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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, March 28, 1893,
11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in room No. 16, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. George B. McClellan, President;

ALDERMEN

Andrew A. Noonan, Vice-President,	Francis J. Lantry, John Long, Joseph Martin, Rollin M. Morgan, Robert Muh, William H. Murphy, John T. Oakley, John J. O'Brien, James Owens, Charles Parks,	John G. Prague, Frank G. Rinn, Frank Rogers, Patrick J. Ryder, Robert B. Saul, William H. Schott, Charles Smith, Samuel Wesley Smith, William Tait, Jacob C. Wund.
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The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman S. W. Smith moved to suspend the rules so as to permit him to call up General Order 195, being a resolution, as follows:

(G. O. 195.)

Resolved, That Tuesday, the 18th day of April, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M., and the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, be and hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the petition of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company and The Sixth Avenue Railroad Company to the Common Council of the City of New York, for its consent and permission that the petitioners may extend the existing railroad tracks of said companies to connect with each other, and may build, construct, maintain and operate extensions or branches of said petitioners' railroad in the City of New York, as set forth in the petition of said companies for such consent, will be first considered, and that public be given by the Clerk of this Board by publishing the same daily for fourteen days in two daily newspapers published in this city, to be designated by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of section 92 of the Railroad Law, such advertising to be at the expense of said petitioners.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman S. W. Smith moved that the resolution be amended by inserting the word "notice" after the word "public" and before the word "be."

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the paper was again laid over.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
March 27, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without approval, the resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted March 21, 1893, permitting Stafford, Whitaker & Keech to lay a 10-inch conduit for conducting steam, with two 2-inch iron return pipes for condensed water and waste water across Thirty-first street, about seventy feet east of Broadway, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works that:

"The placing of steam-pipes in the streets is detrimental to all other underground conduits and structures in consequence of the heat radiated from steam pipes, and its effects on lead joints, protecting material, etc., causing leaks of water, gas and electricity. That in all such steam-pipes there is a probability of escape of steam and water, and that such pipes laid across streets are a barrier to the laying of longitudinal conduits thereafter."

THOS. F. GILROY, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Stafford, Whitaker & Keech to lay an iron conduit, ten (10) inches in diameter, to contain a five (5) inch iron pipe for conducting steam from the San Carlo Hotel to the Grand Hotel, on the opposite side of the street, and also two (2) two (2) inch iron pipes for returning condensed water and waste water, said conduit to be laid in East Thirty-first street, about seventy feet east of Broadway, as shown on the accompanying plan, upon payment to the city as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be determined an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said Stafford, Whitaker & Keech shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of laying said pipes; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Ferries and Franchises, to whom were referred the following resolutions:

Whereas, The ferry running to the landing known as St. George, Staten Island, has been operated entirely from the westerly slip at the foot of Whitehall street, and almost all the passenger and freight business of the whole of Staten Island with New York is done over that route and from the slip mentioned, and the traffic has now become so large that the convenience and safety of the public require more slip room and larger terminal facilities, so as to permit the use of more boats and the making of more frequent trips; and,

Whereas, A small amount of business has been done with the north shore of Staten Island from the slip lying next to the eastward of the aforesaid westerly slip, under a ferry franchise therefor; and,

Whereas, The leases under which all ferry business to Staten Island has been carried on will all expire on the first day of May next; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the sale of the ferry leases and franchises to Staten Island for the operation of ferries for the term to begin May 1, 1893, shall include the exclusive use of the two slips at the bulkhead at the foot of Whitehall street and the wharf and dock property connected with the same, the said two slips, with their wharf and dock properties, being those lying next adjoining and to the westward of the Hamilton Avenue Ferry;

Resolved, That Thursday, February 9, 1893, at 12 o'clock M., and the Chamber of the Common Council be and they are hereby designated as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter of the sale of the leases and franchises to Staten Island for the operation of ferries for the term beginning May 1, 1893.

Whereas, Under the provisions of a resolution passed by the Board of Aldermen on the 29th day of May, 1877, and approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1877, a ferry was established from the foot of Whitehall street, New York City, to Sixty-fifth street, Bay Ridge, in the Town of New Utrecht, Long Island, which, since its establishment, has been operated only during the three summer months each year, and then only for the purpose of accommodating excursion travel, and has never been organized, equipped or operated as or for a regular, every-day, all-the-year round ferry, for day and night use by the public and the people living adjacent to its terminus on the Brooklyn shore, and has never provided any means of transit for goods, merchandise, or teams, or vehicles of any description, and has never had a ferry-house at its landing at the Brooklyn shore, or any adequate terminal facilities on either shore for the conduct of a regular ferry business; and

Whereas, Under the ordinance establishing this ferry no attempt has ever been made to establish a regular ferry, none has ever been established or operated, and no ferry is now being operated; the only thing that has ever been done under the said ordinance or franchise having been to put on the line during the summer time, each summer season, some excursion steamboats, and to reap the profits from the rush of summer business, and then to suddenly abandon the territory and to leave the public and the regular residents of that territory without means of access to New York, except by long and circuitous routes through Brooklyn; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on May 29, 1877, and approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1877, in the words following, to wit:

"Resolved, That a ferry be and is hereby established to run from the bulkhead at the foot of Whitehall street, New York City, to the foot of Sixty-fifth street, Bay Ridge, in the Town of New Utrecht, Long Island, the franchise to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder."

—be and the same hereby is rescinded, repealed and annulled.

This action shall not affect, impair or destroy any rights acquired under the present lease of said ferry, which will expire on the 1st day of May, 1893.

—respectfully

REPORT

as follows:

That the Chairman of this Committee sent out notices to all parties interested in the foregoing preambles and resolutions, and that on Thursday, February 9, 1893, at 12 o'clock M., a public hearing was held in the Chamber of the Common Council, Room 16, City Hall, at which were present a number of representatives for and against the proposed resolutions.

James McNamee and his associate, George M. Pinney, Jr., appeared in behalf of the resolutions, setting forth the alleged prior rights of Staten Island to the slips in question and stating the disadvantages under which the Staten Island people at present labored by reason of their limited ferry facilities.

Messrs. S. G. W. Benjamin, E. C. Bridgman and E. F. Birmingham, residents of Staten Island, also appeared in behalf of the resolutions, stating the benefits to be derived by their passage.

The resolutions were strenuously opposed by A. H. Man, President, and T. L. Feitner, counsel of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad Company, who argued that the Bay Ridge ferry using one of the slips was no detriment to the Staten Island ferry, and that the ferry was an important one both to the citizens of New York City and Bay Ridge and vicinity.

Messrs. John McKay and J. A. Townsend, residents of Bay Ridge, likewise appeared in opposition to the resolutions, showing the disadvantages to which Bay Ridge and vicinity would be subjected were the Bay Ridge ferry cut off.

Subsequently the meeting was adjourned until Friday, February 10, 1893, at 1 o'clock P. M.

The Committee decided to grant a further hearing on Thursday, February 16, 1893, at 1 o'clock P. M., at which arguments for and against were again listened to.

The Committee then adjourned until Thursday, February 23, 1893, at 1 o'clock P. M., in order to afford the counsel for Staten Island and Bay Ridge to sum up.

That, after giving due consideration and deliberation to the arguments advanced in favor of adopting the resolutions above enumerated, and duly weighing the forcible objections thereto, your Committee is of the opinion that the interests of the city, its residents, citizens and tax-payers, would be best subserved by rejecting said resolutions, as there is no public necessity for such action as is contemplated in the resolutions, nor does the public convenience require it.

Your Committee therefore reports adversely to the passage of the said preamble and proposed resolutions.

JACOB C. WUND,
BARTHOLOMEW DONOVAN,
WILLIAM E. BURKE,
CHARLES PARKS,

Committee

on

Ferries and Franchises.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Baumert, Burke, Donovan, Flynn, Gecks, Keahon, Lantry, Long, Martin, Morgan, Muh, Murphy, O'Brien, Owens, Parks, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, S. W. Smith, Tait, and Wund—25.

Negative—Alderman Brown—1.

Excused—Alderman Charles Smith—1.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Owens—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration G. O. 185, now in his hands.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from a point four hundred feet distant from Sixth avenue to the water-line of the Harlem river, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Alderman Owens moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Owens, the paper was then ordered on file.

Alderman S. W. Smith moved to suspend rules so as to call up and adopt G. O. 195.

But objection being made, Alderman S. W. Smith then moved to change the order of business so that unfinished business could be proceeded with.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Baumert, Brown, Burke, Flynn, Gecks, Murphy, Oakley, C. Smith, S. W. Smith, and Wund—11.

Negative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Donovan, Keahon, Lantry, Long, Martin, Morgan, Muh, O'Brien, Owens, Parks, Prague, Rinn, Rogers, Ryder, Saul, and Tait—17.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That the lease to be advertised for a new term from May 1, 1893, for the ferry between Whitehall street and Staten Island, shall contain a provision that at least one regular trip shall be made between the hours of one o'clock A. M. and five o'clock A. M. daily, at an interval of one hour and thirty minutes between each trip.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That the lease to be advertised for a new term for the ferry to Bay Ridge, Long Island, shall contain a provision for improved facilities for the safe and more convenient receiving and landing of passengers and vehicles at the Long Island Terminus.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Department of Public Works:

(G. O. 220.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 28, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the

sidewalks on the north side of Sixty-third street, commencing at Amsterdam avenue, and extending east about two hundred and fifty feet, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective; the materials to be used for said work to be flagging and curb of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the north side of Sixty-third street, commencing at Amsterdam avenue and extending east about two hundred and fifty feet, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 221.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 28, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the sidewalks on the east side of West End avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-fourth street, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective; the materials to be used for said work to be flagging and curb of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the east side of West End avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-fourth street, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 222.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 28, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the sidewalks on the south side of Sixty-third street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective; the materials to be used for said work to be flagging and curb of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the south side of Sixty-third street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 223.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 28, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the sidewalks in front of Nos. 229 to 247 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective; the materials to be used for said work to be flagging and curb of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That the sidewalks in front of Nos. 229 to 247 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 224.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 25, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that crosswalks of two courses of North river blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Greenwich avenue, within the lines of the northerly and southerly sidewalks of Bank street; the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of North river blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Greenwich avenue, within the lines of the northerly and southerly sidewalks of Bank street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which were severally laid over.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Secretary of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,
ROOM NO. 10, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, March 27, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

SIRS—By direction of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, at a meeting held on the 24th instant, I herewith transmit to you true copy of resolutions adopted by said Board at said meeting, setting forth that the said Board propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Amsterdam to Wadsworth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city.

