerk John J. Colleton was received and the Secretary pro tem. was directed to notify the Department of Docks that the resignation of said Colleton was accepted.

The resignation of Junior Clerk John J. Colleton, to take effect December 11, 1897, was received and accepted.

A communication from the Chief of Police notifying this Department of the assignment of Patrolman John J. Reilly to the Sanitary Campany of Police was received and ordered on file.

A notice of violation of the Building Law at No. 120 Cannon street was received and

referred to Counsellor Roger Foster.

A communication from L. Hershfield and Bro., in respect to claim for damages to vests, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the saiary of John J. Dougherty, a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of \$720 per annum from December 1, 1897.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the salary of John C. H. Stelling, a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, be and is hereby fixed at the rate af \$720 per annum from December 1, 1897.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the time for the completion of contract for building an ambulance station vaccine laboratory at East Seventeenth street be and is hereby extended to December 9, 1897.

On motion, the Board adjourned. C. GOLDERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

# DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, DECEMBER 27 TO 31, 1897.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending December 25, 1897: Males, 31; females, 0; on file. List of 31 prisoners to be discharged from January 2 to 8, 1898; transmitted to Prison Association.

From City Prison-Amount of fines received during week ending December 25, 1897, \$142. On file.

From District Prisons-Amount of fines received during week ending December 25, 1897,

\$325. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending December 25, 1897, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

Reports of census, labor and punishments for week ending December 25, 1897. On file.

From Steamboat Bureau—Supervising Engineer states the United States inspection laws require that there be two pilots on the steamer "Minnahanonck," and asks that an additional pilot be appointed, as it is necessary that the boat be used as soon as possible. Approved.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending December 25, 1897. On file.

Appointed.

John Gannon, Keeper, City Prison; salary, \$800 per annum. Michael F. Mullen, Keeper, City Prison; salary, \$800 per annum.

Salaries Increased.

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Josiah C. Long, Clerk, Central Office, from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per annum.
John P. Dreyer, Clerk, Central Office, from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per annum.
William L. Hatch, Supervising Engineer, from \$1,500 to \$2,000 per annum.
Mary E. Townsend, Stenographer, Central Office, from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per annum.
John J. Murtha, Deputy Warden, Penitentiary, from \$1,500 to \$2,500 per annum.
E. B. Jones General Storekeeper, from \$1,500 to \$2,000 per annum.
Owen J. Ward, Physician, City Prison, from \$1,000 to \$1,500 per annum.
Matthew Ellis, Baker, Workhouse, from \$775 to \$1,000 per annum.
Ralph P. Betts, Patrick J. Daly, Clerks, Central Office, from \$600 to \$800 per annum.
Jeremiah S. Bush, James F. Howe, Robert Burns, Peter Noone, E. J. Thompson, Frank
Markey, Drivers, Central Office Stable, from \$800 to \$900 per annum.
ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

# APPROVED PAPERS

An Ordinance to establish a seal for the City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of the City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The seal heretofore in use as the corporate seal of the corporation known as the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and in the custody of the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen of said city, shall be the seal of the City of New York, to be kept and used by the City Clerk of said city, as provided by law.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Council, January 3, 1898. Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 3, 1898. Adopted by the Mayor, January 3, 1898.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, January 10, 1898.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

In pursuance of the provisions of section 51 of the New York City Consolidation Act, I beg to notify you that the Mayor appointed, on the 3d day of January, 1898, the following persons as Aqueduct Commissioners, viz.:

Peter J. Dooling, Charles H. Murray, William H. Ten Eyck, Maurice J. Power, to take the place of John J. Tucker, Henry W. Cannon, George Walton Green and Maurice J. Power.

I also wish to notify you that Edward L. Allen resigned as Secretary of the Aqueduct Commissioners on January 7, 1898, and that Harry W. Walker was elected Secretary of the Board of Aqueduct Commissioners on that date, at a salary of \$4,000 per year.

Very respectfully,

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Section 1528 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897 (the Consolidation Act of the City of New York), privides that "there shall be published in the CITY RECORD, within the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any department (except laborers), with their salaries, and residences by street numbers, and all changes in such subordinates or salaries shall be so published within one week after they are made. It shall be the duty of all the heads of departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publication of the CITY RECORD everything required to be insected therem."

be inserted therein."
HENRY McMillen, Supervisor City Record.

This directory is not entirely authentic. It has been compiled from such information as is at hand. Corrections will be made.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A.M. to 12 M. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor,
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor,
Alfred M. Downes, Private Secretary,
Bureau of Licenses.
No. I City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD H. HEALY, Marshal.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
PETER J. DOOLING, MAURICE J. POWERS, WILLIAM H.
TEN EYCK, CHARLES H. MURRAY, 2nd THE MAYOR,
COMPTROLLER and PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC
IMPROVEMENTS, ex officia, Commissioners; EDWARD
L. ALLEN, Secretary, A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS. THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
Address Thomas L. Feitner, Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS. Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN C. HERTLE and EDWARD OWEN.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council P. J. Scully, City Clerk.
BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
THOMAS F. WOOD, President.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS. AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, BOTOUGH of Manhattan. LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Borough of the Bronx. EDWARD M. GROUT, BOTOUGH of Brooklyn. FREDERICK BOWLEY, BOTOUGH of Queens. Borough of Richmond.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

No. 250 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Maurice F. Holahan, President. John H. Mooney, Secretary. Department of Highways.

No. 150 Nassau S'reet, Q.A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES R. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
WILLIAM N. SHANNON, Deputy for Manhattan.
THOMAS R. FARRELL, Deputy for Brooklyn.
JAMES P. MAJDEN, Deputy for Bronx,
JAMES P. MADDEN, Deputy for Queens.
HENRY P. MOKRISON, Chief Engineer for Richmond.

Department of Sewers. No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers. MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy for Manhattan. THOMAS J. BYRNES, Deputy for Brooklyn. WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn.

Department of Bridges. No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. John L. Shea, Commissioner.
Thomas H. York, Deputy for Manhattan.
Matthew H. Moore, Deputy for Bronx.
HARRY BRAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.

Department of Water Supply. No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M to 4 P. M. WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply. JOHN J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner for the

JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn. Department of Street Cleaning.

Leonard Street, corner Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES McCartney, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Patrick H. Quian, Deputy Commissioner for Brook-

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies. No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Henry S. Keaney, Commissioner of Public Build-ings, Lighting and Supplies. William Walton, Deputy Commissioner for Brook-

> DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE. Comptroller's Office.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 Stewart Smitting, Chambers street and Boadway, y A. M. to 4 P. M.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

EDGAR I. LPAVEY. Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

John T. McDonough, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Agrears.

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George Brandt, Deputy Collector of Assessment
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Bureau of the City Chamberlain Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and roadway, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster. No.33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 a.m. to 4 P.M. JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

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Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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John Whalen, Corporation Counsel.

THEODORE CONNOLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES
RIANDY Assistants

BLANDY, Assistants.

ALMET F. JENKS, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes. Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Attorney.
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Bureau of Street Openings.
Nos, 90 and 92 West Broadway.
John P. Dunn and Henny De Forest Baldwin,
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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bernard J. York, President of the Board; Thomas

L. Hamilton, Secretary; John B. Sexton, William

H. Phillips, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M.

to 4 P. M.
John W. Keller, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.
Adolph Simis, Jr., Commissioner for Brooklyn and

JAMES FEENRY, Commissioner for Richmond. Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A.M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M.

to 4.30 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 a. m. to 4 P. m.
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No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.

