

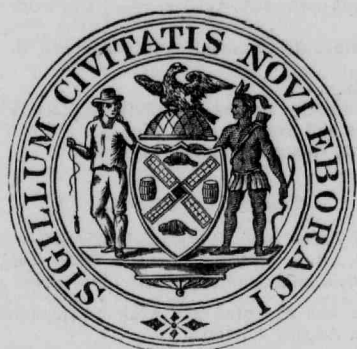
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Report for the Quarter ending December 31, 1892.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
January 1, 1893.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of the provisions of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 (section 49), as amended by chapter 62 of the Laws of 1887, the Department of Public Parks hereby submits the following statement of its transactions during the three months ending December 31, 1892:

In the death of Commissioner Gallup, the Board of Parks and the Department have met with a great loss. It occurred on the 24th of December, and, on the same day, the following testimonial of his colleagues was placed on the records of the Department:

"The death of our associate, Albert Gallup, has been announced, and we desire to place on record our testimonies to his worth, ability and industry as a Commissioner of Public Parks. For nearly four years he filled the office of Commissioner, and, for two years of that time, he was, by the unanimous choice of his associates, elected to the office of President, being the chief executive officer of the Board. By his courtesy to all having business with the Department, and his experience and wisdom in all matters connected therewith, he commended himself to his associates and to the public. In the prime of young manhood, and with brilliant prospects in the profession of the law, of which he was an honored member, his death is not only a loss to the community which he faithfully served, but a great bereavement to his friends and to the Park Commissioners, who desire hereby to convey to his family an expression of their sincere friendship and high respect for their late colleague."

The organization of the Board remains the same as at the date of the last report.

Several matters of importance have required and received careful consideration.

The Departmental Estimate for the year 1893 has been prepared and forwarded, the several items for which money will be required aggregating \$1,515,718.75.

The subject of closing the draws of the Harlem river bridges during certain hours, which has been under discussion for some time past, has been disposed of by the adoption of regulations, taking effect December 20, requiring that the draws of the Madison and Third avenues' bridges shall not be opened or operated between the hours of six and ten o'clock in the forenoon, and between four and seven o'clock in the afternoon, except when otherwise ordered by the Secretary of War.

These regulations do not apply to the boats of the Fire Department nor to the regular transportation boats of the New York and Northern Railway Company.

The work of converting the old Castle Garden building into an Aquarium is steadily progressing.

The work of constructing the new McComb's Dam Bridge over the Harlem is also making satisfactory progress. Preliminary steps have been taken for acquiring title to the gore of land north of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Seventh avenue and McComb's Dam road, for use as an approach to the new bridge.

The Department has given its consent to the Union Railway Company to use electric power to operate its car lines over the Madison and Third avenue bridges crossing Harlem river, for which the said company has permission.

The proposed extension east and west of the railway in Transverse Road No. 3, as authorized by chapter 532 of the Laws of 1892, has been considered, and several hearings have been given the parties interested.

Consent has been given to the erection of a porte cochere on a building to be erected on West Sixty-third street, between Columbus avenue and the Boulevard.

The rules which prevail on the Riverside Drive, in regard to business traffic, have been applied to West Seventy-second street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, inasmuch as the surface of the street on that block has been perfected as a parkway.

The Gas Commission has been requested to provide a suitable number of lights for the Circle at Eighth avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

A statue of the late Dr. J. Marion Sims has been presented to the City for erection in the Park. A statue in bronze of the late President Chester A. Arthur has been offered and is now before the Advisory Art Committee, who will report as to its artistic merits before further steps are taken toward its erection.

Plans prepared and submitted by the Trustees of the American Museum of Natural History, for the further enlargement of the Museum building, are now under consideration.

Permission has been given to John H. Keller and John Deisser to cut ice on the Bronx river during the coming season.

The license of William A. Hall to moor a bathing-house at the Battery has been renewed for a period of three years, upon the same terms and conditions as hitherto.

A license held by Joshua Leviness for letting boats and selling refreshments at Goose Island in Pelham Bay Park has been renewed to his son George Leviness.

Contracts have been entered into by the Department, as follows:

For regulating and paving the widened portion of the roadway adjacent to the Washington Arch in Washington Square; the Barber Asphalt Paving Company, contractor; F. V. Greene and A. L. Barber, sureties. Estimated cost, \$2,000.

For taking down and rebuilding brick walls of annex in Castle Garden building, \$3,300; Joseph Moore, contractor; John McQuade and John McLaughlin, sureties.

Constructing retaining-wall on the westerly line of Riverside Park, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets; Robert Hanna & Co., contractors; James Rogers and David Christie, sureties. Amount of contract, \$52,617.50.

For salt and fresh water filters for the Aquarium in Castle Garden building, \$8,522; the Field Force-pump Company, contractor; American Surety Company and Henry D. Lyman, sureties.

For the erection of a tool-house and sheds in Central Park; John E. McGuire, contractor; Robert Boyd and David Boyd, sureties. Amount, \$9,709.

For furnishing and putting in place new steel track circles in the turn-table of the Madison Avenue Bridge, \$3,600; the Carnegie Steel Company (Limited), contractors; H. Schoonmaker and D. A. Nesbitt, sureties.

For the erection of a statue of John Ericsson in Battery Park, for the sum of \$10,000; J. Scott Hartley, contractor; Ashley W. Cole and Joseph Hartley, sureties.

MAINTENANCE WORK.

The gardening force has been employed in removing the summer-bedding plants and planting out the tulip beds at various points in the parks, in pruning shrubs and thinning out the plantations and at the green-houses, in the care and propagation of bedding plants for the coming spring.

The maintenance force has been engaged in the usual routine work of caring for and cleaning the roads, drives, walks, lawns, basins, etc.

The increased use of the Park, on account of the number of visitors in the city during the Columbus Celebrations, necessitated considerable extra work in the repairing of the plazas on Fifty-ninth street, at Fifth and Eighth avenues.

The lawns of Central Park were open for the use of those who participated in such games as tennis, croquet, foot-ball, etc., until the end of November.

The various cottages on the parks were kept open and in charge of attendants from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Preparations were made for skating on the large lake and at Harlem Meer. At Harlem Meer the customary skate-house and platform were erected, and a large platform and building for toilet accommodations were erected on the shore of the large lake.

On November 18 a slight fire occurred at the green-houses, One Hundred and Fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, which was extinguished by the Department employees. The damage was merely nominal.

At the new entrance, One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue, a concrete foundation 144 feet long, 3 feet wide and 3 feet deep was laid; a walk 193 feet long by 12 feet wide was laid, and 11 granite steps were set, with rustic side stones for supports; a couple of basins were built and surrounding ground was graded.

At the new entrance, One Hundred and Sixth street and Eighth avenue, the ground was graded and a number of rocks placed in the banks.

The construction work in connection with the addition to East River Park was commenced. It consists of grading slopes and placing stones for foundation of walks.

The bridges over the Harlem river were operated as usual, except that from December 20 the draws on the Third and Madison Avenue bridges were closed from 6 to 10 A. M. and from 4 to 6 P. M.

The mechanical force was engaged in the repair of rolling stock, settees, etc.; the painters in glazing and preparation of signs; the plumbers in shutting off the water, putting up lamps on the shore of the lakes used for skating, and the mechanics in the shops in the operation of boilers and repair of tools, etc., and the masons in the repair of basins and drains.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

CENTRAL PARK.

For the completion of the Regulating and Grading and Improving the Entrance at One Hundred and Sixth Street and Central Park, West, and Driveway, Connecting same with the West Drive in Central Park.

This work was done under contract, and was commenced June 1 and completed November 23, 1892.

The quantities of work done since October 31, 1892, was:

- 2,575 square yards of gravel and trap-block pavement.
- 348 square feet of new bridge-stone for crosswalk.
- 129 lineal feet of 6-inch blue-stone curb.
- 5 road-basins built.
- 1 receiving-basin rebuilt.
- 57 lineal feet 12-inch vitrified pipe furnished and laid.
- 60 lineal feet 8-inch vitrified pipe furnished and laid.
- 255 lineal feet 6-inch vitrified pipe furnished and laid.
- 588 square feet of old flagging relaid.

Entrance to Central Park at One Hundred and Tenth Street and Fifth Avenue.

- The work done by day's work during the quarter has been:
- 333 cubic yards of earth excavation, including stripping of mould.
- 333 cubic yards of loam and top-soil spread in shaping.
- 330 square yards of stone substructure laid in walks.
- 65 cubic yards of concrete laid for wall-foundations.
- 20 cubic yards masonry in walls for steps.
- 132 lineal feet granite-steps set.
- 2 walk-basins built complete.
- 25 feet of six-inch drain-pipe laid.

For Improving the Public Place, or Plaza, at One Hundred and Tenth Street and Fifth Avenue.

This work was done by contract, and was commenced October 3 and completed November 19, 1892, and the quantities are:

- 900 cubic yards of excavation.
- 265 lineal feet of curb reset.
- 40 square feet of bridge-stone reset.
- 314 cubic yards of concrete laid.
- 2,146 square yards of granite-block pavement laid.

MORNINGSIDE PARK.

The Erection of Parapet Walls, Bronze Railings and Appurtenances for Inclosing the Morningside Park along One Hundred and Tenth Street and the Avenue on the Westerly Side of the Park, from the Entrance at Manhattan Avenue, etc.

This work was commenced April 13, 1892, and completed December 17, 1892. The quantities of work done since October 31 are:

- 573 cubic feet of two-faced ashlar in parapet wall.
- 2,180 cubic feet of granite base-course posts, coping, etc., furnished and set.
- 1,082 lineal feet of bronze railing furnished and set up.
- 2,060 square feet of asphalt pavement, with concrete base, laid.

EXTENSION OF EAST RIVER PARK.

This work was commenced about September 1 by day's work.

- The quantities of work done are:
- 4,453 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 4,453 cubic yards of filling in embankment.
- 2,087 square yards of stone substructure for walks laid.

MOUNT MORRIS PARK.

For Furnishing and Setting Granite Coping and Posts on Foundation Walls Around Mount Morris Park, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth Streets, Madison and Mount Morris Avenues.

This work was commenced on August 10, 1892, and is still in progress. The quantities of work done since October 31 are:

- 565 lineal feet of foundation wall adjusted.
- 1,700 lineal feet of granite coping set.
- 14 granite posts set at entrances.
- 7 walk basins built.
- 500 lineal feet of 6 inch vitrified pipe laid.

WALKS—MOUNT MORRIS PARK.

For Repairing and Repaving with Rock Asphalt the Walks within the City Parks other than Central Park in the City of New York.

- The amount of work done was:
- 5,430 square feet of asphalt, with concrete base.
- 4,882 square feet of asphalt, without concrete base.

MUSIC STAND—MOUNT MORRIS PARK.

For the Erection of a Music Stand and Appurtenances in Mount Morris Park.

This work was commenced August 10, and completed December 10, 1892.

IRON RAILING—MOUNT MORRIS PARK.

The Erection of an Iron Railing around Mount Morris Park, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth Streets, Madison and Mount Morris Avenues.

This work was ordered commenced on October 24, and is still in progress.

RUTGERS PARK.

The Improvement of Rutgers Park at Rutgers Slip, between Cherry and South Streets, in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York.

The contract for this work was executed August 30, and work commenced September 12, 1892, and is in progress. The quantities of work done are:

- 251 cubic yards excavation.
800 cubic yards filling.
700 cubic yards garden mould.
530 lineal feet 6-inch blue stone curb set.
575 lineal feet 2-inch blue stone edging set.
8 walk basins built.
4 surface basins built.
150 lineal feet 6-inch and 8-inch vitrified pipe laid.
5,800 square feet of walk pavement, with rubble foundation.
218 cubic yards of rubble masonry.
54 lineal feet of galvanized water pipe.

IMPROVEMENT OF CASTLE GARDEN.

The Improvement of the Grounds Surrounding Castle Garden in Battery Park has been done mostly by Day's Work, and was Commenced in September.

The quantities of work done are :

- 575 lineal feet 12-inch vitrified pipe furnished and laid.
4 manholes built.
5 walk basins built.
1 surface basin built.
225 lineal feet of 6-inch vitrified pipe furnished and laid.
1,000 cubic yards excavation.
30,000 square feet of walk regulating and grading and superstructure put in.
50,000 square feet of lawn regulating and grading and covered with mould.
2,000 cubic yards of mould in place.

SEVENTY-SECOND STREET.

Repairing and Resurfacing the Macadamized Roadway of Seventy-second Street, between Columbus and Amsterdam Avenues, in the City of New York.

This work was commenced September 1, 1802, and completed October 15, 1802.

The work done was 4,556.36 square yards of macadam pavement repaired and resurfaced.

WASHINGTON SQUARE.

Paving the Roadway with Asphalt.

The work done was 517.14 square yards pavement laid, and furnishing and setting twenty-six iron posts and twenty-six granite base-blocks.

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGES.

The Construction of a Bridge over the Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, together with the Jerome Avenue Approach thereto, to take the Place of Existing McComb's Dam, or Central, Bridge and in Connection with Viaduct now Building on said Street.

The contract for this work was executed April 1, 1892, and work was commenced on May 9, 1892.

The quantity of work done since its commencement has been the removal of the old bridge and westerly pier, and—

- 7,520 cubic yards of dredging.
1,125 cubic yards steel pneumatic caissons, complete, in place, Piers 1 and 2.
2,240 cubic yards cofferdam and excavation for Pier 3.
43,100 cubic feet crib-fenders, stoned, complete, in place.

TEMPORARY BRIDGE.

For Furnishing Materials and Labor and Performing the Work of Building a Temporary Bridge across the Harlem River, with Approaches along One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, Crossing Exterior Street and Connecting with the Present McComb's Dam Bridge, etc.

The contract for this work was executed and work commenced on July 12, 1892, and was completed and the bridge opened August 26, 1892.

NEW YORK AND NORTHERN BRIDGE.

For the Construction of the Approaches to the Southerly Footwalk of the New York and Northern Railway Company's Bridge over the Harlem River, at or near the Terminus of the Eighth Avenue.

The contract for this work was executed on July 7, 1892, and work began July 25, 1892, and was completed September 20.

New Parks—Summary of Work Done during Quarter.

