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PROVISIONAL ESTIMATE FOR 1898.

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Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as provided by section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, do, by the affirmative vote of all the members, hereby make the following

PROVISIONAL ESTIMATE

of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit, for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-eight (1898), in which is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said City and County, and of the annexed territory, which becomes due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which becomes due and payable during the said year, not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised for the supply of water by tax annually, which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued, as provided by section 10 of article VIII. of the Revised Constitution of the State of New York, adopted at the General Election held November 6, 1894, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year, as follows:

PROVISIONAL ESTIMATE FOR 1898.

THE MAYORALTY.

Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office:		
Salary of the Mayor.....	\$10,000 00	
Salaries of Clerks and Subordinates, and Contingencies.....	15,000 00	\$25,000 00
Bureau of Licenses—Mayor's Office:		
Salaries.....	\$13,200 00	
Contingencies.....	3,955 00	17,155 00

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

City Contingencies.....	\$2,000 00	
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	500 00	
Salaries—Common Council:		
President of the Board of Aldermen (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	\$3,000 00	
Thirty Aldermen, at \$2,000 each per annum (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 74, Laws of 1884; chapter 292, Laws of 1887, and chapters 397 and 408, Laws of 1892).....	60,000 00	
Clerks and Officers, Board of Aldermen (section 79, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882):		
Clerk.....	\$5,000 00	
Deputy Clerk.....	2,500 00	
Special Assistant Clerk.....	2,100 00	
Five Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00	
Four Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	4,000 00	
One Librarian.....	1,000 00	
One Sergeant-at-Arms.....	900 00	
Two Messengers, at \$900 each.....	1,800 00	
Stenographer.....	1,200 00	
	24,500 00	87,500 00

THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Cleaning Markets.....	\$40,000 00	
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	12,500 00	
Salaries—Finance Department:		
Salary of the Comptroller (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	\$10,000 00	
Salaries of Officers, Clerks and Employees.....	235,988 21	
Expenses of Temporary Clerks in Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.....	8,000 00	
	253,988 21	
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office (section 165, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	23,000 00	331,488 21

Interest on the Debt of the Corporation of the City of New York.

INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT (INCLUDING INTEREST ON THE DEBT OF THE ANNEXED TERRITORY OF WESTCHESTER COUNTY), ON BONDS AND STOCKS ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING SEPTEMBER 1, 1897, EXCLUSIVE OF FUNDED DEBT HELD BY THE SINKING FUND.

RATE PER CENT.	TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	WHEN DUE.	PRINCIPAL.	INTEREST.	TOTAL INTEREST.
3	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1899	\$500,000 00	\$15,000 00	
3	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1914	200,000 00	6,000 00	
3 1/2	Additional Croton Water Stock (Consolidated Stock).....	1911	400,000 00	14,000 00	\$35,000 00
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1904	5,000,000 00	\$150,000 00	
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1905	5,000,000 00	150,000 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock.....	1904	1,500,000 00	52,500 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock.....	1907	8,200,000 00	246,000 00	
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1912	250,000 00	7,500 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock.....	1913-1933	100,000 00	3,000 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock.....	1913-1933	300,000 00	10,500 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock (Consolidated Stock).....	1915	3,030,500 00	106,067 50	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock (Consolidated Stock).....	1916	1,750,000 00	61,250 00	786,817 50
3	Additional Water Stock for the Sanitary Protection of the Water Supply.....	1914	391,500 00	\$11,745 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock for the Sanitary Protection of the Water Supply (Consolidated Stock).....	1912	175,000 00	6,125 00	17,870 00
3	Armory Bonds.....	1904	200,000 00	\$6,000 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1907	250,000 00	7,500 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1909	442,000 00	13,260 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1914	270,500 00	8,115 00	34,875 00
3 1/2	Assessment Bonds.....	1899	250,000 00	\$8,750 00	
3	Assessment Bonds (Improvement Park Avenue above One Hundred and Sixth Street).....	1899	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Assessment Bonds (Improvement Park Avenue above One Hundred and Sixth Street).....	1901	200,000 00	6,000 00	29,750 00
7	Assessment Fund Stock.....	1903	336,600 00	\$23,562 00	
6	Assessment Fund Stock.....	1910	535,600 00	32,136 00	55,698 00
5	Central Park Fund Stock.....	1898	359,800 00	\$11,993 34	
5	Central Park Fund Stock.....	1898	273,000 00	10,920 00	22,913 34
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1901	266,500 00	\$15,990 00	
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1903	100,000 00	6,000 00	
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1904	100,000 00	6,000 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1901	200,000 00	14,000 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1902	465,000 00	32,550 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1903	446,000 00	31,220 00	105,760 00
6	Consolidated Stock—County.....	1901	8,885,500 00	\$533,130 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City.....	1901	4,252,500 00	255,150 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—Dock.....	1901	1,000,000 00	60,000 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1902	862,000 00	51,720 00	900,000 00
5	Consolidated Stock—City.....	1908-1928	6,900,000 00	.....	345,000 00
4	Consolidated Stock—City.....	1910	2,800,000 00	.....	112,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge).....	1907	900,000 00	\$27,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge).....	1908	350,000 00	10,500 00	
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge).....	1910	178,300 00	5,349 00	42,849 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Police Department Bonds).....	1925	60,549 65	\$1,816 49	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Police Department Bonds).....	1916	100,000 00	3,500 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Police Department Bonds).....	1918	20,000 00	700 00	6,016 49
3	Consolidated Stock (Fire Hydrant Stock).....	1925	50,000 00	\$1,500 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Fire Hydrant Stock).....	1925	50,000 00	1,750 00	3,250 00

3	Consolidated Stock (Washington Bridge Park).....	1920	\$640,000 00	.....	\$19,200 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Avenue A).....	1920	100,000 00	.....	3,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (West Wing, American Museum of Natural History).....	1920	250,000 00	\$7,500 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (West Wing, American Museum of Natural History).....	1917	250,000 00	8,750 00	16,250 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Jerome Avenue Approach to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Bridge).....	1920	201,181 32	.....	6,035 44
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards).....	1920	85,000 00	\$2,550 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards).....	1917	100,000 00	3,500 00	6,050 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Construction and Improvement of Parkways).....	1914	65,000 00	.....	1,950 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Cathedral Parkway, etc.).....	1914	195,000 00	.....	5,850 00
3	Consolidated Stock (College of the City of New York).....	1914	47,000 00	\$1,410 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (College of the City of New York).....	1914	45,650 00	1,597 75	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (College of the City of New York).....	1915	158,600 00	5,551 00	8,558 75
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (New East River Bridge).....	1917	100,000 00	\$3,500 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (New East River Bridge).....	1918	300,000 00	10,500 00	14,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Awards, etc., Change of Grade).....	1910	300,000 00	\$10,500 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Awards, etc., Change of Grade).....	1911	85,000 00	2,975 00	13,475 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Extension, Metropolitan Museum of Art).....	1916	200,000 00	.....	7,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (St. John's Cemetery Park).....	1916	554,505 04	.....	19,409 78
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Improvement Public Parks, etc., New York City).....	1917	123,000 00	\$4,305 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Improvement Public Parks, etc., New York City).....	1918	175,000 00	6,125 00	10,430 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (State Taxes for Support of Insane).....	1915	177,000 00	\$6,195 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (State Taxes for Support of Insane).....	1916	1,200,000 00	42,000 00	48,195 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Redemption of Bonds Maturing in 1899).....	1922	7,000,000 00	.....	245,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Department Public Charities, Buildings, etc.).....	1918	350,000 00	.....	12,250 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Department of Correction, Buildings, etc.).....	1918	250,000 00	.....	8,750 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (For Laying Water-mains).....	1918	400,000 00	.....	14,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Street and Park Opening Fund Stock).....	1918	949,036 82	.....	33,216 29
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (For Redemption of Revenue Bonds—Fort Washington Park).....	1918	867,310 08	.....	30,355 85
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (For Redemption of Revenue Bonds—Appellate Division, Supreme Court).....	1918	389,431 90	.....	13,630 12
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue).....	1920	400,000 00	\$12,000 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue).....	1916	250,000 00	8,750 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue).....	1917	400,000 00	14,000 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock—City (Lands, etc., for Harlem River Bridge, at Third Avenue, etc.).....	1918	400,000 00	14,000 00	48,750 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal).....	1920	80,000 00	.....	2,400 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street).....	1920	100,000 00	.....	3,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Sedgwick Avenue and Ogden Avenue Approaches to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Bridge).....	1920	73,000 00	.....	2,190 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1910	1,000,000 00	\$30,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1913	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1916	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1916	475,000 00	16,625 00	
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1920	700,000 00	21,000 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1917	600,000 00	21,000 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1918	500,000 00	17,500 00	136,125 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Third Avenue, in Twenty-third Ward).....	1920	50,000 00	.....	1,500 00
3	Consolidated Stock—Purchase of Ward's Island, etc., etc.).....	1913	672,409 72	.....	20,172 29
2 1/2	Consolidated Stock—City (New Parks, etc.).....	1909-1929	9,357,000 00	.....	233,925 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Corlears Hook Park).....	1913	1,370,421 00	\$47,964 74	
3	Consolidated Stock (Corlears Hook Park).....	1914	124,500 00	3,735 00	51,699 74
3	Consolidated Stock (Public Driveway).....	1920	800,000 00	\$24,000 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Public Driveway).....	1916	250,000 00	8,750 00	32,750 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Castle Garden and Aquarium).....	1920	70,000 00	.....	2,100 00
3	Consolidated Stock (East Wing, American Museum of Natural History).....	1920	225,000 00	.....	6,750 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, New York City and Pelham Park).....	1920	310,000 00	.....	9,300 00
3	Consolidated Stock (City Improvement Stock).....	1915	778,772 36	.....	23,363 17
3	Consolidated Stock (Mulberry Bend Park).....	1924	1,584,371 00	\$47,531 13	
3	Consolidated Stock (Mulberry Bend Park).....	1920	100,000 00	3,000 00	50,531 13
3	Consolidated Stock (Public Building, Crotona Park).....	1914	60,000 00	.....	1,800 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Fire Department Bonds).....	1914	108,015 00	.....	3,240 45
3	Consolidated Stock (Riverside Park and Drive).....	1914	190,000 00	\$5,700 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Riverside Park and Drive).....	1912	200,000 00	7,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock (Riverside Park Improvement).....	1914	190,000 00	5,700 00	18,400 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Street Cleaning Department Plant).....	1914	50,000 00	\$1,500 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Street Cleaning Department Plant).....	1912	83,000 00	2,905 00	
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Street Cleaning Department Plant).....	1918	150,000 00	5,250 00	9,655 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Seventh District Police and Eleventh Judicial District Courts).....	1920	199,000 00	.....	5,970 00
5	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1906	773,000 00	\$8,650 00	
6	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1900	284,000 00	17,040 00	
7	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1900	2,184,000 00	152,880 00	178,570 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1914	355,000 00	\$10,650 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1916	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1917	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1918	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1919	1,000,000 00	30,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1920	1,050,000 00	31,500 00	

3	Dock Bonds.....	1921	\$1,250,000 00	\$37,500 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1922	20,000 00	600 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1923	865,000 00	25,950 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1924	1,125,000 00	33,750 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1925	1,160,000 00	34,800 00	
3 1/2	Dock Bonds.....	1915	1,150,000 00	40,250 00	
5	Dock Bonds.....	1924	500,000 00	17,500 00	
5	Dock Bonds.....	1908	169,200 00	8,460 00	
5	Dock Bonds.....	1909	200,000 00	10,000 00	
6	Dock Bonds.....	1905	744,000 00	44,640 00	
7	Dock Bonds.....	1901	500,000 00	35,000 00	
7	Dock Bonds.....	1902	750,000 00	52,500 00	
7	Dock Bonds.....	1904	348,800 00	24,416 00	
7 1/2	Dock Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1906	1,000,000 00	35,000 00	
3 1/2	Dock Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1927	4,000,000 00	140,000 00	
5	New York Bridge Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1900-1926	1,000,000 00	\$50,000 00	
6	New York Bridge Bonds.....	1905	248,000 00	14,880 00	
5	New York County Court-house Stock, No. 5.....	1898	150,000 00	7,500 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 4, Laws of 1891, and Chapter 752, Laws of 1894).....	1898	51,530 97	\$1,545 93	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 542, Laws of 1892).....	1898	10,000 00	300 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 535, Laws of 1893).....	1898	9,561 41	286 84	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 536, Laws of 1893).....	1898	20,000 00	600 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 431, Laws of 1896, and Section 159, Consolidation Act of 1882).....	1898	18,171 45	545 14	
3	Revenue Bonds (Section 159, Consolidation Act of 1882).....	1898	350,000 00	10,500 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 553, Laws of 1895).....	1898	1,000 00	30 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 488, Laws of 1896).....	1898	15,320 28	459 61	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 364, Laws of 1897).....	1898	2,486 46	74 59	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 653, Laws of 1897).....	1898	1,180 89	35 43	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 624, Laws of 1896).....	1898	3,000 00	90 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 508, Laws of 1896).....	1898	3,000 00	90 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 539, Laws of 1893, and Section 635, Consolidation Act of 1882).....	1898	8,000 00	240 00	
3	School-house Bonds.....	1908	3,575,945 29	\$107,278 36	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1911	807,205 72	29,016 17	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1911	806,502 84	28,227 60	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1912	542,553 60	18,989 38	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1913	754,500 75	22,036 82	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1914	836,013 60	25,080 41	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1914	84,694 80	2,974 32	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1915	1,023,141 37	30,694 95	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1916	1,018,029 47	30,541 03	
3	Sanitary Improvement School-house Bonds.....	1914	129,871 00	\$3,896 13	
3 1/2	Sanitary Improvement School-house Bonds.....	1916	112,058 33	3,922 04	
3	Water-main Stock (Consolidated Stock).....	1914	250,000 00	7,500 00	
7	Town of West Farms.....		366,500 00	\$25,305 00	
7	Town of Morrisania.....		95,500 00	6,650 00	
	Additional amount required to keep a sufficient sum of money on deposit with Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Sons, of London in pursuance of agreement, for the payment of such coupons of the City and County of New York as may be presented to them.....			15,000 00	
					\$5,018,668 09

ESTIMATED AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR INTEREST IN 1898 ON STOCK AND BONDS TO BE ISSUED IN 1897, AFTER AUGUST 31, AND IN 1898.