I am, very respectfully,

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,
ROOM 10, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, March 27, 1893.

The following is a true copy of resolutions relating to the laying out of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, between Amsterdam and Wadsworth avenues, adopted by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement at a meeting held on the 24th March, 1893:

Resolved, 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 a new street, to be called One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, between One Hundred and Eighty-fifth and One Hundred and Eighty-seventh streets, from Amsterdam to Wadsworth avenue, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant two hundred and fourteen feet ten inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance eight hundred feet to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance sixty feet; thence easterly, distance eight hundred feet to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance sixty feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distance two hundred and fourteen feet ten inches, northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance three hundred feet, to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance sixty feet; thence easterly, distance three hundred feet, to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance sixty feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty feet wide between the lines of Amsterdam avenue and Wadsworth avenue.

Resolved, That such proposed action of this Board be laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, and that full notice of the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and he is hereby directed to transmit to the Board of Aldermen a copy of the foregoing resolution, and to cause to be published the notice required by law.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Clerk of the Common Council:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 28, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to one of the provisions of section 1 of "An ordinance to regulate the use of the sidewalks of the streets of the City of New York, within the stoop-lines, for stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water," approved October 3, 1888, I herewith transmit all the applications received in this office for permits to sell the articles named, as provided in said ordinance, during the month of March, 1893.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Mary's Library Association to place a transparency on the lamp-post at East Broadway and Rutgers street, and one on the lamp-post at Grand and Ridge streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, such transparencies to be supplied at their own expense; such permission to continue until May 1, 1893.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 225.)

By Alderman Baumert—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the northwest corner of Eighty-ninth street and Avenue B be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Burke—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Tighe to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 88 Amsterdam avenue, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Trelease to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk nearest the curb in front of No. 66 West Broadway, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 226.)

By Alderman Donovan—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Fifth street, between Park and Madison avenues, be fenced in with a tight board fence, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 227.)

By Alderman Geeks—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Walnut and Willow avenues; in One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, between Mott and Gerard avenues; in One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, between Webster and Tiebout avenues; in George street, between Buson and Forest avenues, and in Rider avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 228.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Wales avenue, from St. Joseph street to One Hundred and Fifty-first street, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space of four feet in width, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, and approaches graded where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 229.)

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That the lamp-post now in front of No. 2 Front street be moved to a point seven feet further south, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 230.)

By Alderman Geeks—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from the northwest corner of St. Ann's avenue to Eagle avenue, and along Eagle avenue to the southeast corner of Cedar place, as provided by section 356, New York City Consolidation Act, 1882.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Reinert to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk nearest the curb on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Rider avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 231.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Trinity avenue and Willow avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 232.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots at No. 886 One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, extending through from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 233.)

By Alderman Keahon—

Resolved, That the carriageway of Thirteenth avenue, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 234.)

By Alderman Owens—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets, Fifth and Lenox avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Prague—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Sloan to place and keep a crosswalk in front of his premises, No. 309 Columbus avenue, said crosswalk to be of North river blue stone, and to extend to the opposite curb, the work to be done and material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 235.)

By Alderman Parks—

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and two street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of St. Columbus school-house, on north side of Twenty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Keahon—

Whereas, It has pleased God to remove from among us the Hon. James Fitzpatrick, late Deputy Clerk of the Court of General Sessions; and

Whereas, During his life-time Mr. Fitzpatrick endeared himself to thousands of our fellow citizens by his genial temperament and sterling integrity as an official; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen deeply deplore the untimely death of the late James Fitzpatrick, and deeply extend its sincere sympathy to his wife and children.

Resolved, That, as a further mark of respect, this Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by a rising vote.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 4, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, March 15, 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. 8610 to 8624, inclusive, amounting to \$2,270.27.

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, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Transitman Frank N. Speyer be and he is hereby promoted to the grade of Assistant Engineer in the Engineer Corps of the Aqueduct Commissioners, at one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, he having been certified by the Civil Service Commission as eligible for such promotion, the same to take effect from and after March 15, 1893.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following communication received from the Chief Engineer: NEW YORK, March 15, 1893.

To the Honorable the Committee on Construction:

GENTLEMEN—In pursuance of my letter of March 1, four parties were requested to present bids for the construction of the One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street drain, the laying of which was requested by the Commissioner of Public Works and undertaken by the Aqueduct Commissioners.

Two bids only were submitted, one by C. H. Babcock, at \$6 per lineal foot, making a total amount for 148 feet of \$888; the other by John Slattery, of an aggregate amount of \$925.

As the Department of Public Works was desirous to commence the work at once, and as the lowest bid is reasonable, under the authority given me by your resolution of March 1, I requested Mr. Babcock to proceed with the work, under the direction of Mr. Thomas L. Moore, Assistant Engineer of the Department of Public Works.

I am, respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

And recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in awarding the work of constructing a drain at One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Amsterdam avenue, New York City, to C. H. Babcock, the lowest bidder, at his price of six dollars per lineal foot, making a total for one hundred and forty-eight feet of eight hundred and eighty-eight dollars, be and the same is hereby approved.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, 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 F. Gaynor, contractor for the blow-off at Shaft No. 24 of the New Aqueduct, for pumping from August, 1891, to April, 1892, amounting to three hundred and sixty dollars and twenty-three cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, 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 Buttner & Leherly, for carting cast-iron pipes from High Bridge to the pipe yard of the Department of Public Works, at East Twenty-fourth street, New York City, amounting to thirty-six dollars and two cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, 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 James Dougherty, for material and labor required to construct a pattern for a cover at Shaft No. 25 of the New Aqueduct, amounting to twelve dollars and seventy-seven 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 Jacob E. Crow, for storage of portable hoisting plant at Sing Sing, N. Y., from July 1, 1892, to February 1, 1893, amounting to seventy 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 Minott M. Baker, for moving portable hoisting plant from Sing Sing, N. Y., to Pocantico, N. Y., amounting to sixty-five 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 N. L. Coe, for photographs of the work at the several dams of the New Aqueduct, amounting to thirty-six dollars, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was adopted.

The Committee also presented the following, and recommended that a copy thereof be transmitted to the Chairman of the Committee on Cities of the Senate of the State of New York:

To the Committee on Cities of the Senate of the State of New York:

The memorial of the Aqueduct Commission of the City of New York respectfully represents: That the attention of the Commission has been called to a bill now under advisement before your Committee known as "Assembly Bill — Int. No. 208," and which has for its purpose the taking of immediate and effective steps for the sanitary protection of the Croton watershed.

The Aqueduct Commission realizes fully the urgent necessity that exists for the prompt enactment of some measure of this kind, and, so far as we can learn, no one seriously questions the propriety of protective legislation.

The terms and provisions of the bill now before your Committee meet the approval of this

Commission, except that in our opinion even greater powers could be usefully conferred upon the Department of Public Works, and the three-year limitation inserted in the bill in the Assembly should be rescinded, so as to leave the authority of the Commissioner continuous.

In the opinion of this Commission, whatever power and authority is to be conferred by the bill should be conferred upon the Commissioner of Public Works, in view of the fact that the Department of which he is the head is now, and has been for many years, charged with the duty of taking such measures as may be necessary to preserve and increase the quantity of water and keep it pure, a duty which it has not been possible to fulfill in the past, because the Legislature has omitted to invest the Commissioner with the necessary legal authority. So long as this duty is imposed upon the Department of Public Works, the legal machinery for the practical performance of that duty should be put in the hands of that Department. In our opinion the authority to be conferred by the bill should not be shared with any other body, board or person, as a divided authority will lead to a divided responsibility.

As a matter of law the property to be acquired under this bill, and the work to be done, will fall by operation of section 317 of the Consolidation Act under the charge of the "Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct," and, as a matter of practice, it is well understood that the land to be acquired, and the plans to be adopted, will be acquired and adopted under his advice. The gentleman who now holds that position is well known to the members of this Commission, is thoroughly familiar with the whole watershed, and is entirely competent to devise and carry out an efficient system of sanitation, provided the necessary power be entrusted to him.

We therefore ask that your Committee will give to the bill in question your prompt and favorable consideration.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the recommendation was adopted.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

J. C. LULLEY, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1892.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy, in the chair, and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

Decisions

in cases in wherein testimony was taken on 7th instant:

Fireman 3d grade Joseph M. Cavanagh, Hook and Ladder 18. Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 3d grade John D. White, Engine 55. Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 3d grade John McDonough, Jr., Engine 11. Fined one day's pay.

Fireman 1st grade David Moss, Engine 40. Fined ten days' pay, and warned.

Fireman 1st grade Thomas King, (No. 2), Engine 50. Sentence suspended.

Engineer of Steamer Patrick McDonnell, Engine 23. Fined five days' pay.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, December 13, 1892.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy, in the chair, and Commissioners S. Howland Robbins and Anthony Eickhoff.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted on November 21 last, requesting transfer of appropriation authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, be rescinded.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the transfer of the following amounts of estimated balances from the appropriations for the present year, to wit:

For Salaries—	
Headquarters Pay-roll.....	\$1,800 00
Salary of Instructor of Corps of Sappers and Miners.....	2,000 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	800 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	800 00
Telegraph Force Pay-roll.....	600 00
For New Sites for Apparatus Houses.....	12,000 00

—which cannot now be used for the purposes for which they were appropriated, to "Apparatus, Supplies, etc.," for the year 1892, for which the amounts are needed.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1892.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins, in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

In the matter of the investigation of origin of fire at No. 149 Bowery, 1.38 o'clock A. M., November 19, 1892, Eli Hayman was sworn and examined and having refused to answer questions put to him the Attorney to the Department was instructed to institute proceedings in the Supreme Court to compel the witness to testify.

Trials

upon charges preferred against members of the Department were held and disposed of as follows:

Fireman 3d grade John L. McCormack, Hook and Ladder 20, for "violation of section 80, article VI., Rules and Regulations" and "neglect of duty." Fined one day's pay.