CLASS OF WORK.	LOCATION.											
	VAN CORTLANDT PARK.		BRONX PARK.		FELHAM BAY PARK.		CROTONA PARK.		CLAREMONT PARK.		ST. MARY'S PARK.	
	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.
Roads, graded and repaired.....	3,304 c. y.	\$825 72	1,360 c. y.	\$300 76	2,184 c. y.	\$546 06	2,400 c. y.	\$587 00	.....	.....	638 c. y.	\$151 36
Paths, trees and brush, trimmed, etc.....	6 trees and sun- dries.....	60 95	8 trees and sun- dries.....	80 86	3 trees and sundries.....	19 04	7 trees and 12 stumps	25 99	12 trees, 47 acres burned and sun- dries....	\$263 72	39 trees, 43 stumps and sundries..	181 49
Washouts and holes filled.....	692 c. ft.	147 44	.....	.....	700 c. ft.	89 60	.....	.....	.....	.....	332 c. ft.	69 63
Removing snow from ponds, etc.....	.....	281 32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	356 60	.....	3 76	.....	233 81
Fences repaired.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250 l. ft.	8 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bridges repaired.....	.....	.....	3	14 88	5,000 c. ft. stone, 185 plank, 300 lg. ft. rail	318 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Drawbridges—Attendance.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	150 36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lawns, etc., mowed.....	75 acres.	128 81	½ acre.	1 76	.....	.....	½ acre.	88	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ponds graded and dam repaired.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 dam, etc., 2,828 c. ft.	616 43	.....	.....	1 pond, 9,650 c. ft.,.....	1,307 62
Culverts, drains, etc., built and repaired.....	1,140 c. ft.	103 74	65 c. ft.	48 00	1,200 c. ft.	200 00	1,700 c. ft.	61 93	.....	.....	260 c. ft.	52 41
Lake cleaned and weeds cut.....	16 acres.	197 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wells, cesspools, etc., filled up.....	2	18 38	1	88	2	12 00	4	35 99	.....	.....	1	6 76
Dead animals buried.....	.....	.....	5	7 76	4	7 00	3	5 28	.....	.....	.....	.....
Buildings cleaned and repaired.....	2	19 20	.....	.....	5	20 00	2	21 29	.....	.....	2	19 78
New roads built.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	¾ mile by 16 ft. w..	279 59	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plank walks, etc., repaired.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200 sq. ft.	42 19	.....	.....	.....	.....
Trench for Croton water-pipe, rock and earth, opening and filling and laying pipe.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	722 l. ft.	513 97
Messenger.....	.....	.....	.....	179 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stableman.....	.....	.....	.....	161 92	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Guarding property, miscellaneous and general repairs.....	.....	127 06	.....	150 59	.....	309 35	.....	209 68	.....	44 77	.....	385 80
Surveys, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	38 00	.....	.....	.....	159 52	.....	.....	.....	159 52
Janitress, Lorillard Mansion.....	.....	.....	.....	90 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Supplies, materials, etc.....	65 37	55 26	60 50	89 00	38 50	97 80
Total cost, maintenance, etc.....	\$1,975 10	\$1,130 17	\$1,740 71	\$2,491 37	\$350 75	\$3,205 00

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CLASS OF WORK.	LOCATION.										TOTALS.	
	CEDAR PARKS.		BRONX AND PELHAM PARKWAYS.		CROTONA PARKWAY.		MOSHOLU PARKWAY.		SPUYTEN DUYVIL PARKWAY.		NEW PARKS—GENERAL.	
	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.	Quantity.	Cost.
New roads built.....							½ mile by 24 ft. w.	\$888 27			¾-mile.	\$1,167 86
Plank walks, etc., repaired.....											200 sq. ft.	42 19
Trench for Croton water-pipe, rock and earth, opening and filling and laying pipe)											722 l. f.	518 97
Messenger.....												179 50
Stableman.....												161 92
Guarding property, miscellaneous and general repairs.....		\$34 00		\$36 00		\$28 00		67 00		\$25 00		1,417 25
Surveys, etc.....		41 76					418 74			\$99 32		916 86
Maintenance—Salary of Engineer in charge.....										628 40		628 40
Janitress, Lorillard Mansion.....												90 00
Insurance on buildings for year \$1,150; proportion chargeable to this quarter.....										287 50		287 50
Supplies, materials, etc.....										116 57		523 00
Total cost, maintenance, etc.....		\$75 76		\$92 99		\$37 41		\$1,420 01		\$140 64		\$1,131 79
												\$13,791 70

PARK POLICE.

The force, consisting of 297 men, including the mounted men, has been distributed over all the Parks, including the New Parks north of the Harlem river, in the usual manner and has rendered efficient and creditable service.

277 arrests—246 males and 31 females—have been made during the quarter on all the parks.

14 lost children have been found on the parks and returned to their homes or sent to Police Headquarters. 35 lost articles have been found.

29 accidents have occurred and 21 collisions have taken place on the park drives.

48 runaways have occurred in Central and Riverside Parks, 28 of which were stopped by the mounted men, 14 by Policemen on foot, and six were stopped by drivers or escaped from the park. Seven horses, 13 wagons and 8 horses and wagons were taken to the Park stables.

Three horses and 5 dogs have been impounded in Central Park, and also 15 horses and 46 cows found in the New Parks.

Two men committed suicide in Central Park. Four dead bodies were found in the parks, 3 men and 1 male infant.

One member of the force died during the quarter, and 6 members were injured in the performance of their duty.

Assistance has been rendered to 67 persons taken sick on the parks. They were sent to hospitals or assisted to their homes.

One homicide occurred in Pelham Bay Park. One man was rescued from drowning at the Battery by a Park Policeman. One abandoned male infant, two days old, was found in the Park.

CENTRAL PARK MENAGERIE.

Donations.

- Oct. 3. 1 alligator, donated by Mrs. L. L. Gillespie.
" 7. 2 raccoons, donated by Mr. L. Wehl.
" 10. 1 red fox, donated by Dr. Huntington.
" 10. 1 opossum, donated by Dr. Huntington.
" 13. 1 rabbit, donated by Master Arthur Starn.
" 15. 1 alligator, donated by Mrs. O. H. Roller.
" 15. 2 screech owls, donated by Mr. S. L. Montgomery.
" 17. 1 squirrel monkey, donated by Mr. J. Hatton.
" 18. 2 pigeon hawks, donated by Mr. W. R. Jackson.
" 25. 1 cebus monkey, donated by Mrs. A. M. McGregor.
" 27. 1 pigeon hawk, donated by Mr. Andrew Lindhall.
" 27. 2 squirrel monkeys, donated by Miss L. A. Lewis.
" 27. 2 alligators, donated by Mr. E. J. Wendell.
" 29. 1 opossum, donated by Mr. Ewen McIntyre.
Nov. 2. 1 chicken hawk, donated by Mr. Spelzhausen.
" 6. 1 rabbit, donated by Miss Siegling.
" 7. 1 rabbit, donated by Miss Costello.
" 8. 2 mud turtles, donated by Mr. H. W. Grindal.
" 11. 1 civet cat, donated by Mr. Henry Smith.
" 12. 1 chicken hawk, donated by Mr. C. L. Gilbert.
" 17. 2 opossums, donated by Mr. F. McLees.
" 19. 1 opossum, donated by Mr. Schuyler.
" 22. 1 raccoon, donated by Hon. Grover Cleveland.
Dec. 3. 1 Cuban bird, donated by Miss Molina.
" 3. 1 rabbit, donated by Mrs. Tobias.
" 5. 2 pea fowl, donated by Mr. Solon Berrick.
" 6. 1 barred owl, donated by Mr. G. W. Simpson.
" 8. 1 raccoon, donated by Mr. R. L. Cutter.
" 13. 1 wolf hound, donated by Mr. Donald Burns.
" 13. 1 opossum, donated by Mr. Stepczyuski.
" 13. 1 chicken hawk, donated by Mrs. A. B. Cox.
" 14. 1 prairie wolf, donated by Mr. Joseph Doelger.
" 17. 1 red fox, donated by Mr. Charles Fuchs.
" 19. 1 cebus monkey, donated by Miss Meirs.
" 29. 1 red fox, donated by Mr. Charles Stoehr.
" 29. 1 alligator, donated by Miss Doyle.

Births.

- Nov. 3. 4 guinea-pigs. Dec. 24. 1 lion cub.

Placed on Exhibition.

- Oct. 6. 1 cebus monkey, deposited by Mr. D'Agoslino.
" 11. 2 owls, deposited by Mr. Hyde.
" 17. 1 cebus monkey, deposited by Mr. Buckheister.
" 17. 2 red foxes, deposited by Mr. Buckheister.
" 17. 1 pheasant, deposited by Mr. Buckheister.
" 17. 1 macaw, deposited by Mrs. Jacoby.
" 26. 1 rhesus monkey, deposited by Mrs. Seaton.
" 27. 2 macaws, deposited by Mrs. Frayne.
Nov. 6. 1 ape, deposited by Mr. Park.
" 19. 1 eagle, deposited by Mr. Titus.
" 25. 1 Capuchin monkey, deposited by Miss Isaacs.
Dec. 5. 1 fallow deer, deposited by Mr. Strauss.

Returned to Owner.

- Nov. 13. 1 hyena, deposited by Messrs. Barnum & Bailey.
Dec. 2. 3 lion cubs, deposited by Messrs. Barnum & Bailey.

The work done in the way of repairs, etc., during the quarter, was as follows:
Erection of cages in lion house, constructing and placing in position storm doors for the bird-house, placing additional heating apparatus in bird-house, and necessary repairs to the iron-work of the bear cage.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY.

Monthly tables have been printed and sent to home and foreign observatories and libraries. Weekly reports have been issued to the CITY RECORD and the newspapers. Weekly and hourly reports have been furnished to the Health Department, and meteorological information has been supplied to the Counsel to the Corporation and the courts.

The following tables give an abstract of the mean, the maximum and minimum readings from the various self-recording instruments in the observatory during the quarter, and also comparisons with the observations for the same quarter for the past twenty years:

BAROMETER (Reduced to Freezing).

	Quarter.	For 20 years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	29.912	29.968
Mean for 2 P. M.....	29.862	29.926
Mean for 9 P. M.....	29.908	29.958
Mean for quarter.....	29.894	29.950
Maximum for quarter at 8 A. M., December 12..	30.462	30.800 9 A. M., Dec. 1, 1887.
Minimum for quarter at 9 P. M., December 25..	29.382	28.420 8 P. M., Dec. 29, 1876.

SUN THERMOMETER (Fahrenheit).

	Quarter.	For 12 years.
Greatest possible hours of sunshine.....	890	889
Actual number of hours of sunshine.....	433	493
Number of days in which no clouds passed over the sun.....	12	19

THERMOMETER (Fahrenheit) IN SHADE.

	Quarter.	For 20 years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	39.7	39.74
Mean for 2 P. M.....	47.1	47.20
Mean for 9 P. M.....	42.7	43.22
Mean for quarter.....	42.88	43.37
Maximum for quarter at 3 P. M., October 14....	76.0	87.0 3 P. M., Oct. 1, 1881.
Minimum for quarter at 5 A. M., December 24..	10.0	6.0 8 A. M., Dec. 30, 1880.

THERMOMETER (Wet Bulb) IN SHADE (Fahrenheit).

	Quarter.	For 20 years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	36.3	37.59
Mean for 2 P. M.....	40.8	42.19
Mean for 9 P. M.....	38.5	40.15
Mean for quarter.....	38.39	39.96
Maximum for quarter at 12 M., October 1.....	64.0	74.0 5 P. M., Oct. 1, 1884.
Minimum for quarter at 5 A. M., December 24..	8.0	6.0 8 A. M., Dec. 30, 1880.

RELATIVE HUMIDITY (Saturation 100).

	Quarter.	For 20 years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	69	81
Mean for 2 P. M.....	56	65
Mean for 9 P. M.....	66	75
Mean for quarter.....	64	74

ELASTIC FORCE OF AQUEOUS VAPOR (Inch of Mercury).

	Quarter.	For 20 years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	.187	.219
Mean for 2 P. M.....	.194	.229
Mean for 9 P. M.....	.198	.232
Mean for quarter.....	.193	.227

WIND.

	Quarter.	For 20 years.
Prevailing direction.....	NW.	W.
Velocity for quarter (in miles).....	17,188	16,858.0
Maximum velocity for day (in miles) on December 24.....	491.	578. Dec. 10, 1872.
Maximum force of wind (in pounds) during the quarter, at 1 P. M., December 24.....	30.00	49.25 7.3 P. M., Nov. 12, 1883

RAIN AND SNOW.

	Quarter.	For 20 years.
Number of days on which rain and snow descended.....	24	28
Duration.....	D. H. M. 7 1 50	D. H. M. 9 12 51
Depth of water in inches.....	9.03	9.08
Depth of snow in inches.....	9.25	8.68

OZONE.

	Quarter.	For 20 years.
Mean.....	1.09	1.22

The number of men employed on the various works of the Department is as follows:

	OCTOBER.	NOVEMBER.	DECEMBER.
Officers and Clerks.....	17	17	17
Landscape Architect.....	*1	1	1
Park Police.....	297	297	297
Riverside Park and avenue.....	30	30	15
Foremen, Mechanics and all labor on parks south of Harlem river.....	515	512	420
New Parks north of Harlem river.....	58	83	55
Total.....	923	945	809

APPOINTED.			
1 General Inspector.....	Per year,	\$2,200 00	
1 Skilled Laborer.....	Per month,	65 00	
1 Axeman.....	"	65 00	
171 Laborers.....	Per day,	1 76	
6 Double Teams.....	"	4 50	
1 Skilled Laborer.....	"	2 50	
1 Assistant Foreman.....	"	2 50	
1 Gardener.....	"	2 00	
1 Inspector.....	"	3 00	
1 ".....	"	3 50	
2 ".....	"	4 00	

CHANGE OF TITLE AND PAY.			
1 Parkkeeper.....	Per year,	\$1,100 00	to Parkkeeper..... Per year, \$1,200 00
1 Axeman.....	Per month,	65 00	to Axeman..... Per month, 80 00
1 ".....	"	60 00	" " " " 75 00
1 ".....	"	65 00	to Leveler..... " 90 00
1 Skilled Laborer.....	Per day,	2 00	to Skilled Laborer..... Per day, 2 50
1 Laborer.....	"	1 76	to Driver..... " 2 00
1 ".....	"	1 25	to Laborer..... " 2 50
1 ".....	"	1 76	" " " " 2 00
1 ".....	"	2 00	" " " " 2 50

DROPPED AND DISCHARGED.			
115 Laborers.....	Per day,	\$1 76	
1 Driver.....	"	2 00	

The following statement will show the number and character of permits issued during the quarter:

For entering and passing through Central Park after the closing hour.....	9
" storing miniature yachts at Conservatory Lake.....	2
" erecting reviewing-stands.....	1
" selling official Columbus medals.....	1
" erecting stands for sale of refreshments.....	3
" Committee of One Hundred to erect poles in Fifty-ninth street.....	1
" raising flags in parks.....	5
" use of skate-house in Van Cortlandt Park for pic-nic.....	1
" removing refuse material from Castle Garden.....	1
" Socialistic Labor Party to use Ladies' Cottage in Union Square for meeting.....	1
" placing stand and refreshment table in West Seventy-second street on occasion of Naval Parade.....	1
" prosecuting work on Sunday in West Seventy-second street.....	1
" Fifth Avenue Hotel coach to pass through Central Park.....	3
" Consolidated Gas Company to make openings.....	7
" Consolidated Gas Company to erect lamps around the Columbus statue.....	1
" removal of dirt from cellar to street.....	1
" placing paving-stones at square, Thirty-second and Thirty-fifth streets.....	1
" depressing curb and laying sidewalk at Riverside Drive and Ninetieth street.....	1
" Business Men's Cleveland and Stevenson Club to erect reviewing-stands.....	1
" removal of leaves for garden theatre.....	2
" cutting and removing ice from Bronx river.....	1
" maintaining watering-trough at Ninety-sixth street and Fifth avenue.....	4
" Tammany Hall Assembly District organization to erect stands for meetings.....	3
" erecting guy posts.....	1
" Hide and Leather Cleveland and Stevenson Clubs to assemble and form in line in City Hall Park.....	1
" Associated Trades to hold a mass meeting in Paradise Park.....	1
" storing row-boats in Terrace Bridge.....	1
" New York World to place stereopticon-light in City Hall Park.....	1
" playing cricket.....	3
" playing base-ball.....	80
" playing foot-ball.....	1
" removing manure from Washington Bridge.....	1
" delivering materials for boiler for Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	1
" openings for sewers, Riverside Drive, at One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Ninth streets.....	2
" delivering stone at Riverside Drive and One Hundred and Sixth street.....	1
" Old Guard to pass through City Hall Park.....	1
" passing through Park with four-in-hand.....	2
" repairing inscription on Columbus Monument.....	1
" experimenting with model boat on Conservatory Lake.....	1
" erecting wooden structure at Large Lake.....	1
" four-horse sleigh to pass through Central Park.....	1
" curling in Central and Van Cortlandt Parks.....	2
" photographing and sketching.....	248
" tricycles, etc.....	140
" placing building materials on street.....	6
" openings for Croton and sewer connections.....	2
" openings for subway connections.....	6
" lawn tennis.....	17
" croquet.....	2
" botanizing.....	1
" traversing lawns on snow shoes.....	1
" entering parks with supplies.....	17

Bills amounting to \$150,090.33 and pay-rolls amounting to \$197,788.98 were audited during the quarter and sent to the Finance Department for payment.