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCK AND ACTS OF THE LEGISLATURE AUTHORIZING THEIR ISSUE.	PURPOSES OF AUTHORIZATION.	LIMIT.	Estimated Amount required to be issued during remainder of 1897 and in 1898.	Estimated Amount required for interest in 1898, average 6 months, at 3 1/2 per cent. per annum.
Additional Croton Water Stock (Sec. 141, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To provide for a further supply of pure and wholesome water.....	\$1,000,000 00 annually..	\$250,000 00	\$4,375 00
Additional Water Stock (Chap. 490, Laws of 1893).....	For new reservoirs, dams, new aqueduct, etc.....	Unlimited..	2,500,000 00	43,750 00
Additional Water Stock for the Sanitary Protection of the Water Supply (Chaps. 189 and 515, Laws of 1893).....	To provide for the sanitary protection of the water supply.....	\$500,000 00 annually..	500,000 00	8,750 00
Assessment Bonds (Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To pay for street improvements.....	Unlimited..	1,500,000 00	26,250 00
Consolidated Stock for Laying Water Mains (Chap. 669, Laws of 1896, and Chap. 646, Laws of 1897).....	For laying mains necessary to deliver water at higher levels, etc.....	\$830,000 00	750,000 00	13,125 00
Dock Bonds (Sec. 143, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, Chap. 246, Laws of 1896, and Chap. 608, Laws of 1897).....	To build docks, piers, etc.....	9,000,000 00	7,000,000 00	122,500 00
School-house Bonds (Chap. 58, Laws of 1895; Chap. 728, Laws of 1896; Chap. 740, Laws of 1897, and previous laws).....	For the purchase of new school sites and the erection of new school buildings.....	14,959,509 62	6,000,000 00	105,000 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 196, Laws of 1897).....	For erecting and constructing a court-house for the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court.....	Cost of same	500,000 00	8,750 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 789, Laws of 1894).....	For constructing the New East River Bridge.....	New York City's proportion of cost of same.....	1,500,000 00	26,250 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 347, Laws of 1895).....	For extension of building of Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	\$800,000 00	250,000 00	4,375 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 475, Laws of 1895, and Chap. 87, Laws of 1897).....	For repaving streets and avenues.....	3,220,000 00	2,000,000 00	35,000 00
Fire Department Bonds (Chap. 76, Laws of 1894, and Chap. 751, Laws of 1896).....	For the purchase of sites for new buildings, etc., for Fire Department.....	\$300,000 00 annually..	600,000 00	10,500 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 537, Laws of 1893, and Chap. 567, Laws of 1894).....	For payment of awards made by Change of Grade Damage Commission.....	Unlimited..	300,000 00	5,250 00
Bonds and Stock authorized by law, other than those above mentioned, including Bonds for the Erection, etc., of Public Buildings, for Purchase of Sites for Small Parks, for Bridges over the Harlem River and approaches thereto, for Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues, for Construction and Equipment of Additions to the American Museum of Natural History, for Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, and for High Schools.....			5,000,000 00	87,500 00
				\$501,375 00
Less interest on the amount of the above-described Stock and Bonds, which, it is estimated, will be purchased by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the interest on which will be payable from the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt," as provided by section 1, chapter 178, Laws of 1889—\$4,000,000 for six months, at three and one-half per cent. per annum.....				70,000 00
				431,375 00

NOTE.—This appropriation shall be applicable to the payment of interest that may accrue on any of the above-mentioned stock and bonds, according to the issues thereof that may be made.

ESTIMATED AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR INTEREST ON REVENUE BONDS OF 1898.	
On, say, \$30,000,000 of Bonds of 1898.....	\$25,000 00
ESTIMATED AMOUNT REQUIRED IN 1898 FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE INDEBTEDNESS OF THE TERRITORY ANNEXED TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 934 OF THE LAWS OF 1895.	
Town of Westchester.....	\$12,110 00
Village of Williamsbridge.....	14,080 00
Village of Wakefield.....	3,441 00
Town of Eastchester.....	1,280 52
	31,811 52

FOR REDEMPTION OF PRINCIPAL OF THE CITY DEBT.	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 4, Laws of 1891, and chapter 752, Laws of 1894, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	\$51,530 97
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 535, Laws of 1893, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	9,561 41
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 542, Laws of 1892, payable November 1, 1898.....	10,000 00
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 536, Laws of 1892, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	20,000 00
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of section 159, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	350,000 00
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 553, Laws of 1895, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	1,000 00
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 488, Laws of 1896, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	15,320 28
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 364, Laws of 1897, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	2,486 46
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 653, Laws of 1897, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	1,180 89
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of section 155, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 431, Laws of 1896, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	18,171 45
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 624, Laws of 1896, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	3,000 00
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 508, Laws of 1896, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	3,000 00
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of section 685, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 539, Laws of 1893, payable on or after November 1, 1898.....	8,000 00
For Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County (chapter 329, Laws of 1894):	
Seven per cent. Bonds of Town of West Farms.....	\$11,000 00
Seven per cent. Bonds of Town of Morrisania.....	2,000 00
	13,000 00
	5,062,551 46

ESTIMATED AMOUNT REQUIRED IN 1898 FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE DEBT OF THE TERRITORY ANNEXED TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 934 OF THE LAWS OF 1895.	
Town of Westchester.....	\$11,000 00
Village of Wakefield.....	1,000 00
Town of Eastchester.....	3,822 90
	15,822 90

FOR INSTALLMENT PAYABLE IN 1898.	
For amount to be raised by tax, annually, sufficient, with the accumulation of interest thereon, to redeem the stock payable from taxation, issued after December 31, 1884, pursuant to section 10 of article 8 of the Constitution of the State of New York, adopted at the general election held November 6, 1894 (as shown in a detailed statement).....	1,831,328 91

FOR THE STATE.	
State Taxes and Common Schools for the State:	
For Schools, 1898 mill, per chapter 459, Laws of 1897.....	\$1,944,357 06
For State Care of Insane, 1898 mill, per chapter 460, Laws of 1897.....	2,350,321 72
For General Purposes, 1898 mill, per chapter 459, Laws of 1897.....	384,598 10
For Canals, 1898 mill, per chapters 435, 459 and 566, Laws of 1897.....	1,025,594 93
	5,704,871 81

Rents: For payment of rent of property leased to the Corporation for public offices and other purposes, except Armories and Drill-rooms and Police Station-houses, as follows:

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1896. May 21	Henry Hilton.....	Finance Department..... Receiver of Taxes..... Department of Taxes and Assessments..... Commissioners of Accounts..... Commissioner of Jurors.....	1st floor of Stewart Building..... Rooms "O," "P," "II," "J," "OO" and "P P," Stewart Building..... Rooms "D," "E," "F," "G," "H," "I," "J," "K" and "R," street floor and apartment in basement, "DD," with vault and vault chamber, Stewart Building. Rooms Nos. 114 and 115, Stewart Building..... Rooms Nos. 127 and 128, Stewart Building.....	May 1, 1899.	\$84,500 00	\$84,500 00
	Henry Hilton.....	Commissioner of Jurors.....	Room No. 123, Stewart Building.....	May 1, 1899.	1,200 00	1,200 00
	Henry Hilton.....	Commissioners of Accounts.....	Room No. 119 Stewart Building.....	Per month.	70 00	840 00
1895. Dec. 9	New Yorker Staats Zeitung	Counsel to the Corporation ..	2d and 3d floors and part of 4th floor, Staats Zeitung Building.....	May 1, 1898.	16,000 00	8,000 00
1896. Apr. 10	Frederick Gerken...	Bureau of Street Opening.....	If renewed, estimated 9th floor and closet in basement, Gerken Building, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.....	May 1, 1898.	4,000 00	2,000 00
1895. Nov. 13	Eugene Kelly, Edward Kelly, Thomas H. Kelly, Paul Fuller and Daniel F. Sullivan, executors under the last will and testament of Eugene Kelly, deceased.....	Corporation Attorney.....	If renewed, estimated Rooms Nos. 930 to 934, Temple Court	May 1, 1900.	2,000 00	2,000 00
1895. Nov. 13	Eugene Kelly, Edward Kelly, Thomas H. Kelly, Paul Fuller and Daniel F. Sullivan, executors under the last will and testament of Eugene Kelly, deceased.....	Bureau of Public Administrator	Rooms Nos. 1025 to 1029, Temple Court	May 1, 1900.	2,000 00	2,000 00
1896. May 1	American Tract Society.....	Department of Public Works.	All the rooms on the 17th floor, Rooms Nos. 2200 to 2205, on the 22d floor; Rooms Nos. 1630 to 1633, inclusive, on the 16th floor; the southerly store on the 1st floor, and the entire basement floor, No. 150 Nassau st., except Room No. 1.....	May 1, 1901.	24,600 00	24,600 00
1896. June 8	James Slater.....	Department of Correction ...	No. 148 East 20th st.	Apr. 1, 1901.	2,000 00	2,000 00
1897. Jan. 23	Mary A. Schanck, executrix of Daniel S. Schanck, deceased.	Board of Assessors	First loft, No. 27 Chambers st.....	Feb. 1, 1900.	2,500 00	2,500 00
1897. Apr. 16	Tradesmen's National Bank.....	4th District Civil Court	Northeast corner of 2d ave. and 1st st.	May 1, 1902.	4,000 00	4,000 00
1896. May 28	The Demitt Dispensary.....	6th District Civil Court	2d story, 2d ave. and 23d st	May 1, 1901.	1,700 00	1,700 00
1894. Apr. 28	George J. Gould, Edwin Gould, Helen M. Gould and Howard Gould, executors and trustees of Jay Gould, deceased.....	8th District Civil Court.....	Grand Opera House, Room 7, 2d floor. Light, heating, etc.	May 1, 1899.	3,500 00 162 00	3,662 00
1896. June 10	Anthony Kessler..	13th District Civil Court...	Southwest corner of Columbus ave. and 126th st.....	June 6, 1899.	\$2,500 00	2,500 00

1896. July 28	Murray Hill Bank, assignee of Moritz Bauer.....	6th District Po- lice and 10th District Civil Courts.....	Southwest corner of 3d ave. and 158th st.	May 1, 1901.	\$2,600 00	\$2,600 00
	James M. Constable, Frederick A. Con- stable, Hicks Ar- nold, as trustees under the will of Henrietta Con- stable, deceased, and Frederick A. Constable, indi- vidually.....	Supreme Court, in the First Ju- dicial District, and the Appel- late Division, in the First De- partment.....	3d story, Constable Building, Nos. 109 and 111 Fifth ave., and Nos. 3, 5 and 7 E. 18th st. ....	.....	14,500 00	14,500 00
	James M. Constable, Frederick A. Con- stable, Hicks Ar- nold, as trustees under the will of Henrietta Con- stable, deceased, and Frederick A. Constable, indi- vidually.....	Special Com- missioner of Juries.....	Rooms 1004 and 1005 Constable Build- ing, Nos. 109 and 111 Fifth ave.....	.....	2,300 00	2,300 00
			Arrears, 1897, May 1 to Dec. 31, 8 months.....	.....		1,533 33

\$172 435 33

Armories and Drill-rooms—Rents:

For rent of the following premises for Armories and Drill-rooms, under leases made in conformity with section 62, chapter 299, Laws of 1883, as amended by section 3, chapter 91, Laws of 1884, and chapter 412, Laws of 1886:

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSOR.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1896. Oct. 31	Katharina Schmuck	1st Battery.....	Nos. 334 to 340 West 44th street.....	May 1, 1898.	\$2,750 00	\$1,375 00
			If renewed, estimated	.....		1,375 00

2,750 00

Judgments—For payment of judgments recovered against the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, not otherwise provided for..... 250,000 00
Real Estate, Expenses of..... 3,000 00
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of..... 3,000 00

THE LAW DEPARTMENT.