Fireman 3d grade Joseph M. Cavanagh, Hook and Ladder 18, for "absence without leave" and "neglect of duty." Fined seven days' pay and tender of resignation accepted.

Requisitions, etc.,

were received and disposed of as follows:

Expenditures Authorized.

Wood.....	\$170 00
Repairs to Ahren's Engine, registered No. 360.....	21 75

Filed.

Report of sale of horses.

Account of sales of horses.

Statement of condition of appropriation.

Certified copy of resolution of Commissioners of Sinking Fund, assigning to the Fire Department the lot of land on south side of Sixty-eighth street, adjoining land now owned by the Department.

Relative to renewal of lease of premises No. 253 Spring street, for Engine 30.

Resolution Adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby requested to authorize a lease for a term of two years, of the premises No. 253 Spring street, from the corporation of Trinity Church, for use as quarters of Engine Company No. 30 of the Fire Department.

Contract Awarded.

To Hafker & Hollwedel, for new engine-house on West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, for \$19,445.

Bills and Pay-rolls Audited

and ordered to be transmitted to the Finance Department for payment:

Schedule No. 117 of 1892, on this date.

Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$1,104 22
Salaries.....	695 70
Total.....	\$1,799 92

Schedule No. 118 of 1892, on this date.

Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$320 25
Placing fire-alarm conductors underground.....	55 20
Salaries.....	1,509 08
Total.....	\$1,944 53

Communications, etc.,

were received and disposed of as follows:

Referred.

Fireman Engine 43—Report of refusal of owners of schooner "Mattie Newman" to repair damages to fire-boat "Havemeyer." To the Attorney, with directions to prosecute.
Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violations of law (chimney fires). Back, with directions to enforce collection of penalties.
Same—Recommending prosecutions for violations of law. To the Attorney, with directions to prosecute.
Same—Recommending remission of penalties. Approved. Back.

Filed.

Report of slight fire in property-room of Academy of Music on 13th instant.
Report of death of Fireman 1st grade James McCann., Hook and Ladder 15.
Petition of Fireman 1st grade Michael J. Britt, Hook and Ladder 19, to be retired.
Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, December 17, 1892.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.
Present—Commissioner S. Howland Robbins, in the chair, and Commissioner Anthony Eickhoff.

Communication.

From Chief of Department—Recommending that, for reasons stated, the name of Assistant Foreman Henry Kinsella, of Engine 32, be dropped from the rolls, to take effect immediately. Approved and filed.
Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

OFFICE OF MAYOR'S MARSHAL,
No. 1 CITY HALL,

In compliance with section 708 of chapter 269 of the Laws of 1882, a public hearing will be given at the Mayor's Marshal's Office, in Room 1, City Hall, on Friday, March 31, at 10.30 A.M., to objections to the issuing of permits for street stands for vehicles in front of the premises—

No. 121 East Twenty-second street.
No. 123 East Twenty-second street.
No. 125 East Twenty-second street.
No. 17 East Twenty-seventh street.
No. 19 East Twenty-seventh street.

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.
GEORGE E. BEST, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
CHARLES G. F. WAHLE and EDWARD OWEN.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN J. TUCKER, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, H. W. CANNON, and the MAYOR, COMPTROLLER and COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, *ex officio*, Commissioners; J. C. LULLEY, Secretary; A. F. KLEY, Chief Engineer; E. A. WOLFE, Auditor.

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.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLMAN, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6).
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9).
JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4).
WM. M. DRAN, Superintendent of Street Improvements (Room 5).
HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (Room 9).
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15).
MAURICE FEATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 11).
STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11).
JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12).
MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16).

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER
Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN EVCK, Secretary

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

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. GOULDSBURY, Second Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
Nos. 31, 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. 1 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. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes; JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
No money received after 2 P.M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES F. MACLEAN, JOHN McCLAVE and JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KIFF, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBROUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., and EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A.M. to 4.30 P.M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS, President; ANTHONY EICKHOFF and JOHN J. SCANNELL, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.
Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and JOSEPH D. BRYANT, M. D., the PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD and HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, *ex officio*, Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

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.
PAUL DANA, President; ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN, NATHAN STRAUS and HENRY WINTHROP GRAY, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Saturdays, 12 M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; EDWARD L. PARRIS and GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, Commissioners.
FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING

Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner; JOHN J. RYAN, Deputy Commissioner; J. JOSEPH SCULLY, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JAMES THOMSON, Chairman; WILLIAM HILDRETH FIELD and HENRY MARQUAND, Members of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

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, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

The MAYOR, Chairman; E. P. BARKER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER and PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, Members; CHARLES V. ADER, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

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 B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
BERNARD F. MARTIN, Commissioner; JAMES F. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

SURROGATE'S COURT.

New County Court-house. Court opens at 10.30 A.M. adjourns 4 P.M.
RASTUS S. RANSOM and FRANK T. FITZGERALD, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

SUPREME COURT

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens 10.30 A.M.; adjourns 4 P.M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, GEORGE C. BARRETT, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, EDWARD PATTERSON and MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, Justices; HENRY D. PURROY, Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. MCCALL, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, JOHN LERSCHER, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20.
Part II, Room No. 21.
Part III, Room No. 15.
Part IV, Room No. 11.
Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
SIMON M. EHRLICH, Chief Justice; HENRY P. McGOWN, ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, JOSEPH E. NEUBURGER and JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justices; JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE MAY 1, 1893, ON THE Registered Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.
The Transfer Books will be closed from March 31 to May 1, 1893.
The interest due May 1, 1893, on the Coupon Bonds and Stocks of the City of New York will be paid on that day by the State Trust Company, No. 36 Wall street.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 16, 1893.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209 STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 10, 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 Constructing Highways or Roads, and their appurtenances, at Reservoir "D" in the Town of Carmel, Putnam County, New York, will be received at this office until Wednesday, March 29, 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 also the plans for said work 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.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

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 a new street, to be called One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, between One Hundred and Eighty-fifth and One Hundred and Eighty-seventh streets, from Amsterdam to Wadsworth avenue, more particularly described as follows:

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.

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, March 29, 1893.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1893.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1893, are open, and will remain open for examination and correction until the thirtieth day of April, 1893.

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

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

EDWARD P. BARKER,
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 3075, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from the westerly crosswalk of Robbins avenue to the westerly crosswalk of the Southern Boulevard, with granite blocks.

List 4050, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

List 4053, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with asphalt.

List 4074, No. 4. Sewers and appurtenances in One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Courtlandt avenue, and in Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-second street to Railroad avenue, East.

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 One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from the westerly crosswalk of Robbins avenue to the westerly crosswalk of the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, Railroad avenue, East, and Courtlandt avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 21st day of April, 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, March 21, 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 completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 3816, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Ninetieth street to Harlem river.

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 Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Sixty-second street to Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues, between One Hundred and Ninetieth street and Harlem river.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 20th day of April, 1893.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 20, 1893.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, March 27, 1893.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR
THE ALTERATIONS AND ADDI-
TIONS TO A BUILDING FORMERLY
USED FOR STORING CEMENT NEAR
THE FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH
STREET.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR THE alterations and additions to a building formerly used for storing cement, near the foot of East Sixteenth street, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, No. 301 Mott street, until 2.30 o'clock P. M. of the 31 day of April, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for the Alterations and Additions to a building formerly used for storing cement, near the foot of East Sixteenth street, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

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 sum of \$5,000.

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 estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the 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 Health Department 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 prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

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

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

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

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

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

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.

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.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or

all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, No. 301 Mott street, New York.

CHARLES G. WILSON,
JOSEPH D. BRYANT, M. D.,
WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D.,
JAMES J. MARTIN,
Commissioners.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, March 27, 1893.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR THE
PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING OF
BUILDING FORMERLY USED FOR
STORING CEMENT NEAR THE FOOT
OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR THE plumbing and gas-fitting of building formerly used for storing cement near the foot of East Sixteenth street, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, No. 301 Mott street, until 2.30 o'clock P. M. of the 31 day of April, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for the Plumbing and Gas-fitting of building formerly used for storing cement, near the foot of East Sixteenth street, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

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 sum of \$5,000.

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 estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the 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 Health Department 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 prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

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

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

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

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

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No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the 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 by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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

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mates, 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.

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Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET
CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, March 27, 1893.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following articles, the property of the Department of Street Cleaning, will be sold at Public Auction, at the stables of said Department, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, on Friday, the 7th day of April, 1893, at 10 o'clock P. M.:

24 old iron carts; 25 old iron cart bodies; 4 old wooden cart bodies; 2 old wooden ash trucks; 2 old bellows; about 7,000 pounds of old rope; about 8,000 pounds of old horsehoes; about 16,000 pounds of old iron; 8 old water barrels; 1 old water truck; 9 old sweeping machines (single); 4 old sweeping machines (double); 25 old wheels; 1 old wooden snow plow; 35 old horse collars; 12 old broom blocks; one horse, No. 13; 1 horse, No. 11; 1 horse, No. 48; 1 horse, No. 74; 1 horse, No. 128; 1 horse, No. 99; 1 horse, No. 122; 1 horse, No. 95; 1 horse, No. 90; 1 horse, No. 150; 1 horse, No. 444; 1 horse, No. 379; 1 horse, No. 337; 1 horse, No. 428; 1 horse, No. 284; 1 horse, No. 59; 1 horse, No. 62; 1 horse, No. 507; 1 horse, No. 159; 1 horse, No. 144; 1 horse, No. 299; 1 horse, No. 321; 1 mule, No. 159; 1 mule, No. 152; 1 mule, No. 144; 1 horse, No. 449; 1 horse, No. 432; 1 horse, No. 241; 1 horse, No. 82; 1 horse, No. 66; 1 horse, No. 8; 1 horse, No. 58; 1 horse, No. 50.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale, or the articles will be resold.

Purchasers will be required to remove their articles from the stables within twenty-four hours after the sale. Information in relation to the articles to be sold may be obtained from the Superintendent of Stables, Seventeenth street and Avenue C.

JOHN J. RYAN,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 24, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Department of Street Cleaning with the following articles:

1,579,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Oats, to be bright clean and sweet and full weight.
750,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.
190,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
4,000 pounds Coarse Salt.
3,000 pounds Rock Salt.
6,000 pounds Oil Meal.
60,000 pounds Bran.

will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the office of said Department, Room 189, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., April 6, 1893, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the Department Stables, Seventeenth street and Avenue C; No. 614 West Fifty-second street; One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, near Pleasant avenue; No. 37 West Twelfth street, and East Eighth street, between Avenues A and B, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

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. of Hay, Straw, Oats, Coarse Salt, Rock Salt, Oil Meal and Bran.