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

Nos. 157 and 150 East Sixty-seventh street, John J. Scannell, Fire Commissioner.

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Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT. New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M.

to 4 P. M.

NATHAN STRAUSS, President, and WILLIAM T.
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.;
Saturdays, 12 M.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.
GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.

Queens.
AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner in Borough of the Bronx.

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Battery, Pier A, North river.
J. Sergeant Cram, President: Peter F. Meyer
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Office hours, Q A, M, to 4 P, M.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS. Fourth avenue corner Eighteenth street, 9 A. M. to P. M. THOMAS J. BRADY, Commissioner in Manhattan and

DANIEL RYAN, Commissioner in Brooklyn.

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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS. Stewart Building, o. a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m. THOMAS L. FEITNER, President of the Board; EDWAPD C. SHEENY, ARTHUR C. SALMON, THOMAS J. PATTERSON and WILLIAM GRELL, Commissioners.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office. No. 320 Broadway, 9 A.M. to 4 P M.
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Assessors.

\* MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between
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CHARLES H. KNOX, President, ROBERT E. DEVO and
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Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Old "Brown Stone Building," No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A.M to 4 P.M

THOMAS J. DUNN, Sheriff; H. P. MULVANEY, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ISAAC FROMME, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN,
Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN PURCELL, Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS. No. 111 Fifth avenue. H. W. Gray, Commissioner.

N. Y. COUNTY JAIL. No. 70 Ludlow street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. PATRICK H. PICKETT, Warden.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE. Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. I WILLIAM SOHMER, County Clerk. use, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Asa Bird Gardner, District Attorney; Henry W.
Unger, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A.M. to 5 P.M., except Saturdays
on which days 9 A.M. to 12 M.
HENRY McMILLEN, Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL,
Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
No. 32 Chambers street.
JOHN YULE. Chairman; JAMES M. MORROW, Secretary; JAMES P. KNIGHT, Treasurer.
Meets every Thursday, at 2 p. m. Office, No. 220
Fourth avenue, sixth floor.

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Borough of Queens,
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SURROGATES' COURT.
New County Court-house, Court opens at 10.30 A. M.; adjourns 4 F.M.

Frank T. Fitzgerald and John H. V. Arnold, Surrogates; William V. Leary, Chief Clerk.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth
street. Court opens at 1 r.m.
Charles H. Van Brunt, Presiding Justice; George
C. Barrett, Pardon C. Williams, Edward Patter's
son, Morgan J. O'Brien, George L. Ingraham,
William Rumsey, Justices. Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk;
WM. Lamb, Jr., Deputy Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

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County Court-house, 10,30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 12.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 21.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 22.
Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 25.
Special Term, Part VIII., Room No. 34
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 16.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 30.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 30.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 26.
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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A.M.; adjourns 4 p.M.

JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JAMES FITZGERALD, RUFUS B. COWING, JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER and MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Judges.

JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk'S Office, 10 A. M. to 4 p.M.

CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court
opens at 10½ o'clock A.M.
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk; 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

CITY COURT.
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.

General Term.
Trial Term, Part I.
Part III.
Part IV.
Special Term Chambers will be held to A. M. to 4 Clerk's Office, brown-stone building, No. 32 Chambers

JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. McCarthy, Lewis J. Conlan Edward F. O'Dwyer, JOHN B. McGoldrick, Clerk.

JOHN P. Schuchman and W. M. K. Olcott, Justices; JOHN B. McGoldrick, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, daily, from 9 a.m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. to 12 m.

Pustices, First Division — ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN HAYES, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK.

Pustices, Second Division—THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, HOWARD J. FORKER, JOHN L. DEVENNEY, JOHN COURTNEY and JOHN FLEMING.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
Borough of Manhattan.
First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, No. 32 Chambers

Street.
WAUHOPE LYNN, Justice. MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Clerk. WAUHOPE LYNN, JUSTICE, MICHAEL C. MURRHY, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets. HERMANN BOLTE, JUSTICE. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk. Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue, Court opens 9 A.M. daily, and remains open to close of

business
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.
Fifth District.—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth
Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JEREMIAH HAYES,
Clerk.
Sixth District.—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards
Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and
Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues
open to close of business.

Daniel F. Martin, Justice. Abram Bernard, Clerk, Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except'Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

John B. McKean, Justice. Patrick McDavitt, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 a.m. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each Court day.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. each Court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.
Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 F. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that

Clerk.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 F. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the Centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 318 West Fifty-fourth street, Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES A. O'GORMAN. Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk

Eleventh District—Northern part of Twelith Ward. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. ADOLPH N. DUMA-HAUT, Clerk.

Borough of the Bronx.

First District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room corner of Third avenue and One Hundred 2nd Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice.

Second District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pehlam, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Courtopens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. John N. Stewart, Clerk.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Clerk,
Borough of Brooklyn,
Fourth District—Adolph H. Goetting,
Fifth District—Connellus Funcusson,
Brough of Queens.
First District—Thomas C. Kadien,
Second District—Wulliam T. Monteverde,
Third District—James F. McLoughlin.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

City Magistrates—Herry A Brann, Robert C.
Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Joseph M. Deuel, Charles
A. Flammer, Herman C. Kudlich, Clarence W.
Meade, John O. Mott, Joseph Pool, Charles E.
Simms, Jr., Thomas F. Wentworth, W. H. Olmstead.
Eeen Demarest, Secretary.
First District—Crimmal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

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

Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth

avenne.
Second Division-MATTHEW J. SMITH.

# OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING -"NEW YORK PRESS," "NEW York Tribune." Work Tribune."
Evening—"Mail and Express," "News."
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Weekly—"Leslie's Weekly." "Weekly Union.'
German—"Staats-Zeitung."
HENRY McMILLEN, Supervisor,

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1808.]

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SEVEN
Horses (Registered Numbers 438, 439, 547, 543,
550, 770 and 886), will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Friday, January 14,
1808, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassell & Kearney,
Auctioneers, at Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

# THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, January 18, 1898, at 4,30 o'clock P.M. CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman. ARTHUR MCMULLIN, Secretary. Dated New York, January 11, 1898.

#### NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Thesday, January 18, 1898, at 4 o'clock P. M.

CHAS, BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.

ARTHUR McMullin, Secretary. Dated New York, January 11, 1898.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE
"New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," Ite
Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives
public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment, viz.:

FIRSTWARD.

MORRIS STREET—SEWER, between Greenwich
street and Broadway. Area of assessment Both sides
of Morris street, between Greenwich street and Broadway, and west side of Broadway, extending about 71
feet 4 inches north of Morris street.

FIRST, SECOND, FOURTH AND SEVENTH
WARDS.

FRONT STREET—PAVING, between Whitehall
and Roosevelt street-, and from Montgomery street to a
point about 200 feet east of Corlears street, and laying

crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of Front street, between Whitehall and Roosevelt streets, and both sides of Front street, between Montgomery street and Jackson slip, also to the extent of half the blocks on ntersecting streets

FOURTH WARD.

ROOSEVELT STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Cherry and South streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Roosevelt street, between Cherry and South streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets

FOURTH AND SEVENTH WARDS.

CATHARINE STREET—PAVING AND LAY-ING CROSSWALKS, between Cherry and South streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Catharine street, between Cherry and South streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

FIFTH WARD.

JAY STREET.—CROSSWALKS, at the westerly side of Staple street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Jay street and the west side of Staple street, to the extent of half the blocks, beginning at the westerly intersection of said streets.

SEVENTH WARD.