Contingencies—Law Department:		
General Contingencies.....	\$20,000 00	
Contingent Counsel Fees (including deficiencies).....	25,000 00	
		\$45,000 00
Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office.....		150 00
Salaries—Law Department:		
(Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.)		
Salary of the Counsel to the Corporation.....	\$12,000 00	
Salaries of Assistants, Clerks, Employees and Subordinates.....	110,000 00	
		\$122,000 00
(Bureau of the Corporation Attorney.)		
Salary of the Corporation Attorney.....	\$4,000 00	
Salaries of Assistants and Clerks.....	6,700 00	
Salary of Process Clerk.....	1,200 00	
Salaries of three Process Servers, at \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00	
		15,500 00
(Bureau of the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.)		
Salary of the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.....	\$4,000 00	
Salaries of Clerks.....	3,500 00	
		7,500 00
For Prosecuting Delinquents for Arrears of Personal Taxes and for Service of Process, Postage, etc.....		1,200 00
For Salary of the Counsel to the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (chapter 331, Laws of 1893), including \$1,200 for salary of a Clerk.....		6,200 00

197,550 00

BUREAU OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Salaries—Bureau of the Public Administrator:		
Public Administrator.....	\$6,000 00	
Assistant Public Administrator.....	3,500 00	
Chief Clerk.....	2,200 00	
Second Clerk.....	1,800 00	
Agent.....	1,000 00	
Law Assistant.....	1,000 00	
Stenographer.....	600 00	
Office Boy.....	200 00	
		\$16,300 00
Contingencies.....		682 00

16,990 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$237,007 00
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	5,000 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	130,000 00
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	25,755 00
Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal, Maintenance of.....	10,000 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	5,000 00
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property.....	2,000 00
Free Floating Baths.....	10,000 00
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	1,222,831 00
Laying Croton Pipes (chapter 381, Laws of 1879; section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	230,000 00
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct—Maintenance and Repairs and Painting.....	11,000 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs, including deficiencies.....	65,386 00
Armories—Repairs—To be expended under the direction and supervision of the Armory Board.....	55,000 00
Public Drinking Hydrants.....	2,000 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues, including rents for Corporation Yards.....	15,000 00
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	218,000 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	300,000 00
Repairs of Eighth Avenue Pavement.....	19,200 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues (chapter 476, Laws of 1875; section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	225,000 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....	35,000 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	125,000 00
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	4,000 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices, including New Criminal Court-house, and including Directories.....	182,325 00
Supplies for Armories—To be expended under the direction and supervision of the Armory Board.....	17,000 00
Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward.....	10,400 00
Salaries—Department of Public Works:	
To pay entirely the salaries of all Officers, Engineers, Superintendents, Clerks, and all other salaried employees of the Department.....	\$90,000 00
Salaries of Engineers, Clerks, Inspectors and Measurers, in the Bureau of the Water Register, engaged in the supervision and management of the distributing system and the water-meter system.....	65,000 00
For Salaries chargeable to—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	28,000 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	2,500 00
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	3,000 00
Free Floating Baths.....	28,635 00
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	7,700 00
Laying Croton Pipes.....	10,780 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	9,000 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	17,000 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	13,000 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	10,000 00
Sewerage System.....	8,400 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	33,316 66
Supplying Water to Shipping and for Building Purposes.....	7,000 00
Surveys, Maps, etc., for Street Openings and New Streets.....	7,600 00
	351,731 66
Salary of Consulting Engineer on Pavements.....	5,000 00
Salaries of Paving Inspectors.....	1,000 00
For Extra and Unforeseen Expenditures in Repairing and Cleaning Sewers and Receiving-basins—To be expended under direction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.....	1,000 00
For Extraordinary and Unforeseen Expenditures—To be expended under direction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.....	1,000 00

3,522,555 66

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places:	
Salaries—To pay entirely the salaries of the President, Secretary, Superintendent of Parks, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies; the Engineer of Construction; the Meteorologist; the Entomologist; the Director of Menagerie; the Landscape Architect; the Purchasing Agent, and the General Clerical Force:	
President.....	\$5,000 00
Landscape Architect.....	5,000 00
Secretary, Superintendent, Engineer, Clerks, etc.....	32,755 00
	\$42,755 00

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places:

Police:	
Salaries of Captain, Surgeon, Sergeants, Roundsmen, Patrolmen, Doormen, Special Keepers, and wages of all persons employed in the Police Stables.....	\$377,870 00
For Supplies and Repairs.....	15,000 00
	\$392,870 00
Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, Water Supply for Irrigation, Construction and Repairs—For General Maintenance of all the Park System, exclusive of Parks north of the Harlem river, including tree planting.....	450,000 00
Zoological Department—For the increase and the keeping, preservation, additions to, and exhibitions of the collection in the Zoological Department of the Central Park, including repairs to buildings used for that purpose.....	36,000 00
Maintenance of Museums:	
For the keeping, preservation and exhibition of the collection in the American Museum of Natural History, the Museum to be kept open in pursuance of law.....	95,000 00
For the keeping, preservation and exhibition of the collection in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Museum to be kept open in pursuance of law.....	95,000 00
	\$1,105,625 00
Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem river, including Surveying and Monumenting.....	100,000 00
Music—Central Park and the City Parks.....	30,000 00
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance—General Maintenance and Repairs.....	50,000 00
Telephonic Service—For Maintaining Telephonic Service for the Department.....	4,000 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans—For Making Surveys and Maps for Laying-out Parks or Places for use of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement and Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.....	1,500 00
Aquarium—For the Increase, and the Keeping, Preservation and Exhibition of the Collection in the Aquarium at Castle Garden, including Aquarist, Assistant Aquarists, Laborers, Cleaners, Attendants, Engineers, Firemen, Watchmen, Gas, Food for Fishes and Contingencies.....	40,000 00
For Establishment of a Colonial Garden in Van Cortlandt Park.....	100 00
Trees on West End Avenue.....	100 00
Care of Tomb of General Grant.....	5,000 00

\$1,336,325 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

Salaries—Office of Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—To pay entirely the Salaries of the Commissioner, his Deputy and the Clerical Force in his Office.....	\$26,300 00
Telephonic Services and Contingencies.....	1,500 00
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For the Maintenance and Government of Streets, Roads and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including supplies, salaries and wages of all persons employed on the work, and including sprinkling main thoroughfares, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	500,000 00
Bronx River and other Bridges—Repairing and Maintenance of.....	8,000 00
Cromwell's Creek Bridge—Repairing and Maintenance.....	1,000 00
Bridges Crossing the New York and Harlem Railroad Depression in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For maintaining, repairing, replanking, repainting, etc. Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For the rebuilding, cleaning and repairing of sewers and drains, and for the construction of temporary drains, as ordered by the Health Department.....	50,000 00
Surveying, Laying-out, Maps, Plans, etc.—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For Surveying, Laying-out and Monumenting the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including salaries and wages of all persons employed on the work, and for making surveys and maps for the opening of streets and avenues for the use of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment; for making maps for acquiring right of way for building drains, and for advertising notices.....	60,000 00
Monumenting Avenues and Streets (chapter 345, Laws of 1890, and chapter 443, Laws of 1893).....	21,450 00
Surveying, Laying-out and Making Topographical Survey and Map of new part of Twenty-fourth Ward.....	45,000 00
Copying Records—White Plains.....	1,500 00
Lithographing and Printing—Final Maps and Profiles.....	4,000 00
Preliminary Surveys, and the Preparation of Plans, Specifications, etc., including purchase and repair of Surveying Instruments, Apparatus, etc.....	35,000 00
Making Road Soundings, Borings, etc., including Sounding and Boring Machinery—Appliances for tools and apparatus, carts, etc.....	13,000 00
Standard Bench Marks.....	3,000 00
Grand Boulevard and Concourse—Surveys and Plans.....	100 00
Grand Boulevard and Concourse—Construction.....	100 00
Wagon Trucks, Purchase of.....	100 00
Rebuilding Receiving-basins, etc.....	100 00

775,150 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Department of Public Charities:	
For Salaries.....	\$364,042 00
For Supplies.....	707,500 00
For Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus, including Baths and Steamboats.....	50,000 00
Transportation of Paupers, Medicines, Coffins, etc., and Support of Out-door Poor.....	10,000 00
Distribution of Coal to Out-door Poor.....	15,000 00
Poor Adult Blind.....	30,000 00
Rents for Harlem and Fordham Hospitals.....	7,000 00
Rent for Gouverneur Hospital Stables.....	1,400 00
Donations to G. A. R. Veterans.....	10,000 00
Lodging-house for Homeless Men.....	20,000 00
Clothing for Insane Patients.....	15,000 00
New Ambulances, Horses, Harness and Repairs.....	100 00
Cement and Overhauling Sea Wall, Blackwell's Island.....	100 00
Clothing for Epileptics sent to Craig Colony.....	100 00

1,290,242 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Department of Correction:	
For Salaries.....	\$216,000 00
For Supplies.....	230,000 00
For Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.....	8,500 00
For Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Steamboats.....	12,000 00
For Donations to Discharged Prisoners—For money, clothing and mileage to be furnished prisoners on their discharge from the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, as required by chapter 471, Laws of 1879.....	4,500 00
For Transportation, Maintenance and Expenses of Insane Criminals at Matteawan, N. Y., in accordance with chapter 289, Laws of 1884; also for Transportation and Maintenance of the Insane in other State Institutions, in accordance with section 206, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.....	500 00
Cement for Sea Wall, Blackwell's Island.....	100 00

471,600 00

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Fund—For Salaries.....	\$278,280 00
Health Fund—For Law Expenses, including Marshal's Fees.....	2,000 00
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	13,000 00
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	22,000 00
Health Fund—For Payment to the Board of Police for the Services of one Sergeant of Police, two Roundsmen and forty-seven Patrolmen, detailed for the enforcement of the provisions of section 296 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, chapter 84, Laws of 1887, chapter 188, Laws of 1889, and chapter 567, Laws of 1895.....	70,800 00
For Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	30,000 00
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island, and foot of East Sixteenth Street, and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases (sections 549, 550 and 551, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	54,978 00
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.....	8,000 00
For Bacteriological Laboratory—For Procuring and Using Diphtheria Antitoxin (sections 48, 52, 533, 553, 581, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 165, Laws of 1895).....	30,500 00
For Inspection of Mercantile Establishments (chapters 384 and 991, Laws of 1896).....	22,700 00
For Salaries of Medical School Inspectors, to be appointed from the School Districts of which they are resident, and one Chief Inspector.....	47,500 00

579,758 00

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Chief of Police, Deputy Chief, Inspectors, Sergeants and Provisional Employment, as follows:	
For Salaries of Commissioners of Police.....	\$20,000 00
Salary of Chief of Police.....	6,000 00
Salary of Deputy Chief of Police.....	3,000 00
Salaries of 5 Inspectors of Police, at \$3,500 each.....	17,500 00
Salaries of 16 Sergeants of Police, at \$3,000 each.....	48,000 00
Salaries of 33 Captains of Police, at \$2,750 each.....	107,250 00
Salaries of 172 Sergeants of Police, at \$2,000 each.....	344,000 00
Salaries of 200 Roundsmen of Police, at \$1,500 each.....	300,000 00
Salaries of 4,407 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,000, \$1,150, \$1,250, \$1,300, and \$1,400 each.....	5,609,939 08
Salaries of 84 Doormen of Police, at \$1,000 each.....	84,000 00
Salaries of 50 Detective Sergeants of Police, at \$2,000 each.....	100,000 00
	\$6,661,689 08
(The salaries of 1 Sergeant, 2 Roundsmen and 47 Patrolmen having been provided for in the appropriation made to the Health Department.)	
Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force, etc., as follows:	
For Salaries of Chief Clerk, First and Second Deputy Clerks, Deputies, Stenographers, Treasurer's Bookkeeper, Property Clerk, Clerk to Chief of Police, Clerks to Commissioners and Stenographer and Private Secretary to Chief of Police.....	\$60,700 00

Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Fund, etc., as follows:

For salaries of Civil Service Board, as follows:		
Secretary.....	\$2,000 00	
Chief Examiner.....	2,000 00	
Clerk and Stenographer.....	1,500 00	
		\$5,500 00
For salaries of Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephones, Assistant Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephones, Telegraph and Telephone Operators, Linemen and Batterymen.....		19,600 00
For salaries of Matron, Messengers, Cleaners, Elevator-men and Laborers at Central Department, Cleaner at Thirty-sixth Precinct, Hostlers for Mounted Police, Employees on Steamboat, and Matrons of Police.....		48,100 00
		\$133,900 00
Supplies for Police (not including salaries or wages).....		125,000 00
Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting up, Additions to and Repairs of Station-houses, Stables, House of Detention, Central Department and Steamboat "Patrol," also for drafting plans and specifications and superintendence of construction and repairs of station-houses, prisons and stables.....		35,000 00
Contingent Expenses of Central Department and Station-houses, including meals furnished to prisoners and destitute lodgers, directories, ice, rent of telephones, expenses of Detectives, Patrolmen and others, Surgeons' supplies, execution of criminal process, investigation and trial of charges against Police officers, apprehension and arrest of criminals, and expenses of erecting reviewing stands and furnishing music for the annual parade of the Police Department.....		11,000 00
Police Station-houses—Rents:		
A. H. Green, executor and trustee of W. B. Ogden, Thirty-first Precinct.....	\$1,800 00	
Joseph H. Godwin, Thirty-fifth Precinct.....	2,000 00	
Christopher Cunningham, additional accommodations, Thirty-third Precinct.....	950 00	
William Henderson, West Chester.....	1,800 00	
Volunteer Fire Department, Wakefield.....	800 00	
W. H. Payne, new Thirty-eighth Precinct.....	4,000 00	
S. Strasburg, Bicycle Squad, No. 1786 Broadway.....	1,500 00	
Frederick Schmidt, Sub-Station for Harbor Police, One Hundred and Twenty-second Street.....	600 00	
		13,450 00
For Increase of Force.....		100 00
For Additions to Mounted Squad.....		100 00
For Extra Telephone and Telegraph Supplies.....		100 00
		\$6,980,339 08

THE BUREAU OF ELECTIONS.