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

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

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

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

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 twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000); 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 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 six hundred (\$600) 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 re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

JOHN J. RYAN,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELOPES, and indorsed with the name and address of the person or persons making the same, and the date of the presentation, and a statement of the work to which they relate, will be received at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of Tuesday, the fourth day of April, 1893, at which time and place such proposals will be publicly opened and read, for the final disposition by dumping and grading thereof as it is dumped of all or part of the street sweepings, ashes and garbage collected in the City of New York, and delivered at the several dumps or dumping places of the Department of Street Cleaning in said city, including that collected by the Dock Department, which latter, by section 704 of the New York City Consolidation Act, as amended by section 704 E, chapter 269 of the Laws of 1892, the Department of Street Cleaning is also required to remove, for a period of five years from the first day of May, 1893, until the first day of May, 1898, both days inclusive, in pursuance of the authority conferred upon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning by section 709 of said Consolidation Act, of chapter 269 of the Laws of 1892, and of chapter 445, of the Laws of 1892, to make and execute special contracts for the disposal, by dumping and grading thereof as it is dumped, of street sweepings, ashes and garbage.

The estimated quantities of street sweepings, ashes and garbage, including that collected by the Dock Department aforesaid, to be removed from the City of New York each year, and finally disposed of, according to the terms of the contract hereinafter referred to, are as follows, to wit, more or less:

	Cubic Yards.
1. Ashes and garbage.....	2,500,000
2. Street sweep ngs.....	625,000
3. Material collected by the Dock Department, and required to be removed by the Street Cleaning Department.....	50,000

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required, for the period of five years, aforesaid, unless the contract be sooner terminated by breaches on the part of the contractor, to provide the necessary suitable steam-tugs, not less than the requisite number; also to provide the necessary scows, not less than the requisite number, suitable for the conveyance of said street sweepings, ashes, garbage and such other refuse as said Commissioner shall cause to be dumped on such scows, and such sweepings, ashes and garbage as may be required to be removed by the Department of Docks, as aforesaid, together with the employees, machinery, tackle and equipments of all kinds necessary to operate said tugs and scows; to keep the different dumping-boards in the city constantly supplied with suitable and sufficient scows for the reception of said substances and material that may have been collected in the process of street cleaning by said Department of Street Cleaning or said Dock Department and delivered at said dumps; to properly receive said substances on board said scows at said dumping-boards and provide the necessary tugs to tow the same to the several places of deposit with all necessary employees, machinery and tackle of all kinds to operate said tugs and to dump the same and grade the same as it is dumped. Said substances and material are to be "picked" and "trimmed" by the Department of Street Cleaning or those to whom that right shall be given by contract while being dumped on said scows, or immediately afterwards, after which such substances and material are to be towed by the contractor on said scows to either one of the following places, as the Commissioner may designate, to wit:

To Hart's Island, on the East river or Sound; to Pelham Park, on the East river or Sound; to Riker's Island, on the East river or Sound; at the New York side of the Harlem river, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Dyckman street; to localities to be designated by said Commissioner on the East river or Sound, south of said Hart's Island; or to localities to be designated by said Commissioner on the North or Hudson river, south of Yonkers; or to localities to be designated by said Commissioner in the Bay of New York, not below the Narrows, or to localities to be designated by said Commissioner in Newark Bay, in the State of New Jersey, or in case of inability to reach either of said places by reason of the prevalence of ice, or for any other reason, then to dump the same at sea, and to conform to and obey all laws of the United States, of the State of New York, the ordinances of the Board of Health touching the removal from said city to the several points of destination of such substances and material, and to hold the City harmless against damages incident to said towing, and, in the event that the Commissioner shall so order, said substances and material shall be covered over while en route and be decolorized to prevent nuisance.

If any part of said substances and material should be required for filling in purposes at other points than those designated above, they may be so used by the Department of Street Cleaning, but in that case are not to be towed by the contractor, nor charged for.

Such portion of the present plant of the Street Cleaning Department as consists of tugs and scows is to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder according to law, at a future date to be designated and duly advertised, when bidders on this contract will have the privilege of bidding for such plant.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals, verified under oath, their names, places of residence and places of business, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above work; and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council

head of 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. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification attached to said proposal be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each proposal shall also be accompanied by the consent in writing, signed by the proposer and two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, giving their respective places of business and residences, or of a guarantee company incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such proposer they will become bound for its faithful performance in the amount of seventy-five thousand dollars, and will make, execute and deliver to the parties of the second part a bond in substance in the words and figures and to the effect as contained in the blank form of bond on file in the office of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and referred to hereafter, and that if he, the person to whom said contract be awarded, shall omit or refuse to execute said contract, they will pay to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled to be paid according to his bid and that which the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, to the effect in substance that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and worth the above amount 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 an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be approved by the Comptroller. From the proposals so received, the Commissioner may select the bid or bids, the acceptance of which will, in his judgment, best secure the performance of the work, or he may reject any or all of said bids.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with such sureties, and execute such contract and bond within five days from the date of the service on him or them of a written notice to that effect, either by leaving the same at either of the addresses given in the proposal, or by forwarding it by mail; and in case of failure or neglect so to comply, he or they will be considered as having abandoned such proposal and contract, and as in default to the Corporation, under the terms of such consent, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may either make another selection from the bids or estimates submitted, or readvertise the work, as he may consider best for the public interest; but, in either event, the amount of deposit accompanying his proposal shall become forfeited to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

If the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded shall, after executing it and giving the bond, neglect or delay to commence the work, or any portion thereof, for twenty days, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may perform the said work or any portion thereof for such period of neglect or delay, and charge the whole expense of the same against the said person or persons, and deduct the same from any amount due or to become due under the contract, at his option, or he may declare the contract abandoned and have recourse to the bond given.

Each estimate must be accompanied by a CERTIFIED CHECK ON A SOLVENT BANKING CORPORATION IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, payable to the ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER of the City of New York, for five per cent. of the amount bid for the performance of all the work required by said contract to be done in any one year. On the acceptance of any bid the checks of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract and the bond called for the check of the accepted bidder will be returned to him.

The price for which the work will be done must be written in the bid and stated in figures, and shall be at a rate per cubic yard; measurements and estimates to be made by an Engineer appointed by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, on the boats or scows of the contractor or contractors, at the several dumps or dumping places of the Department of Street Cleaning, as they are designated in the contract, or such other dumps as may thereafter be designated.

Bidders will be allowed, at their option, to bid a price per cubic yard upon the work as a whole in mass, or a separate price for each class of the work, the bid or bids being for the performance of the whole work, as hereinafter described and classified, to wit:

First—For that to be dumped at Hart's Island, per cubic yard.

Second—For that to be dumped at Pelham Park, per cubic yard.

Third—For that to be dumped at Riker's Island, per cubic yard.

Fourth—For that to be dumped at localities to be designated on the East river or Sound, south of Hart's Island, per cubic yard.

Fifth—For that to be dumped at localities to be designated on the North or Hudson river, south of Yonkers, per cubic yard.

Sixth—For that to be dumped at localities to be designated in the Bay of New York, not below the Narrows, per cubic yard.

Seventh—For that to be dumped at localities to be designated in Newark Bay, in the State of New Jersey, per cubic yard.

Eighth—For that to be dumped in the Harlem river; or

Ninth—For that to be dumped at sea in case of ice in the rivers or prevention of dumping at the above designated places.

All bids must be made with reference to the form of the contract, and of the bond to be executed, printed copies of both of which, as far as can be, are on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, containing specifications, and copies may be had on application. Unless so referred to, such bids may be rejected.

Blank forms of the proposals may also be had on application at said Department of Street Cleaning, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, on or after the 24th day of March, 1893.

Dated March 23, 1893.

JOHN J. RYAN,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NOTICE.

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

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,

Room 30, COOPER UNION,

NEW YORK, March 21, 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:

March 30. DISINFECTOR, Board of Health.

LEE PHILLIPS,

Secretary and Executive Officer.

PUBLIC POUND.

NOTICE.

TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION AT PUBLIC Pound, One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and Amsterdam avenue, one gray Horse, 15 hands high; one dark bay Horse, 15 hands high; also one bay Horse, Wagon and Harness—Horse 14 hands high.

Sale, Saturday, April 1, 1893, at 1 P. M.

MICHAEL FITZPATRICK,

Pound Master.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,

Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, March 28, 1893.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC Auction, by order of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Tuesday, April 11, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following, viz:

17,000 pounds Mixed Rags, more or less.
14,000 pounds Grease, more or less.
70,000 pounds Old Iron, more or less.
175 pounds Old Brass, more or less.
10 Iron-bound Barrels, more or less.
75 Syrup Barrels, more or less.
10 Acid Carboys, boxed, more or less.

All the above to be received by the purchaser at pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street, "as are," and removed therefrom immediately on being notified that same are ready for delivery. The articles can be examined at Blackwell's Island by intending bidders on any week day before the sale.

Twenty-five per cent. of estimated value to be paid on day of sale, and the remainder on delivery.

F. A. CUSHMAN, Purchasing Agent,

Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, March 28, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Dry Goods during the year 1893, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Monday, April 10, 1893.

DRY GOODS.