GOUVERNEUR SLIP—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS between Water and South streets. Area of asse-sment: Both sides of Gouverneur Slip, between Water and South streets, and to the extent of halt the blocks on the intersecting streets.

RUTGERS SLIP—BASIN, on the northwest corner of South street. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 14 to 35, inclusive, on Block No. 248.

SOUTH STREET—BASIN, on the northeast corner of Rutgers Slip, between South and Water streets, and north side of South street, extending about 15 feet east of Rutgers Slip, on Lots Nos. 1 to 5, and 23 to 27 of Block No. 247.

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of Rutgers Slip, on Lots Nos. 1 to 3, and 2, 8 Block No. 247.

SOUTH STREET—BASIN, on the northwest corner of Market Slip. Area of assessment: West side of Market Slip, between Water and South streets, on Lots Nos. 15, 18, 19, 20 and 21 of Block 250.

ELEVENTH WARD.

HOUSTON STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Lewis and Mangin streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Houston street, between Lewis and Mangin streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

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TWELFTH WARD.

BOULEVARD LAFAYETTE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and Dyckman streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Boulevard Lafayette, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Dyckman street, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

CATHEDRAL PARKWAY—BASIN, on the northeast corner of Riverside avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Cathedral Parkway, from corner of Riverside avenue to a point about 170 leet east therefrom.

CATHEDRAL PARKWAY—BASIN, on the northwest corner of Amsterdam avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Cathedral Parkway, extending about 450 feet west of Amsterdam avenue; south side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, extending about 320 feet west of Amsterdam avenue, and west side of Amsterdam avenue, from Cathedral Parkway to One Hundred and Eleventh street.

COLUMBUS AVENUE CROSSWALKS

avenue, from Cathedral Parkway to One Hundred and Eleventh street.
COLUMBUS AVENUE, CROSSWALKS, at north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Columbus avenue to the extent of half the blocks north of the northeast and northwest corners of Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street; also north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, to the extent of half the blocks each side of Amsterdam avenue.

HAWTHORNE STREET—RGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Seaman and Amsterdam avenues. Area of assessment:
Both sides of Hawthorne street, between Seaman and Amsterdam avenues, area of assessment on the intersecting avenues.

Amsterdam avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

LEXINGTON AVENUE—SEWERS, both sides, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Lexington avenue, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, also the block bounded by Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, also the block bounded by Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, Park and Lexington avenues.

MORNINGSIDE AVENUE, EAST—FENCING VACANT LOTS, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets. Area of assessment: East side of Morningside avenue, East, between One Hundred and Twenty-first streets.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND ST. NICHOLAS PLACE—CROSSW \*LKS, at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street. Area of Assessment: Both sides of St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas place to the extent of half the blocks north and south of One Hundred and Fifty-third street; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas place; and to the extent of half the blocks west of St. Nicholas avenue, on both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street,

One Hundred and Fifty-third street,

EIGHTY-NINTH STREET—BASIN, on the northeast corner of Riversude avenue. Area of assessment:
North side of Eighty-ninth street, between West End and
Riversude avenue, and west side of West End avenue,
between Eighty ninth and Nimetieth streets.

NINETY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, from the
Boulevard to West End avenue. Area of assessment:
Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, between the Boulevard and West End avenue, an to the extent of half the
blocks on the Boulevard and West End avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET.—
FLAGGING AND CURBING at the northeast corner
of Madison avenue. Area of ssessment: North side of
One Hundred and Eighth street for the distance of
about 150 feet east of Madison avenue, and east side of
Madison avenue for the distance of about 51 feet north
of One Hundred and Eighth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET—CROSSWALKS, at the west side of Seventh avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, to the extent of half the block west of Seventh avenue; also, west side of Seventh avenue for the distance of half the block, north and south of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

ONF HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET

—FENCING VACANT LOTS, on the north side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, on Lots at and 12 of Block 2029.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET

—SEWER, south side, between Edgecombe and St. Nicholas avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Forty-fith street, between Edgecombe and St. Nicholas avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET COME and St. Nicholas avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET—CROSSWALKS, at Edgecombe, Bradhurst and Convent avenues, also crosswalk at One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Western Boulevard. Area of assessment: To the extent of half the blo ks, east and west, from the intersections of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street with Edgecombe, Bradhurst and Convent avenues, also to the extent of half the blocks from the westerly intersection of One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Western Bullevard.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Hudson river and Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Hudson river; also west side of Boulevard for a distance of about roo feet north and south of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

nmth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET

IMPROVEMENT BY THE ERECTION OF A

VIADUCT, from St. Nicholas place to Macomo's Dam

Bridge. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces
or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of
New York, which taken together are bounded and de
scribed as follows, viz: Manhattan street, from Hudson

river to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to Seventh avenue; Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty fifth street. One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to the East river, being the southerly boundary of the area; on the north by Dyckman street, from Hudson to the Harlem river; on the east by the Harlem river, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Dyckman street; on the west by the Hudson river, from Manhattan to Dyckman street, including the lots on both sides of the bounding streets and avenues.

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FOURTEENTH WARD.

BAXTER STREET—BASIN. on the southeast corner of Grand street. Area of assessment: South side
of Grand street between Baxter and Mulberry streets.

of Grand street between Baxter and Mulberry streets.

NINETEENTH WARD.

FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Seventy-mnth and Eighty-sixth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fit havenue, between Seventy-minth and Eighty-sixth streets; on Lot Nos. 69 to 72 of Block 1492; on Lot Nos. 1 to 4 of Block 1494; on Lot Nos. 4, and 69 to 72 of Block 1405; on Lot Nos. 73 and 74 of Block 1496; on Lot No. 1 of Block 1497.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, southeast corner of Fifth avenue. Area of assessment: Includes the lots on the southeast corner of Seventy-seventh street and Fifth avenue to the extent of about 100 feet on both street and avenue.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

FOURTH AVENUE—SEWER, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fourth avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.

BOULEVARD—PAVING, between Seventieth and Seventy first streets. Area of assessment: Triangle, bounded by Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

COLUMBUS AVENUE — CROSSWALKS, at Seventieth street, Area of assessment: Both sides of Columbus avenue, to the extent of half the blocks north and south of Seventieth street, and both sides of Seventieth street, to the extent of half the blocks on the avenue.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, on the southeast corner of Seventy-eighth street, to the extent of about 27 feet on Riverside Drive and Seventy eighth street.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

BUNGAY STREET—SEWER OUTLET EXTENSION, from the end of the existing sewer at former Wetmore avenue to Long Island Sound. Area of assessment includes both sides of Bungay street, from Long Island Sound to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Truxton street, Dupont street, Poillion street and Arnold street, from Edgewater road to Wetmore avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Edgewater road, from a point distant about 120 feet east of Arnold street to Whitlock avenue; both sides of Arnold street to Whitlock avenue; both sides of Arnold street to Wetmore avenue; both sides of Wetmore avenue, from Legget avenue to Edgewater road; both sides of Wetmore avenue, from Legget avenue to Edgewater road; both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Edgewater road; both sides of Wetmore avenue, from Legget avenue to Edgewater road; both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Edgewater road to Robbins avenue; both sides of Thompson place, from St. Joseph street to One Hundred and Forty-ninh street; both sides of Southern Boulevard; both sides of Dawson street, from Robbins avenue to a point gist west of Legget avenue; both sides of Fox street and Beck street, from Robbins avenue to a point distant about 175 feet east of Prospect avenue; both sides of Fox street and Beck street, from Robbins avenue to Denman place; both sides of Them Port Morris Branch Railroad to Melly street; both

Boston road to Tinton avenue, and both sides of Home street, from Beston road to Tinton avenue.