Election Expenses:		
For Compensation of Inspectors, Poll Clerks and Ballot Clerks.....	\$142,500 00	
For Rent of Polling Places, construction of new Ballot Booths, fitting up Polling Places, new Ballot-boxes, carting Ballot-boxes and Voting Booths, Stationery, Maps and Printing, etc.....	75,500 00	
Printing Official Ballots.....	45,000 00	
Contingencies, including \$100 for refreshments for Clerks on Election night.....	1,000 00	
Compensation for Clerks to Board of County Canvassers.....	2,000 00	
Salary of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections.....	4,000 00	
Salary of the Chief Clerk of the Bureau of Elections.....	2,000 00	
For Advertising Election Districts, Polling Places, and the Official Canvass; and for advertising election notices by the Clerk of the Common Council or County Clerk.....	20,000 00	
For Advertising Lists of Nominations by the Police Commissioners, pursuant to section 61, chapter 909, Laws of 1896, and for advertising by the County Clerk.....	20,000 00	
		312,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning:		
Administration.....	\$210,700 00	
Sweeping.....	1,361,129 00	
Carting.....	897,833 00	
Final Disposition of Material, including Cremation or Utilization.....	375,000 00	
Rents and Contingencies, including repairs of stables and gas.....	104,340 40	
Removal of Snow and Ice.....	40,000 00	
New Stock, Plant.....	10,000 00	
		2,999,002 40

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Department Fund:		
For Salaries, viz.:		
Headquarters Pay-roll.....	\$69,251 00	
Chief of Department and Assistants Pay-roll.....	60,600 00	
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-rolls—For pay of Foremen, Assistant Foremen, Engineers and Firemen of Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, and of the Fire Steamboats, and of the Ununiformed Firemen on probation.....	1,716,022 00	
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	17,500 00	
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	9,700 00	
Bureau of Fire-alarm and Electrical Appliances Pay-roll.....	60,594 00	
Repair Shops Pay-roll.....	61,643 00	
Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll.....	13,316 00	
Building Superintendent Pay-roll.....	100 00	
		\$2,008,726 00
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.—For New Apparatus, Horses, Rents, Hose, and all supplies and expenses of the Department not otherwise provided for.....		377,300 00
		2,386,026 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Department of Buildings:		
Salaries—To Pay entirely the Salaries of the Superintendent, First and Second Deputies, Attorney to the Department, and Assistants, Chief Clerk, Clerks, Inspectors, Stenographers and Typewriters, Messengers, and all other Employees of the Department.....	\$311,225 00	
Rents.....	11,860 00	
Board of Examiners' Fees.....	5,200 00	
Contingencies and Emergencies.....	12,500 00	
Fees in Serving Summonses.....	1 00	
		340,786 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	\$2,750 00	
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments:		
Salaries of the Commissioners.....	\$22,000 00	
Salaries of Secretary, Deputies and Employees.....	125,170 00	
		147,170 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors:		
Salaries of the Assessors and their Clerks.....	20,800 00	
		170,720 00

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Public Instruction:		
(Salaries, Wages, etc.)		
For Salaries of Teachers in Public Schools, and of Supervisors of Special Branches.....	\$3,965,460 80	
For Salaries of Janitors in Public Schools.....	282,250 00	
For Salaries of Teachers and Janitors in Evening Schools.....	170,000 00	
For Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other employees of the Board of Education.....	62,000 00	
For Salaries of the Board of School Superintendent.....	72,500 00	
For Enforcement of the Act, chapter 671, Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to provide for the Compulsory Education of Children"—Salaries of Attendance Officers, and for the establishment and maintenance of schools or classes, pursuant to section 9 of chapter 671, Laws of 1894.....	24,000 00	
For Support of the Nautical School—Wages, current expenses, repairs, etc., (Rents, Supplies, Temporary School Buildings, etc.).....	31,810 00	
For Rent of School Premises and of Premises for Annexes to the Hall of the Board of Education, and for Erection of Temporary School Buildings, etc.....	113,630 00	
For Fuel for all the Schools and the Hall of the Board of Education.....	118,475 00	
For Gas and other methods of lighting for all the Schools and the Hall of the Board of Education.....	45,000 00	
For Supplies, Books, Maps, Stationery, etc., for the use of all the Schools.....	290,616 00	
For Libraries, per acts of the Legislature.....	12,438 06	
(Incidental Expenses.)		
For Incidental Expenses of the Board of Education.....	22,500 00	
For Incidental Expenses of the Evening Schools.....	1,500 00	
(General Repair Fund.)		
For General Repairs.....	477,427 00	
For Pianos and Repairs of.....	7,000 00	
For Furniture and Repairs of.....	50,000 00	
(Miscellaneous.)		
For Corporate Schools, as per acts of the Legislature.....	120,033 03	
For Lectures to Workingmen and Workingwomen—Free.....	40,000 00	
For Transportation of Pupils in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards..	6,400 00	
For Placing Fire-alarm Telegraph Wires in the Subways.....	7,200 00	
		5,920,239 89

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

College of the City New York:		
For Salaries of Professors and Officers, Scientific Apparatus, Books and Supplies, Support and Maintenance, and all other expenses, including alterations and repairs to buildings (chapter 398, Laws of 1896).....		175,000 00

THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The Normal College:		
For Salaries of Professors, Tutors and others in the Normal College and in the Training Department of the Normal College; for Scientific Apparatus, Books and all necessary Supplies therefor; for Repairing and Altering the College Buildings, and for the Support, Maintenance and General Expenses of the same, pursuant to chapter 514, Laws of 1894.....		150,000 00

PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.

Publication of the CITY RECORD, including the Preparation and Printing of the Registry of Voters, and also including Arrearages.....	\$47,000 00	
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	10,500 00	
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—For all printing, stationery and blank books required by the Common Council and the Departments and Offices of the City Government, and the Courts (except printing the CITY RECORD), and including the cost of publishing Calendars of the Courts, under chapter 656, Laws of 1874, and also including Arrearages.....	162,500 00	
		220,000 00

MUNICIPAL SERVICE EXAMINING BOARDS.

Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of:		
For Salaries and Contingencies, and for pay of Experts and Examiners, to be expended under direction of the Mayor.....		\$30,000 00

THE CORONERS.

Coroners—Salaries and Expenses (section 1767, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882):		
Salaries of four Coroners, at \$5,000 each.....	\$20,000 00	
Salaries of four Physicians, at \$3,000 each.....	12,000 00	
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coroners (section 1768, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	3,500 00	
Contingent Expenses of four Coroners, including Clerk and office hire, at \$3,000 each (section 1767, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	12,000 00	
Post-mortem Examinations—Chemical analyses (sections 1771 and 1772, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	2,500 00	
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coroners (section 1768, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), such salary to include all copies furnished to the District Attorney, or any stenographic work connected with the Coroners' Office.....	2,500 00	
Salary of Replevin Clerk.....	2,200 00	
Salaries of two Assistant Clerks (chapters 846, Laws of 1895, and 732, Laws of 1896), at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00	
		57,700 00

THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts (chapter 516, Laws of 1884):		
Salaries of two Commissioners, at \$5,000 each.....	\$10,000 00	
Salaries of Assistants and Contingencies.....	50,000 00	
		60,000 00

THE SHERIFF.

Salaries—Sheriff's Office:		
For Salaries of Sheriff, Under Sheriff, Counsel, Deputy Sheriffs and Assistant Deputies.....	\$65,000 00	
For Salaries of Clerks in Sheriff's Office.....	25,600 00	
For Salaries of Prison Guards and Van Drivers.....	9,200 00	
For Salaries of Jury Notice Servers for Special Jurors (chapter 378, Laws of 1896).....	500 00	
		\$100,300 00
Incidental Expenses of the Sheriff's Office and the County Jail, including furniture, bedding and other supplies for the jail, and including purchase of railroad tickets.....		2,750 00
Furniture, Keep of Horses, Repairs to Vans, Horseshoeing, etc.....		1,000 00
Salaries—County Jail:		
For Salaries of Warden and Keepers, Clerk, Physician, Engineers and Employees of the County Jail.....		21,652 00
Support of Indigent Prisoners in County Jail, at 70 cents per day per capita.....		4,000 00
For Furniture and Supplies for Special Commissioner of Jurors.....		1,200 00
		130,982 00

THE REGISTER.

Salaries—Register's Office:		
Salary of the Register.....	\$12,000 00	
Salaries of Deputy, Assistant Deputy, Chief Clerk, Satisfaction Clerk, Ticker Clerks, Mortgage Clerks, Search Clerk, Account Clerk, Index Clerks, Map Clerks, Record Clerks, Examiners, Readers, Searchers, Custodians, Recording Clerks, Watchmen and Messengers, and Clerical Service, under chapter 349, Laws of 1880.....		117,000 00
Contingencies—Register's Office.....		250 00
		129,250 00

THE NATIONAL GUARD.

Armories and Drill-rooms—For Wages of Armories, Janitors, Engineers and Laborers for the State National Guard, as provided by section 10, chapter 412, Laws of 1886; section 64, chapter 360, Laws of 1890; chapter 559, Laws of 1893, and chapters 360, 668 and 853, Laws of 1896, as follows:		
Seventh Regiment:		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
7 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	5,110 00	
		\$10,950 00
Eighth Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
6 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	4,380 00	
		10,220 00
Ninth Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	
6 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	4,380 00	
		9,855 00
Twelfth Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
5 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	3,650 00	
		9,490 00
Twenty-second Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
6 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	4,380 00	
		10,220 00
Sixty-ninth Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
3 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,190 00	
		6,570 00
Seventy-first Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
5 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	3,650 00	
		9,490 00
First Battery—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
2 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	1,460 00	
		4,380 00
Second Battery—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
3 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,190 00	
		5,110 00
Squadron "A"—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
3 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,190 00	
		8,030 00
First Naval Battalion—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
2 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	1,460 00	
		7,300 00
Brigade Headquarters:		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....		1,460 00
		2,920 00
First Brigade Signal Corps—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	
		2,920 00
Seventh Regiment Armory, Trustees of—For payment to the Trustees of the Seventh Regiment Armory Building for repairing, altering, maintaining and improving said building, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 518, Laws of 1893.....		95,995 00
		8,000 00

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Advertising—For advertising for all Departments and County Offices, not otherwise provided for under special provisions of law, including arrearages.....		75,000 00
Jurors' Fees—Including expenses of Jurors in civil and criminal trials.....		75,000 00
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Expenses of.....		3,500 00
Board of Street Opening and Improvement:		
Salary of the Secretary.....	\$2,250 00	
Contingencies.....	10 00	
		2,260 00
For the Preservation of Public Records (chapter 467, Laws of 1890):		
The Register's Office—for the recopying of the mutilated records in the office of the Register of the County of New York, as follows:		
Salaries of Clerks.....	\$13,300 00	
Libers, index books, etc.....	1,000 00	
		\$14,300 00
The County Clerk's Office—For the Recopying and Binding of Records in the Office of the County Clerk of the County of New York, as follows:		
Eleven Clerks.....	\$12,300 00	
Two Bookbinders.....	1,800 00	
Bookbinders' Materials, Stationery, etc.....	500 00	
		14,600 00

For the Preservation of Public Records (chapter 467, Laws of 1890):

The Surrogate's Office—For the Recopying of the Mutilated Records in the Office of the Surrogate of the County of New York, as follows:	
Examiner and Superintendent.....	\$1,500 00
Eight Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	9,600 00
Fourteen Libers, at \$30 each.....	420 00
Stationery.....	100 00
	\$11,620 00

Salaries of Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures:

For Salaries of two Inspectors, at \$1,500 each per annum.....	\$3,000 00
For Salaries of two Sealers, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	2,400 00

Fund for Street and Park Openings.....

Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....

Contingencies—District Attorney's Office—Arrearages.....

For Fees of Clerk of Court of General Sessions in furnishing certified copies of indictments and other records.....

Disbursements and Fees under section 658 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.....

For Costs of Commitments of Insane Persons, pursuant to chapter 545, Laws of 1896.....

For Allowance to the New York Free Circulating Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the Aguilar Free Library Society, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of the City of New York, for Free Library (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the Webster Free Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the Cathedral Free Circulating Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the Free Library of the University Settlement Society, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the Washington Heights Free Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the Riverside Free Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the Maimonides Free Library of District No. 1 of the Independent Order Benai Berith, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the St. Agnes' Free Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Allowance to the Young Women's Christian Association Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 859, Laws of 1895).....

For Fees of Stenographers for transcribing minutes of trials in the Court of General Sessions and Supreme Court, and providing for the expense of preparing and printing minutes and judgment rolls in the Court of General Sessions and Supreme Court, as provided by chapter 81, Laws of 1888, and chapter 379, Laws of 1889.....

Fees of Witnesses subpoenaed on behalf of the People, etc. (chapter 48, Laws of 1895).....

Examining Board of Plumbers (chapter 602, Laws of 1892):

Examiners.....

Clerk.....

Materials and Tools.....

Contingencies—For Postage, etc.....

Memorial Committee, Grand Army of the Republic, for defraying the expenses incidental to the observance of Memorial Day, May 30, 1898.....

For the establishment and maintenance of a Library for the Court of General Sessions (chapter 865, Laws of 1895).....

Contingencies—Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court.....

For claim of the Bank of Mount Vernon, N. Y., for interest on \$5,300, the amount paid by said bank to the Sewer Commissioners of the late Village of Williamsbridge, for certain Sewer Bonds which have been declared by the Counsel to the Corporation to be invalid.....

For such claims as may be taken up by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for consideration..

THE JUDICIARY.

Salaries—City Courts:

(City Magistrates' Courts.)	
Salaries of 9 City Magistrates, at \$7,000 each per annum.....	\$63,000 00
Salaries of 7 Police Clerks, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	17,500 00
Salaries of 18 Police Clerks' Assistants, at \$2,000 each per annum.....	36,000 00
Salaries of 6 Stenographers, at \$2,000 each per annum.....	12,000 00
Salaries of 6 Interpreters, at \$1,500 each per annum.....	9,000 00
Salary of 1 Attendant.....	1,200 00
Salary of Secretary to Board of City Magistrates.....	1,000 00
	\$139,700 00

(District Courts.)

Salaries of 13 District Court Justices, at \$6,000 each per annum.....

Salaries of Clerks, Stenographers, Interpreters and Attendants.....

Salaries of 13 Janitors, at \$900 each per annum (section 1435, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....