40,000 yards Brown Muslin, "Massachusetts Standard," "Buck's Head," or "Atlantic A."
20,000 yards Brown Muslin Sheet, 6-4 inch.
90,000 yards Bandage Muslin, "Ulica C."
15,000 yards Muslin, "Grissoldville Manufacturing Company."
21,000 yards Shroud Muslin, "Pioneer" or "Dauntless."
8,000 yards Bleached Muslin, 4-4 inch, "Dwight Anchor."
2,000 yards Bleached Muslin, 8-4 inch, "Dwight Anchor."
600 pieces Oiled Muslin, "Centennial."
4,000 yards Furniture Check, "Otis."
6,000 yards Ticking, "Pearl River."
2,500 yards Cottonade, "New York Mills."
2,500 yards Cotton Jean, "Flushing."
6,000 yards U. G. Cassimere, "Quinnepeque."
800 yards Light Calico, American Printing Co.
2,500 yards Dark Calico, American Printing Co.
600 yards White Flannel, "Belvidere C. A."
200 yards Red Flannel, "Belvidere C. A."
600 yards Canton Flannel, "Amoskeag A. A."
3,000 yards Avonning Stripe, "Extra Stout."
3,000 yards Hickory Stripe, "Hamilton."
3,500 yards Blue Denim, "Otis CC."
400 yards Brown Denim, "Otis CC."
3,000 yards Crash Toweling, "Steven's All Linen."
2,000 yards Huckabuck Toweling.
1,300 yards Prison Cloth.
200 dozen Men's Knit Shirts.
36 dozen Men's Knit Drawers.
800 dozen pairs Men's Socks.
20 dozen pairs Boys' Socks.
500 dozen pairs Women's Stockings.
100 dozen pairs Girls' Stockings.
50 dozen pairs Boys' Stockings.
34 dozen pairs Children's Woolen Mitts.
200 dozen Women's Shawls.
100 pieces Crinoline.
300 dozen Basting Cotton, "New York Mills."
190 dozen Cotton Thread, No. 30, white.
20 dozen Cotton Thread, No. 30, black.
500 Rubber Sheets.
100 United States Overcoats.
50 "Cape Ann" Oilskin Suits.
350 Boys' Caps.
50 Ward Coats.
164 dozen Men's Straw Hats.
42 dozen boys' Straw Hats.
34 dozen Girls' Straw Hats.
2,000 yards Linen, Diaper.

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

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

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

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

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

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 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 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 surety offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or 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 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 and 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.,

EDWARD C. SHEEHY,

Commissioners, Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, March 17, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ELECTRIC-LIGHT PLANT AT CENTRAL ISLIP, LONG ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, March 30, 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 Electric-light Plant, Central Islip, Long Island," and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of

the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies 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. 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 are to state the special arrangement contemplated by their proposal, as specified at foot of PAGE 7, "SPECIFICATIONS FOR CENTRAL ISLIP."

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.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Architect, Leopold Edlitz, No. 160 Fifth Avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its 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, March 17, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ELECTRIC-LIGHT PLANT FOR BUILDINGS ON WARD'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, March 30, 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 Electric-light Plant, etc., on Ward's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of

the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000) DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies 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. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Bidders are to state which method (the Direct current or the Alternating current) is contemplated in their proposal.

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.

The forms of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Architect, Leopold Eidlitz, No. 160 Fifth avenue, New York City; 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 DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, March 16, 1893.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS,
will sell at public auction, at Pier "A," Battery place, in the City of New York, on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 1893,

at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all wharfage which may accrue for the use and occupation by vessels of more than five tons burden of the following-named piers and bulkheads:

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held March 16, 1893, the following resolution was adopted:
Resolved, That Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on behalf of this Board, be and hereby are authorized to offer for sale at public auction at Pier "A," Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, April 12, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all wharfage which may accrue for use or occupation by vessels of more than five tons burden of the following named piers and bulkheads—

For the term of three years from May 1, 1893.

On the North River.

Lot 1. Bulkhead at foot of West Ninety-seventh street, about 60 feet.
Lot 2. Northerly half and end of Pier at foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-first street.
Lot 3. Bulkhead along southerly side of West Eleventh street, from a point about 15 feet westerly of the bulkhead along West street to a point about 195 feet westerly of said bulkhead along West street, being about 120 feet of bulkhead.

On the East River.

Lot 4. Bulkhead between Pier, old 20, and Pier, old 21, about 136 feet.
Lot 5. Bulkhead at foot of East Twenty-ninth street, about 60 feet.
Lot 6. Platform southerly of East Thirty-eighth street, about 50 feet.
Lot 7. Bulkhead platform between East Seventy-eighth and East Seventy-ninth streets, beginning about 55 feet northerly of Seventy-eighth street, and running northerly about 150 feet to the southerly side of East Seventy-ninth street; and bulkhead platform at foot of East Seventy-ninth street southerly of pier about 40 feet, making a total length of about 190 feet.

Lot 8. All the made land and land under water occupied by platforms and structures southerly and easterly of original high-water mark, bounded southerly by the southerly line of the new and old platforms north of Seventy-ninth street, and bounded northerly by the northerly line of aforesaid new platform and continuing along the northerly line of rip-rap structure to the original high-water mark.

Lot 9. Pier at foot of East Ninety-fourth street (the rental of this pier will begin when the pier is completed).

On the Harlem River.

Lot 10. Bulkhead platform at foot of East One Hundred and Fifth street, about 60 feet.
Lot 11. Bulkhead platform at foot of East One Hundred and Sixth street, about 100 feet.
Lot 12. Bulkhead between the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventh street and southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighth street, about 200 feet.
Lot 13. Bulkhead southerly of East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, about 111 feet.
Lot 14. Pier at foot of East One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be at the commencement of the term of the lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or property are not in suitable and tenable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by this Department.

All repairs, maintaining or rebuilding required or necessary to be done to or upon the premises, or any part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of the lessee or purchaser.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharfage or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding or dredging.

The upset price of the parcels or premises exposed or offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale.

The Department will do all dredging whenever it shall deem it necessary or advisable so to do.

The term for which leases are sold will commence at the date mentioned in the advertisement, and the rents accruing therefor will be payable from that date in each case.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to the Department of Docks, twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, with good and sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the Department, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks, Pier "A," North river, Battery place.

The Department expressly reserves the right to resell the lease or premises bid off, by those failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so failing, refusing or neglecting, to be liable to the Corporation of the City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department. Not less than two sureties, each to be a householder or freeholder in the State of New York, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and severally, with the lessee, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the names and addresses of the sureties to be submitted at the time of sale.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon ten days' notice so to do, execute a lease with sufficient surety as aforesaid, the printed form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place.

No person will be received as a lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from this Department or the Corporation.

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to this Department or the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to this Department or to the Corporation of the City of New York.

The auctioneer's fees (\$25) on each lot or parcel must be paid by the purchasers thereof respectively at the time of sale.

Dated New York, March 16, 1893.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, March 16, 1893.

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will sell at public auction, at Pier "A," Battery place, in the City of New York, on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 1893,

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For the term of three years from May 1, 1893.

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Lot 11. Pier at foot of East One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be at the commencement of the term of the lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or property are not in suitable and tenable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by this Department.

All repairs, maintaining or rebuilding required or necessary to be done to or upon the premises, or any part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of the lessee or purchaser.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharfage or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding or dredging.

The upset price of the parcels or premises exposed or offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale.

The Department will do all dredging whenever it shall deem it necessary or advisable so to do.

The term for which leases are sold will commence at the date mentioned in the advertisement, and the rents accruing therefor will be payable from that date in each case.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to the Department of Docks, twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, with good and sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the Department, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks, Pier "A," North river, Battery place.

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Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department. Not less than two sureties, each to be a householder or freeholder in the State of New York, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and severally, with the lessee, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the

covenants and conditions of the lease, the names and addresses of the sureties to be submitted at the time of sale.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon ten days' notice so to do, execute a lease with sufficient surety as aforesaid, the printed form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place.

No person will be received as a lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from this Department or the Corporation.

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to this Department or the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to this Department or to the Corporation of the City of New York.

The auctioneer's fees (\$25) on each lot or parcel must be paid by the purchasers thereof respectively at the time of sale.

Dated New York, March 16, 1893.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 436.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE STONES FOR BULKHEAD OR RIVER WALL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE Stones for Bulkhead or River Wall will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 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 an award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows, to be furnished, cut in accordance with specifications:

1,092 pieces of Granite, consisting of 546 Headers and 546 Stretchers, containing about 21,823 cubic feet.

For further particulars, see the drawings referred to in the specifications forming part of the contract.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities of cubic feet, 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 similar stones now owned by the Department of Docks, and of the plans, 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, per cubic foot, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The first delivery of granite under this contract will be made as soon as practicable after the date of the execution of this contract, and will proceed thereafter with reasonable despatch, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the fifteenth day of June, 1893, and the amounts in each delivery are to be divided between the several classes, as ordered by the Engineer-in-Chief. 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 per cubic foot for the stones to be furnished, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, and 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 in each class by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over

and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks,
Dated New York, March 16, 1893.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-fourth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, April 11, 1893, for supplying items 2, 3 and 4 of specifications for New Furniture for New School-house at Woodlawn.

ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman.

THEODORE E. THOMSON, Secretary.

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Dated New York, March 29, 1893.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, April 4, 1893, for repairing, etc., the New School Building, corner First avenue and Fifty-first street (Primary School No. 35).

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman.

L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary.

Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, March 22, 1893.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, April 4, 1893, for Sanitary Work to be done at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 32 and 33.

AUGUSTINE HEALY, Chairman.

JOSEPH MOSS, Secretary.

Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Dated New York, March 22, 1893.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, March 30, 1893, for erecting an Addition, etc., to Grammar School Building No. 19, on the north side of Thirtieth street, between First and Second avenues.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman.

HENRY H. HAIGHT, Secretary.

Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

Dated New York, March 17, 1893.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, March 29, 1893, for supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the New School Building corner of Chrystie and Hester streets.

CHAS. B. STOVER, Chairman.

Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

Dated New York, March 15, 1893.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place, by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, March 29, 1893, for erecting Additions to Grammar School Building No. 57, on south side One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

JOHN WHELAN, Chairman.

ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary.

Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, March 15, 1893.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

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

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
No. 146 GRAND STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Thursday, March 30, 1893, at 4 P. M., for supplying the Coal and Wood required for the Public Schools in the city for the ensuing year, say seventeen thousand (17,000) tons of coal, more or less, and one hundred (100) cords of oak and one thousand (1,000) cords of pine wood, more or less.

The coal must be of the best quality of white ash—furnace, egg, stove and nut sizes—clean and in good order, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, from either of the following-named mines, viz.:

Honey-Brook Lehigh.

Hazleton Lehigh.

Plymouth white ash.

Or coal mined by the following companies, viz.:

Philadelphia and Reading.

Delaware and Hudson Canal Company.

Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Co.
Lehigh Valley Coal Company.
Pennsylvania Coal Company.
—and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The proposals must state the mines from which it is proposed to supply the coal (which is to be furnished from the mines named if accepted), and must state the price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds.