COLLEGE AVENUE — SEWER, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets. Area of assessment includes both sides of College avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and south side of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between College and Courtlandt avenues.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING, from Willis avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street. Area of assessment includes both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Wills avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting streets and avenues.

TRINITY AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from One Hundred and Sixty-third street. Area of assessment includes both sides of 1 minty avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third street. Area of assessment includes both sides of 1 minty avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STRE\_T—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from the Southern Boulevard to a point 270 feet east of Locust avenue, also, PAVING THE TRIANGULAR SPACE at the intersection of the Southern Boulevard to a point 270 feet east of Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—PAGINATION OF THE TRIANGULAR SPACE at the intersection of the Southern Boulevard to a point 270 feet east of Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH
STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING,
FJ.AGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING, between Third and Rider avenues. Area of
Thirty-sixth street, between Third and Rider avenues,
and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting

avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET

-REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND
FLAGGING, from Southern Boulevard to Locust avenue. Area of assessment includes both sides of One

Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Southern Boulevard to Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET-REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Teller and Morris avenues. Area of assessment includes both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Teller and Morris avenues.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

WARDS.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH
STREET—BASINS, on the northwest and southeast corners Tinton avenue; also, Basins on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Webster avenue and on the northwest corner of Clark place and Jerome avenue. Area of assessment includes the north side of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Boston road to Tinton avenue; east side of Tinton avenue, from Home street to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; east side of Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; north side of One Hundred and Eighty-furd threet, from Park to Webster avenue; west side of Jerome avenue and Macomb's Dam road, from Clark place to One Hundred and Seventieth street.

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BAINBRIDGE AVENUE—REGULATING,
GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS. from Southern Boulevard to
Mosholu Parkway. Area of assessment includes both
sides of Bainbridge avenue from Southern Boulevard to
Mosholu Parkway, and to the extent of half the block on
the intersecting streets.

GILES STREET—REGULATING, GRADING,
CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Sedgwick and Boston avenues,
Area of assessment includes both sides of Giles street,
between Sedgwick and Boston avenues, and to the
extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

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JEROME AVENUE—BASINS, on the northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets. Area of assessment includes west side of Jerome avenue, extending about 413 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; and north si le of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to Davidson avenue; east side of Jerome avenue, extending about 306 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and north side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, extending about 314 feet east of Jerome avenue; block bounded by Jerome avenue, Davidson avenue, Hampden street and Evelyn place, and east side of Jerome avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-third to One Hundred and Eighty-third street, and north side of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Jerome avenue to Fleetwood avenue.

WASHINGTON AVENUE—BASINS, on the north-

WASHINGTON AVENUE—BASINS, on the northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street. Area of assessment includes both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, and the north side of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and the south side of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, hetween Washington and Bathgate avenues.

WASHINGTON AVENUE—BASINS, on the northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street. Area of assessment includes both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to Samuel street, and the north side of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Washington and Bathgate avenues.—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments on December 15, 1897, and entered the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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Section 917 of the said act provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 2 P.M., and all payments made thereon on or before February 13, 1898, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Burcau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, City of New York—Finance Department, {
Comptroller's Office, December 31, 1897. }

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

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

UNION AVENUE, from the north side of East One

ING-named avenues in the TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

UNION AVENUE, from the north side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the Boston road; confirmed November 15, 1897; entered December 30, 1897. Area of assessment includes 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 Jefferson street and the southerly side of Jefferson street and the southerly side of Jefferson street to the westerly side of Prospect avenue; on the east by the westerly side of Prospect avenue; from the northerly boundary of area of assessment to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly side thereof; and on the west by the casterly side of Tinton avenue, from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence by a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet westerly side of Clinton avenue; thence by a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the southerly side of Jefferson street.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,

FRANKLIN AVENUE, from Third avenue to Crotona Park; confirmed October 11, 1897; entered

WARDS.

FRANKLIN AVENUE, from Third avenue to Crotona Park; confirmed October 11, 1897; entered December 30, 1897. Area of assessment includes 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 Crotona Park, South, and said Crotona Park, South, produced and distant 400 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; on the south by East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side

thereof, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence along Boston road to its intersection with Prospect avenue: thence along Prospect avenue to its intersection with Crotona Park, South; thence along a line drawn at right angles to Crotona Park, South, to the northern boundary of area of assessment; and on the west by Third avenue, from East One Hundred and Saventy-first street to Spring place or East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence along a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the southern boundary of farea of assessment.

to Third avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the southern boundary of area of assessment.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9.4 m. and 21; m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 28, 1898, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessments in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Eureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,

ASHBEL P. FITCH,

Comptroller, Comptroller, Comptroller, Comptroller's Office, December 31, 1807.

#### DAMAGE COMM .- 23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 537 of the Laws of 1803, entitled "An act
"providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of
"damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of
"changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant
"to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the
"depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and
"Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or
"otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and
supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that
public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New
York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each
week, at 3 o'clock P. M., until further notice
Dated New York, October 30, 1897.
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE
W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.
LAMONT MCLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

# DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 614.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPAR-ING FOR AND REPAIRING AND EXTEND-ING THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

L'STIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REpairing and extending the Pier at the foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1.45 o'clock P.M. of

FRIDAY, JANUARY 21, 1898,

FRIDAY, JANUARY 21, 1898, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

CLASS I — EXTENDING AND REPAIRING PIER.

CLASS I.—EXTENDING AND REPAIRING PIER.
(a) EXTENDING PIER.

To be Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" × 14", about 21,122 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" × 12", about 100,608 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" × 12", about 8,820 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 0" × 12", about 14,167 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" × 10", about 1,167 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" × 15", about 1,100 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" × 15", about 1,100 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" × 15", about 2,006 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" × 10", about 2,006 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" × 10", about 3,000 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" × 8", about 52,923 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 8", about 3,164 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 10", about 3,164 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 10", about 3,164 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 10", about 3,171 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 10", about 3,171 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 10", about 3,171 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 10", about 3,171 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" × 10", about 30,771 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" × 10", about 30,771 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" × 10", about 3,4,188 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" × 6", about 36 feet, B. M., measured in the work. Yellow Pine Timber, 4" × 6", about 36,687 feet, B. M., measured in the work. Yellow Pine Timber, 4" × 6", about 30,7687 feet, B. M., measured in the work. Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 10", about 30,7687 feet, B. M., measured in the work. Yellow Pine Timber, 6" × 10", about 30,771 feet, B.

B. M., measured in the work.—Total, about 29x,687 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

Note.—It is the intention of the Department of Docks and Ferries to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions, with the exceptions noted in Items No. 2 and No. 5, required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries to the contractor, free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereinafter specified. And the contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

To be Furnished by the Contractor.

2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 16", about 3,664 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 19", about 2,076 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 8", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 5", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 10", about 3,312 feet, B. M., Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 8", about 3,312 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 2,146 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 2,146 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 6", about 1,246 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 8", about 3,30 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 2,146 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 2,146 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 15,4 x 10", about 126,497 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 15,4 x 10", about 126,497 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 15,4 x 10", about 126,497 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 15,4 x 10", about 126,497 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 15

Note.—The contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 1 required to do the work under this

the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 1 required to do the work under this contract.

3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,240 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

Note—The above quantities of timber in Items 1, 2 and 3 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles for extension, foundations and sewer, 474.