Cash to the amount of \$9,565.92 was received by the Department and deposited in the City Treasury.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

PAUL DANA, President.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending June 17, 1893:

Deposited in the Treasury.			
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$136,357 79		
" City Treasury.....	1,124,792 11		
Total.....	\$1,261,149 90		

Bonds and Stock Issued.			
Three per cent. Bonds.....	\$555,500 00		
Five per cent. Bonds.....	455,000 00		
Three per cent. Stock.....	20,000 00		
Total.....	\$1,030,500 00		

Warrants Registered for Payment.			
The Mayoralty—			
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$127 52		
The Common Council—			
City Contingencies.....	12 50		
The Finance Department—			
Cleaning Markets.....	\$802 50		
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	212 16		
	1,014 66		
State Taxes and Common Schools for the State.....	200,000 00		
Aqueduct Commissioners—			
Additional Water Fund.....	50,801 37		
The Law Department—			
Contingencies—Law Department.....	335 00		

The Department of Public Works—			
Additional Water Fund—City of New York.....	\$1,034 64		
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	9,320 77		
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	69 00		
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	1,912 58		
Bronx River Works—Repairs and Maintenance of.....	315 50		
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	106 40		
Criminal Court-house Fund.....	1,212 00		
Croton Water Fund.....	13,932 57		
Free Floating Baths.....	4,881 00		
Fund for Viaduct from St. Nicholas Place to McComb's Dam Bridge.....	38 00		
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	6,988 48		
Laying Croton Pipes.....	5,144 55		
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,604 26		
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	1,150 30		
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	3,637 40		
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	7,198 75		
Repaving, Chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	792 50		
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	2,896 34		
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	1,025 58		
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance and Sprinkling.....	1,026 37		
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	1,776 00		
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,853 73		
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	33,208 42		
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	45 00		
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1,301 21		
Water Main Fund.....	84 00		
	\$102,555 35		

The Department of Public Parks—			
Bridge over the Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	\$30 00		
Castle Garden, in Battery Park, etc.....	6,444 69		
East River Park, Improvement of.....	542 16		
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement and Maintenance.....	1,034 16		
Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River.....	1,222 69		
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	18,656 81		
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Electric Plant and North Extension Morningside Park, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	5,445 44		
Music in Central Park.....	327 27		
Public Driveway, Construction of.....	1,427 00		
Riverside Park and Avenue, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	626 23		
Riverside Park, Construction of.....	657 09		
Telephonic Service—Department of Public Parks.....	2 50		
	433 33		
	36,849 37		

The Department of Street Improvements—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—			
Bronx River Bridges.....	\$23 25		
Cromwell's Creek Bridges.....	4 48		
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	4,706 81		
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	87 68		
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	640 98		
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	10,710 25		
Surveying, Laying-out, Maps, Plans, etc.—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	399 31		
Telephonic Services.....	134 32		
	16,707 08		

The Department of Public Charities and Correction—			
Central Islip—Construction of Building for Insane.....	\$137 50		
Public Charities and Correction.....	45,128 87		
Ward's Island—Construction of Building for Insane.....	1,305 00		
	46,571 37		

The Health Department—			
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.....	\$665 00		
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	392 49		
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	1 66		
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	5,253 22		
	6,312 37		

The Department of Street Cleaning—			
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	43,353 30		

The Fire Department—			
Fire Department Fund.....	16,271 83		

The Department of Buildings—			
Department of Buildings—Supplies and Contingencies.....	123 80		

The Department of Docks—			
Dock Fund.....	24,163 57		

The Board of Education—			
College of the City of New York.....	\$65 95		
Public Instruction.....	291,124 22		
School-house Fund.....	264 00		
The Normal College.....	55 50		
	291,509 67		

The Board of Excise—			
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	208 00		

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—			
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	\$786 48		
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	3,985 99		
	4,772 47		

The Sheriff—			
Furniture, Keep of Horses, Repairs to Vans, Horseshoeing, etc.....	50 00		

The Judiciary—			
Salaries—Judiciary.....	110 23		

Charitable Institutions—			
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	\$276 14		
For the Support of Children Committed by Police Magistrates, etc.....	5,844 85		
Middletown State Homeopathic Hospital.....	1,433 87		
New York Catholic Protectory.....	20,489 74		
New York Infant Asylum.....	7,838 55		
The Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	6,092 97		
	41,976 12		

Miscellaneous Purposes—			
Advertising.....	\$2 10		
Armory Fund.....	32,185 25		
Block Tax Assessment Map Fund.....	150 00		
Bridge over the Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, Construction of.....	171 06		
Claim of J. Harvey Travis for Stationery, etc.....	15 98		
Commission on Consolidation of Municipalities.....	500 00		
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	307 57		
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses.....	875 10		
Dog License Fund.....	56 00		
For the Preservation of Public Records.....	100 00		
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	15,844 90		
Judgments.....	1,169 77		
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials.....	5,484 00		
Monument to John Ericsson.....	10,000 00		
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error.....	31 00		
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	257 58		
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	107 52		
	67,257 83		
Total.....	\$951,083 41		

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 17, 1893.

N.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
12921	June 5, 1893	Fire.....	The Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company.....	Edward H. Landon..... A. Spadone.....	\$5,000 00	Furnishing and delivering 10,000 feet of hose, "Maltese Cross" brand.. Total	\$10,000 00
12922	" 9, "	Public Parks.....	Thomas Dwyer.....	American Surety Company of New York..... Henry D. Lyman.....	1,500 00	Repairing and protecting the foundation and masonry of the Battery sea wall in front of Castle Garden and grounds adjoining, in Battery Park..... Estimate	2,814 00
12923	" 9, "	".....	Christopher Nally.....	American Surety Company of New York..... United States Guarantee Company.....	30,000 00	Constructing retaining-wall and appurtenances on the westerly line of the Riverside Park, between Seventy-ninth and Ninety-sixth streets..... Estimate	53,580 00
12924	" 10, "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	James H. Kerrigan.....	Michael Hughes..... Henry F. Fischer.....	3,500 00	Constructing sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, between Webster avenue and the summit west of Tiebout avenue..... Estimate	8,127 00
12925	" 9, "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (Bond)	F. Böhrer, Jr.....	F. Thilemann, Jr.....	75 00	Remodeling and rebuilding manhole of the sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, between Melrose and Courlandt avenues, and building connection with old Melrose drain (see Contract No. 11844)..... Total	100 00
12926	" 14, "	Public Parks.....	Charles J. Gillis and Stephen J. Geoghegan, composing the firm of Gillis & Geoghegan.....	Richard Habermann..... Michael Hicks.....	3,500 00	Furnishing materials and labor for steam-heating apparatus for the Castle Garden Building in Battery Park..... Total	5,100 00

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Francis W. Mahon...	\$290 30	Transcript of judgment.....	Hyland & Zabriski.
Com. Pleas	Lottie Lichtenstein...	15,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages for personal injuries.....	G. Hahn.
"	Benj. Lichtenstein....	2,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages for loss of services of his wife, Lottie, on account of personal injuries received by her on March 8, 1893.....	"
Supreme..	George K. Radford...	836 75	Summons and complaint. For services in preparing preliminary estimates, plans, specifications, etc., for the improvement of Riverside Park, from Seventy-second to Seventy-ninth street.....	Williams & Ashley.
"	Frank S. Beard.....	538 75	Summons and complaint. For furnishing the District Attorney with transcripts of testimony taken in criminal cases in Court of General Sessions in May, 1893.....	H. W. Unger.
Superior..	A. Sidney Norton....	66 67	Complaint. For balance of salary as Secretary in the Court of Common Pleas for month of May, 1893.....	"
Supreme..	Mary W. Purdy and others.....	.....	Copy affidavit and order to show cause on June 17, 1893, why the Comptroller and the Mercantile Trust Co. had failed to obey order of the Court made on May 17, 1893.....	Bangs, Stetson, Tracy & McVeagh. T. J. L. McManus.
"	Scott Lord.....	250 00	Transcript of judgment.....	John C. Shaw.
"	John Vincent and another, executors....	625 05	Transcript of judgment.....	"
Supreme, Albany Co	The People, etc., vs. Theo. W. Myers, as Comptroller of the City of New York.....	.....	Certified copy papers on application for order, and order directing the Comptroller to show cause at a Special Term, on June 27, 1893, at the City of Albany, why he has not obeyed the writ of mandamus, etc.	S. W. Rosendale, Attorney-General.
Supreme..	Henry Carey, executor, and others....	42,500 00	Certified copy order directing payment into Court of awards made by Damage Maps Nos. 130, 131 and 134 in matter of opening Cathedral Parkway.....	J. A. Deering.
"	The People ex rel Clark Bell vs. Theo. W. Myers as Comptroller.....	.....	Certified copy order directing that a mandamus be issued to the Comptroller to cancel taxes for years 1885 to 1888 upon Plot 1010 on a certain map of the Jumel estate.....	C. Bell.

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
June 12	Nicholas Delaney.....	\$10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	J. F. Brennan.
" 12	A. S. Norton.....	66 67	For balance of salary as Secretary in the Court of Common Pleas, for month of May, 1893.....	"
" 13	Bernard Metzger.....	267 05	For return of amount paid for an assessment for Forty-fourth street sewer, between Second and Third avenues.....	John C. Shaw. A. & C. Steckler.
" 14	Patrick Crowley.....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	"
" 15	B. J. Olfiers.....	14,866 50	For amount of bill rendered to the Columbian Celebration Committee in 1892, for materials furnished under contract.....	Leavitt, Wood & Keith.
" 15	New York Harbor Tow Boat Company.....	100 00	For services of steamer "George Starr," transporting Indians about New York Harbor in October, 1892.....	Leavitt, Wood & Keith.
" 15	John R. Ogden.....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	M. J. Keogh.
" 15	John Ray.....	5,000 00	Notice of intention to commence action for damages for personal injuries received by his wife Margaret Ray.....	Burr & De Lacey.
" 15	Robert Bonyngne.....	2,042 25	For transcripts of stenographic notes of testimony in criminal cases in Court of Oyer and Terminer, furnished to the District Attorney in 1893.....	"

Opening of Proposals.

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

June 13. Department of Docks—For preparing for and laying pavement on new-made land in rear of the bulkhead-wall at East Ninety-fourth Street Section on the East river, and East One Hundred and Tenth Street Section on the Harlem river.

June 13. The Department of Public Works—For regulating and paving and constructing sewers in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated May 29, 1893, published in the CITY RECORD.

June 15. The Department of Public Charities and Correction—For repairs and additions to Gas-house, Blackwell's Island.

Approval of Sureties.

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

June 13. For regulating, grading, etc., Bergen avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to Brook avenue.

Collins & Gillis, No. 825 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Principals.
Rody McLaughlin, No. 363 Brook avenue,
Dennis W. Moran, No. 219 East Seventy-first street, } Sureties.

June 13. For preparing for and building a new crib bulkhead adjoining the Store-house Dock, Blackwell's Island, and for building a boat landing and for dredging thereat.
Barth S. Cronin, No. 573 Clinton street, Brooklyn, Principal.
William Kelly, No. 317 West Fifty-first street,
William J. Ellis, No. 410 West Thirty-fifth street, } Sureties.

June 14. For heating one isolated corrugated-iron building, formerly used as a cement shed, near the foot of East Sixteenth street.

Blake & Williams, No. 197 Wooster street, Principals.
T. J. Kieley, No. 246 Waverley place,
T. J. Sheridan, No. 157 West One Hundred and Third street, } Sureties.

June 14. For paving with concrete and mortar of Portland cement, and with rock asphalt, and furnishing and setting blue-stone edging, on certain walks and esplanades in the grounds adjoining Castle Garden, in Battery Park.

T. Hugh Boorman, No. 450 West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Principal.
Homer J. Beaudet, Weston, N. J.,
Hartwell A. Wilkins, No. 371 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, } Sureties.

Return of Proposals.

June 13. Proposal of T. H. Boorman, for paving around Castle Garden, returned to Department of Public Parks for action on the proposed substitution of H. J. Beaudet as a surety thereon in the place of H. W. Wootton, one of the original sureties.

June 13. Proposal of Blake & Williams, for steam-heating apparatus, returned to Health Department for action on the proposed substitution of T. J. Sheridan as a surety thereon in the place of L. B. Sherman, one of the original sureties.

Appointed.

June 13. William H. Howells, No. 275 West Twenty-second street, Deputy Collector of City Revenue, with compensation at rate of \$1,100 per annum.

June 13. John Reilly, No. 29 Catharine street, Sweeper in the Public Markets, with compensation at rate of \$11 per week.

June 17. Thomas Sullivan, No. 432 Grand street, Cartman in the Public Markets, with compensation at rate of \$3.50 per day.

Designation of Compensation.

June 16. Edward H. McGurk, Deputy Collector of City Revenue, at rate of \$1,250 per annum from June 1, 1893.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks of the City of New York, held at the office of the Board, Pier "A," Battery place, Wednesday, May 31, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—President Cram.

Commissioner White.

Absent—Commissioner Phelan.

The Board met for the purpose of receiving estimates for preparing for and building a new crib-bulkhead adjoining the storehouse dock, Blackwell's Island, East river, and for building a boat-landing and for dredging thereat, under Contract No. 442, a representative of the Comptroller being present.

Two estimates were received, as follows:

	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
Hugh Hart, with security deposit, \$200.....	\$1 50	\$10,500 00	\$1,350 00	\$13,050 00
Barth S. Cronin, with security deposit, \$200..	1 50	11,000 00	740 00	12,940 00

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits made by said bidders and accompanying their estimates, whereupon the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this day for preparing for and building a new crib-bulkhead adjoining the storehouse dock, Blackwell's Island, East river, and for building a boat-landing and for dredging thereat, be and hereby is awarded to Barth S. Cronin, he being the lowest bidder, upon the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks of the City of New York, held at the office of the Board, Pier "A," Battery place, Thursday, June 1, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—President Cram.

Commissioner Phelan.

" " White.

The minutes of the meeting held May 25, 1893, were read and approved.

The communication from Michael Mitchell, lessee, requesting permission to place lettering on the coal-pocket on Pier, new 65, North river, was tabled for one week.

The communication from the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, in regard to a proposition for the improvement of the water-front, from Barclay street to Park place, North river, at the expense of the private owners, was referred to the President.