Salaries—Judiciary:

(The Supreme Court.)	
Ten Justices, at \$11,500 each per annum.....	\$115,000 00
Twelve Justices, at \$17,500 each per annum.....	210,000 00
Two Clerks, at \$3,500 each per annum.....	7,000 00
Librarian.....	2,500 00
Assistant Librarian.....	2,000 00
Crier.....	2,500 00
Assistant Crier.....	2,000 00
Special Deputy Clerk, Appellate Division.....	2,500 00
Two Assistant Special Deputy Clerks, Appellate Division, at \$2,000 each.....	4,000 00
Special Deputy Clerk, Criminal Term, Part I.....	2,000 00
Two Assistant Special Deputy Clerks, Criminal Term, Part I, at \$500 each.....	1,000 00
Special Deputy Clerk, Trial Term, Part II.....	4,000 00
Assistant Special Deputy Clerk, Trial Term, Part II.....	1,500 00
Ten Special Deputy Clerks, Trial Terms, Parts III. to XII., inclusive, at \$2,000 each.....	20,000 00
Special Deputy Clerk, General Term.....	2,000 00
Special Deputy Clerk, Special Term, Part I.....	2,500 00
Three Assistant Special Deputy Clerks, Special Term, Part I, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00
Special Deputy Clerk, Special Term, Part II.....	2,500 00
Five Special Deputy Clerks, Special Term, Part II., at \$1,500 each.....	7,500 00
Special Deputy Clerk, Special Term, Part III.....	4,000 00
Three Assistant Special Deputy Clerks, Special Term, Part III, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00
Five Assistant Special Deputy Clerks, Special Terms, Parts IV. to VIII., inclusive, at \$2,000 each.....	10,000 00
Three Stenographers Appellate Division, at \$2,500 each.....	7,500 00
Typewriter, Appellate Division.....	1,200 00
Stenographer, Criminal Term, Part I.....	2,500 00
Ten Stenographers, Trial Terms, Parts II. to XI., inclusive, at \$2,500 each.....	25,000 00
Eight Stenographers, Special Terms, Parts I. to VIII., inclusive, at \$2,500 each.....	20,000 00
Three Naturalization Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00
Interpreter.....	2,500 00
Stationery Clerk.....	60,000 00
Twenty-four Justices' Clerks, at \$2,500 each.....	12,000 00
Ten Attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	12,000 00
Eighty-six Attendants, at \$1,000 each.....	86,000 00
Compensation of Justices from other districts.....	35,000 00
	671,200 00

(The City Court.)

Six Justices, at \$10,000 each per annum.....

Clerk, Deputy Clerks and Assistant Clerks.....

Four Stenographers, at \$2,500 each per annum.....

Interpreter.....

Thirteen Attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....

(The Court of General Sessions.)

Recorder.....

City Judge.....

Judge.....

Judge.....

Judge.....

Clerk.....

Nine Deputy Clerks, at \$3,000 each.....

Assistant Clerk.....

Four Record Clerks, at \$1,200 each per annum.....

Four Stenographers, at \$2,500 each per annum.....

Three Interpreters, at \$2,000 each per annum.....

Warden of Grand Jury.....

Ten Attendants, at \$1,200 each.....

Forty-four Attendants, at \$1,000 each.....

Contingencies and Rent of Telephones.....

(The Surrogate's Court.)

The Surrogate (chapter 290, Laws of 1889).....

Chief Clerk, Deputy Chief Clerk, Law Assistants, Stenographers, Probate Clerks, Certificate Clerk, Interpreter, Accounting Clerks, Administration Clerks, Recording Clerks, Court Clerks, Guardian Clerks, Examiners, Clerks, Searchers, Attendants, Messengers, Copyists and Stenographer's Amanuensis.....

Contingencies.....

Contingencies—For Service by the Sheriff of Citations and Orders issued out of the Surrogate's Court.....

Additional Surrogate (chapter 642, Laws of 1892).....

Clerk of Additional Part.....

Stenographer.....

Clerk of Additional Surrogate.....

Salaries—Judiciary:

(The Surrogate's Court.)

Two Recording Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	\$2,000 00
Three Court Attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00
	\$146,750 00

(The County Clerk's Office.)

The County Clerk (chapter 299, Laws of 1884).....	\$15,000 00
Deputy Clerk, Comparing Clerks, Recording Clerks, Docket Clerks, Stenographer, Custodians, Messenger and Janitor, also two Clerks of Records of the Old Superior and Common Pleas Courts, pursuant to chapter 885, Laws of 1896.....	51,850 00

Searching Department:

Searchers.....	14,500 00
Clerks and Custodians.....	4,480 00
Contingencies.....	400 00
	86,230 00

(The District Attorney's Office.)

The District Attorney.....

Assistants, Deputy Assistants, Clerks, Stenographers, Typewriter, Subpoena Servers and Messengers, and including Stenographer for the Grand Jury.....

Peabody Home for Aged and Indigent Women:

(Chapter 424, Laws of 1893.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 25, at \$150 each per annum	\$3,750 00
Sloane Maternity Hospital:	
(Chapter 424, Laws of 1893.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 32, at \$5 per week each, say	8,000 00
Babies' Wards of the Post-Graduate Hospital:	
(Chapter 192, Laws of 1894.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 43, at 38 cents per day each, say	6,000 00
Mothers and Babies' Hospital:	
(Chapter 517, Laws of 1894.)	
Estimated average number of patients, 267, at \$15 each, say	4,000 00
New York Magdalen Benevolent Society:	
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 20, at \$110 per annum each	2,200 00
Sanitarium for Hebrew Children:	
(Chapter 501, Laws of 1894.)	
St. John's Guild	30,000 00
(Chapter 501, Laws of 1894.)	
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	30,000 00
(Chapters 25 and 336, Laws of 1894.)	
Central New York Institution for Deaf Mutes:	
For clothing a pupil	30 00
New York Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital	25,000 00
(Chapter 385, Laws of 1895.)	
The Society of the Lying-in Hospital of the City of New York	12,000 00
(Chapter 385, Laws of 1895.)	
New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital	7,500 00
(Chapter 665, Laws of 1895.)	
New York Homoeopathic Medical School and Hospital:	
(Chapter 829, Laws of 1896.)	
For board, nursing and medical or surgical attendance for each	
needy patient occupying a bed in the Flower Surgical Hospital,	
at \$1 per day each	\$7,810 00
Deficiency for 1897	2,500 00
Deficiency for 1896	100 00
	10,410 00
Mount Sinai Hospital:	
(Chapter 719, Laws of 1897.)	
For board, nursing and medical or surgical attendance and treatment	
for each needy and charity patient who occupies a bed in the	
Mount Sinai Hospital	\$26,000 00
Deficiency for 1897	100 00
	26,100 00
Middletown State Homoeopathic Hospital	100 00
	\$1,575,892 06

Total appropriations

Deduct amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund not otherwise specifically appropriated by law

Total

Resolved, That the Provisional Estimate made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 30th day of October, 1897, of the amount required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business in the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the ensuing financial year, to wit, for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, be submitted to the Board of Aldermen, with the reasons for it in detail, as required by section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as follows:

THE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The amount appropriated for the Common Council in the Provisional Estimate for 1898 is ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000), being the amount of the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and fifteen hundred dollars less than the Final Estimate for 1897.

THE MAYORALTY.

The amount appropriated for the expenses of the Mayor's Office in 1898 is twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), being the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and the same as was allowed in the Final Estimate for 1897. This includes the salary of the Mayor, as fixed by law, at \$10,000 per annum. For the Mayor's Marshal's office the sum of seventeen thousand one hundred and fifty-five dollars (\$17,155) was asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and that amount has been allowed as necessary and reasonable in the Provisional Estimate, being the same as was allowed for that purpose in the Final Estimate of 1897.

THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$331,488.21 was asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1898, as required for the several objects and purposes mentioned therein, and is allowed as reasonable and necessary, including the salary of the Comptroller, fixed by law at \$10,000 per annum, and the compensation of the Chamberlain, also provided for by law at \$25,000, and including the sum of \$40,000 for cleaning markets. The total is \$10,088.21 more than was allowed in the Final Estimate for 1897.

INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

In accordance with the statements submitted by the Comptroller with the Departmental Estimates, the amount appropriated for interest becoming due and payable in 1898 on bonds and stocks of the City of New York, exclusive of interest on bonds and stocks in the Sinking Fund, made payable therefrom by chapter 178 of the Laws of 1889, and including interest on bonds of towns and villages issued prior to their annexation to the city, and also interest on the estimated amount of Revenue Bonds to be issued in 1898, amounting in all to \$6,006,854.61, has been included in the Provisional Estimate to be raised by tax in 1898, which is an increase of \$352,596.08 over the Final Estimate of 1897.

THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.

The sum of \$2,353,403.27 is included in the Provisional Estimate for the redemption of Revenue Bonds made payable in 1898 by special acts of the Legislature, and the redemption of the debt of the several towns and villages annexed to the City of New York which becomes due in 1898, and the installment to be raised by tax annually for the redemption, at maturity, of bonds issued after December 31, 1884, for the supply of water, being a decrease from the Final Estimate of 1897 of \$1,819,266.08.

THE STATE TAXES.

The State taxes for 1898, as certified by the State Comptroller, amount to \$5,701,871.81, and consist of the following items:

For Schools, .91 mill	\$1,944,357 06
For State Care of Insane, 1.10 mill	2,350,321 72
For General Purposes, .18 mill	1,410,193 03
For Canals, .48 mill	
	\$5,704,871 81

This amount has been allowed, provisionally, in full.

RENTS.

The sum of \$172,435.33 is appropriated for rents of premises leased to the City for various Departments, public offices, court-rooms, etc., other than armories and drill-rooms, being an increase of \$1,083.33 over the Final Estimate of 1897.

For rents of armories and drill-rooms for the National Guard, not provided with quarters belonging to the City, the sum of \$2,750 is allowed, being the same as the amount included in the Final Estimate of 1897.

JUDGMENTS.

For the payment of judgments against the City that have been or may be obtained, and not otherwise provided for, the sum of \$250,000 is included in the Provisional Estimate of 1898, that amount being deemed necessary for this purpose, and being the same as was allowed in the Final Estimate for 1897.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$200,550 was asked for in the Departmental Estimate, being \$3,000 more than the amount allowed in the Final Estimate for 1897, i.e., \$197,550, which amount has also been included in the Provisional Estimate for 1898.

THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

The amount allowed to the Bureau of the Public Administrator is \$16,990. This amount is \$400 less than the amount of the Departmental Estimate and the same as the Final Estimate for 1897.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

The sum of \$3,522,555.66 is appropriated for all objects and purposes, being \$3,000 more than the Final Estimate for 1897 and \$853,944.59 less than was asked for in the Departmental Estimate.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

The sum of \$1,336,325 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all objects and purposes, which is less than the Departmental Estimate by \$103,890 and \$3,200 more than the Final Estimate for 1897.

THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS. The sum of \$775,150 is appropriated for all the purposes and objects of this Department, being \$4,600 less than the Final Estimate for 1897, and \$416,100 less than the Departmental Estimate for 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

The sum of \$1,290,242 is appropriated as necessary for the purposes and objects of this Department, being \$457,018 less than the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and \$300 more than the Final Estimate for 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

It has been estimated that this Department will require \$471,600 for the ensuing year, which amount is less by \$70,055 than the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and \$100 more than the Final Estimate for 1897.

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$579,758 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects of this Department for the year 1898, being \$20,512 less than the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and \$1,600 less than the Final Estimate of 1897.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$6,980,339.08 is believed to be necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects of this Department, and is therefore appropriated, provisionally. This amount is \$95,291.04 less than the Departmental Estimate, and \$3,600 less than the Final Estimate for 1897.

BUREAU OF ELECTIONS.

The sum of \$312,000 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all purposes and objects, being the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate and \$11,500 less than the Final Estimate for 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

\$2,999,002.40 is allowed as the amount necessary and sufficient for the purposes and objects of this Department, this amount being the same as the Final Estimate for 1897, and \$344,470.64 less than requested in the Departmental Estimate for 1898.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$2,386,026 is regarded as necessary and sufficient for all objects and purposes of this Department, being \$247,443 less than the Departmental Estimate and \$49,900 less than the Final Estimate for 1897.

THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

The sum of \$340,786 is appropriated for all objects and purposes, being \$34,039 less than the Departmental Estimate and \$1 more than the Final Estimate of 1897.

THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

The sum of \$170,720 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for the expenses of this Department, being the same amount as asked for in the Departmental Estimate and as allowed in the Final Estimate of 1897.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The sum of \$5,920,239.89 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all objects and purposes, excepting the purchase of school sites and the erection of school buildings, which are provided for by the issue of bonds. The amount of this appropriation is \$923,210.84 less than the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and is \$11,000 less than the amount allowed in the Final Estimate for 1897.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The sum of \$175,000 is appropriated for the expenses of this institution, being the same amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate and allowed in the Final Estimate for 1897.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The sum of \$150,000 is appropriated for the expenses of this institution, being the same amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate and allowed in the Final Estimate for 1897.

PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.

The sum of \$220,000 is appropriated as necessary for these objects and purposes, including the publication of the CITY RECORD, etc., a special appropriation being made for advertising miscellaneous items. This amount is the same as the Departmental Estimate for 1898 and \$15,000 less than the Final Estimate for 1897.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINING BOARDS.

The sum of \$30,000 is appropriated for all the expenses of this Board, being \$20,000 less than the amount of the Departmental Estimate for 1898 and the same as the appropriation for 1897.

THE CORONERS.