It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 75 teet to about 105 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving. Where the length exceeds 85 feet the piles may be spliced, in which case the lower or small end may be of spruce.

5. Square built yellow pine columns, exceeding 85 feet in length, 60.

Note—The Department of Docks and Ferries will furnish 50,000 feet B. M. of 8" x 8" yellow pine timber for these columns, which amount is included in item No. 1.

6. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet in length, 30.

7. 2-inch White Oak Dowels for all Spliced Piles, 12" long, 248.

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8. 1½" Tapered Locust Treenails, 16" long, 4,500.

9. ½" x 26", ½" x 24", ½" x 22", ½" x 20", ½" x 16", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 22", ½" x 20", ½" x 14", ½" x 16", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 20", ½" x 2

round Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes and, 40d. and 6!! Nails and Staples, about 40,457 pounds.

10. 2", 1½", 1¼", 1½", 1", ½", and ¾!! Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts and Lag Screws and Screweyes, about 30,033 pounds.

11. Wrought-iron Strap-bolts, Straps, Hinges, Safety Hooks, etc., about 2,012 pounds.

12. Wrought-iron Washers for 2", 1½", 1½", 1" ½" and ½" Screw-bolts, about 3,419 pounds.

13. Wrought iron Column Shoes, about 5,100 pounds.

14. Cast-iron Washers for 1½", 1½", 1" and ½" Screw-bolts, about 7,429 pounds.

15. Boiler-plate Armatures, about 13,084 pounds, 16. a—Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about 900 pounds, each, 2; b—Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about 900 pounds, each, 4; c—Cast-iron Chocks, about 225 pounds, each, 4; c—Cast-iron Shoet, about 11,450 pounds.

18. Hackmatack Knees, 4.

19. ½-inch Chain, about 90 feet.

20. Hoisting Machinery, similar to that now in use at outer end of West Twenty-second Street Pier, or as manufactured by the American Ship Windlass Company, of Providence, R. I.

21. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Jointing, Planking, Bolting, Spiking, Painting, Oiling or Tarring, and labor of every description for about 10,680 square feet of extension.

(6) SEWER.

70 be Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.
22. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 1,260 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 7,068 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 7,40 feet, B. M. measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 7,725 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 7,725 feet, B. M., measured in the work—Total, about 17,033 feet, B. M., measured in the work—Total, about 17,033 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

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To Be Furnished by the Contractor.

23. Vellow Pine Timber, 5"x16", about 13,260 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Vellow Pine Timber, 5"x14", about 1,313 feet, B. M., measured in the work Yellow Pine Timber, 5x12, about 2,250 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5"x5", about 2,250 feet, B. M., measured in the work.—Total, about 18,723 feet, B. M., measured in the work.—Total, about 18,723 feet, B. M., measured in the work.—Total, about 50,047 feet, B. M.; Spruce or Yellow Pine Timber, creosoted, 9"x14", about 74 feet, B. M.—Total, about 51,021.

Note—The Contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 22, required to do the work under this contract.

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25. 3/8"x26", 3/8"x22", 3/8"x12," for x 8" and 3/2"x9"
uare Wrought-iron spike pointed Dock-spikes, about

square Wrought-from spine pounds.
26. 11/4", 11/4" and 3/4" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about 2,279 pounds.
27. Galvanized Wrought-iron Bands, Bolts, Mouthpieces, Manhole-frames and Doors, etc., about 18,478

28. Cast-iron Washers for 11/4" and 11/8" Screw-bolts, 1,382 pounds.
Wrought-iron Washers for 3/4" bolts, about 54

29. Wrought-iron washes, sunds.
30. Labor and Material for Temporary Centres for

30. Labor and Material for Temporary Centres for Sewer-boxes, 31. Labor of every description for 682 linear teet of Oval Sewer. (c) REPAIRING PIER.

32. Removing about 12,060 square feet of Deck and Sheathing, together with the Dumping Board and Ramp, Backing-logs, any Decayed or Broken Fenders, Chocks, Rangers, Side-caps, Cross-caps, all the Oak Fenders, all the Fender-piles, etc., and the Mooring-posts and

To the Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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33. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 33,384 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 8", about 2,565 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12", about 720 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 1,975 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 40,054 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 10", about 36,215 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

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

To be Furnished by the Contractor.

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34. Yellow Pine Timber, 3"x 12", about 3,330 feet, B.M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2"x 4", about 1,907 feet, B.M., measured in the work-total, about 5,237 feet, B.M., measured in the work.

Note—The Contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 27 required to do the work under this

contract.

35. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12", about 3,920 feet B.
M., measured in the work

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White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress

M., measured in the work.

36. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles, 24.

Note—The above quantities of timber in items 33, 34, and 35 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

37. ½" x 26", ½" x 22", ½" x x 16", ¾" x x 12", ½" x 10", ½" x 10", ½" x 10", ½" x 10", ½" and ½" x 10" Square, Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and 40d. Nails, about 1,20 pounds.

38. 1½", 1½" and i" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, and Lag-screws, about 3,459 pounds.

39. Wrought-iron Washers for 1½" and i" Screw-bolts and Lag-screws, about 205 pounds.

40. Cast-iron Washers for 1½" and i" Screw bolts, about 952 pounds.

41. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about 902 pounds each, 6.

42. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Jointing, Planking, Bolting, Spiking, Painting, Oiling or Tarring and labor of every description.

CLASS IL-RIP-RAP.

43. Rip-rap stone (urnished and put in place over the whole area of the extension, about 36,000 cubic yards.

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

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

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

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The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer in Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries that the work is ready to be begun, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of 150 days after the date of service of said notification; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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Where the City of New York owns the whart, pier or bulkhead at which the materials under this contract are to be delivered, and the same is not leased, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed.

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

surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpora-

in case there are two or more bids at the same price which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, it warded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest

bidders.

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM, CHARLES F. MURPHY,
PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Dated New YORK, January 6, 1898.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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 claim ants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods flquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department

IOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

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ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
January 6, 1898.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-tourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 11 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, January 18, 1898, for the following-named works:

works:

No. r. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NINE
HUNDRED TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL.

No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY,
STRAW, OATS, CORN AND BRAN.

The works must be bid for separately.

No. 1-ABOVE MENTIONED.

425 tons of Furnace or Broken Coal.
475 tons of Pea Coal.
To be delivered at such times, in such quantities and at such places in the parks of the Borough of Manhattan as may be required.
Bidders must state the kind of coal they propose to

amount of security required is Eighteen Hundred

No. 2-ABOVE MENTIONED.

180,000 pounds of Hay of the quality known as prime weet Timothy.

22,000 pounds of Red Clover Hay.
8,000 pounds of clean Rye Straw.
7,500 bushels of clean No. r White Clipped Oats.
75 bags of first quality ground Oats to weigh not less than 65 pounds to the bag.
4,000 pounds of clean, sound No. 2 Yellow Corn.
12,000 pounds of first quality Bran. to be delivered.

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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 traud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, 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.

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

Corporation.

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

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

GEORGE C.CLAUSEN,

AUGUST MOEBUS,

GEORGE V. BROWER,

Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of anid Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3,30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, January 17, 1898, for Supplying Gymnastic Apparatus for Public School 96. Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor.

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

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

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

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

The contractor shall provide bonds of suretyship of one of the several surety companies doing business in this city, when the amount of the bid exceeds two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

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

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals that a certified check upon or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National Banks or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent, of such proposal when said proposal is for 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 person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall reluse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted thas Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall receive the same, the amount of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid nas 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.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. McSWEENY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, CHARL

ngs. Dated New York, January 6, 1898.