The application of the Old Colony Steamboat Company, for a ten years' lease of the bulkhead between Murray and Warren streets, when built, was referred to Commissioners White and Phelan.

The following communications were referred to the Dock Masters to examine and report:

From St. John's Guild—Requesting berths at West Thirty-fourth and Fiftieth streets, North river, and Pike and Third streets, East river.

From the President of the Produce Exchange—Submitting a communication from Captain DuPuy, complaining of the crowded condition of the Canal district.

The following permits were granted, to continue only during the pleasure of the Board:

The Secretary reported that the pay-rolls for the General Repairs and Construction Force for the week ending May 26, 1893, amounting to \$12,530.75, had been approved and audited, and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted; the work not to be commenced within ninety days from date:

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to proceed with the construction of Pier, new 19, North river, near the foot of Warren street, within the lines now established therefor, and to dredge upon the site of said pier, and in the northerly half of the slip, southward of it, to a depth of twenty-five feet in the clear, below mean low-water mark, and that all the work hereby ordered, be done otherwise than by contract, as required by section 714 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and that it be done by the force of the Department by day's work, except so much of the labor as is now or may hereafter be contracted for, and that all materials, dredging, machinery, tools, etc., necessary therefor, not heretofore contracted for, or which may not hereafter be contracted for, be purchased by the Treasurer otherwise than by contract.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to build a new divers' scow to be used in constructing the bulkhead or river-wall and upon work under the new plan; the said scow to be similar to the other divers' scows in the Department, and that all the work hereby ordered be performed otherwise than by contract, as provided by section 714 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; and that it be done by the force of the Department, by day's work, except so much of the labor as is now or may hereafter be contracted for, and that all the materials, tools, etc., necessary for the same not now contracted for, and which may not hereafter be contracted for, be purchased by the Treasurer otherwise than by contract.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

The Board then met in executive session.

The application of Eugene Lentillon, Levele, for promotion to the position of Assistant Engineer, was tabled.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, ordered to be placed on file.

From the Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting the suspension of Laborers, Acting Watchmen, Thomas Fitzgerald and John A. Dickson and recommending their discharge.

On motion, said Fitzgerald and Dickson were directed not to be assigned to duty as Acting Watchmen for ten days.

2d. Recommending that his action in suspending Laborers, Acting Watchmen, James Sutton and John Coffey for five days and John Carroll for ten days be approved. Recommendation adopted.

3d. Recommending that his action in suspending Laborer, Acting Watchman, Michael Feeney for twenty days be approved.

On motion, said Feeney was directed not to be assigned to duty as Acting Watchman for ten days.

The following persons were appointed:

Laborers.

Patrick McCauley. George Meade. Daniel Roche.
Dominick Cleary. Matthew Sloan. John Ronan.
James Corbett. John Smith. Charles Nally.
John Cuff.

Dock Builders.

Michael Chrystal. John Rode. R. H. Parsons.
Samuel Abrams. Richard Cunningham. James Anderson.
William H. Conboy.

Ship Carpenter.

Michael Leonard.

Foreman of Laborers.

James Bagley.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL, UNDER CHAPTER 537, LAWS OF 1893, RELATIVE TO CHANGE OF GRADE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, NEW YORK CITY.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION,
ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
MONDAY, June 12, 1893, 2 o'clock, P. M.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Daniel Lord, James M. Varnum and James A. Deering.

George L. Sterling, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel.

Thomas S. Bassford, Esq., and Fred J. Lancaster, Esq., counsel for various claimants.

On motion of Commissioner Varnum, the reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting was dispensed with.

The taking of testimony in the matter of John E. Poillon (No. 52) on One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, was continued, but not completed.

On motion of Commissioner Deering, the Commission adjourned to Wednesday, June 14, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, June 7, 1893, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 8804 to 8814, inclusive, amounting to \$847.23; also of estimates contained in Vouchers Nos. 8815 to 8819, inclusive, amounting to \$43,402.04.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Construction or Executive Committee recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in discharging the following-named persons, on the dates hereinafter mentioned, be and hereby is approved:

James Green, Laborer, June 5.
John Wostrel, Teamster, with team, June 5.
William Guilmore, Teamster, with team, June 3.
Coleman Bennett, Teamster, with team, May 27.
Tunis Mead, Teamster, with team, June 3.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in temporarily employing the following-named persons on the dates hereinafter mentioned, be and hereby is approved:

NAME.	RANK.	PAY PER DAY.	DATE.
Patrick O'Brien.....	Carpenter.....	\$2 50	May 30
Lanson Ferguson.....	Bricklayer.....	3 50	" 30
Oscar Miersch.....	Teamster, with team.....	4 00	" 30

NAME.	RANK.	PAY PER DAY.	DATE.
David Kipp.....	Laborer.....	\$2 00	May 30
Joseph O'Laughlin.....	".....	2 00	" 30
James Fitzpatrick.....	".....	2 00	" 30
James Ward.....	".....	2 00	" 30
William Cream.....	".....	2 00	" 30
W. Quinn.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Emory Furguson.....	".....	2 00	" 30
William Penhall.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Erastus Knapp.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Michael Evans.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Howard Buckley.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Sherman Adams.....	".....	2 00	" 30
John Walen.....	".....	2 00	" 30
James Lavarry.....	".....	2 00	" 30
James Braidon.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Samuel Rooney.....	".....	2 00	" 30
John Bachman.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Michael Woods.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Charles Mulvaney.....	".....	2 00	" 30
Jacob Gessman.....	".....	2 00	" 30
William Schnabel.....	Teamster, with team.....	4 00	June 5

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in assigning Superintendent of Dam Construction Andrew J. Sparrow to duty under Division Engineer Craven at Carmel, N. Y., on May 30, 1893, be and hereby is approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resignation of Walter J. Sager, Foreman, be and hereby is accepted, to take effect after June 5, 1893.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the accompanying bill of John Fox for gate stem at Bog Brook Dam Gatehouse, amounting to one hundred and six dollars and four cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the accompanying bill of David Travis for cleaning privy vaults near Brewster dams, amounting to sixty-three dollars, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the accompanying bill of R. S. Gillespie for transportation between New York and Brewster and for board at Brewster, etc., amounting to ninety-seven dollars and twenty-six cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the accompanying bill of Harry James, for transportation between New York and Brewster and for board at Brewster, amounting to forty-six dollars and thirty-four cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the accompanying bill of R. D. Philbin, for transportation between New York and Brewster and for board at Brewster, amounting to forty-three dollars and sixty-four cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted on May 10, 1893, be and hereby is rescinded: "Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, for the year 1892, amounting to three hundred and eleven dollars and eighty cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment."

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, for the year 1892, amounting to four hundred and sixty dollars and ninety-five cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York, School District No. 6, for the year 1892, amounting to one hundred dollars and fourteen cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also submitted form of contract, specifications and bond received from the Commissioner of Public Works on the 2d day of June, 1893, to provide for cutting timber and clearing grounds of Reservoir "M," near Purdy's Station, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, and recommended the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the form of contract, specifications and bond, submitted by the Commissioner of Public Works on the 2d day of June, 1893, and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation "as to form," for cutting timber and clearing grounds of Reservoir "M," near Purdy's Station, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, be and the same are hereby approved and adopted; and the Secretary is hereby directed to have triplicate copies thereof prepared for certification by the Aqueduct Commissioners and filed in accordance with section 25, chapter 490, Laws of 1883.

Resolved, That the President and Secretary be and they are hereby authorized and directed to publish in the CITY RECORD, "New York Herald," and the "New York Tribune," a notice and advertisement for sealed bids or proposals for doing the work and furnishing the materials for cutting timber and clearing grounds of Reservoir "M," near Purdy's Station, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, as called for in the form of contract approved and adopted by the Aqueduct Commissioners on June 7, 1893.

The same were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Committee also submitted the following:

NEW YORK, May 24, 1893.

To the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—In the opinion of the Construction Committee, the time has now arrived when steps should be taken looking to the acquisition of a site for and the construction of the projected storage reservoir within the city limits, north of the Harlem river.

The main purpose of this reservoir is to provide a large amount of storage within the city limits and near the point of distribution, so that if, in the future, owing to any circumstances, the flow of the water through the New Aqueduct should be stopped for any considerable number of days, the city would be protected from the inconvenience and danger of an inadequate water supply during the period of such stoppage. The construction of such a reservoir and its location have been determined beyond recall by the concurrent action of the Department of Public Works and of the Aqueduct Commission at the time the plans for the New Aqueduct were adopted.

In a report made to the Aqueduct Commission on July 2, 1884, the then Chief Engineer called the attention of the Commission to the necessity for determining upon the site for such a reservoir before the contract and specifications for the Aqueduct itself could be intelligently prepared, and in so doing he used the following language: "When the future full-carrying power of the conduit is required the present city reservoirs would supply the city but for two days, if the water be stopped

for repairs or inspection of the Aqueduct; and if 75,000,000 gallons per day are retained for the city above Harlem river, an equalizing reservoir will be a necessity. It would therefore be a reproach to the intelligence both of the Commission and their Engineers if so important a matter were neglected as the provision for this reservoir in planning the grade and size of the conduit. This can be done by deciding on the site of the reservoir without waiting for surveys or purchase of lands."

"Consulting Engineer Davis, Mr. Fieley and myself have examined the maps and inspected the grounds. We find that at Jerome Park the topographical features admit of a reservoir that will store about 1,500,000,000 gallons, all of which will be usable without serious loss of head to the city, and which seems to be the only available site."

Although no formal resolution seems to have been adopted locating a reservoir at Jerome Park, the Department of Public Works in presenting the plans for the New Aqueduct, and the Aqueduct Commission in adopting those plans, practically and irrevocably determined upon the ultimate construction of such a reservoir at that point by determining upon a conduit with an estimated flowage capacity of 320,000,000 gallons per day to Jerome Park, and only 250,000,000 below that point.

The only point as to which there has been any question has been as to the time when the land for this reservoir should be acquired and the work of construction begun. The matter was brought to the attention of the present Aqueduct Commission in the spring of 1889, by a letter from one of the owners of the property to be included within the reservoir, and a joint report was made to the Commission by the Chief Engineer of this Commission and by the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, in which they agreed, first, that there should be built at some time, in connection with the water supply of New York and for the proper storage and distribution thereof, a large reservoir in the vicinity of the aqueducts in the Annexed District, and, second, that the proposed reservoir should cover the greater part, if not the whole, of the Jerome Park property. They did not agree as to the precise time when the necessities of the city would require this reservoir for use, the Chief Engineer of this Commission believing that the commencement of its construction should not be delayed, while the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct reported that, in his opinion, it would not be needed for about ten years from the date of his report, which would be in the spring of 1899. The Commissioners, then leaving undetermined for the moment the question as to when the construction of the reservoir should be commenced, submitted to two well-known real estate experts the question as to whether or not the increase in the value of the property during the next five years would or would not be likely to exceed the cost to the City for interest upon the then present value of the property and for loss of taxes if the proceedings for the acquisition of such property were commenced at once.

These experts reported on June 24, 1889, that, after a careful consideration of the matter in all its phases, they had arrived at the conclusion that it was manifestly for the best interests of the City to acquire the land in the very near future, providing it could be done at its fair market value.

The Commission then, with a view to having all phases of the subject before them, referred the matter to a committee, consisting of the Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioner of Public Works, to report whether or not the present condition of the finances of the city and the probable necessity for the issue of City Bonds in the near future for other than aqueduct purposes, were such that it would be best for the Aqueduct Commission to locate and acquire a site for a reservoir in the Annexed District at once, or delay such location and acquisition until the Commission shall be ready to begin the construction of such reservoir. The question submitted to that Committee is no longer a factor in the consideration of the subject, because if the reservoir is to be ready for use even by the time so conservatively fixed by the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, it is certain that proceedings for the acquisition of the site should be begun as speedily as possible.

As has been said, the report of the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct as to when, in his opinion, this reservoir would be required, fixes the date at 1899, or six years from the present time, and it appears to be clear that even if proceedings were commenced at once for the acquisition of the property, it would be nearly or quite six years from the present date before the reservoir could be completed and ready for use.

In the meantime the daily consumption of water resulting from the opening of the New Aqueduct has greatly exceeded the predictions and expectations of every one who had expressed an opinion on that subject in advance.

It, therefore, in the opinion of the Construction Committee, would be most unsafe and unwise to longer postpone the commencement of this much needed work.

Another potent reason for proceeding with this work without further delay is the danger, which is always present, that speculators will buy up the property to be acquired with a view to making an unreasonable profit out of the city. The ultimate location of a reservoir is so well assured and so widely known that it affords a constant temptation to speculation, and presents a constant danger that purchasers may erect buildings for which the City will be obliged to pay without reaping any corresponding advantage.

Until this reservoir shall be constructed, if any serious accident should happen to the New Aqueduct above the city line, or if any disaster should fall upon the Croton Dam, requiring any considerable number of days to repair, we should find the city reduced to a condition, so far as its water supply is concerned, which would be extremely embarrassing, and which might prove absolutely dangerous.

Of course, we do not anticipate that either of these things will happen, but a wise and proper arrangement of water works for a great city like this involves the taking of precautions against every possible contingency however remote it may seem to be.

The construction and completion of this reservoir, with the other works now in progress, will complete the great system of water supply for this city for an unknown number of years to come, and your Committee feels very strongly that we should not now hesitate or delay in completing the work which has been committed to our charge. We therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby determine upon and direct the construction of a reservoir within the city limits, north of the Harlem river, to a point and of the dimensions indicated in a joint report made to this Commission by the Chief Engineer of this Commission and the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, dated June 4, 1889, and the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby requested to prepare and submit to us such plans, maps, specifications, estimates and details to provide for the construction of said reservoir as shall be sufficient and requisite for the public hearing required by law.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and hereby is requested to prepare and submit to the Aqueduct Commissioners a final plan sheet showing the amount and description of the several parcels of land necessary to be taken to construct a reservoir within the city limits, north of the Harlem river, within the lines submitted to this Commission by the joint report of the Chief Engineer of the Aqueduct Commission and the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct on June 4, 1889.

Respectfully,

J. C. DUANE, Chairman, Construction Committee.

The report was received and approved, and the resolutions adopted, by the following vote: Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Committee also presented the following communication received from the Chief Engineer, and recommended that the same be spread in full on the minutes and filed:

NEW YORK, June 7, 1893.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN:—On April 12 last I was appointed by the Commissioner of Public Works as his deputy for the statement of nuisances in the part of the Croton water-shed which is under the jurisdiction of the Aqueduct Commissioners. Shortly afterwards, owing to the large amount of work to be performed by the Department of Public Works, I was requested to take charge of a much more extended territory, as follows:

The lower part of the water-shed to the Putnam County line, with the exception of Mount Kisco, and of the water-shed of Amawalk Dam, which remain under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Works.

In Putnam County the water-shed of Bog Brook and the grounds adjacent to the East Branch and Carmel Reservoirs.

The work has been put in the hands of the various Division Engineers who have temporarily hired, with your approval, the necessary force of men and teams to carry out the necessary work.

The ground allotted to me has now been substantially covered, but a comparatively small number of nuisances, although located and ordered abated, remain to be removed. I expect that inside of two or three weeks the work will be wholly done, but active supervision must continue for the enforcement of our orders.

At Katonah, where many nuisances were concentrated in a single spot, all direct objectionable drainage into the river has been stopped and a large number of privies have been removed and replaced by water-tight masonry structures.