The sum of \$57,700 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects of the Coroners, being the amount of the Departmental Estimate and the same as the appropriation for 1897.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

In the opinion of this Board the sum of \$60,000 is necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects of the Commissioners of Accounts, and is therefore appropriated, provisionally, being \$5,000 less than the Departmental Estimate and the same as the appropriation for 1897.

THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

The sum of \$130,982 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all purposes and objects, being \$4,000 less than the amount allowed in the Final Estimate for 1897, and being the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1898.

THE REGISTER.

The sum of \$129,250 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all purposes and objects, being \$250 less than the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and the same as the Final Estimate for 1897.

ARMORIES AND DRILL-ROOMS—WAGES AND ALLOWANCE TO TRUSTEES OF SEVENTH REGIMENT ARMORY.

The amount appropriated for wages of Armors, Janitors and Engineers and Laborers required for military organizations is \$95,995, to which has been added, however, the sum of \$8,000 as an allowance to the Trustees of the Seventh Regiment Armory, as provided by chapter 518 of the Laws of 1893, the aggregate, \$103,995, being \$5,110 more than the amount appropriated for 1897.

JURORS' FEES.

For this purpose \$75,000 has been appropriated, being the amount requested in the Departmental Estimate for 1898 and the same as the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1897.

PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC RECORDS.

For the preservation of Public Records \$40,520 has been appropriated, being \$2,600 less than the amount requested in the Departmental Estimate for 1898, and \$120 less than the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1897.

FUND FOR STREET AND PARK OPENINGS.

For this purpose the sum of \$800,000 has been appropriated, being \$43,142.10 more than the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1897. This amount is regulated by law, and provision therefor is made mandatory upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

LIBRARIES.

The sum of \$96,150 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all library purposes, being \$70,450 less than the amount requested in the Departmental Estimates, and \$550 less than was allowed for that item in the Final Estimate for 1887.

SALARIES—CITY COURTS.

The sum of \$376,000 is appropriated for the City Magistrates' Courts and District Courts, being the same as the amount in the Final Estimate for 1897, and \$136,700 less than the amount requested in the Departmental Estimates.

SALARIES—JUDICIARY.

The sum of \$1,511,260 is appropriated for the expenses of the Criminal Courts, the Supreme Court and other Courts of Record, and for the offices of the District Attorney, the Commissioner of Jurors, the Special Commissioner of Jurors and the County Clerk, being \$22,000 more than the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1897.

ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

The sum of \$1,575,892.06 is appropriated for the various charitable institutions, in pursuance of provisions of law requiring that amount to be paid to them.

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Appropriations for the various objects and purposes classified as "Miscellaneous Purposes" have been made to the aggregate amount of \$164,248.35, being \$357,644.29 less than the amount allowed therefor in the Final Estimate for 1897.

All the foregoing appropriations have been made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as though the City of New York were to continue in existence with its present territorial limits, that being the method prescribed by section 10 of the Greater New York Charter.

A true copy of the reasons for the Provisional Estimate for the year 1898, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, November 8, 1897. CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That Monday, November 29, 1897, 2 o'clock P.M. in the afternoon, the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, be and they are hereby designated as the time and place when and where the application of the Brooklyn, New York and Jersey City Terminal Railway Company to the Common Council of the City of New York for its consent and permission for the construction, maintenance and operation of a railroad under the surface of certain streets, avenues and thoroughfares of the City of New York, as they are more particularly set forth in the accompanying petition, will be first considered, and a public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board for fourteen days in two daily newspapers to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of section 92 of the Railroad Law, as amended, such advertising to be at the expense of the petitioner.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 26, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, November 1, 1897, and the "Tribune" and "Sun" designated.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

NEW YORK, November 10, 1897.

The Board of Aldermen will hold a special meeting on Friday, November 12, 1897, at 12 o'clock M., in Room 16, City Hall, "to consider the Provisional Estimate for 1898."

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

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

PUBLIC WORKS—The Committee on Public Works will hold a meeting on Friday, November 12, 1897, at 12 o'clock M., in Room 13, City Hall.

RAILROADS—The Railroad Committee will hold a meeting on every Monday, at 2 o'clock P.M., in Room 13, City Hall.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Section 68 of chapter 470, Laws of 1882 (the Consolidation Act of the City of New York), provides that "there shall be published in the CITY RECORD, within the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any department (except laborers), with their salaries, and residences by street numbers, and all changes in such subordinates or salaries shall be so published within one week after they are made. It shall be the duty of all the heads of departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publication of the CITY RECORD everything required to be inserted therein."

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor City Record.
Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Bureau of Licenses—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Public Works—No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Corner One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.
City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Corporation Attorney—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Bureau of Street Openings—Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
Public Administrator—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Charities—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Correction—Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Examining Board of Plumbers—Meets every Thursday, at 2 P. M. Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, sixth floor.
Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.
Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway.
Department of Street Cleaning—No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building.
Board of Assessors—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.
Sheriff's Office—Old "Brown Stone Building," No. 9 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Governor's Room—City Hall, open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 to 12 A. M.
Coroner's Office—New Criminal Court Building, open constantly. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.
Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Appellate Division, Supreme Court—Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
Supreme Court—County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Criminal Division, Supreme Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, opens at 10.30 A. M.
Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Court—City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20 Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20; Part II., Room No. 21; Part III., Room No. 15; Part IV., Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Opens daily, except Saturday, at 10 A. M. Clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. until 12 M.
District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Wednesdays, Thursdays and Sundays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Twelfth District—Westchester, New York City. Open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Thirteenth District—Corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrate's Courts—Office of Secretary, Second District Police Court, Jefferson Market, No. 125 Sixth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District

—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"NEW YORK PRESS," "NEW YORK Tribune."
Evening—"Mail and Express," "News."
Weekly—"Leslie's Weekly," "Weekly Union."
German—"Staats-Zeitung."
JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF
Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, November 16, 1897, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.
CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.
ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.
Dated New York, November 9, 1897.

PARK AVENUE IMPROVEMENT.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.
THE BOARD FOR THE PARK AVENUE IMPROVEMENT above One Hundred and Sixth street, will receive sealed proposals up to 3 o'clock P. M., of Thursday, the 9th day of November, 1897, at its offices, No. 501 Fifth avenue, New York City, for painting the metal viaduct structure on Park avenue, between the south side of One Hundred and Tenth street and the south side of Harlem river, at about One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, in accordance with specifications and form of contract and proposal, which may now be inspected, and further information, if desired, obtained at the offices of the Board.
NEW YORK, October 27, 1897.
FRANK BULKLEY, President.
HENRY L. STODDARD, Secretary.

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason or changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.
Dated New York, October 30, 1897.
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF
Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, November 16, 1897, at 4 o'clock P. M.
CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.
ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.
Dated New York, November 9, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 22, 1896.
NOTICE TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

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

DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, November 11, 1897.
TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR AN ALTERATION OF A FRAME DWELLING AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW FRAME BUILDING FOR THE FORDHAM HOSPITAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until Tuesday, November 23, 1897, 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 Materials and Work Required for an Alteration of a Frame Dwelling and the Construction of a New Frame Building for the Fordham Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 470, 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 SIX THOUSAND (\$6,000) 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 or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.
Bidders will 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.
The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of Isaac L. Hader, No. 124 Broadway, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.
DR. STEPHEN SMITH, President; **JOHN P. FAURE**, and **JAMES R. O'BRIEN**, Commissioners, Department of Public Charities.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING), NEW YORK, November 1, 1897.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE RECEIVER of Taxes of the City of New York to all persons whose taxes for the year 1897 remain unpaid on the first day of November of said year that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office on or before the first day of December of said year, he will charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such taxes, one per centum of the amount thereof, and charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on the first day of January thereafter interest upon the amount at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from October 1, 1897, the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants therefor were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes to the date of payment, as provided by sections 843, 844 and 845 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

ST. 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 and extending West One Hundred and Seventy-second street, between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Kingsbridge road distant 4,452.50 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said line, distance 468.61 feet, to the easterly line of Fort Washington avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 61.33 feet; thence easterly, distance 460.54 feet, to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line, distance 63.51 feet, to the point or place of beginning.
Said street to be 60 feet wide between the line of Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue.

And that such proposed action of the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.
Dated New York, November 10, 1897.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, NEW YORK, November 8, 1897.

AUCTION SALE.
THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards will sell at Public Auction, by James McCauley, Auctioneer, Buildings and parts of Buildings, Fences, etc., now standing within the lines of—

- 1st. Grand Boulevard and Concourse (Section 1), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Walnut street, with transverse roads at East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Seventieth street.
- 2d. Grand Boulevard and Concourse (Section 2), from Walnut street to Burnside avenue, with transverse roads at Belmont street, Tremont avenue and Burnside avenue.
- 3d. East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Aqueduct avenue to Webster avenue.
- 4th. Public place, bounded by Tremont avenue, Burnside avenue, Webster avenue and Rye avenue.
- 5th. East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue.
- 6th. Topping street, from Claremont Park to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.
- 7th. Weeks street, from Claremont Park to Grand Boulevard and Concourse.
- 8th. Marcy place, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse.
- 9th. Clarke place, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse.

- 10th. McClellan street, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue.
 - 11th. College avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.
 - 12th. East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Walton avenue to Sheridan avenue.
 - 13th. East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Mott avenue to Exterior street.
 - 14th. Grant avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Seventieth street.
 - 15th. Townsend avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventieth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.
 - 16th. Vanderbilt avenue, West, from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Pelham avenue.
 - 17th. Oliver street, from Webster avenue to Marion avenue.
 - 18th. Valentine avenue, from East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street (Travers street) to East Two Hundred and Fourth street (Potter place).
 - 19th. Depot street, at Bedford Park, east of Webster avenue.
 - 20th. Woodlawn road, from Jerome avenue to Bronx Park.
 - 21st. Nathalie avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Boston avenue.
 - 22d. Park street, from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Westchester avenue.
 - 23d. East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from St. Ann's avenue to East One Hundred and Thirty-first street.
 - 24th. East One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from St. Ann's avenue to Willow avenue.
 - 25th. East One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Powers avenue to the Southern Boulevard.
 - 26th. Avenue St. John's, from Prospect avenue to Timpson place.
 - 27th. Leggett avenue, from Prospect avenue to Randall avenue.
 - 28th. Mohawk avenue, from Hunt's Point road to Bronx river.
 - 29th. Wendover avenue, from Third avenue to western line of Crotona Park, and from Boston road to eastern line of Crotona Park.
 - 30th. Vanderbilt avenue, East, from Twenty-third Ward line to Third avenue and Pelham avenue.
- on Monday, November 22, 1897, and the following days, if necessary.
Sale will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, November 22, 1897.

TERMS OF SALE.

Payments to be made in bankable funds at the time of sale.
Buyers to remove all incumbrances within thirty days from date of sale and to be liable for any and all damages by reason of the occupancy or removal of the said property, or any part of it.

For further information and for catalogues apply at the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street. By order of the Commissioner.
JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

CITY CIVIL SERVICE COMM.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, November 6, 1897.
EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:

Friday, November 12, 10 A. M., **DYNAMO ENGINEERS**. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge (with special reference to dynamos and care and use of electric-light plant) and experience.

Monday, November 15, 10 A. M., **GARDENERS**. Examination will consist of arithmetic, reading, technical knowledge and experience.

Tuesday, November 16, 10 A. M., **INSPECTORS OF ELECTRICAL WIRES AND APPLIANCES**. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Wednesday, November 17, 10 A. M., **ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMEN**. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience. There will be a general paper on architectural drawing and two papers (to be taken at option of candidates), one with special reference to construction of fire-engine houses, etc., and one with reference to school buildings, etc.

Thursday, November 18, 10 A. M., **INSPECTORS OF WATER METERS, WASTE WATER AND SUPPLY TO SHIPPING**. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Monday, November 22, 10 A. M., **INSPECTORS OF PIPES AND PIPE-LAYING**. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Tuesday, November 23, 10 A. M., **LABORATORY ATTENDANTS, BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY**. Applicants must have some knowledge of chemicals and chemical apparatus and preparation of microscopic slides. Examination will consist of arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Applications are desired for the position of Housekeeper and Engineers who have had experience in running dynamos.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRATION day in the Labor Bureau will be Friday, and that examinations will take place on that day at 1 P. M.
S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.
CONTRACT FOR THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FROM THE STREETS AND AVENUES AND PUBLIC PLACES, OR PARTS THEREOF, OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND THE UNLOADING AND FINAL DISCHARGE OF THE SAME AT THE SEVERAL DUMPS, OR OTHER PLACES OF FINAL DISPOSITION AND DISCHARGE, DESIGNATED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET CLEANING, FOR AND DURING THE PERIOD ENDING APRIL 15, 1898.

ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE CONTRACT, enclosed in sealed envelopes and indorsed with the name and address of person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, New York Life Building, No. 346 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 M. of Monday, the 22d day of November, 1897, at which time and place the said estimates will be publicly opened and read.

The person or persons to whom the said contract may be awarded will be required to execute such contract within five (5) days from the receipt 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 such contract and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may readvertise and relet the work, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state, under oath, in their estimates, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state that fact; also that the bid 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 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 work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested it is required that

the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall also be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid or estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000), and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled on its completion 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 amount 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 the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law, and a like affidavit as to sufficiency shall be required of an officer of any company so consenting. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

A special deposit of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) in lawful money of the United States will be required to be made with the Comptroller of the City of New York on or before the execution of the said contract, said deposit to be retained by said Comptroller, as provided in the said contract, as an additional security for the proper and complete performance of the work under the said contract.

The price in the bid or estimate must be written and must also be given in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all of the bids should he deem it best for the interest of the City. No bid will be accepted from nor will the contract be 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 proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of said city, for Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500), or money to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract the check or money of the accepted bidder will likewise be returned to him.