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.:

Twelve thousand and five hundred (12,500) tons of furnace size.

Three thousand (3,000) tons of egg size.

Eight hundred (800) tons of stove size.

And seven hundred (700) tons of nut size.

The oak wood must be of the best quality, the pine wood must be of the best quality Virginia, first growth and sound. The proposals must state the price per cord of one hundred and twenty-eight (128) cubic feet solid measure for both oak and pine wood. The wood, both oak and pine, must be delivered sawed and split, and must be piled in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of the school buildings as may be designated by the proper authorities, and measures for payment are to be made by the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education of the said wood so piled in the school buildings.

Proposals must state the price per cord for—
Oak wood, 16-inch lengths, split to stove size.
Oak wood, 12-inch lengths, split to stove size.

Oak wood, 12-inch lengths, split to stove size.

Pine wood, 17-inch lengths, split for kindling.

Pine wood, 13-inch lengths, split for kindling.

Pine wood, 9-inch lengths, split for kindling.

Pine wood, 6-inch lengths, split for kindling.

Said coal and wood will be inspected, and said coal weighed, under the supervision of the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education.

The contractor will be required to present with every bill for deliveries a bill of lading with each boat-load as partial evidence of the kind and quality of the coal claimed to have been delivered, and with all bills to present his affidavit stating the quantity and quality of coal delivered, where the same was weighed, and certifying the correctness of his claim.

The coal and wood must be delivered at the schools as follows: Two-thirds of the quantity of each between the fifteenth of May and the fifteenth of October, and the remainder as required by the Committee on Supplies; the contracts for supplying said coal and wood to be binding until the first day of May, eighteen hundred and ninety-four.

Two stipulated sureties, or bond by one of the Guarantee Companies, for the faithful performance of the contract, will be required, and each proposal must be accompanied by the signatures and residences of the proposer's sureties. No compensation above the contract price will be allowed for delivering said coal and wood at any of the schools, nor for putting or piling the buildings.

Proposals must be directed to the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education, and should be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," or "Proposals for Wood," as the case may be.

The Committee reserves to itself the right to impose such conditions and penalties in the contract as it may deem proper, and to reject any or all proposals received when deemed best for the public interest.

Any further information can be obtained from the Clerk of the Board of Education.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
WILLIAM H. GRAY,
ISAAC A. HOPPER,
JOSEPH A. GOULDEN,
JAMES W. MCBARRON,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, March 16, 1893.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING AND
Altering Fire-alarm Signal Boxes, 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, March 20, 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 (showing the manner of payment for the work), with specifications, 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 work is to be completed and delivered as provided in 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 ten (10) 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 they relate, specifying the kind of cables it is proposed to furnish.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, or any part thereof, 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 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 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.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR PLACING FIRE-
alarm Electrical Conductors Underground 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, March 20, 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 (showing the manner of payment for the work), with specifications, 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 work is to be completed and delivered as provided in 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 ten (10) 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 they relate, specifying the kind of cables it is proposed to furnish.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, or any part thereof, 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 twenty thousand (20,000) 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 one thousand (1,000) 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.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles:
400,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
80,000 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, March 20, 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 four thousand (4,000) 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 (200) 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.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING
5,000 tons egg coal.
750 tons stove coal.
1,500 tons nut 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, March 20, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

day March 20, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The anthracite coal is to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton or Lackawanna, all to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

All of the coal is to be delivered at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times 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.

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 work, may be seen, and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the 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 thirteen thousand (13,000) 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 six hundred and fifty (650) 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.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 28, 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, April 11, 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 REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINETEENTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, and THIRTIETH STREET, from Broadway to Sixth avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FORTY-FIRST STREET, from Fourth to Fifth avenue; FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Third to Lexington avenue, and FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-SECOND STREET, from Broadway to Eighth avenue; FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from Third to Madison avenue; FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; and FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Madison to Lexington avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-NINTH STREET, from Madison to Eighth avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTY-SECOND STREET, from Fifth to Madison avenue; SEVENTIETH STREET, from Lexington to Madison avenue; SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, from Third to Madison avenue, and SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Eighth avenue to Boulevard.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, from Madison to Fourth avenue; SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Fourth to Lexington avenue; SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and from Second avenue to Avenue A.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINETY-SECOND STREET, from Columbus to Amsterdam avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Lenox to Seventh avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Fifth to Seventh avenue, and ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Lenox to Seventh avenue.

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

Each 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 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 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 24, 1893.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 1893, AT 10.30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at Public Auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on the premises, the following, viz.: AT THE FOOT OF ROOSEVELT STREET, EAST RIVER, ABOUT 10,000 OLD GRANITE BLOCKS.

TERMS OF SALE.
Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the removal within five (5) days of the blocks purchased, otherwise the purchaser will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor, and the Department will resell the paving blocks.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 24, 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 Wednesday, April 5, 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 SEWERS IN COLUMBIA STREET, between Houston and Stanton streets.

No. 2. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN GOERCK STREET between Rivington and Stanton streets.

No. 3. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN LEWIS STREET, between Rivington and Stanton streets.

No. 4. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN WILLETT STREET, between Rivington and Stanton streets.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-SEVENTH STREET, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, between Fifth and Lenox avenues.

No. 8. FOR OUTLET SEWER FOR SEWERAGE DISTRICT No. 25, THROUGH ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET AND ACQUIRED LANDS TO HARLEM RIVER.

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 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 20, 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, April 20, 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 FURNISHING MATERIALS, BUILDING AND ERECTING PUMPING ENGINES, BOILERS AND APPURTENANCES FOR THE HIGH SERVICE WORKS AT THE NEW AQUEDUCT, BETWEEN TENTH AVENUE AND HARLEM RIVER.

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 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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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 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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 Wednesday, March 29, 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 REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF STANTON STREET, from Clinton to Cannon street; COLUMBIA STREET, from Broome to Houston street, and SECOND STREET, from Avenue A to Avenue D.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF HENRY STREET, from Oliver to Rutgers street; RUTGERS STREET, from Henry street to East Broadway; FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Grand to Houston street, and MULBERRY STREET, from Broome to Bleeker street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF AVENUE B, from Houston to Fourteenth street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF IRVING PLACE, from Fourteenth to Twentieth street, and NINTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from Fourth to Eighth avenue.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PARK AVENUE, from Sixty-eighth to Seventy-first street, and MADISON AVENUE, from Seventy-second to Seventy-ninth street.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue.

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

Each 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 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.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

MONDAY, APRIL 3, 1893,
AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF the City of New York, under the direction of Abram Hyatt, Auctioneer, will sell at Public Auction, on the premises, the following described buildings, etc.,

now standing within the flow line of the Reservoir A, situated on the Muscoot river, in the Town of Somers, Westchester County, New York, viz.:

At the Jacob Smith Place.
Lot No. 1. One-story and attic frame house, 26.5 x 27, with wing, 14.5 x 13.

At the George Anderson Place.
Lot No. 2. Two-story and attic frame house, 18.5 x 21.5.

At the Arthur Worden Place.
Lot No. 3. Two-story and attic frame house, 16.5 x 19; ice house, 7 x 13.

At the Joseph Barlow Place.
Lot No. 4. Two-story and attic frame house, 28 x 29, with west wing, 29 x 18.5; east wing, 19 x 28.5; north wing, 13 x 15; wash-house, 10.5 x 11.5.

Lot No. 5. Chicken-house, 11 x 11; smoke-house, 6 x 7; wagon-house, 31 x 20.5; extension, 8.5 x 31.

Lot No. 6. Stable, slate roof, 26.5 x 33.

Lot No. 7. Barn, 31 x 54, with extension, 10 x 20.5, and barn, 43 x 16.5.

Lot No. 8. Corn crib, 11.5 x 18.5; ice-house, 14 x 16.5; pig-sty and inclosure, 12.5 x 20.5.

Lot No. 9. Two-story frame house (tenant house), 18.5 x 20.

At the Joel Horton Estate.
Lot No. 10. One-story and attic frame house, 36.5 x 37, with east wing, 15.5 x 16; ice-house, 10 x 10.5; brick smoke house, 5 x 5.

Lot No. 11. Barn, 34.5 x 26; barn, 19.5 x 20; stable (cow), 10.5 x 8, all connected.

Lot No. 12. Corn crib, 18 x 7; wagon house, 22 x 17.5; chicken coop, 7 x 7; well house, 5 x 6.

At the School House, District No. 4.
Lot No. 13. One-story frame house, 17.5 x 13 x 5, with extension, 5 x 8; coal bin, 5 x 8.

At the Horton Estate.
Lot No. 14. Two-story and attic frame house, 28 x 31.5, with extension, 11.5 x 16, west wing, 27.5 x 27, north wing, 14.5 x 12.5, northeast wing, 6.5 x 11.5, wing, 12.5 x 10.

Lot No. 15. Smoke house, 5.5 x 5.5. Roof of ice house, 11 x 5; chicken house, wood shed and inclosure, 27.5 x 10.

Lot No. 16. Wagon house and horse stable, 40.5 and 30.5. Pig pen and inclosure, 16.5 x 14.5.

Lot No. 17. Corn crib, 18.5 x 7; south barn, 20.5 x 58.5.

Lot No. 18. North barn, 35 x 44, with extension, 13 x 24; approach to north barn, 12 x 19.

Lot No. 19. Two-story and basement frame house (tenement house), 20.5 x 17; wood and hen house, 10 x 10.

At the James Parent and Others Place.
Lot No. 20. Frame barn, 37 x 24.5, with wing connected, 45 x 25; barley pit, 19 x 24; spring house, 7 x 6.

Lot No. 21. Two-story and attic frame house, 42 x 26.5, with extension, 19 x 17; hen house, 8.5 x 8.5; corn crib, 16.5 x 7.

At the William Thacker Place.
Lot No. 22. Two-story and attic frame house, 32 x 32, with extension, 18 x 15.5.

Lot No. 23. Ice house roof, 10 x 18; hen house, 13 x 8.5; wood house, 17.5 x 14; pig sty and inclosure, 6 x 10.

Lot No. 24. Wagon house and stable, 20 x 38.5, with extension 12 x 30, and wagon shed 15 x 21, all connected.

Lot No. 25. Corn crib and grain house, 12.5 x 33; smoke house, 5.5 x 5.5.