Generally the work to be done has consisted in removing out of harm's way privies, piles of manure and other nuisances; in the cleaning, removal, rebuilding or emptying after proper cleaning, of privies, house drainage, manure heaps, hen-houses, hog-pens, stables, barns and other buildings. In all, at the end of May, the number of principal nuisances abated, outside of many minor ones which are not mentioned here, was 529.

In addition, and in view of the expected flowage of the lands for the reservoirs which are now under construction, over 150 buildings, including 7 mills, 1 tannery, 1 slaughter-house, were sold and removed.

Surveys have also been made for the condemnation of 33 additional estates situated on the lands to be flooded or in close proximity to the water line of the reservoirs, all of which contain

buildings the drainage of which would become a permanent nuisance, but in all cases the present causes of pollution have been removed.

More surveys are now being made for the same purpose.

I am, respectfully,

A. FIELEY, Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the recommendation was approved. On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the minutes of meeting of May 24, 1893, were ordered approved.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

J. C. LULLEY, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR'S MARSHAL,
ROOM 1, CITY HALL.

In compliance with section 708 of chapter 269 of the Laws of 1892, a public hearing will be given at the Mayor's Marshal's Office, in Room 1, City Hall, on Saturday, June 24, at 10.30 A. M., to objections to the issuing of permits for street stands for vehicles in front of the premises—

No. 126 East Fourth street.
No. 104 East Thirteenth street.
No. 543 " "
No. 618 " "
No. 147 West Twenty-fifth street.
No. 149 " "
No. 327 West Twenty-sixth street.
No. 321 West Forty-second street.
No. 243 East Fifty-fourth street.
No. 109 East Eighty-fourth street.
No. 100 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

No. 104 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

No. 106 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

No. 1075 First avenue.
No. 621 Second avenue.

No. 84 Chrystie street.
No. 240 Cherry street.

No. 61 Columbia street.
No. 258 Delancey street.

No. 253 " "
No. 264 Elizabeth street.

No. 260 " "
No. 137 Essex street.

No. 248 Elizabeth street.
No. 57 Great Jones street.

No. 59 " "
No. 104 Goerck street.

No. 163 Grand street.
No. 435 Greenwich street.

No. 85 Hester street.
No. 79 Maogin street.

No. 2 Norfolk street.
No. 4 " "

No. 179 " "
No. 82 Pike street.

No. 421 Park avenue.
No. 270 Stanton street.

No. 67 Vandam street.
No. 328 West Houston street.

No. 1062 Washington avenue.
DANIEL ENGELHARD,

Mayor's Marshal.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor. WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.
DANIEL M. DOUGLASS, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES G. F. WADE and EDWARD OWEN.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 205, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN J. TUCKER, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, H. W. CANNON, and the MAYOR, COMPTROLLER and COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS;

4 office, Commissioners; J. C. LULLEY, Secretary; A. FIELEY, Chief Engineer; E. A. WOLFF, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, CHIEF; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, SECRETARY.

Address EDWARD P. BARKER, Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, President Board of Aldermen. MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).

ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6); GEORGE W. BIRDSELL, Chief Engineer (Room 9);

JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4); WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent of Street Improvements (Room 5);

HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (Room 9); WILLIAM G. BERGER, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15);

MAURICE FRATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 1); STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11);

JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incinerators (Room 16);

NICHOLAS R. O'CONNOR, Superintendent of Street Openings (Room 14).

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

No. 562 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

LEONARD J. BRADY, Superintendent.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

LEONARD W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. SCOTT, Deputy Comptroller; D. LOWMAN SAUNDERS, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor. JOHN F. GOULDEN, Second Auditor.

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

Nos. 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

OSBORNE MACDANIEL, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 2 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN A. SULLIVAN, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 39 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DAVID E. ALDERMAN, Receiver of Taxes; JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOSEPH J. O'DONOVAN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 23 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN H. THACKERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Stewart Building, third and fourth floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation. ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM M. HORS, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

LOUIS HANSENMAN, Corporation Attorney.

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney. MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES F. McLEAN, JOHN McCLEAVE and JOHN C. SKEEHAN, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. RUFF, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODERBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY H. PORTER, President; CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., and EDWARD C. SNEYDY, Commissioners; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES HENS, General Bookkeeper.

Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 147 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.

JOHN J. SCANNELL, President; ANTHONY ECKHOFF and HENRY WINTHROP GRAY, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HUGH BORNER, Chief of Department; PETER SERRY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDER, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.

General Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and CYRUS EDSON, M. D., the PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, ex officio and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, ex officio Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN, President; PAUL DANA, NATHAN STRAUS and GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, Commissioners; CHARLES DE VRIES, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

J. SEGRANT CRAM, President; JAMES J. PHILAN and ANDREW J. WHITE, Commissioners; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

EDWARD P. BARKER, President; JOHN WHALEN and JOSEPH BLUMENFELD, Commissioners. FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING
Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
THOMAS S. BURNHAM, Commissioner; JOHN J. RYAN,
Deputy Commissioner; J. JOSEPH SCHULZ, Chief
Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JAMES THOMSON, Chairman; DANIEL P. HANS and
LEONARD SCHMIDT, Members of the Supervisory
Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive
Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT
The Mayor, Chairman; E. P. BAKER, President,
Department of Taxes and Assessments; Secretary;
the COMPTROLLER, President of the Board of
ALDERMEN and the COMPTROLLER to the Corporation,
Members; CHARLES V. ADER, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assess-
ments, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARD,
Room 30, COOPER UNION,
New York, June 24, 1893.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
open competitive examinations for the positions
below mentioned will be held at this office upon the
dates specified:

June 27. ENGINEER.
June 27. PILE-DRIVING ENGINEER.
June 29. TRANSMITMAN.
June 30. DEPUTY WARDEN, City Prison.
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, June 24, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF
the following mentioned works, with the title of
the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon,
also the number of the work, as in the advertisement,
will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improve-
ments of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards,
at his office, No. 272 Third Avenue, corner of One Hun-
dred and Forty-first Street, until 3 o'clock P. M. on
Thursday, July 6, 1893, at which place and hour they
will be publicly opened:

FOR COMPLETING THE CONSTRUCTION OF
SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN MEL-
ROSE AVENUE, between One Hundred and
Sixty and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets,
WITH BRANCHES IN ONE HUNDRED AND
FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, ONE HUNDRED
AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET AND ONE
HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
between Elton and Courtlandt avenues.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing,
of the party making the same, that the several matters
therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the
content, 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 Cor-
poration any difference between the sum to which he
would be entitled upon its completion, and that which
the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to
whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent
letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated
amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards reserves the
right to reject all bids received for any particular work
if he deems it for the best interests of the City.
Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes
in which to inclose the same, the specifications and
agreements, and any other information desired, can be
obtained at this office.

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

NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING COMMISSION.

PLANS FOR A MUNICIPAL BUILDING IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS
of chapter 299 of the Laws of 1892, entitled "An
act to amend chapter 293 of the Laws of 1888, entitled
"An act to provide for the erection of a building for
certain purposes relating to the public interests in the
City of New York," and chapter 234 of the Laws of 1892,
amending the same, the Board of Commissioners hereby
constituted will, until 3 o'clock P. M. the first day of
September, 1893, receive plans and specifications for a
New Municipal Building, provided for in said statutes,
to be erected in the City Hall Park.

In the examination and judgment of the designs the
Board of Commissioners will be assisted by a committee
to be selected by the said Board from a list nominated
by the New York Chapter of the American Institute of
Architects and the Architectural League of New York.
This committee will consist of three competent archi-
tects who do not take part in the competition.

Five equal premiums, of two thousand dollars each,
shall be awarded to the authors of the designs adjudged
by the Board of Commissioners to be the second, third,
fourth, fifth and sixth, best, of those submitted, and the
author of the designs adjudged to be the first best by
the said Board of Commissioners will be appointed
Architect for the construction of the building, provided
his professional standing is such as to guarantee a
proper discharge of his duties. He will be paid a
commission on the total cost of the work, namely, five
per cent. on the first \$1,000,000 of the cost, four per
cent. on the second \$1,000,000 and three per cent. on the
remainder.

Each set of drawings is to be accompanied by a brief
specification of the materials proposed to be employed,
and of the mode of construction and of heating and ven-
tilation to be adopted, and of the manner of lighting.

An approximate estimate of the cost of the building
is also to be submitted.

No plans or papers submitted are to have upon them
any mark by which they can be known, but there shall
be sent with them a sealed letter, addressed in typewriting,
to the Mayor, giving the author's name and
address. This letter will not be opened until the
awards shall have been made. The drawings and papers
will be known by numbers corresponding with numbers
given to the letters.

The conditions under which this competition is to be
conducted and the requirements of the Board are de-
scribed in a paper entitled "Instructions to Architects"
which may be obtained, on application, at the Com-
ptroller's office, 280 Broadway.

New York, March 29, 1893.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor.
FREDERICK SMITH, Recorder.
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller.
THOMAS C. T. CRAIG, Chamberlain.
NICHOLAS T. BROWN, Chairman, Com-
missioners of the Sinking Fund.
HENRY D. PURROY, County Clerk.
FERDINAND LEVY, Register.
FRANK T. FITZGERALD, Surrogate.
Board of Commissioners for New Municipal Building.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE
owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all
houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected
thereby, that the following assessments have been com-
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-
sessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:
List 4070, No. 1. Paving, with trap-block pavement,
the roadway of Boston Avenue, from One Hundred and
sixty-seventh street to Jefferson street, laying addi-
tional crosswalks and readjusting the curbs and side-
walks.

List 4082, No. 2. Alteration and improvement to
sewers in Second Avenue, between Seventy-first and
Seventy-second streets, and in Seventy-first street, be-
tween Second and Third avenues.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Boston Avenue, from a point
distant about 200 feet southerly from One Hundred and
sixty-seventh street to Jefferson street, and to the
extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Second Avenue, from Sixty-eighth
to Seventy-second street; also blocks bounded by
Sixty-eighth and Seventy-first streets, Second and
Third avenues; also south side of Sixty-eighth street
and north side of Seventy-first street, from Second to
Third Avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as pro-
vided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction
of Assessments for confirmation, on the 25th day of
July, 1893.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 24, 1893.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE
owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all
houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected
thereby, that the following assessments have been com-
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-
sessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:
List 4077, No. 1. Sewers in South Street, between
Broad and Wall streets, with outlet through (new) Pier
No. 6, East river, and connection with old sewer and
overflow at Old Slip.

List 4118, No. 2. Receiving-basins on the southeast
corner of Ninety-fourth street and the northeast and
southeast corners of Ninety-fifth street and First
Avenue.

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

No. 1. Blocks bounded by South and Front streets,
Wall and Broad streets; blocks bounded by Wall street
and Counties slip, Front and Pearl streets; blocks
bounded by Pearl and Beaver streets, William and Wall
streets, and block bounded by Pearl and Stone streets,
William street and Counties Alley.

No. 2. East side of First Avenue, from Ninety-third
to Ninety-sixth street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as pro-
vided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of
Assessments for confirmation on the 14th day of
July, 1893.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 24, 1893.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Board of School Trustees for the Twentieth
Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 246
Grand street, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Friday, July
7, 1893, for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for
Primary School No. 27.

AUGUSTINE HEALY, Chairman,
JOSEPH MOSS, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, July 6, 1893,
for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School
No. 34.

GEO. W. RELYEA, Chairman,
FRANCIS COAN, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, July 6, 1893,
for supplying Furniture, etc., for Grammar Schools Nos. 26,
32, 38 and Primary School No. 27.

AUGUSTINE HEALY, Chairman,
JOSEPH MOSS, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth
Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, July 6, 1893,
for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar
School No. 69.

ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman,
THEODORE E. THOMSON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, June 28, 1893,
for Furniture Work at Grammar School No. 20.

CHAS. B. STOVER, Chairman,
LOUIS HAFT, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third
Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Friday, June 29, 1893,
for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar
Department, Grammar School No. 60, Primary Depart-
ment, Grammar School No. 60, Grammar Schools Nos.
62 and 64 and Primary School No. 44.

SAMUEL SAMUELS, Chairman,
THEODORE E. THOMSON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth
Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, June 28,
1893, for erecting a new School Building at the
northeast corner of Eighty-first street and Avenue A;
also for supplying the Heating and Ventilating Appa-
ratus for the new School Building at the northeast cor-
ner of Eighty-fifth street and Madison Avenue; also for
Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School No. 70.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, June 28, 1893,
for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar
Schools Nos. 32, 38 and 48.

AUGUSTINE HEALY, Chairman,
JOSEPH MOSS, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth
Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, June 28,
1893, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar
School No. 69.

ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman,
THEODORE E. THOMSON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, June 29, 1893,
for erecting an Annex to Grammar School No. 54; also for
making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School
No. 57.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, June 27, 1893, for
Furniture Work at Grammar School No. 11.

G. T. SPRINGSTEED, Chairman,
GEO. W. SKELLEN, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, June 27, 1893, for
Furniture Work at Grammar School No. 17.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman,
HENRY H. HAIGHT, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, June 27, 1893, for
Furniture Work at Grammar School No. 54; also for
making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School
No. 50.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman,
E. WEN MCINTYRE, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 26, 1893, for
making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools
Nos. 17 and 27; also for erecting an Annex to Gram-
mar School No. 57; also for Furniture Work at Gram-
mar School No. 68 and Primary School No. 9.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, until
3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 26, 1893, for Furniture
Work at Primary School No. 14.

HEKMAN BOLTE, Chairman,
JOHN B. SHEA, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 26, 1893, for Fur-
niture Work at Grammar School No. 22.

SAMUEL D. LEVY, Chairman,
SAMUEL SCHUMACHER, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward,
until 3 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 26, 1893, for
Furniture Work at Grammar School No. 30.

JOHN A. O'BRIEN, Chairman,
JOSEPH H. OLIVER, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 24, 1893.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank
proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent
of School Buildings, No. 246 Grand street, third floor.
The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all
of the proposals submitted.

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 451.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

FOR PREPARING FOR AND PAYING THE
NEWLY-MADE LAND FOR A WIDTH OF
50 FEET, EXTENDING FROM THE SOUTH-
ELY CROSSWALK OF THE PAVED AP-
PROACH TO PIER NEW NORTH RIVER,
TO THE PRESENT PAVED AREA AT THE
FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-FIFTH STREET,
WITH GRANITE OR STATION ISLAND
SYENITE BLOCKS; LAYING CROSSWALKS
AND BUILDING THE NECESSARY DRAINS
OR SEWERS.

Estimates for preparing for and
paying the newly-made land for a width of 50 feet,
extending from the southerly crosswalk of the paved
approach to Pier, new N. North river, to the present
paved area at the foot of West Twenty-fifth street, with
granite or Station Island syenite blocks, laying cross-
walks and building the necessary drains or sewers, will
be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head
of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Depart-
ment on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river,
in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A.M. of

THURSDAY, JULY 6, 1893.