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#### STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 346 BROADWAY.

PUBLIC SALE OF CERTAIN PERSONAL PROP-ERTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE tollowing personal property of the Department of Street Cleaning will be sold at public auction in the yard of saud Department, on the south side of West Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, in the Borough ot Manhattan, on Monday the 17th day of January, 1898, at ten o'clock A. M., viz.:

About four (4) loads of brick of various sorts.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

JANUARY 4, 1898.

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, New York Life Building, No. 346 Broadway.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN, COARSE SALT, ROCK SALT, OILMEAL, AND PINE-NEEDLE BED-

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVEL ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELopes and indorsed with the name and address of
the person or persons making the same, and the date of
presentation, and a statement of the work and supplies to
which they relate, will be received at the office of the
Department of Street Cleaning, New York Life Building, No. 346 Broadway, in the City of New York, until
12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, the nineteenth day of January, 1898, at which time and place the estimates will
be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and
delivery of:
995,000 bounds Hay, of the quality and

delivery of:

905,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Prime Hay.

235,000 pounds good, clean, long Rye Straw.

1,025,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned, and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.

8c,000 pounds first quality Bran.

3,000 pounds first quality Coarss Salt.

8,000 pounds first quality Rock Salt.

2,500 pounds first quality Oil Meal.

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Bidders are required to state in their estimate, under oath, the names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above work or supplies, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, their of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall also 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, or a guarantee or surety company, duly authorized by law to act as surety, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will on its being so awarded become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (sto,coc), and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consentabove mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or afirmation, 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 natu

approved by the Comptroller.

The price must be written in the bid or estimate, and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all the bids, if, in his judgment, it be deemed best for the interest of the City. No bid will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or they will be rejected.

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

IAMES McCARTNEY,

JAMES McCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning. Dated New York, January 7, 1898.

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.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

New York, December 29, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A scaled envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bioder indorsed thereon, also the number of ke work as in the advertisement, will be received at he Mayor's office at the City Hall until 12 o'clock M. n Wednesday, January 12, 1898. The bids will be

publicly opened by the President of the Board of Public Improvements at the Mayor's office, City Hall at the

Improvements at the Mayor's office, City Hall at the hour above mentioned.

No. I. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, between West End avenue and Riverside Drive.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION. THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Park to Third avenue.

avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Columbus to Amsterdam avenue, AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, from West End avenue to Boulevard.

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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 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 wnom 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 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, and it worth 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 chec

THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS WILL RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in the office of the Chief Clerk of the De-partment of Public Works No. 150 Nassau street, Room

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public

# DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NO. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING,
January 5, 1898.]

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED
by section 892 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897,
that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the
Boroughs of Manhattan and the Broux," will be open for
examination and correction on the second Monday of
January, and will remain open until the first day of
May, 1838.

During the time that the

During the time that the books are open to public inspection application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate, to have the same corrected; in the Borough of Manhattan at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and in the Borough of the Bronx, at the Municipal Building. One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturdays, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

THOMAS L. FEITNER,

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EDWARD C. SHEEHY,
THOMAS J. PATTERSON,
WILLIAM F. GRELL,
ARTHUR C. SALMON,
issioners of Taxes and Assessments.

## SUPREME COURT.

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 in the block bounded by MOTT, BAYARD, MULBERRY AND CANAL STREETS in the Sixth 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

W E, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 1910 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, 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.

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, January 7, 1808, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Bullding, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 20th day of January, 1808, at 2 o'clock in the atternoon, 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 III., in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1808, 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, January 6, 1898.

JAMES R. TORRANCE, JOHN LARKIN, PHILIP F. OLWELL, Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, 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 certarn lands at the SOUTHWEST CORNER OF ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET AND PROSPECT AVENUE, in the Twenty-fourth 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an appl cation will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

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The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, at the southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1880, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situat lying and being in the Twenty tourthWard of the City New York, bounded and described as follows:

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Beginning at the cerner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (as now proposed) with the westerly line of Prospect avenue; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Prospect avenue 701 feet; thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (as now proposed) 130 feet; thence northerly parallel with Prospect avenue 191 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (as now proposed) thence easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, 150 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 20, 1807.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897. FRANCIS M. SCOI'T, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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 SOUTHERLY SIDE OF EIGHTY SIXTH STREET, between Park and Madison avenues, in the Nineteenth 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 191 of the Laws of 1886, hapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1895.

provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1898, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of Ja.uaury, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appartenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Eighty, sixth street, between Park and Madison avenues, in the Nimeteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 367 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land stuate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street distant 62 feet 2% inches east of Madison avenue; row feet 2 inches to the centre line of the block and the northerly line of the present site of Public School 6, 51 feet 1½ inches; thence northerly parallel with Madison avenue to 2 feet 2 inches to the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street; thence

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, Algermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, between First and Second avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in jursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAP-ter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various stat-utes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house,

in the City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Eighty-second street, between First and Second avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Eighty-second street and the easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Eighty-second street and the easterly line of Second avenue; running thence casterly along the northerly line of Eighty-second street and the easterly parallel with Eighty-second street and along said centre line 150 feet; thence southerly parallel with Second avenue 102 feet; thence northerly parallel with Second avenue 102 feet inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.

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

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 EASTERLY SIDE OF
JAMES STREET, between Oak and Cherry
streets, in the Fourth 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the
Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of

DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

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Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the easterly side of James street, between Oak and Cherry streets, in the Fourth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate,

piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Fourth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of James street distant 178 feet and 6 inches southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Oak street with the easterly line of James street; running thence easterly at right angles or nearly so with James street 29 feet and 7 inches; thence southerly parallel or nearly so with James street 24 feet 7½ inches; thence westerly 98 feet 10½ inches to the easterly line of James street; thence northerly along said easterly line of James street; thence northerly along said easterly line of beginning.

DATED NEW YORK, December 29, 1897.

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

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 KING STREET, between Varick and Congress streets, in the Eighth 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

DURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

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The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of King street, between Varick and Congress streets, in the Eighth Ward of said city, in tee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said poses, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the Eighth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of King street distant 150 feet 2 inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of King street and the westerly line of Congress street; running thence northerly parallel with Congress street too feet; thence westerly parallel with King street 25 feet to the easterly line of the present site of Public School 8; thence southerly parallel with Congress street and along the easterly line of the present site of Public School 8, too feet to the northerly line of King street; thence easterly along the northerly line of King street; thence easterly along the northerly line of King street; 25 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.

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

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 tide by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands in the block bounded by FIFTY-SEVENTH AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NINTH AND TENTH AVENUES, in the Twenty-second 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890 and

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The strength of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to cermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premyesses, with the buildings thereon and the appurienances thereto belonging, in the block bounded by Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets, Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, in fee simple ab-olute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 1910 of Laws of 1888, Chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, piece or parcels of land situate, lying and heign in the Twenty-second Ward of the City

Laws of 1806, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, piece or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Fitty-eighth street distant 200 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Tenth avenue with the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street; running thence southerly parallel with Tenth avenue and along the easterly line of the present site of Public School 141, 100 feet 5 inches to the centre line of the block; thence westerly along said centre line of the block and the southerly line of the present site of Public School 141, 85 feet; thence southerly parallel with Tenth avenue 25 feet; thence easterly parallel with the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street 10 feet; thence northerly parallel with Tenth avenue and partly through a party wall 125 feet 5 inches to the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street 25 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.