All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or if not so made they will be rejected.

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

GEO. E. WARING, JR., Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated New York, October 29, 1897.

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

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Nos. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3.30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, November 15, 1897, for Erecting a Public School Building on the block bounded by Mott and Walton avenues and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets; also for Supplying a Safety Appliance for the protection of janitors of the Public Schools while cleaning windows.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor.

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS,
DANIEL E. MCSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT,
JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings.
Dated New York, November 4, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 606.)
PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW PIER AT THE FOOT OF JANE STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW Pier at the foot of Jane street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11.30 o'clock A. M. of

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1897,
at which time and place the estimates will be publicly

opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

(a) PIER.
To be Furnished by the Department of Docks.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 82,264 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 642,972 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 57,660 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 10", about 450 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 288 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 12", about 1,980 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,632 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 14", about 613 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 12", about 5,047 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12", about 34,368 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 12", about 30 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 64,417 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 359,253 feet, B. M., measured in the work—Total, about 1,481,974 feet, B. M., measured in the work. NOTE.—It is the intention of the Department of Docks to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks to the contractor free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river, water-front south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereinafter specified, and the contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

To be Furnished by the Contractor.
2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 16", about 2,464 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 5,418 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 8", about 6,004 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 31,550 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 12", about 1,278 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 12,478 feet, B. M., measured in the work—Total, about 60,392 feet, B. M., measured in the work. NOTE.—The contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 1, required to do the work under this contract.

3. White Oak Timber, 6" x 12", about 10,416 feet, B. M., measured in the work. NOTE.—All of the above quantity of timber is inclusive of extra lengths required for laps, etc., but is exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles, 2.82". (It is expected that these piles will have to be about from 80 to 85 feet in length, to average 83 feet, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

5. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet in length, 13".

6. 3/4" x 28", 3/4" x 26", 3/4" x 24", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 18", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 6", 3/4" x 4", 3/4" x 3", 3/4" x 2", 3/4" x 1", 3/4" x 1/2", 3/4" x 1/4", 3/4" x 1/8", 3/4" x 1/16", 3/4" x 1/32", 3/4" x 1/64", 3/4" x 1/128", 3/4" x 1/256", 3/4" x 1/512", 3/4" x 1/1024", 3/4" x 1/2048", 3/4" x 1/4096", 3/4" x 1/8192", 3/4" x 1/16384", 3/4" x 1/32768", 3/4" x 1/65536", 3/4" x 1/131072", 3/4" x 1/262144", 3/4" x 1/524288", 3/4" x 1/1048576", 3/4" x 1/2097152", 3/4" x 1/4194304", 3/4" x 1/8388608", 3/4" x 1/16777216", 3/4" x 1/33554432", 3/4" x 1/67108864", 3/4" x 1/134217728", 3/4" x 1/268435456", 3/4" x 1/536870912", 3/4" x 1/1073741824", 3/4" x 1/2147483648", 3/4" x 1/4294967296", 3/4" x 1/8589934592", 3/4" x 1/17179869184", 3/4" x 1/34359738368", 3/4" x 1/68719476736", 3/4" x 1/137438953472", 3/4" x 1/274877906944", 3/4" x 1/549755813888", 3/4" x 1/1099511627776", 3/4" x 1/2199023255552", 3/4" x 1/4398046511104", 3/4" x 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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 materials to be delivered, by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be 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.

In case there are two or more bids at the same price, in one or more classes, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, if awarded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED IF DEMED 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.

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINHSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, September 16, 1897.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, November 5, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 2,000 feet of 3½-inch Circular Solid Woven Cotton Rubber Lined Fire Hose "Eureka" brand; 300 feet of 4-inch Circular Solid Woven Cotton Rubber Lined Fire Hose "Eureka" brand; 300 feet of 5-inch Circular Solid Woven Cotton Rubber Lined Fire Hose "Eureka" brand; 300 feet of 6-inch Circular Solid Woven Cotton Rubber Lined Fire Hose "Eureka" brand; 500 feet of 2½-inch Seamless Rubber Lined Fire Hose, "White Anchor" brand; 500 feet of 3-inch Seamless Rubber Lined Fire Hose, "White Anchor" brand; 2,000 feet of 2½-inch Circular Solid Woven Cotton Rubber Lined Fire Hose, "Paragon" brand; 500 feet of 2½-inch Cotton Rubber Lined Fire Hose, "Bay State Jacket" brand; 1,500 feet of 1½-inch Carbolized Rubber Fire Hose "Test" brand; 1,000 feet of 2½-inch Carbolized Rubber Fire Hose "Test" brand; 1,000 feet of 3-inch Carbolized Rubber Fire Hose "Test" brand; 500 feet of 2½-inch Rubber Lined White "American Chief" brand Fire Hose; 500 feet of 3-inch Rubber Lined White "American Chief" brand Fire Hose; 1,000 feet of 1½-inch Seamless Patent Carbolized Rubber Fire Hose "Maltese Cross" brand; 1,000 feet of 2½-inch seamless patent Carbolized Rubber Fire Hose "Maltese Cross" brand; 2,500 feet of 3-inch seamless patent Carbolized Rubber Fire Hose "Maltese Cross" brand; will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, November 17, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Special attention is directed to the test of the hose by the Fire Department and the guarantee of the hose by the Contractor, required by the specifications.

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

For information as to the description of the hose to be furnished bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The hose is to be delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at the sum specified in the form of contract.

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 hose 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 Two Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$2,600) on "Eureka" fire hose, Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700) on "White Anchor" fire hose, Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) on "Paragon" fire hose, Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250) on "Bay State Jacket" fire hose, One Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$1,600) on "Test" fire hose, Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700) on "American Chief" fire hose, Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500) on "Maltese Cross" fire hose, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, 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 will be subject to approval 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 five per cent. of the amount of the security as above specified. 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.

JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, O. H. LA GRANGE, THOMAS STURGIS, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 5, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in altering and repairing the building of this Department occupied as Quarters of Engine Company No. 43, at No. 2504 Webster avenue, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, November 17, 1897, 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 agreement, showing the manner of payment for the work, with the specifications, and forms of proposals must be obtained at the office of the Department.

Proposals must be made for all of the work called for in the specifications.

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within the time specified in the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractors 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 it relates.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Five Thousand Five Hundred (\$5,500) 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 upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accom-

panied 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 will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Two Hundred and Seventy-five (\$275) 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.

JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, O. H. LA GRANGE, THOMAS STURGIS, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 5, 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE amendments to the rules of this Department, dated August 7, 1897, governing electrical installations, etc., and published in the CITY RECORD, will not be enforced until the fifteenth day of November, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 11, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M., on Tuesday, November 23, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, on second floor, at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDREDTH STREET, from First to Second avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CLAREMONT AVENUE, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from east side of St. Nicholas Terrace to Lawrence street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CONVENT AVENUE, from south side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to south side of One Hundred and Forty-first street.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF DYCKMAN STREET, from Kingsbridge road to the Speedway.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET, from First avenue to the East or Harlem river, so far as the same is and is not within the limits of grants of land under water.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from St. Nicholas avenue to east side of St. Nicholas terrace.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET from the Boulevard to New York Central Railroad tracks.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Kingsbridge road to Boulevard Lafayette, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS THEREIN.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING SHERMAN AVENUE, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety,

or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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 in Bureau of Water Purveyor for Nos. 1 to 9, inclusive, and in Room No. 1733 for Nos. 10 and 11.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, November 9, 1897.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1897, AT 10.30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, by Mr. Louis Levy, auctioneer, on the ground:

About 5,000 old granite blocks and 300 lineal feet of old bridge-stone at the yard foot of Delancey street and East river; and 250,000 old paving blocks at yard Sixty-ninth street and East river.

TERMS OF SALE:

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal of the paving blocks from the sidewalks and carriageway by the purchaser. If the purchaser fails to complete such removal within forty-eight hours from the time of sale he will forfeit ownership of all paving blocks not removed and the moneys paid therefor, and the Department will make such other disposition of such paving blocks as it may deem proper.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, November 7, 1897.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, by and under authority of chapter 59 of the Laws of the State of New York, passed March 17, 1897, hereby notifies all owners and occupants within the lines of the property taken for the Record Building, viz.:

Commencing at the northwesterly corner of Chambers and Centre streets; thence westerly along Chambers street, distance 189.66 feet; thence northerly through the block to the southerly line of Reade street; thence easterly along Reade street, distance 203.48 feet to Centre street; thence southerly along Centre street 152.16 feet to Chambers street, the point or place of beginning.

—to vacate the premises within the above-mentioned lines on or before November 26, 1897, at which time the buildings and parts of buildings will be sold at public auction.

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

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 4, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M., on November 24 (Wednesday), 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, on second floor, at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER-MAINS IN ELEVENH AVENUE AND BOULEVARD, from One Hundred and Twenty-ninth to Fifty-ninth streets; AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, between Amsterdam and Eleventh avenues, AND IN ELM STREET, between Great Jones and Chambers streets.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING 48-INCH CAST-IRON CONDUIT IN WEBSTER AVENUE, north and south of Two Hundred and Thirty-third street.

No. 3. FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF WHITE POND AND OUTLET, IN THE TOWN OF KENT, PUTNAM COUNTY, NEW YORK.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1715.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, August 6, 1896.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE charge for vault permits is fixed at the rate of \$2 per square foot, under and pursuant to ordinance of the Common Council relating thereto.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, March 23, 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PLUMBERS, to whom license has been or may be issued to make and connect service pipes, for conducting water to houses and tenements with the distributing pipes in this city, after said pipes have been tapped, and to make connections with sewers or drains from houses and tenements with the sewers or drains in the streets or avenues of this city, that such license will be revoked in the case of any plumber who permits another to use his license and to do the work of a master plumber without holding a certificate of competency from the Examining Board of Plumbers; or who violates any of the regulations which have been or may hereafter be established by the Department, respecting the introduction and use of the Croton water and connections made with sewers and drains.

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

TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL ORDINANCES of the Common Council, approved March 30, 1897, and subsequent thereto, in relation to the use and occupancy of sidewalks, must be complied with, and that all hoistways must occupy only such space of the sidewalk as is authorized by special ordinance of the Common Council, passed March 30, 1886, viz.: "Hoistways may be placed within the stoop-lines, but in no case to extend beyond five feet from the house-line, and shall be guarded by iron railings or rods to prevent accidents to passers-by."

You are further notified that all violations now existing of such ordinances must be removed, and that all conditions set forth in permits granted for vault or other purposes must be complied with within sixty days. The special ordinances permitting court-yard inclosures give no right to occupy this space otherwise.

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE practice of placing concrete or other friable curbs on the streets of this city is in contravention of chapter 5, Article XIV, section 251, Revised Ordinances of 1897 which reads: "All curb-stones * * * shall be of the best hard blue or gray granite." And this Department will find it necessary to prosecute to the full penalty imposed by law persons setting or making such curbs, whether they have broken up or removed the curb-stones provided by the City or not.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK, November 10, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 2:30 o'clock P. M., of Monday, November 22, 1897, for the following-named works:

No. 1. FOR SUPPLYING AND ERECTING WROUGHT-IRON OR STEEL RAILING AND GRANITE POSTS ON THE HARLEM RIVER DRIVEWAY IN THE TWELFTH WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING NECESSARY FOR THE NEW EAST WING AND EXTENSION OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE ELECTRIC-LIGHT WIRING SYSTEM FOR THE LIGHTING OF THE NEW EAST WING AND EXTENSION OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING THE COMPLETE INSTALLATION OF AN ELECTRIC-LIGHTING PLANT, WITH ALL ESSENTIAL ACCESSORIES AND WITH ALL NECESSARY LABOR AND MATERIALS, FOR THE NEW EAST WING AND EXTENSION OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE STEAM-HEATING AND VENTILATION WORK FOR THE NEW EAST WING AND EXTENSION OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 6. FOR PERFORMING ALL THE WORK OF REMOVAL OF THE OLD TEMPORARY SWING BRIDGE, PIVOT PIEK, WITH FENDER GUARDS OF THE FORMER TEMPORARY MACOMBS DAM BRIDGE OVER THE HARLEM RIVER AT ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET.

No. 7. FOR REPAVING WALKS WITH ROCK ASPHALT, SETTING NEW CURB-STONES AND IMPROVING PARADISE PARK IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 8. FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF HANCOCK PARK, BOUNDED BY AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, MANHATTAN STREET, MANHATTAN AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The works must be bid separately.

No. 1. ABOVE MENTIONED.
17,000 lineal feet of wrought-iron or steel railing, constructed and erected complete.

75 granite posts or pedestals.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be one hundred and twenty consecutive working days.

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

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals one price or sum for which they will execute the entire work.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be one hundred working days, and the damage to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at Fifty Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals one price or sum for which they will execute the entire work.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be one hundred working days, and the damage to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at Fifty Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals one price or sum for which they will execute the entire work.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be one hundred working days, and the damage to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at Fifty Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals one price or sum for which they will execute the entire work.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be one hundred working days, and the damage to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at Fifty Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will state one price for completing the work specified to be done.

The entire work is to be completed within thirty days after notice to commence work has been given.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. ABOVE MENTIONED.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:
440 lineal feet of six-inch blue-stone curb, straight and curved on face, to furnish and set.

8,300 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt, with concrete base.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be thirty-five consecutive working days.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 8. ABOVE MENTIONED.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:
110 cubic yards excavation of earth, and all other solid material for tree plots and the park.

110 cubic yards garden mould to be furnished, in place.

210 lineal feet 14-inch blue-stone edging, 2½ inches thick, to furnish and set.