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 prac-
ticable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

Earth, etc., to be excavated and removed, about.....	745 cubic yards.
Old Flaggings to be taken up, about.....	325 square feet.
Old Curb to be taken up, about.....	51 linear feet.
Old Paving and Crosswalks to be taken up, about.....	195 square yards.
Gravel for joints, about.....	80 cubic yards.
Paving to be furnished and laid, about.....	1,284 square yards.
Crosswalks to be furnished and laid, about.....	204 square feet.
Paving Cement, about.....	5,431 gallons.
Blue-stone Curbings to be furnished and laid, about.....	180 linear feet.
Clean Sand to be furnished and laid, about.....	90 cubic yards.
Yellow Pine Timber for edging, about.....	1,683 feet, B. M.
Dock-spikes, about.....	122 pounds.
Cast-iron Pipe, heavy, 12 inches in diameter, about.....	75 linear feet.
Vitrified Salt-glazed Sewer-pipe, 18 inches in diameter, about.....	234 "
Manholes, complete.....	3
Silt basins, complete.....	2

NOTE—The pavement will be laid upon a concrete
bed, the materials and labor for mixing and laying
which will be furnished by the Department of
Docks.

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:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal ex-
amination 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.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief that the work may be begun, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of September, 1893, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, 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.

All the old material to be removed under this contract, except such portions as are to be delivered to the Department of Docks, in accordance with the specifications, will be relinquished to the Contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, June 21, 1893.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 453.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING AN IRON AWNING SHED, WITH APPURTENANCES, ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF EAST THIRTY-THIRD STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building an Iron Awning Shed, with appurtenances, on the Pier at the foot of East Thirty-third street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at

the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, JULY 6, 1893.

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

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

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

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

1. Structural Iron or Steel, about..... 29,000 pounds.
2. Screw-bolts, Carriage-bolts, Stove-bolts, etc., about..... 114 "
3. Dock-spikes and Nails, about..... 218 "
4. Wood Screws, about..... 50 "
5. No. 24 Galvanized-iron Cornice and Wrought-iron Pendant, about..... 194 feet.
6. Tin-roofing, to cover about..... 2,154 square feet.
7. No. 24 Galvanized Sheet-iron 4-inch Spiral-riveted Seam Leaders, about..... 74 feet.
8. Tar Roofing Paper, about..... 2,154 square feet.
9. Spruce Boards and Scantling, about..... 3,944 feet, B. M.
10. Yellow Pine Timber, about..... 785 "
11. Cast-iron Cresting and Finials, about..... 62 feet.
12. Cast-iron Wheel Guards and Paterns, about..... 4,848 pounds.
13. Wire Sign.
14. Painting.
15. Awnings and Appurtenances, about..... 94 square feet.
16. Labor of every description.

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:

1st. 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.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days from the date of execution of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1893, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, June 22, 1893.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 454.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE EXISTING PIER AND FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF WEST FIFTEENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE EXISTING pier and for preparing for and building a New Wooden Pier, with appurtenances, at the foot of West Fifteenth street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

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

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

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

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

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
NEW PIER.	
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	18,842
" " 12" x 12".....	101,739
" " 11 1/2" x 12".....	2,821
" " 11" x 12".....	807
" " 10" x 12".....	3,970
" " 10" x 10".....	909
" " 8" x 16".....	576
" " 8" x 15".....	1,195
" " 8" x 12".....	1,356
" " 8" x 10".....	90
" " 8" x 8".....	5,104
" " 7" x 14".....	506
" " 7" x 12".....	2,916
" " 7" x 9".....	117
" " 6" x 12".....	5,256
" " 5" x 12".....	10,724
" " 5" x 11 1/2".....	1,996
" " 5" x 11".....	4,405
" " 5" x 10".....	16,131
" " 4" x 10".....	61,042
" " 2" x 4".....	4,000
Total.....	244,593

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 12".....	1,720
" " 4" x 10".....	66,943
" " 4" x 8".....	100
Total.....	68,763

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12".....	4,480
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 Pier.....	436

(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 75 feet in length to about 85 feet in length, to average about 80 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

5. White Oak Fender-piles, about 60 feet long.....	14
6. 3/4" x 26", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 6", 3/4" x 4", 3/4" x 3", 3/4" x 2", 3/4" x 1", 3/4" x 1/2", 3/4" x 1/4", 3/4" x 1/8", 3/4" x 1/16", 3/4" x 1/32", 3/4" x 1/64, 3/4" x 1/128, 3/4" x 1/256, 3/4" x 1/512, 3/4" x 1/1024, 3/4" x 1/2048, 3/4" x 1/4096, 3/4" x 1/8192, 3/4" x 1/16384, 3/4" x 1/32768, 3/4" x 1/65536, 3/4" x 1/131072, 3/4" x 1/262144, 3/4" x 1/524288, 3/4" x 1/1048576, 3/4" x 1/2097152, 3/4" x 1/4194304, 3/4" x 1/8388608, 3/4" x 1/16777216, 3/4" x 1/33554432, 3/4" x 1/67108864, 3/4" x 1/134217728, 3/4" x 1/268435456, 3/4" x 1/536870912, 3/4" x 1/1073741824, 3/4" x 1/2147483648, 3/4" x 1/4294967296, 3/4" x 1/8589934592, 3/4" x 1/17179869184, 3/4" x 1/34359738368, 3/4" x 1/68719476736, 3/4" x 1/137438953472, 3/4" x 1/274877906944, 3/4" x 1/549755813888, 3/4" x 1/1099511627776, 3/4" x 1/2199023255552, 3/4" x 1/4398046511104, 3/4" x 1/8796093022208, 3/4" x 1/17592186044416, 3/4" x 1/35184372088832, 3/4" x 1/70368744177664, 3/4" x 1/140737488355328, 3/4" x 1/281474976710656, 3/4" x 1/562949953421312, 3/4" x 1/1125899906842624, 3/4" x 1/2251799813685248, 3/4" x 1/4503599627370496, 3/4" x 1/9007199254740992, 3/4" x 1/18014398509481984, 3/4" x 1/36028797018963968, 3/4" x 1/72057594037927936, 3/4" x 1/144115188075855872, 3/4" x 1/288230376151711744, 3/4" x 1/576460752303423488, 3/4" x 1/1152921504606846976, 3/4" x 1/2305843009213693952, 3/4" x 1/4611686018427387904, 3/4" x 1/9223372036854775808, 3/4" x 1/18446744073709551616, 3/4" x 1/36893488147419103232, 3/4" x 1/73786976294838206464, 3/4" x 1/147573952589676412928, 3/4" x 1/295147905179352825856, 3/4" x 1/590295810358705651712, 3/4" x 1/1180591620717411303424, 3/4" x 1/2361183241434822606848, 3/4" x 1/4722366482869645213696, 3/4" x 1/9444732965739290427392, 3/4" x 1/18889465931478580854784, 3/4" x 1/37778931862957161709568, 3/4" x 1/75557863725914323419136, 3/4" x 1/151115727451828646838272, 3/4" x 1/302231454903657293676544, 3/4" x 1/604462909807314587353088, 3/4" x 1/1208925819614629174706176, 3/4" x 1/2417851639229258349412352, 3/4" x 1/4835703278458516698824704, 3/4" x 1/9671406556917033397649408, 3/4" x 1/19342813113834066795298816, 3/4" x 1/38685626227668133590597632, 3/4" x 1/77371252455336267181195264, 3/4" x 1/154742504910672534362390528, 3/4" x 1/309485009821345068724781056, 3/4" x 1/618970019642690137449562112, 3/4" x 1/1237940039285380274899124224, 3/4" x 1/2475880078570760549798248448, 3/4" x 1/4951760157141521099596496896, 3/4" x 1/9903520314283042199192993792, 3/4" x 1/19807040628566084398385987584, 3/4" x 1/39614081257132168796771975168, 3/4" x 1/79228162514264337593543950336, 3/4" x 1/158456325028528675187087900672, 3/4" x 1/316912650057057350374175801344, 3/4" x 1/633825300114114700748351602688, 3/4" x 1/1267650600228229401496703205376, 3/4" x 1/2535301200456458802993406410752, 3/4" x 1/5070602400912917605986812821504, 3/4" x 1/10141204801825835211973625643008, 3/4" x 1/20282409603651670423947251286016, 3/4" x 1/40564819207303340847894502572032, 3/4" x 1/81129638414606681695789005144064, 3/4" x 1/162259276829213363391578010288128, 3/4" x 1/324518553658426726783156020576256, 3/4" x 1/649037107316853453566312041152512, 3/4" x 1/1298074214633706907132624082305024, 3/4" x 1/2596148429267413814265248164610048, 3/4" x 1/5192296858534827628530496329220096, 3/4" x 1/10384593717069655257060992658440192, 3/4" x 1/20769187434139310514121985316880384, 3/4" x 1/41538374868278621028243970633760768, 3/4" x 1/83076749736557242056487941267521536, 3/4" x 1/166153499473114484112975882535043072, 3/4" x 1/332306998946228968225951765070086144, 3/4" x 1/664613997892457936451903530140172288, 3/4" x 1/1329227995784915872903807060280344576, 3/4" x 1/2658455991569831745807614120560689152, 3/4" x 1/5316911983139663491615228241121378304, 3/4" x 1/10633823966279326983230456482242756608, 3/4" x 1/21267647932558653966460912964485513216, 3/4" x 1/42535295865117307932921825928971026432, 3/4" x 1/85070591730234615865843651857942052864, 3/4" x 1/170141183460469231731687303715884105728, 3/4" x 1/340282366920938463463374607431768211456, 3/4" x 1/680564733841876926926749214863536422912, 3/4" x 1/1361129467683753853853498429727072845824, 3/4" x 1/2722258935367507707706996859454145691648, 3/4" x 1/5444517870735015415413993718908291383296, 3/4" x 1/10889035741470030830827987437816582766592, 3/4" x 1/21778071482940061661655974875633165533184, 3/4" x 1/43556142965880123323311949751266331066368, 3/4" x 1/87112285931760246646623899502532662132736, 3/4" x 1/174224571863520493293247799005065324265472, 3/4" x 1/348449143727040986586495598010130648530944, 3/4" x 1/696898287454081973172991196020261297061888, 3/4" x 1/1393796574908163946345982392040522594123776, 3/4" x 1/2787593149816327892691964784081045188247552, 3/4" x 1/5575186299632655785383929568162090376495104, 3/4" x 1/11150372599265311570767859136324180752990208, 3/4" x 1/22300745198530623141535718272648361505980416, 3/4" x 1/4460149039706124628307143654529672301196083	
7. Boiler-plate Armatures, Wrought-iron Straps, Strap-bolts and Washers, about	14,139 "
8. 2 1/2", 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8", 1 1/16" and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts, and Lag-Screws and Nuts, about	14,721 "
9. Cast-iron Washers, 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8", 1 1/16" and 1" Screw-bolts, about	6,532 "
10. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about ...	70,800 "
11. Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring	70,800 "
12. Labor of every description for new Pier	
13. Removing old Pier	

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$263,999.57 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO INVEST IN THESE BONDS.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Thursday, the 29th day of June, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of an issue of \$263,999.57 registered.

CONSOLIDATED STOCK

of the City of New York, and known as "School-house Bonds," the principal payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1911, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 264 of the Laws of 1891, for the purchase of new school sites, for the erection of new school buildings, and other school purposes, and is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted May 23, 1893, and as authorized by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Education.

AUTHORITY FOR TRUST INVESTMENTS.

Attention is called to the provisions of an act passed by the Legislature March 14, 1889, authorizing executors, administrators, guardians and trustees, and others holding trust funds to invest such funds in the stocks or bonds of the City of New York.

CONDITIONS.

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

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

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

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 17, 1893.

ASSESSMENT NOTICES.

ASSESSMENTS FOR STREET IMPROVEMENTS CONFIRMED BY THE BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, MAY 26, 1893.

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

THIRD WARD.

BARCLAY STREET—PAVING, from Greenwich to West street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

DEV STREET—PAVING, from Greenwich to West street, with granite-blocks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

NINTH WARD.

ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS AT LITTLE WEST TWELFTH STREET AND THIRTEENTH AVENUE, and in BLOOMFIELD STREET, between THIRTEENTH AVENUE and WEST STREET. NEW SEWER IN THIRTEENTH AVENUE, between LITTLE WEST TWELFTH and BLOOMFIELD STREETS, and outlet through pier at foot of LITTLE WEST TWELFTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

Assessment on property, Thirteenth avenue, from Bloomfield to Fourteenth street; Tenth avenue, west side, from Bloomfield to Fourteenth street; Bloomfield street, from West street to Thirteenth avenue, and Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, between Tenth and Thirteenth avenues.

ELEVENTH WARD.

NINTH STREET—PAVING, from Avenue D to the East river, with granite blocks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

TWELFTH WARD.

AMSTERDAM AVENUE—PAVING, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Fortieth street, with granite blocks. Assessment on property, west half of Blocks 1057 to 1067, east half of Blocks 1172 to 1182.

AMSTERDAM AVENUE—RECEIVING-BASINS, west side, 369 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street. Assessment on Block 2152.

BRADHURST AVENUE—PAVING, from One Hundred and Forty-second to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

Assessment on Blocks 954, 955 and 956.

COLUMBUS AVENUE—SEWER between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets.

Assessment on blocks 916 and 1031.

KINGSBRIDGE ROAD—CROSSWALKS at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, Fort Washington Depot road and One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and across Amsterdam avenue at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

Assessment on Blocks 2145, 2152, 2163, 2164 and Farms Nos. 12, 13, 14, 21, 22, 32, 45, 46, 58 and 60.

MADISON AVENUE—FENCING vacant lots on the west side, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets.

Assessment on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Fifth street and Madison avenue.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—CROSSWALKS at the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and the north and south sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth, One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets.

Assessment on Blocks 933, 935, 937, 938 and 939.

EIGHTH AVENUE—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING, both sides, from One Hundred and Forty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

Assessment on west sides of Blocks 849 to 854 and east sides of Blocks 956 to 965.

EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between Avenue A and the summit east.

Assessment on north half Block 50 and south half Block 51.

FENCING vacant lots on block 119, bounded by Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets, First avenue and Avenue A.

NINETY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, from First to Second avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Assessment on north half of Block 213 and south half of Block 214.

ONE HUNDREDTH STREET—SEWER, between Third and Park avenues, connecting with present sewer in Third avenue (west side), north of One Hundredth street.

Assessment on Blocks 390 and 391.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between Manhattan avenue and Central Park, West.

Assessment on Blocks 919 and 920.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

Assessments on Blocks 1149 and 1150.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Manhattan avenue and Central Park, West.

Assessment on Block 920 and south half Block 921.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET—PAVING, from Avenue A to the Harlem river, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Assessment on north half of Block 57 and south half of Block 58.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH STREET—PAVING, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with asphalt.

Assessment on north half Block 818 and south half Block 819.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER, between Boulevard and Claremont avenue, and in Claremont avenue, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

Assessment on Blocks 1275 to 1279.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING, from Eighth to Manhattan avenue with asphalt.

Assessment on north half Block 933 and south half Block 934.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—RECEIVING-BASIN, alteration and improvement on the southwest corner of the Boulevard.

Assessment on Blocks 1282 and 1283.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from St. Nicholas avenue to Lawrence street.

Assessment on north half Blocks 938 and 1053, south half Blocks 939 and 1054.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Boulevard to Manhattan street.

Assessment on Blocks 1168 and 1168½.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

Assessment on north half Block 1288 and south half Block 1289.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, from Broadway to Amsterdam avenue, with granite blocks.

Assessment on north half Block 1174 and south half Block 1175, and east half of Blocks 1176 and 1177.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Hamilton place and Amsterdam avenue.