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

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 land on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF FORTY-NINTH STREET, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the Twenty-second 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 892 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1808, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

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The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Forty-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuante of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1898, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 347 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Forty-ninth street distant 300 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Forty-ninth street; running thence northerly parallel with T-nth avenue and part of the way through a party wall roo feet and 5 inches to the centre line of the block; thence easterly parallel with Tenth avenue at the centre line of the block; thence asterly parallel with Tenth avenue and part of the way through a party wall roo feet and 5 inches to the northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence southerly parallel with Tenth avenue and part of the way through a party wall roo feet and 5 inches to the northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence we sterly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence we sterly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence we sterly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street.

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Dated New York, December 29, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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 in the block bounded by EIGHTEENTH AND NINTEENTH STREETS, EIGHTH AND NINTH AVENUES, in the Sixteenth 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890.

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cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that
an application will be made to a Special Term of the
Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the
First Judicial District, to be held in Part III, thereof,
at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on
the 12th day of January, 1858, at the opening of the
Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can
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The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, in the block bounded by Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, Eighth and Ninth avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward of said city, in the simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1886, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 800 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 800 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Sixteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the interior of the block between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, Eighth and Ninth avenues, which point is distant 47 feet 34 inches northerly from the northerly line of Eighteenth street and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Ninth avenue 4 feet 84 inches; thence easterly parallel with Ninth avenue 4 feet 84 inches; thence easterly parallel with Ninth avenue 4 feet 84 inches; thence easterly parallel with Ninth avenue 4 feet 84 inches; thence easterly parallel with Ninth avenue 4 feet 84 inches; thence easterly parallel with Ninth avenue 4 feet 84 inches; thence easterly parallel with Ninth avenue 4 feet 84 inches; thence easterly parallel with Ninth avenue 4 feet 84 inches to the Doronton, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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 tide by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twenty-second 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 191 of the Laws of 1886, hapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

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The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to critail lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Fifty-fifth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1886, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Fifty-fifth street distant 350 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Fifty-fifth street distant 350 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Fifty-fifth street and along said centre fine of the block had the northerly line of the present site of Public School 69; thence we

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Dated New York, December 29, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOIT, Counsel to the Corporation.
No. 2 Tryon Row. New York City.

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FRANCIS M. SCOIT, 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, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY.
NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Third avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 12th day of November, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the performance of the same has advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the hands, 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 add any of December, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective where, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said 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 taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of 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. oo and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attend-

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 January, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proof; 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. December 20, 1897.

EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL, FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, S. J. O'SULLIVAN, Commissioners.

LIVER, S. J. O'SULLIVAN, Commi-JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, West Fifty-second, West Fifty-third and West Fifty-fourth streets, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

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DURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 320 of the Laws of 1887, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court house, in the City of New York, on Friday the 21st day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, West Fifty-second, West Fifty-third and West Fifty-fourth streets, in fee simple absolute, the same to be appropriated, converted and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, said property having

been duly selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Eleventh avenue with the southerly line of West Fifty-third street, and thence (1) running westerly along said southerly line of West Fifty third street for a distance of 800 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence (2) running southerly along said easterly line of the West Fifty-second street; thence (3) running southerly along said northerly line of West Fifty-second street for a distance of 800 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of

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for a distance of 200 feet and 10 inches to the place or point of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on two similar maps, plans and profiles, accompanied with explanatory remarks, made by the Department of Public Parks, each of which is entitled "Map showing a public park west of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York," one of which said maps is filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and the other of which is filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks in said city.

The said Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, has determined that the proportion of the expense to be incurred in acquiring the land for such park to be assessed upon the property persons and estates to be benefited by the acquisition and construction of such park shall be twenty-five per cent, or one-quarter of such expense; and said Board has also determined that the area within which such expense shall be so assessed shall be as follows: On the north by Fifty-sixth street; on the south by Forty-eighth street; on the east by Ninth avenue, and on the west by Tweifth avenue.

Dated New York, December 24, 1897.

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, acting by and through the Board of Docks, r. lative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier No. 35, East river, not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier, or any portion thereof, not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the East river, at or near Catharine Slip, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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 esumate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the uplands, lands, lands under water, 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 24th day of lanuary, 1898; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock F.M.

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 Sireet Opening in the Law Denartment of the City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos on and 29 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1808.

Ihird—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 25th day of February, 1898, 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

In the matter of the application of Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fie to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, in the Twelith Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of widening the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over the Harlem river, connecting the northerly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty third Ward of said city, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 413 of the Laws of 1892, entitled "An Act to provide for the construction of a drawbridge over the Harlem river, in the City of New York, and for the removal of the present bridge at Third avenue, in said city," and the various statutes amenda ony thereof and all other statutes in such case made and provided.

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amendatory thereof and an other statutes in such case made and provided.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 413 of the Laws of 1892, entitled, "An Act to provide for the construction of a drawbridge over the Harlem river in the City of New York, and for the removal of the present bridge at Third avenue in said City," and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and all other statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Apportionment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of

the City of New York, to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situate, lying and being in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of widening the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over the Harlem river, connecting the northerly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 413 of the Laws of 1892 and the various statutes amen latory thereof and all other statutes in such case made and provided, the consent and approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York to such acquisition having been first had and obtained, and the Commissioner of Public Works deeming it necessary that the same should be acquired for the aforesaid purpose, being the following lots, pieces or parcels of land, and bounded and described as follows:

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PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Lexington avenue distant 44 feet northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thurtieth street with the easterly line of Lexington avenue, and running thence easterly parallel to said northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street 360 feet; thence northerly parallel with the westerly side of Third avenue 38 feet; thence southwesterly 54.63 feet; thence westerly parallel to the first-mentioned course and distant therefrom 16 feet 310 feet to the easterly line of Lexington avenue, and thence southerly along the said easterly line of Lexington avenue 16 feet to the point or place of beginning.

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Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Lexington avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and running thence northerly along said westerly line of Lexington avenue 60 feet; thence westerly parallel with said northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and distant therefrom 60 feet 405 feet to the easterly line of Park avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Park avenue 60 feet to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and thence easterly along said northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and Hundred and Thirtieth street 405 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are

place of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on a certain map entitled "Map of lands required for the widening of the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over Harlem river, chapter 473, Laws of 1892; chapter 716, Laws of 1896; chapter 660, Laws of 1897; which said map was duly approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportuonment of the City of New York by resolution duly adopted on the 12th day of October, 1897, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York.

Dated New York.

Dated New York, December 22, 1897.

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, 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-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIATY-NIVITH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to the Concourse, 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.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and uninproved 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, to us at our office, Nos, 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 22d day of January, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 22d day of January, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M. Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

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 a line drawn parallel to Marcy place and distant 100 feet mortherly from the westerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof into a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof into a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easter southerly from the southerly side thereof, from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant roo feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; also by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant too feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant roo feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the westerly side of Clay avenue; on the east by a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant roo feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from the middle line of the blocks between Clarke place and Marcy place and said middle line produced to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty ninth street and distant roo feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; also by the westerly side of Clay avenu: from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant roo feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; also by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant roo feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; also by a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant too feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant troo feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant roo feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant roo feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant roo feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant roo feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the middle line of the blocks between E feet westerly from the westerly side thereof from a line drawn parallel to Marcy place and said line produced and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to the prolongation westerly of the middle line of the blocks between E381 One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and E381 One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and E381 One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards of the City and County of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretefore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps 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, on the 28th day of February, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 8, 1802.