Lot No. 26. Ox stall and milk house, 26 x 11.5, and barn, 24.5 x 32, with barley pit, 12.5 x 24.5, all connected.

Lot No. 27. One-story and frame tenant house, 21 x 16.

At the Joseph Perry Place.
Lot No. 28. Grist mill, 25.5 x 33, with three run of stone, turbine wheel machinery and fixtures, and old wooden wheel; west extension for cider press, 22 x 17; east extension, 12 x 16; flume, 34 x 6.

Lot No. 29. Store-house, 17.5 x 32.5.

Lot No. 30. Hen-house, 12 x 8.5; barn, 25 x 36.5.

Lot No. 31. Wood and wagon-house, 33 x 16.5, with wagon shed, 11 x 24.5.

Lot No. 32. Two-story and attic frame house, 34 x 29, with extension, 20.5 x 17.5; well-room, 20.5 x 8.

At the M. E. Fro t Place.
Lot No. 33. Barn, slate roof, 60 x 30.

Lot No. 34. Barn, shingle roof, 16.5 x 41; extension hen house, 10.5 x 16.5, all connected.

Lot No. 35. Ice and milk house, 16 x 22.5; pig sty, 12 x 8; spring house, 6 x 6; corn crib, 8 x 20.5.

Lot No. 36. Tenant house, slate roof, 30.5 x 22.5, piazza at north and south side.

Lot No. 37. Old barn, 32.5 x 26.5.

Lot No. 38. Old grist mill 14 x 22, with turbine wheel, circular flume 26 feet long, raceway 14 x 6 wide, extension 8 x 9.

Lot No. 39. Old saw mill with machinery 33 x 14.

At the Benson J. Lent Place.
Lot No. 40. Tenant house one and one-half stories, 23.5 x 14.5.

Lot No. 41. Shingle and tin roof carriage and store-house 37 x 27.

TERMS OF SALE
The consideration that 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 3d day of June, 1893, and Second—the sum paid in money on the day of sale. If any part of any building is left on the reservoir grounds on and after the 5th of June, 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 the sale; and the Department of Public Works may, at any time on or after the 5th of June, 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 made. 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,
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.

thereafter liable to be assessed, as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns shall therefor 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 thereat.

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

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), on Tuesday, April 11, at 2 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 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 Street, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 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, March 29, 1893.
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
JOHN FENNEL,
ROGER A. PRYOR, JR.,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River, 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 Street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 21st day of April, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Two Hundred and Eighth Street, between Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 11,311.16 feet northwesterly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street; thence easterly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, distance 1,063.79 feet to the United States Channel Line, Harlem River; thence northerly along said line, distance 60.40 feet; thence westerly, distance 1,070.79 feet to the easterly line of Tenth 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 Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River.

Dated New York, March 27, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River, 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 Street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 21st day of April, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Two Hundred and Seventh Street, between Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 12,711.31 feet northwesterly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street; thence easterly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, distance 1,028.83 feet to the United States Channel Line, Harlem River; thence northerly along said line, distance 1,068 feet; thence westerly, distance 1,040.49 feet to the easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 100 feet wide between the lines of Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River.

Dated New York, March 27, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Twelfth Avenue to the bulkhead-line, Hudson River, 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), on Tuesday, April 11, at three 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 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 Street, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 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, March 29, 1893.
JOHN E. WARD, Chairman;
J. P. SOLOMON,
HENRY WINTHROP GRAY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to TWO HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River, 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 Street, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Friday, the 21st day of April, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Two Hundred and Ninth Street, between Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 14,271 feet northwesterly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street; thence easterly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, distance 1,004.10 feet to the United States Channel Line, Harlem River; thence northerly along said line, distance 60.40 feet; thence westerly, distance 1,101.10 feet to the easterly line of Tenth 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 Tenth Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River.

Dated New York, March 27, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, from Amsterdam Avenue to Convent Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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 10th day of April, 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, March 27, 1893.
CHAUNCEY S. TRUAX,
APPLETON L. CLARK,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands required for the opening and extension of PELHAM AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), westerly to Webster Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned 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 Monday, April 10, 1893, at 3 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 Street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 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, March 27, 1893.
MICHAEL J. LANGAN, Chairman,
CHARLES F. WILDEY,
JOHN COTTER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned 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 Monday, April 10, 1893, at 12 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 Street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 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, March 27, 1893.
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN, Chairman,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
EMANUEL M. FRIEND,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WELCH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned 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 Monday, April 10, 1893, at 3 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 Street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 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, March 27, 1893.
MICHAEL J. LANGAN, Chairman,
CHARLES F. WILDEY,
JOHN COTTER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned 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 Tuesday, April 11, 1893, at 2 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 Street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 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, March 27, 1893.
LEICESTER HOLME, Chairman,
HENRY STEINER,
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tenth Avenue and Edgecombe 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, April 12, 1893, at 2:30 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 Street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of April, 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, March 27, 1893.
MAX MOSE, Chairman,
BRYAN L. KENNELLY,
JOHN MCL. NASH,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of TREMONT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Aqueduct Avenue to Boston Road, 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 said Department.

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS, OCCUPANT OR OCCUPANTS OF PREMISES TO WHICH TITLE IS SOUGHT TO BE ACQUIRED IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED PROCEEDING, AND KNOWN AS DAMAGE MAPS NOS. 1, 7, 93, 94, AND 103 THEREIN, AND TO ANY PERSON OR PERSONS, PARTY OR PARTIES INTERESTED THEREIN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE awards heretofore made by us in the above entitled proceeding for the parcels known and designated in our abstract and upon our Damage Map, as heretofore filed herein as Parcel No. 1, the award for which is made to unknown owners; Parcel No. 7, the award for which is made to unknown owners; Parcel No. 93, the award for which is made to Tappen & Haskin; Parcel No. 94, the award for which is made to Tappen & Haskin, and Parcel No. 103, the award for which is made to Chauncey Kilner, and for all of which parcels substantial awards were heretofore made, have been reduced by us to the nominal sum of one dollar for each of such parcels, the said property having been, in our opinion, dedicated to public use. Our report and maps showing the parcels mentioned are open to inspection at our office as hereafter mentioned.

That an opportunity will be afforded any person or persons, party or parties affected by such diminution, to be heard before us in opposition to such reduction, at a meeting to be held at our office, Room 2, No. 200 Broadway, on April 29, 1893, at eleven o'clock A.M.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of May, 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, March 24, 1893.
JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
JOHN HALLORAN,
G. RADFORD KELSO,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of WADSWORTH AVENUE, from Kingsbridge Road, near One Hundred and Seventy-third Street, to Eleventh 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 Street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 12th day of April, 1893, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Wadsworth Avenue, from Kingsbridge Road, near One Hundred and Seventy-third Street, to Eleventh Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Kingsbridge Road, distant 1727 feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-third Street; thence northerly and parallel with the Eleventh Avenue, distance 546.94 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street; thence westerly along the southerly line of said street, distance 80 feet; thence southerly and parallel to the first course mentioned above, distance 316.3 feet, to the easterly line of Kingsbridge Road; thence southerly along said line, distance 244.10 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street, distant 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said Avenue, distance 414.67 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 2,023.67 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street; thence easterly along said line, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street, distant 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said Avenue, distance 414.67 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 474.67 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-third Street; thence easterly along said line, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-third Street, distant 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said Avenue, distance 414.67 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-third Street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 474.67 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street; thence easterly along said line, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

The said Avenue to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Kingsbridge Road and Eleventh Avenue.

Dated New York, March 17, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, between Seventh and Eighth Avenues, 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 24th day of April, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of April, 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 24th day of April, 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-second street and One Hundred and Thirty-third street; easterly by the westerly line of Seventh avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block, between One Hundred and Thirty-first street and One Hundred and Thirty-second street; and westerly by the easterly line of Eighth 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 12th day of May, 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, March 14, 1893.

THOMAS F. DONNELLY,
Chairman,
HERMANN BOLTE,
EMANUEL PERLS,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ROBBINS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Kelly street to St. Mary's Park, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled into or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose, by and in consequence of opening a certain avenue herein designated as Robbins Avenue, as shown and delineated on a certain map made under authority of chapter 841, of the Laws of 1868, and filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County, at White Plains on February 23, 1871, and as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapters 329 and 604 of the Laws of 1874, chapter 437 of the Laws of 1876 and chapter 577 of the Laws of 1887, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 20th day of September, 1880, on the 10th day of May, 1884, and on the 10th day of November, 1888; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of September, 1880, on the 9th day of May, 1884, and on the 6th day of November, 1888, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 23rd day of September, 1880, on the 6th day of May, 1884, and on the 5th day of November, 1888; and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said avenue, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying-out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1862, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (March 13, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of April, 1893, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 13, 1893.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
CHARLES D. BURRILL,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, between Seventh avenue and the bulkhead line, Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of June, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled into or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, as shown and delineated

on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1871, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1868, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1862, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (March 13, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of April, 1893, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 13, 1893.

SAMUEL J. FOLEY,
SAMUEL H. DOBBS,
EMANUEL M. FRIEND,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, 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 3d day of April, 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, March 20, 1893.

BENJAMIN PATTERSON,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
HENRY WINTHROP GRAY,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CAULDWELL AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Boston road to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, and from Clifton street to Westchester 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 18th day of April, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 18th day of April, 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 17th day of April, 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 the point of intersection of the centre line of the blocks between Boston road and Franklin avenue with the prolongation westerly of the centre line of the blocks between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence easterly along said centre line of the blocks between Boston road and Franklin avenue to the intersection of the centre line of the blocks between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street with the centre line of the blocks between Forrest and Tinton avenues; thence southerly along said centre line of the blocks between Forrest and Tinton avenues to the northerly side of Westchester avenue; thence southerly along said northerly side of Westchester avenue to its intersection with the prolongation northerly of the centre line of the blocks between Robbins and Concord avenues; thence southerly along said centre line prolonged of the blocks between Robbins and Concord avenues to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Eagle avenue and distant about ninety feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along the last mentioned line to the point of intersection of the northerly side of Westchester avenue with the centre line of the blocks between Eagle and St. Ann's avenues; thence northerly along said centre line of the blocks between Eagle avenue and St. Ann's avenues to its point of intersection with the centre line of the block between Teasdale place and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence easterly along the last mentioned centre line to its point of intersection with a line drawn parallel to Cauldwell avenue and distant about two hundred and forty feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along the last mentioned line to its point of intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Boston road and Franklin avenue; thence northerly along the said centre line between Boston road and Franklin avenue to the point or place

of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 470 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of May, 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, March 7, 1893.