Assessment on north half Block 1180 and south half Block 1181.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING, from Eighth avenue to Bradhurst avenue, with granite blocks.

Assessment on north half Block 953 and south half Block 954.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, from Eighth to Bradhurst avenue, with granite blocks.

Assessment on north half Block 954 and south half Block 955.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

Assessment on north half Block 1184 and south half Block 1185.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWER, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

Assessment on Blocks 1185 and 1186.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—SEWER, between Hudson river and Boulevard.

Assessment on Blocks 1303, 1303½, 1304 and 1304½.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from the Boulevard to a point 500 feet west of Boulevard.

Assessment on north half Block 1303 and south half Block 1304.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, and in Amsterdam avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets.

Assessment on Blocks 1189 and 1190.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

Assessment on north half Block 1305 and south half Block 1306.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, and in Amsterdam avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets.

Assessment on Blocks 1190 and 1191.

NINETEENTH WARD.

FIRST AVENUE—SEWER, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, connecting with present sewer in Forty-third street, east of First avenue.

Assessment on west side of Block 69 and east side of block 158.

SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between Avenue A and East river.

Assessment on north half Block 30 and south half Block 31.

EIGHTY-FIRST STREET—RECEIVING-BASIN, on the northwest corner of Lexington avenue.

Assessment on Block 372.

TWENTIETH WARD.

TENTH AVENUE—FLAGGING AND CURBING, west side, from Thirtieth to Thirty-first street.

TENTH AVENUE—CROSSWALKS at the south side of Thirtieth street.

TWENTY-NINTH STREET—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING, north side, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

THIRTIETH STREET—CROSSWALKS at the westerly side of Tenth avenue.

Assessment on both sides of Thirtieth street, extending half block west from Tenth avenue.

THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING, north side, from Eleventh avenue to Hudson river.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

COLUMBUS AVENUE—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING, both sides, from Sixty-fifth to Seventieth street.

Assessment on west side of Blocks 112, 113, 114, and east side of Blocks 155 and 158.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING the vacant lots, south side, commencing about 318 feet east of Amsterdam avenue, Block 165.

EIGHTY-THIRD STREET—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING, north side, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard.

Assessment on Block 218.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

BRISTOW STREET—CROSSWALKS, from Boston to Stebbins avenue.

Assessment on Blocks 419, 420, 430 and 440.

JENNINGS STREET—CROSSWALKS, from Union to Stebbins avenue.

Assessment on Blocks 419, 420, 433, 435, 438, 439 and 440.

LINCOLN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING the SIDEWALKS, laying CROSSWALKS and PAVING the roadway with granite blocks, from Southern Boulevard to Harlem river.

Assessment on Blocks 1795, 1796 and 1807.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD—SEWER and appurtenances, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

Assessment on east side of Block 1952 and west side of Block 1953.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD—SEWER and appurtenances from the end of existing sewer west of Willis avenue to the summit east of Willis avenue.

Assessment on north half of Block 1708.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER and appurtenances, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue.

Assessment on north half Block 1721 and south half Block 1720.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET—CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS and PAVING with trap blocks, from Third avenue to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

Assessment on Blocks 1698, 1699, 1701, 1702 and 1703.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET—PAVING, from Third to Morris avenue, with trap blocks.

Assessment on south half Blocks 1685 and 1686, and north half Blocks 1698, 1699 and 1701.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING, from the westerly crosswalk of Robbins avenue to the westerly crosswalk of the Southern Boulevard, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Assessment on Blocks 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 692 and 760 to 774.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS and PAVING the roadway, from Third to Courtlandt avenue.

Assessment on north half of Blocks 1671 and 1672 and south half of Blocks 1645 and 1647.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER and appurtenances, from Railroad avenue, East, to Courtlandt avenue, and in Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-second street to Railroad avenue, East.

Assessment on Blocks 1611 to 1618, and 1637, 1638, 1639, 1640, 1652 and 1653.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, from Courtlandt to Morris avenue, with trap blocks.

Assessment on north half Blocks 1638 and 1639, and south half Blocks 1613 and 1614.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING, between the New York and Harlem Railroad and Franklin avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Assessment on Blocks 429, 430, 481 and 482, and 1248 to 1252.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET—RECEIVING BASINS on the northeast and southeast corners of Vanderbilt avenue, East.

Assessment on north side Block 1248 and south half Block 1248.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

JEROME AVENUE—CROSSWALKS on the north side of High Bridge road.

Assessment on Blocks 211 and 1033.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—SEWER and appurtenances, between the New York and Harlem Railroad and a point 55 feet west of Anthony avenue.

Assessment on Blocks 1155 to 1158, 1169 to 1171, 1174 to 1184, 1186, 1187, 1205 to 1211 and 1521.

which assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments May 26, 1893, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon or before July 26, 1893, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 15, 1893.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessment for opening and acquiring title to the following street, to wit:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Webster avenue to Franklin avenue.

Confirmed May 29, 1893.

Assessment on blocks 429, 430, 431, 480 to 485, 496, 497, 1244, 1246 to 1253, 1285F, 1285G, 1286 to 1293.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the 7th day of June, 1893, 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." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 916 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

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The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon or before August 7, 1893, 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 date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 10, 1893.

COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL UNDER CHAPTER 537, LAWS OF 1893, RELATIVE TO CHANGE OF GRADE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS NEW YORK CITY.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings, suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 28 Schermerhorn Building, No. 95 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, June 6, 1893.

DANIEL LORI,

JAMES M. VARNUM,

JAMES A. DEERING,

Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK—STEWART BUILDING,
New York, May 17, 1893.

TO THE OWNERS OF LICENSED TRUCK

that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of nine hundred (\$900) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of forty-five (\$45) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
H. W. GRAY, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING

TWO HUNDRED (200) TONS CANNEL COAL.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 28, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The coal is to be of the first quality of the kind known as "Inchall," to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be hand picked and free from slate.

All of the coal is to be delivered and stowed in bins or elsewhere at the various Fuel Depots or Engine-houses of the Fire Department, in such quantities and at such times after the execution of the contract as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of an Inspector designated for that purpose by the Department upon scales furnished by the Department, which are to be transported from place to place by the contractor, at his expense.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of fourteen hundred (\$1,400) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of seventy (\$70) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
H. W. GRAY, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles:

500,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
100,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.
4,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,600 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 28, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
H. W. GRAY, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE
Second Size Regulation Hook and Ladder Truck will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 28, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The truck to be completed and delivered within ninety (90) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of seven hundred (\$700) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of thirty-five (\$35) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
H. W. GRAY, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
NEW YORK, June 15, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE

materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting a building for quarters at No. 1849 Park avenue, for Engine Company No. 36 of the Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 28, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and sixty-five (165) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of nine thousand (\$9,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of four hundred and fifty (\$450) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
H. W. GRAY, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
NEW YORK, June 15, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE
materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting a building for quarters for a company of this Department, on the north side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, twenty (20) feet west of Trinity avenue, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 28, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and eighty-five (185) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
H. W. GRAY,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 20, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO ENGINE BOILERS, ETC., STEAMER "MINNAHANONCK."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, July 6, 1893, until 10 o'clock A.M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs, etc., to Steamer Minnahanonck," and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 20, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR FIRE ESCAPES AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, July 6, 1893, until 10 o'clock A.M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fire Escapes at Bellevue Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.**

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct.

correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house pier, Blackwell's Island (east side), ten thousand (10,000) Barrels Flour, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, until Wednesday, June 28, at 10 o'clock A.M., the said flour to conform to the samples exhibited and to be delivered as required during the next four months, beginning with the month of July, 1893. To be delivered in barrels only.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct.

correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates. Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 20, 1893.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 41, East river—Unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown hair, light brown moustache. Had on black coat and vest, blue striped pants, white shirt, white undershirt and drawers, blue woolen socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man from foot of Perry street, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; body in an advanced state of decomposition. Had on black coat and vest, brown pants, white cotton outing shirt, white cotton undershirt and drawers, white cotton socks, gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Twelfth street, North river, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high, dark hair and moustache. Had on black coat and vest, blue and gray striped shirt, laced shoe, elastic gaiter.

Unknown man from foot of Beach street, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and moustache. Had on black diagonal coat and vest, gray tweed pants, red flannel shirt and drawers, white shirt, black woolen socks, gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Forty-first street, North river, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair, beard and moustache. Had on blue chinchilla overcoat, black vest, black and gray striped pants, white shirt, blue woolen socks, one laced shoe, one elastic gaiter.

Unknown man from foot of Dey street, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair and beard, sandy moustache. Had on black diagonal coat, pants and vest, gray undershirt and drawers, outing shirt with letters "H. L. W." on tag, brown socks, laced shoes, black derby hat.

At City Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Thomas Daly, aged 47 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair, brown beard mixed with gray, brown moustache. Had on when admitted blue coat, vest and pants, white shirt, red undershirt and drawers, shoes, hat.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Barbara Vogel, aged 75 years; 5 feet 3½ inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black woolen hood, plaid shawl and corporation clothing; transferred from Bellevue Hospital, June 2, 1893.

Catharine Lace, aged 44 years; 5 feet 1¾ inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted straw hat, black skirt, brown dress, blue waist, two petticoats, shoes.

Lizzie Anthony, aged 28 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; light brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted black straw hat, black ulster, black velvet dress, striped petticoat, chemise, stockings, slippers.

At Ward's Island Hospital—James Harrison, aged 43 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black and gray hair; dark brown eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat, pants and vest, two red undershirts and drawers, white muslin shirt, brown woolen socks, laced shoes, black felt hat, leather back and chest brace.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A.M., on Wednesday, June 28, 1893:

- No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING A SUBSIDIARY ELECTRIC-LIGHTING PLANT, TO BE INSTALLED IN THE NEW ENGINE-ROOM OF THE NORTH WING OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, IN CENTRAL PARK.
- No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT CERTAIN WALKS IN THE EXTENSION OF THE EAST RIVER PARK.
- No. 3. FOR THE ERECTION OF GRANITE STEPS AND FOUNDATION WALLS FOR SAME IN THE EXTENSION OF THE EAST RIVER PARK.
- No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING-BASINS AND LAYING DRAIN-PIPE FOR WALK AND SURFACE DRAINAGE IN THE EXTENSION OF EAST RIVER PARK.
- No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING AN OUTLET SEWER AND APPURTENANCES CONNECTING EXISTING SEWER NEAR NINEY-NINTH STREET, IN THE CENTRAL PARK, WITH SEWER IN FIFTH AVENUE, AT ONE HUNDREDTH STREET.
- No. 6. FOR PLUMBING, CARPENTER WORK, ETC., FOR TOILET ROOMS IN THE ANNEX OF CASTLE GARDEN BUILDING, IN BATTERY PARK.
- No. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORGE.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately.

The estimates of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, are as follows:

NUMBER 1, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

Bidders are requested to state in their proposals ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be ONE HUNDRED CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at TEN DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

63,000 square feet of pavement.
Bidders are required to state price per square foot for furnishing materials and laying pavement with concrete base.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time specified for its completion, are fixed at FOUR DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

1,666 lineal feet granite steps, furnished and set.
300 cubic yards rubble stone masonry laid in cement mortar in foundation walls.

500 lineal feet rustic rock coping, furnished and set.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SEVENTY-FIVE CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at FOUR DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

47 walk-basins, two feet six inches interior diameter, with cast-iron curb and grating.

7 surface-basins, three feet six inches interior diameter, with twenty-four-inch cast-iron curb and grating.

1 surface-basin, three feet six inches interior diameter, with thirty-six-inch cast-iron curb and grating.

1,200 lineal feet of six-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe, including branches and special pipe, to furnish and lay.

1,000 lineal feet of eight-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe, including branches and special pipe, to furnish and lay.

600 lineal feet of ten-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe, including branches and special pipe, to furnish and lay.

150 lineal feet of twelve-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe, including branches and special pipe, to furnish and lay.

50 cubic yards of rock excavation for basins and drain-pipe.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at FOUR DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

NUMBER 5, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

560 lineal feet of thirty-inch pipe-sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle; manholes complete, and branch pipes for connections, etc.

200 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

2,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SEVENTY-FIVE CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at FOUR DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

NO. 6, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals, ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be FORTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TEN DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is TWELVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

NO. 7, ABOVE-MENTIONED.

400,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.

55,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.

3,600 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, eighty pounds to the bag.

375 bags clean, sound Yellow Corn, one hundred and twelve pounds to the bag.

200 bags first quality Bran, forty pounds to the bag.

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

Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal).
Sixty-sixth street and Eighth avenue (Sheepfold).
Eighty-fifth street, Transverse road (Stables).
One Hundred and Fifth street and Fifth avenue (Stables).

The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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

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

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

of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 ten days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

A. B. TAPPEN,
NATHAN STRAUS,
PAUL DANA,
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 13, 1893.

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 Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 23, 1893.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO ERECT AND COMPLETE, SO FAR AS HEREIN SPECIFIED, THE NEW EAST WING AND ENLARGEMENT OF THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY, IN THE MANHATTAN SQUARE, INCLUDING ALL THE NECESSARY ADDITIONAL BLASTING AND EXCAVATING, BLIND AND OTHER DRAINS, FOUNDATIONS, CONCRETING, BRICK WORK, RUBBLE STONE WORK, FILLING AND RAMMING OF TRENCHES, GRADING, MASON WORK, GRANITE AND OTHER STONE WORK, PLASTERING AND STUCCO WORK, FIRE-PROOFING, CAST-IRON, WROUGHT-IRON, STEEL AND GALVANIZED IRON AND WIRE WORK, COPPER AND OTHER METAL WORK, SKYLIGHTS, GLAZING, ROOFING, FLASHINGS, SNOW-GUARDS, GUTTERING, LEADERS, GAS AND OTHER PIPES, APPARATUS, CARPENTER WORK, HARDWARE, DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, DOORS, SASHES, GLASS, SHADES, ELECTRO-PLATING, PAINTING AND POLISHING, STEPS, PLATFORMS, CLEANING AND OTHER WORKS.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation, all implements, tools, apparatus and appliances of every description necessary to complete, in every particular, the whole of the work, as set forth in the plans and in specifications, schedule and form of agreement, including all foundations below the levels shown on plans necessary to carry the same to solid bottom.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY WORKING DAYS.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at FIFTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Bidders must submit a sample of the pink granite they propose using marked with name and location of the quarry; sample of size and cut to the surfaces.

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 nature and extent of the work, and shall not, any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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

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which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Blank forms for proposal and forms of the contract which the successful bidders will be required to execute can be had at the office of the Secretary, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Architect, J. C. Cady & Co., No. 31 East Seventeenth street.

A. B. TAPPEN,
NATHAN STRAUS,
PAUL DANA,
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 14, 1893.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at Public Auction, by George P. Morgan, Auctioneer, on Wednesday, June 23, 1893, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Sheepfold, Sixty-fifth street and Central Park, West—

1 imported Southdown Ram, 31 Ram Lambs, 10 Southdown Ewes, 15 Ewe Lambs, 1 Newfoundland Dog, 1 St. Bernard Dog, 1 Goat, 1 Donkey, 1 Danish Hound, 1 Wolf Hound and 80 fleeces of Wool (about 575 pounds).

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale. Purchases to be removed immediately after sale.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON JUNE 26, 1893—AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.