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Dated New York, December 8, 1897.
WILBER MCBRIDE, Chairman; HAROLD M
MITH, SAM'L A. FIRETAG, 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 Mayer,
Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York
to certain lands on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF
THIRTY-THIRD STREET, between Second and
Third avenues, in the Twenty-first 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter
25 of the Laws of 1896 and chapters 387 and 890 of
the Laws of 1866.

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The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Thirty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Twenty-first Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-uescribed lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate,

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All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate,
lying and being in the Twenty-first Ward of the City
of New York, bounded and described as follows:

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of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Thirty-third street distant 135 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Thirty-third street; trunning thence easterly along the southerly line of Thirty-third street roo feet; thence southerly line of Thirty-third street roo feet; thence southerly parallel with Third avenue, 98 feet and 9 inches to the centre line of the block between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets and to the northerly line of the present site of Public School 116; thence westerly parallel with Thirty-third street along said centre line of the block and the northerly line of the present site of Public School 116, 100 feet; thence northerly parallel with Third avenue 98 feet and 9 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tyron Row, New York City.

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 Commonaity of the City of New York to certain lands in the block bounded by FOR'IY-FIRST AND FOR'IY-SECOND STREETS, SECOND AND THIRD AVENUES, in the Nineteenth 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

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387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and previded, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1808, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby

heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, in the block bounded by Forty-first and Forty-second streets, Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, in tee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890, being the following-described lot, piece or purcel of land, namely.

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the interior of the block bounded by Forty-first and Forty-second streets, Second and Third avenues, which point is distant 73 feet and 9 inches northerly from the northerly line of Forty-first street, and 121 feet and 8 inches easterly from the easterly line of Third avenue; running thence northerly parallel with the easterly line of Third avenue 35 feet 4% inches to the southwesterly line of the present site of Public School 27, 19 feet 2% inches to a point in the centre line of the block bath as the southersty line of the present site of Public School 27, 19 feet 2% inches to a point in the centre line of the block and the southersty line of the present site of Public School 27, 19 feet 2% inches to a point in the centre line of the block and the southersty line of the present site of Public School 27, 19 feet 2% inches to a point in the centre line of the block and the southersty line of the present site of Public School 27, 19 feet 28 inches to a point in the centre line of the block and

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 23d day of November, 1267, 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 10th day of December, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and iocal 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

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, 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.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of January, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners 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, December 21, 1892.

Dated New York, December 21, 1897.
CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE, HERMAN ALS-BERG, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.
H. DE, BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said City, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park or playground, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 233 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 576 of the Laws of 1893 and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897.

DURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the
Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the
Laws of 1889, and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1889,
notice is hereby given that an application will be made
to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a
Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III.
thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New
York, on Thursday, the 20th day of January, 1888, at the
opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter
as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of
Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands, tenements hereditaments and premises in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, in fee simple absolute, the same to be appropriated, converted and used to and for the purposes specified in chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1893 and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, said property having been duly selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York as and for a public park or playeround, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1897, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Seven-

of 1897, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Stanton and Essex streets; thence northerly along the easterly line of Essex street, distance 298 feet 3½ inches; thence easterly and parallel with Houston street, distance 175 feet 6½ inches; thence northerly and nearly parallel to Norfolk street, distance 175 feet 6½ inches; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 2½ inches, to the southerly line of Houston street; thence easterly along said line, distance 26 feet 2½ inches, to the southwesterly corner of Houston and Norfolk streets; thence southerly and along the westerly line of Norfolk street, distance 208 feet 2½ inches, to the northerly line of Stanton street; thence westerly along said line, distance 47 feet 6 inches; thence northerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 28 feet 2 inches es thence westerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 86 feet and ½ inch; thence southerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 86 feet and ½ inch; thence southerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 73 feet and ½ inch, to the point or place of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on two similar maps, pians and profiles thereof, accompanied with explanatory remarks, made by the Department of Public Works, each of which is entitled "Map showing a public park or playground bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, as laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement," one of which said maps is filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and the other of which is filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and the other of which is filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and the other o

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the southerly side of South street, beginning at a point on said buikhead seventy-two and thirty-eight hundredths (72,38) feet easterly from the easterly side of Catharine Slip, extended; thence running easterly along said southerly side of South street one hundred and nine and sixynine hundredths (190,60) feet, accessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Fund.

W E, 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 wht:

First—That we have concpleted our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the uplands,

lands, lands umder water, 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 24th day of January, 1898; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P.M.

ten days at 3 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate a assessment, together with our damage map and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents used us in making our report, have been deposited in t Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department the City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there remain until the 24th day of January, 1838.

Third—They our proport begin will be presented.

remain until the 24th day of January, 1838.

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 25th day of February, 1808, 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 reliet as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, December 17, 1897.

WILBUR LARREMORE, Chairman; WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, WM. J. ELLIS, 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 SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SECOND STREET AND WHITE PLAINS AVENUE, in the Twenty-fourth 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896.

DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereot, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, at the southwest corner of Second street and White Plains avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1886, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate,

of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as tollows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Second street distant 100 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Park avenue with the southerly line of Second street, which point is also the intersection of the easterly line of the present site of Public School of 8 as now inclosed; running thence southerly parallel with Park avenue and along the said easterly line of the present site of Public School of 8 as now inclosed; running thence southerly parallel with Park avenue and along the said easterly line of the present site of Public School of 8 as now inclosed; 200 feet; thence easterly parallel with Second street 72 feet more or less to the westerly line of White Plains avenue 200 feet 8½ inches more or less to the southerly line of Second street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Second street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Second street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Second street 135 feet more or less to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 20, 1897.

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

n 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 ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREETS AND COLLEGE AVENUE, in the Twenty-third 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 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 36 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held at Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby

sioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets and College avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerry line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street distant 150 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of College avenue with the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; running thence southerly parallel with College avenue 200 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence easterly along said northerly line of College avenue; thence northerly along said westerly line of College avenue 75 feet to the southerly line of property now being acquired by condemnation proceedings as a site for school purposes; thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and along said southerly line of the property now being acquired by condemnation proceedings as a site for school purposes 125 feet; thence northerly parallel with College avenue and along the westerly line of the property now being acquired by condemnation proceedings as a site for school purposes 125 feet; thence northerly parallel with College avenue and along the westerly line of the property now being acquired by condemnation proceedings as a site for school purposes 125 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence we telly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence we telly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence we telly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence

ning.
Dated New York, December 29, 1897.
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, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharf property, rights, terms, assements, emoluments and privileges of and to the lands and the lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the North river, between West Eleventh and Bank streets and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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 24th day of January, 1808; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1808, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and secondaries.

will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage 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 24th day of January, 1898.

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 Courthouse, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of February, 1898, 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, December 17, 1897.

LAWRENCE GODKIN, Chairman; WILLIAM B. ELLISON, WILBUR LARREMORE, Co.amissioners.

EMIL F. MAURER, 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 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, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897.

under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 15th day of October, 1897, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 4th day of November-1897, Commissioners of Appraisal for the purpose of ascertaming 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 20 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, 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 chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1896, namely: 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; on the south by said northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek; on the south by said 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 bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the lands now or formerly belonging to the West Side and Yonkers Railroad or Railway Company; thence running easterly across Sedgwick avenue to the southerly line of On

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 886. as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 7807, and 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, 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 (November 8, 1897), at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York.

And we the said Commissioners will be in attend.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of January, 1898, at twelve o'clock noon 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.

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, November 8, 1897. CHARLES L. GUY, WILLIAM H. BARKER, HENRY H PORTER, Commissioners.

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