EDWARD JACOBS, Chairman,
ELLSWORTH L. STRIKER,
CHARLES D. BURRILL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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 the said city, on Tuesday, March 28, 1893, at two 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 the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of March, 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, March 14, 1893.

CHAUNCEY S. TRUAX,
APPLETON L. CLARK,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to TENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Academy street and Kingsbridge road, 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 Thursday, the 30th day of March, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Tenth Avenue, between the lines of Academy street and Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth Avenue extended 12,280.28 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, said point being in the northeasterly line of Academy street, and distant 2,18.99 feet, as measured along the said northeasterly line of Academy street, from the southerly line of the Kingsbridge road; thence northerly, distance 4,366.60 feet, to the southeasterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line, distance 380.37 feet; thence southerly, distance 3,029.51 feet, to the northeasterly line of Academy street; thence southerly along said line, distance 122.03 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said avenue to be 100 feet wide between the lines of Academy street and the Kingsbridge road.

Dated New York, March 4, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ACADEMY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Seaman Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem river, 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 Thursday, the 30th day of March, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Academy street, between the lines of Seaman Avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem river, 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 southerly line of the Kingsbridge road, distant 600.04 feet easterly from the easterly line of Dyckman street; thence southerly and parallel with said street, distance 2,774.25 feet; thence deflecting to the left 35 degrees 0 minutes and 19 seconds, distance 358.76 feet, to the United States Channel line, Harlem river; thence northerly along said line 80.54 feet; thence westerly, distance 342.85 feet; thence deflecting to the right 35 degrees 0 minutes and 19 seconds, distance 2,763.77 feet, to the southerly line of the Kingsbridge road; thence westerly along said line, distance 80.01 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point marked "A" in the northerly line of the Kingsbridge road, said point being located and described as follows: Distant 596.53 feet easterly, as measured along the northerly line of the Kingsbridge road from the Bolton road; and also distant easterly from Dyckman street, as measured along the southerly line of the Kingsbridge road, distant 600.04

feet; thence across said road and parallel to the line of Dyckman street extended, distance 100.01 feet, to the northerly line of said road and point marked "A"; thence northerly and parallel to the line of Dyckman street extended, distance 500 feet, to the southerly line of Seaman Avenue; thence easterly along said line, distance 80.01 feet; thence southerly, distance 5.0 feet, to the northerly line of the Kingsbridge road; thence westerly along said road, distance 80.01 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Seaman Avenue and the United States Channel line, Harlem river.

Dated New York, March 4, 1893.

WM. H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ISHAM STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Kingsbridge road and Tenth 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 Thursday, the 30th day of March, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Isham street, between the lines of Kingsbridge road and Tenth 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 southerly line of the Kingsbridge road, distant 2,192.17 feet as measured easterly along said line from Dyckman street; thence southeasterly and parallel with Dyckman street, distance 952.10 feet to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 97.66 feet; thence northwesterly, distance 886.58 feet, to the southerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly, distance 80.56 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Kingsbridge road and Tenth Avenue.

Dated New York, March 4, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Convent Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 28th day of January, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled into or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1871, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1868, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1862, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York (Room No. 3), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (February 27, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Saturday, the 1st day of April, 1893, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, February 27, 1893.

THOMAS NOLAN,
JOSEPH C. WOLFF,
WILLIAM H. MCKEAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Twelfth Avenue to the bulkhead line, Hudson river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THIS PROCEEDING OR IN ANY OF THE LANDS AFFECTED THEREBY.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and

assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 300 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three 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 29th day of March, 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-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets; easterly by the westerly line of Twelfth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets; and westerly by the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river; 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 twelfth day of April, 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, February 14, 1893.

JOHN E. WARD, Chairman,
J. P. SOLOMON,
HENRY WINTHROP GRAY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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 30th day of March, 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, March 17, 1893.

ARTHUR INGRAHAM,
THEODORE WETON,
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tenth avenue and Edgecombe 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 23d day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 23d day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2.30 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 22d day of March, 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 Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe street; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth streets; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam 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 14th day of April, 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, February 9, 1893.

MAX MOSES, Chairman,
BRYAN L. KENNELLY,
JOHN MCL. NASH,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to FORT INDEPENDENCE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from its junction with Boston avenue to Broadway, 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 23d day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten

week days next after the said 23d day of March, 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 22d day of March, 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 prolongation westerly from Broadway for a distance of 100 feet of the centre line of the blocks, between Fort Independence street and Van Cortlandt avenue, and by the centre line of said blocks from Broadway to Bailey avenue; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Fort Independence street, from Bailey avenue to Oloff street, the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue, Giles place and Fort Independence street, from Oloff street to Boston avenue, an irregular broken line commencing at a point in the easterly line of Boston avenue opposite Fort Independence street, and running thence in a southerly direction, and between Sedgwick avenue and Boston avenue for a distance of about 300 feet and the easterly line of Boston avenue; southerly by a line commencing at a point in the easterly line of Boston avenue, distant about 240 feet southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Fort Independence street with the westerly line of Boston avenue; and running thence easterly for a distance of about 100 feet, the centre line of the block between Heath avenue, Boston avenue and Fort Independence street and its prolongation westerly from Heath avenue, for a distance of 84.5 feet and the centre line of the blocks between Fort Independence street and a certain unnamed street, from Albany road to Broadway, and the prolongation of said centre line easterly from Albany road to the centre line of the block between Albany road and Fort Independence street, and westerly by the centre line of the block between Heath avenue, Bailey avenue and Fort Independence street, the centre line of the block between Bailey avenue, Albany road and Fort Independence street and a line parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway; 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 4th day of April, 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, February 9, 1893.
LEICESTER HOLME, Chairman,
HENRY STEINERT,
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Burnside avenue to Lafontaine 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 17th day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 17th day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 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 16th day of March, 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 East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Burnside avenue to Third avenue, and the prolongation of said centre line easterly from Third avenue to Lafontaine avenue; easterly by the westerly line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and Tremont avenue, from Lafontaine avenue to Webster avenue and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Webster avenue and Burnside avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Burnside avenue and the easterly line of Webster avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 3rd day of March, 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, February 3, 1893.
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN, Chairman,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
EMANUEL M. FRIEND,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and Morningside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3d day of February, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the

benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Seventeenth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1811, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1866, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of an act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York (Room No. 3), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (February 27, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Monday, the 3d day of April, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, February 27, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Convent avenue to Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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 March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 29th day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 28th day of March, 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 Forty-second street and One Hundred and Forty-third street; easterly by the westerly line of Convent avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-first street and One Hundred and Forty-second street; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam 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 11th day of April, 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, February 14, 1893.
LEWEL H. ARNOLD, Jr., Chairman,
WILLIAM B. ANDERSON,
WILLIAM A. WOODHULL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, for the use of the public, to lands required for the widening of RIVERSIDE AVENUE, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Claremont place, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, pursuant to chapter 548 of the Laws of 1892.

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 Thursday, the 30th day of March, 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 Appraisal to ascertain and determine the loss and damage to the owners of the property required for such widening in consequence of relinquishing the same to public use. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the widening of a certain street or avenue known as Riverside avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Claremont place, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

All that piece or parcel of land in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the southerly line of (127th) One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, with the easterly line of Riverside avenue, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of Riverside avenue (825 1/2) eight hundred and twenty-five feet and two inches to the northerly line of Claremont place; thence easterly along said northerly line of Claremont place (14) fourteen feet; thence northerly and parallel to and (14) fourteen feet distant from the easterly line of Riverside avenue (825 1/2) eight hundred and twenty-five feet and two inches to the southerly line of (127th) One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence westerly along said southerly line of (127th) One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street (14) fourteen feet to the place of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, in the office of the Secretary of State of New York, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, March 4, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EMERSON STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Seaman avenue and Tenth 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 Thursday, the 30th day of March, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Emerson street, between the lines of Seaman avenue and Tenth 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 southerly line of the Kingsbridge road, distant 1,760.12 feet as measured easterly along the said line from Dyckman street; thence southeasterly and parallel with Dyckman street, distance 1,289.62 feet to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 97.66 feet; thence northwesterly, distance 1,232.63 feet, to the southerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly, distance 80.01 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of the Kingsbridge road, marked "A," said point being located and described as follows: Distant 1,756.66 feet easterly as measured along the northerly line of Kingsbridge road, from Bolton road, and also distant from Dyckman street as measured along the southerly line of Kingsbridge road 1,760.12 feet; thence across said Kingsbridge road and parallel to the line of Dyckman street extended, distance 100.01 feet, to the northerly line of said road and point marked "A"; thence northwesterly and parallel to the line of Dyckman street extended, distance 500 feet, to the southerly line of Seaman avenue; thence easterly along said line, distance 80.01 feet; thence southeasterly, distance 500 feet, to the northerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly along said road, distance 80.01 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Seaman avenue and Tenth avenue.

Dated New York, March 4, 1893.
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In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HAWTHORNE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Seaman avenue and Tenth 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 Thursday, the 30th day of March, 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-mentioned matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Hawthorne street, between Seaman avenue and Tenth 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 on the southerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 1,180.08 feet as measured easterly along the said line from Dyckman street; thence southeasterly and parallel with Dyckman street, distance 1,700.76 feet to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 97.66 feet; thence northwesterly, distance 1,645.77 feet, to the southerly line of the Kingsbridge road; thence westerly, distance 80.01 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of Kingsbridge road marked "A," said point being located and described as follows: Distant 1,176.02 feet easterly as measured along the northerly line of Kingsbridge road from Bolton road, and also distant from Dyckman street as measured along the southerly line of Kingsbridge road 1,180.08 feet; thence across said Kingsbridge road and parallel to the line of Dyckman street extended, distance 100.01 feet, to the northerly line of said road and point marked "A"; thence northwesterly and parallel to the line of Dyckman street extended, distance 500 feet, to the southerly line of Seaman avenue; thence easterly along said line, distance 80.01 feet; thence southeasterly, distance 500 feet, to the northerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly along said line, distance 80.01 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Seaman avenue and Tenth avenue.

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