DIAMOND DRILLS FOR SALE.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York, under the direction of Abram Hyatt, Auctioneer, will sell at Public Auction, at the office of their Engineer, at Sing Sing, N. Y., the following described property, namely:

Second-hand Diamond Drill Machinery and Fittings.
2 No. 7 Diamond Drill Engines, for 2-inch drills with mandrels.

1 20 horse-power Portable Boiler, with steam pump and tools.
1 12 horse-power Portable Boiler, with tools.
2 18-inch Pulley Wheels.
203 feet 3-inch Casing.
105 feet 4 1/2-inch Casing.
142 feet of 2 1/2-inch Casing.
78 feet 10 inches of 2 1/2-inch Casing.
200 feet Drill Rods.
2 eight feet Core Barrels.
1 three feet Core Barrel.
1 ten feet Core Barrel.
2 Engine Houses.
8 Engine Bolts.
4 Derrick Bolts.
1 Slip Drum.
2 sets Engine Frames, Braces and Derrick Poles.
2 Head Blocks.

Together with Fittings and Tools for above Machinery comprising:

X Bits.
Casing Plates.
Water Swivels.
Casing Shoes.
Solid End Wrenches.
Hoisting Plugs.
Casing Caps.
Core Barrel Couplings.
Safety Clamps.
Drill Rod Clamps.
Casing Clamps.
Safety Jacks.
Taper Taps.
Jar Couplings.
Change Jar Couplings.
Change Couplings.
Plugs.
Piece 3-inch Pipe.
Drilling Water Swivels.
Steam Pipe, with globe valves and fittings.
Engine Castors.
Chains.
Water Swivel Hose and Pipe.
Hydraulic Hose.
Tool Chests.
Wrenches.
Mauls.
Tallow Pots and Oil Cans.
Funnels, Mandrel Bucket Forms.
The above machinery will be divided into lots, and catalogues showing number and composition of these

lots can be had at the office of the Engineer of the Aqueduct Commissioners, Sing Sing, N. Y. The Engineer and Auctioneer, at any time previous to the time of sale, will be ready to show the machinery to intending bidders.

TERMS OF SALE.

Purchase money to be paid in bankable funds; twenty per cent. cash payment at time and place of sale, and the balance before removal of property purchased. Purchasers will be required to remove the machinery within ten days from the time of sale. If all or any part of the property purchased is not removed according to the terms of sale, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the same, and also the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,
JAMES C. DUANE,
President.

J. C. LULLEY,
Secretary.
AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209 STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 9, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE work and furnishing the materials called for in the approved form of contract now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners for Cutting Timber and Clearing Grounds on Titicus river, for Reservoir "M," near Purdy's Station, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, New York, will be received at this office until Wednesday, June 23, 1893, at 3 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their inclosure, and form of bonds, and all other information, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,
JAMES C. DUANE,
President.

J. C. LULLEY,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 22, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office on Thursday, July 6, 1893, until 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-FIFTH STREET, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-SEVENTH STREET, between Madison and Park avenues.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-EIGHTH STREET, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, between Madison and Fifth avenues, WITH ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO EXISTING SEWER ACROSS MADISON AVENUE, IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET, between Hudson river and Boulevard.

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

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

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

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

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

MONDAY, JULY 24, 1893,
AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF the City of New York, under the direction of Joseph H. Lewis, Auctioneer, will sell at Public Auction, on the premises, the following described buildings, etc., now standing within the lines of property taken under chapter 189, Laws of 1893, in the Towns of Mount Pleasant and Newcastle, Westchester County, New York:

Lot No. 1. At the Gardner Place.

Frame house, one-and-a-half-story, with basement, 24 1/2 by 24 1/2; wing, one-story, 18 by 12 1/2.

Lot No. 2. At the Tompkins Place.

Building known as Caprons factory, two-story frame, with stone basement, 70 feet 8 inches by 30 feet 7 inches, no machinery, frame house, with brick basement, one-and-a-half-story, 38 feet 5 inches by 24 feet 4 inches.

Lot No. 3. At the Hart Place.

Frame house, known as the Montfort House, two-story and basement, 28 feet 8 inches by 24 feet 4 inches.

Lot No. 4. At the Burnett Place.

Frame-house and saloon connected. House two-story, 36 feet 7 inches by 23 feet 9 inches; saloon two-story, 13 feet by 31 feet 3 inches, with story extension, 5 feet 3 inches by 31 feet 3 inches.

Lot No. 5. At the Gale Place.

Frame house, two-story and attic, 31 feet 4 inches by 24 feet 5 inches; wing, one-story, 10 feet 8 inches by 5 feet 4 inches.

Lot No. 6. At the Dimmock Place.

Frame house, two-story with attic, 22 feet 5 inches by 28 feet 6 inches; one-story extension, 9 feet 2 inches by 2 feet 1 inch.

Building connected by covered passage, one-story, 14 feet 5 inches by 24 feet 3 inches.

Lot No. 7. At the Wyckoff Place.

Frame building, with attic; living-apartments in upper story; lower story fitted for store, with counters, shelves, etc., 24 feet 5 inches by 57 feet 8 inches. Frame barn, 22 feet 8 inches by 30 feet 5 inches.

Lot No. 8. At the School-house.

Frame with brick basement, 1 story, 34 feet 6 inches by 24 feet 5 inches.

Lot No. 9. At the Onderdonk Place.

Frame house, two-story and attic, 30 feet 7 inches by 32 feet. East wing, one-story and attic, 33 feet by 25 feet 6 inches. West wing, one-story, 14 feet 2 inches by 16 feet 4 inches.

Wash-house, one-story, 14 feet 5 inches by 14 feet 5 inches.

Lot No. 10. At the Taylor Place.

Frame house, unfinished, two-story, 23 feet 5 inches by 18 feet. Wing, 13 feet by 4 feet 3 inches.

TERMS OF SALE.

The consideration the Department of Public Works shall receive for the foregoing buildings will be, First—the removal of every part of the building, excepting the stone foundation, on or before the 24th day of August, 1893, and Second—the sum paid in money on the day of sale. If any part of any building is left on the property on and after the 24th of August, 1893, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the building, or part of building so left, and also the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale; and the Department of Public Works may, at any time on or after the 24th of August, 1893, cause said building, or part of building, to be removed and disposed of at the expense of the party to whom the above-conditioned sale, as described, may be paid. The total amount of the bid must be made at the time of the sale.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works
of the City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 13, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office on Tuesday, June 27, 1893, until 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO WOODEN BOX SEWER AT FOOT OF FORTY-SECOND STREET, NORTH RIVER.

No. 2. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN RIDER AND PROSPECT AVENUES, AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH, AND GEORGE STREETS.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SOUTH STREET, from Whitehall to Corlears street (so far as the same is not within the limits of grants of land under water).

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or

otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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MICHAEL T. DALY,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTERS,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, May 1, 1893.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual Water Rates for 1893 are now due and payable at this office.

Permits for the use of Croton water for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, etc., etc., must be renewed immediately.

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

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

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

The Commissioner of Public Works desires to give the following explanation of the operation of this act:

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,

Commissioner of Public Works

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with two thousand four hundred tons of best quality of Lehigh Coal will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until twelve o'clock M. of Wednesday, the fifth day of July, 1893.

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

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of each size of coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

The attention of bidders is called to the following provision of the contract:

"And it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the parties to this contract that the said parties of the second part may, and they are hereby authorized to increase or diminish the amounts of coal required to be furnished herein, by an amount not to exceed ten per cent, without compensation to the said party of the first part other than the prices per ton herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount actually furnished under this agreement."

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand pounds for the coal to be delivered. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission

will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interest.

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

The entire quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery of the contract.

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the person 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 be 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.

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

By order of the Board.
WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.
NEW YORK, June 21, 1893.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement, in pursuance of chapter 714 of the Laws of 1892, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M., consider and determine, upon such proof as may be adduced before it, whether Robbins avenue, from the junction of Westchester avenue and Kelly street to St. Joseph's street, formerly Grove street, a street in the Twenty-third Ward, the title to which has not as yet been acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, is now and has been used for public traffic and travel since January first, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and is so used for a width sufficient to permit of the construction of a sewer therein.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement, in pursuance of chapter 714 of the Laws of 1892, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M., consider and determine upon such proof as may be adduced before it, whether Lowell street, from Third avenue to Rider avenue, formerly East One Hundred and Forty-first street, a street in the Twenty-third Ward, the title to which has not as yet been acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, is now and has been used for public traffic and travel since January first, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and is so used for a width sufficient to permit of the construction of a sewer therein.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out and opening a new street, to be known as One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard, distant 219 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 775 feet, to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly along said avenue, distance 60 feet; thence westerly, distance 775 feet, to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

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

And that such proposed action of the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen.

Dated New York, June 21, 1893.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 5th day of August, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 5th day of August, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 4th day of August, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lowell street, from Third avenue to Rider avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Lowell street, from Third avenue to Rider avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Rider avenue as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of August, 1893, 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, June 23, 1893.

SAMUEL W. MILBANK, Chairman,
JACOB P. SOLOMON,
HENRY W. GRAY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BOSCOBEL AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the easterly approach to the bridge over the Harlem river, at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of July, 1893, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, June 20, 1893.

HENRY G. CASSIDY,
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on Wednesday, June 28, 1893, at 1 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street, in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 51 Chambers street; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1893, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 14, 1893.

SAMUEL E. DUFFEY, Chairman,
CHARLES S. HAYES,
WILLIAM H. KLINGER,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court

of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 11th day of July, 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 and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, between Wadsworth avenue and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 214 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 800 feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 800 feet, to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distance 214 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 300 feet, to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 300 feet, to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated New York, June 12, 1893.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 11th day of July, 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 and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Bradhurst avenue and Eighth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 225 feet, to the easterly line of Bradhurst avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly, distance 225 feet, to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Eighth avenue and Bradhurst avenue.

Dated New York, June 12, 1893.

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on the 23d day of June, 1893, at 12 o'clock M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 51 Chambers street; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1893, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 9, 1893.

WILLIAM H. BARKER, Chairman,
LEO C. DESSAR,
JAMES E. DOHERTY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to a strip of land of the average width of 2 5-10 feet along the northerly line of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, between Elton avenue and Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 11th day of July, 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 and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to a strip of land, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, of the average width of 2 5-10 feet along the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Elton avenue and Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been monumented, regulated, graded and paved by the city authorities, and to which title has not as yet been acquired, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Elton avenue, distant 2 3-4 feet northerly from the intersection

of the eastern line of Elton avenue and the northern line of the land acquired for East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Elton avenue for 2 3-4 feet to the northern line of the land acquired for East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

2d. Thence easterly along said line for 207 5-8 feet to the western line of Third avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Third avenue for 3 9-16 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 207 7-8 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street is designated as a street of the first class.

Dated New York, June 12, 1893.

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

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 12th day of July, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 12th day of July, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 11th day of July, 1893.

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

Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Nineteenth street and One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Riverside avenue to the Boulevard; easterly by the westerly line of the Boulevard; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Nineteenth street and One Hundred and Twentieth street from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue; westerly by the easterly line of Riverside avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of July, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 27, 1893.

EDWARD T. WOOD, Chairman,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
PETER BOWE,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1893, at 10 30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, June 14, 1893.

WILLIAM H. BARKER,
LEO C. DESSAR,
JAMES E. DOHERTY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 6th day of July, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 6th day of July, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 5th day of July, 1893.

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

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue, distant about five hundred and thirty feet northerly from the westerly tangent point of the curve joining the northerly line of Featherbed lane with the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue; thence easterly and at right angles with Aqueduct avenue for a distance of one hundred feet; thence by a line running south seventy-six degrees east for two hundred and sixty

feet; thence by a line parallel with, and distant about two hundred and eighty-five feet northerly from, the northerly line of Featherbed lane to the centre of McComb's road; thence southerly along the centre of the McComb's road to a point distant about sixty feet northerly of the northerly line of Featherbed lane; thence southeasterly, easterly, northerly and again easterly along the centre line of the block between Featherbed lane, McComb's road, a certain unnamed street or avenue and Jerome avenue, to a point in the westerly line of Jerome avenue, distant nine hundred and fifty-five one-hundredths feet northerly of the northerly line of Featherbed lane; thence southerly along the westerly line of Jerome avenue to a point distant one hundred and ninety feet southerly from the southerly line of Featherbed lane; thence westerly along the centre line of the block between Featherbed lane and Wolf place to the centre of Inwood avenue; thence southerly along the centre of Inwood avenue to a point opposite the centre line of the block between Featherbed lane, McComb's road and Inwood avenue; thence westerly and along the centre line of the last-mentioned block to the easterly line of McComb's road; thence by a line running south seventy-eight and one-half degrees west for five hundred feet; thence by a line running north sixty-six and a half degrees west to the centre of Marcher avenue; thence southerly along the centre of Marcher avenue for a distance of two hundred and sixty-five feet; thence westerly along the centre line of the block between Featherbed lane, Boscol avenue, Marcher avenue, and a certain unnamed street or avenue, to the centre of said certain unnamed street or avenue, being the first street or avenue lying west of, and having the same general direction as, Marcher avenue; thence northerly along the centre of said unnamed street or avenue for a distance of four hundred and thirty feet; thence westerly and parallel, or nearly so, with the southerly line of Featherbed lane to the centre of a certain unnamed street or avenue, being the first street or avenue east of, and having the same general direction as, Aqueduct avenue; thence southerly along the centre of said unnamed street or avenue to a point opposite the centre line of the block between Featherbed lane, Aqueduct avenue, Boscol avenue and said certain unnamed street or avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of the last mentioned block to the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue; thence northeasterly along the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue to the point or place of beginning, the northerly and southerly boundary lines of said area of assessment being as nearly as practicable half way between Featherbed lane and the nearest streets or avenues north and south of Featherbed lane.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of July, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 24, 1893.

LAMONT MCLOUGHLIN,
Chairman,
LOUIS CAMPORA,
WILLIAM H. MARSTON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 11th day of July, 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 and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between the Boulevard and Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the Boulevard, distant 463 6-7 feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fourteenth street; thence westerly and parallel to said street, distance 416 6-7 feet, to the easterly line of Riverside avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 8-16 feet; thence still along said line in a curve to the right, radius 800 feet, distance 1 17 feet; thence easterly and parallel to One Hundred and Fourteenth street, distance 400 8-16 feet to the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated New York, June 12, 1893.

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

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 13th day of June, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 13th day of June, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 1 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 12th day of June, 1893.

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

Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Convent avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street

and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Convent avenue to Amsterdam avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Convent avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of June, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 1, 1893.

SAMUEL E. DUFFY, Chairman,
CHARLES S. HAYES,
WILLIAM H. KLINKER,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 27th day of July, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 27th day of July, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 6th day of July, 1893.

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

Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets; easterly by the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-first street and One Hundred and Twentieth street, and westerly by the easterly line of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of July, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 26, 1893.

MICHAEL J. LANGAN, Chairman,
HENRY HUGHES,
JOSEPH C. WOLFF,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 29th day of June, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 29th day of June, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 28th day of June, 1893.

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

Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Samuel street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Tiebout avenue to Third avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Third avenue, southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street from Third avenue to Tiebout avenue; westerly by the easterly line of Tiebout avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of July, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 17, 1893.

THOMAS J. MILLER,
THEODORE M. ROCHE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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