4,225 square feet of pavement of concrete and mortar of Portland cement for sidewalks, including rubble-stone foundation, excavation and preparation of foundations, and shaping of sidewalks, to furnish and lay.

10 cubic yards of gravel in place on sidewalks, including excavation and preparation of foundation, to furnish and lay.

112 lineal feet of new blue-stone curb, five inches thick, to furnish and set.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be thirty-five consecutive working days.

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

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the nature and extent of an estimate, dispute or complaint of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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

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

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

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.

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

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

Blank forms for proposals, and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park, and also in the cases of Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 above mentioned, at the office of the architect, Richard H. Hunt, No. 28 East Twenty-first street.

SAMUEL McMILLAN, S. V. R. CRUGER, SMITH ELY, EDWARD MITCHELL, Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK, November 3, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 2:30 o'clock P. M., of Monday, November 15, 1897, for the following-named works:

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO ERECT COMPLETE, SO FAR AS HEREIN SPECIFIED, THE NEW EAST WING AND EXTENSION OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 2. FOR IRONWORK, ETC., FOR PHEASANT YARDS, NEAR ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK.

The works must be bid separately.

No. 1. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals prices for which they will execute the entire work.

The time allowed to complete the work will be four hundred consecutive working days. The penalty for non-completion within the specified time is fixed at Two Hundred Dollars per day.

Bidders are required to submit samples of either the Indiana Limestone or the White Marble and Granite they propose using, marked with the names and locations of the quarry; sample of the size and cut to the surfaces provided for in specifications.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals, one price or sum for which they will execute the entire work.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be sixty consecutive working days.

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

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the nature and extent of the work, and shall not, any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complaint of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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SAMUEL McMILLAN, S. V. R. CRUGER, SMITH ELY, EDWARD MITCHELL, Commissioners of Public Parks.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on WADSWORTH AVENUE, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND AND ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREETS, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1883, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1883, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, November 12, 1897, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1883, and the various statutes amendatory thereof; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 24th day of November, 1897, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

GEORGE C. AUSTIN, W. HARRIS ROOME, WILLIS HOLLY, Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET and the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1883, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of One Hundred and First street and the southerly side of One Hundred and Second street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1883, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and First street distant 200 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue with the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; running thence northerly parallel with the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue 201 feet 10 inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and Second street; thence easterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Second street 150 feet; thence southerly parallel with the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue 201 feet 10 inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and First street 150 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,

No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title to certain lands on

the NORTHERLY SIDE OF THAMES STREET, between Temple street and Trinity place, in the First Ward of said city, duly selected by said Board as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Thames street, between Temple street and Trinity place, in the First Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, said property having been duly selected by said Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Thames street distant 23 feet 4 1/2 inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Temple street with the northerly side of Thames street; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Thames street 24 feet and 3/4 of an inch; thence northerly and parallel with the westerly side of Temple street 51 feet and 9 inches; thence easterly and parallel with the northerly side of Thames street 24 feet and 1 inch; thence southerly and parallel with the westerly side of Temple street 51 feet and 9 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

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

In the matter of the application of the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF THIRTIETH STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for buildings for police purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 350 of the Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 495 of the Laws of 1895.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Thirtieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in chapter 350 of the Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 495 of the Laws of 1895, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York as a site for buildings for police purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 350 of the Laws of 1892, as amended by said chapter 495 of the Laws of 1895, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Thirtieth street distant 325 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Thirtieth street with the easterly line of Seventh avenue; running thence northerly and parallel with Seventh avenue 98 feet and 9 inches to the center line of the block between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets; thence easterly along said center line of the block and parallel with Thirtieth street 26 feet; thence southerly parallel with Seventh avenue 98 feet and 9 inches to the northerly line of Thirtieth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Thirtieth street 26 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 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 a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of November, 1897, 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 Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, November 9, 1897.
BENJ. F. GERDING, JULIUS H. FOX, WILBER MCBRIDE, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 24th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon

and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Seventy-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Seventy-sixth street distant 105 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Third avenue with the southerly line of Seventy-sixth street; running thence southerly parallel with Third avenue 102 feet and 2 inches to the center line of the block; thence easterly parallel with Seventy-sixth street and along said center line of the block 100 feet; thence northerly parallel with Third avenue, and part of the way through a party wall, 102 feet and 2 inches to the southerly line of Seventy-sixth street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Seventy-sixth street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

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

In the matter of the application of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York, on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF THIRTY-THIRD STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of said city, duly selected by said Board as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 24th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Thirty-third street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, said property having been duly selected by said Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of West Thirty-third street distant 200 feet and 1 inch westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Sixth avenue with the northerly side of West Thirty-third street; running thence westerly along the northerly side of West Thirty-third street 49 feet 10 1/2 inches; thence northerly and parallel with the westerly side of Sixth avenue 98 feet and 9 inches; thence easterly and parallel with the northerly side of West Thirty-third street 50 feet; thence southerly and parallel with the westerly side of Sixth avenue 98 feet and 9 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

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

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 Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 23d day of November, 1897, 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 by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Croton Aqueduct to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Jerome avenue distant 461.93 feet northerly from the intersection of the western line of Jerome avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Jerome avenue for 60 feet.
2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 941.45 feet to the eastern line of the lands acquired for Croton Aqueduct.
3d. Thence southerly along the western line of the lands acquired for Croton Aqueduct for 60.78 feet.
4th. Thence easterly for 951.14 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Eighty-second street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 15 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on November 18, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 18, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 20, 1895.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

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

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Plimpton avenue to Marcher 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 23d day of November, 1897, 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 by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Plimpton avenue to Marcher avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

men and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Plimpton avenue to Marcher avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Marcher avenue distant 957.46 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of Marcher avenue with the eastern line of Boscobel avenue.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Marcher avenue for 60.12 feet.
2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 85 degrees 27 minutes to the left for 494.52 feet.
3d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 93 degrees 16 minutes to the left for 60.10 feet.
4th. Thence southeasterly for 494.82 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-second street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 15 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on December 16, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

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

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to NELSON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane, 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.

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 Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 23d day of November, 1897, 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 by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Nelson avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Boscobel avenue distant 238.81 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Boscobel avenue with the western line of Marcher avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the eastern line of Boscobel avenue for 77.12 feet.
2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 51 degrees 4 minutes to the right for 1,565.75 feet.
3d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 98 degrees 8 minutes to the left for 18.44 feet to the southern line of Featherbed lane.
4th. Thence easterly along the southern line of Featherbed lane for 80.01 feet.
5th. Thence southwesterly for 1,631.55 feet to the point of beginning.

Nelson avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 15 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on December 16, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Dated New York, November 11, 1897.

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

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title to certain lands in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 224 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 15th day of October, 1897, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 4th day of November, 1897. Commissioners of Appraisal for the purpose of ascertaining and appraising the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described and laid out, appropriated or designated by said chapter 224 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, as and for a public park in the Twenty-third ward of the City of New York, and proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes named in said act, and to perform such other duties as are by said act prescribed.

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected for said purposes comprises all the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not now owned or the title to which is not vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, within the limits or boundaries of the parcels of land laid out, appropriated or designated for said public park by said chapter 224 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, namely: On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; on the east by the westerly line of Cromwell avenue as far south as the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and south of that point by the northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek; on the south by said northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek and the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, and on the west by the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the lands now or formerly belonging to the West Side and Yonkers Railroad or Railway Company; thence running easterly and bounded by the lands of said company to Sedgwick avenue; thence again running easterly across Sedgwick avenue to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street or the passageway leading from Sedgwick avenue to Summit avenue; thence running southeasterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street or said passageway to the westerly line of Summit avenue; thence running southwesterly along the westerly line of Summit avenue to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence running southeasterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street to the westerly line of Ogden avenue; thence again running southerly in a straight line to the southeasterly corner of Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, the point or place of beginning, including all the lands within said bounds, excepting and reserving therefrom all public streets, avenues or places now laid out across or over any part of said land and shown on the official field maps of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

All parties and persons, owners, lessees or other persons interested in the real estate above described and to be taken for the purposes of said public park, or any part thereof, or affected by the proceedings had under or authorized by said act, chapter 224 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are

required to present the same to us, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proof in support thereof as the said owner or claimant may desire, within sixty days after the date of this notice (November 8, 1897), at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of January, 1898, at twelve o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and in case any such person or claimant shall desire at such time and place to offer further and additional proofs or testimony, such person or claimant will be heard or said proofs or testimony will be received by us.

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

Dated New York, November 8, 1897.

CHARLES L. GUY, WILLIAM H. BARKER, HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioners.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 12th day of October, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 18th day of October, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of November, 1897, 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 Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, October 28, 1897.

THEODORE E. SMITH, GLO. DRAKE SMITH, HENRY K. DAVIS, Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF FILING THE ESTIMATE OF DAMAGE AND OF MOTION TO CONFIRM THE FIRST PARTIAL AND SEPARATE REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT, TOGETHER WITH THE PROPOSED AREA OF ASSESSMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening a PUBLIC PLACE, bounded by Tremont avenue, Burnside avenue, Webster avenue and Rye avenue, in the Twenty-fourth 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 of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 22d day of November, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 22d day of November, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each or said ten days at 10.30 o'clock A.M.

Second—That the abstract of said estimate, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our said estimate, have been deposited in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of December, 1897.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of east One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Morris avenue to Park avenue, and by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Park avenue to Third avenue; on the south by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue, and by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Park avenue to Morris avenue; on the east by Park street, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and by the easterly side of Third avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; on the west by the easterly side of Morris avenue, as such streets are shown upon the final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City and County of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the

Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of December, 1897, 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, October 26, 1897.
GEORGE M. VAN HOESSEN, Chairman; PETER A. WALSH, JAS. O. FARRELL, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE SUPPLEMENTAL AND ADDITIONAL 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 A SPECIAL TERM THEREOF, PART I., TO BE HELD IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, AT THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 19TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1897, 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 SUPPLEMENTAL AND ADDITIONAL BILL OF COSTS, CHARGES AND EXPENSES HAS BEEN DEPOSITED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, THERE TO REMAIN FOR AND DURING THE SPACE OF TEN DAYS, AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

Dated New York, November 5, 1897.
ISAAC FROMME, SAMUEL W. MILBANK, J. RHINELANDER DILLON, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE SUPPLEMENTAL AND ADDITIONAL 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 A SPECIAL TERM THEREOF, PART I., TO BE HELD IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, AT THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 22D DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1897, 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 SUPPLEMENTAL AND ADDITIONAL BILL OF COSTS, CHARGES AND EXPENSES HAS BEEN DEPOSITED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, THERE TO REMAIN FOR AND DURING THE SPACE OF TEN DAYS, AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

Dated New York, November 8, 1897.
ROBERT STURGIS, DAVID J. LEES, JOHN MURPHY, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening AUDUBON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Fort George 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 29TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1897, COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT OF THE LOSS AND DAMAGE, IF ANY, OR OF THE BENEFIT AND ADVANTAGE, IF ANY, AS THE CASE MAY BE, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES REQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE BY AND IN CONSEQUENCE OF OPENING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED STREET OR AVENUE, THE SAME BEING PARTICULARLY SET FORTH AND DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALITY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND ALSO IN THE NOTICE OF THE APPLICATION FOR THE SAID ORDER THERETO ATTACHED, FILED HEREIN IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ON THE 18TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1897, AND A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT OF THE VALUE OF THE BENEFIT AND ADVANTAGE OF SAID STREET OR AVENUE, SO TO BE OPENED OR LAID OUT AND FORMED, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE SAID RESPECTIVE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES NOT REQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPENING, LAYING OUT AND FORMING THE SAME, BUT BENEFITED THEREBY, AND OF ASCERTAINING AND DEFINING THE EXTENT AND BOUNDARIES OF THE RESPECTIVE TRACTS OR PARCELS OF LAND TO BE TAKEN OR TO BE ASSESSED THEREOF, AND OF PERFORMING THE TRUSTS AND DUTIES REQUIRED OF US BY CHAPTER 16, TITLE 5, OF THE ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE INTO ONE ACT AND TO DECLARE THE SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAWS AFFECTING PUBLIC INTERESTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK," PASSED JULY 1, 1882, AND THE ACTS OR PARTS OF ACTS IN ADDITION THERETO OR AMENDATORY THEREOF.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of November, 1897, 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 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, October 28, 1897.
JAMES R. ELY, ANDREW RUEHL, CHARLES HAZEN RUSSELL, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TUDOR PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to the Concourse, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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 A SPECIAL TERM THEREOF, PART I., TO BE HELD IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, AT THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 16TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1897, 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 CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, THERE TO REMAIN FOR AND DURING THE SPACE OF TEN DAYS, AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

Dated New York, October 30, 1897.
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN, ROBERT L. WENSLEY, JACOB KATZ, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to Austin place, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 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 A SPECIAL TERM THEREOF, PART I., TO BE HELD IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, AT THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 16TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1897, 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 CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, THERE TO REMAIN FOR AND DURING THE SPACE OF TEN DAYS, AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

Dated New York, November 1, 1897.
NESTOR A. ALEXANDER, JOHN F. CROTTY, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EMMERICH PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Heath avenue to Kingsbridge Road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 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 A SPECIAL TERM THEREOF, PART I., TO BE HELD IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, AT THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 17TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1897, 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 CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, THERE TO REMAIN FOR AND DURING THE SPACE OF TEN DAYS, AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

Dated New York, November 3, 1897.
ISAAC T. BROWN, JAMES S. ALLEN, J. THOMAS STEARNS, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT, APPOINTED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 OF THE LAWS OF 1888 AND THE VARIOUS STATUTES AMENDATORY THEREOF, HEREBY GIVE NOTICE TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS, LESSEE OR LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES, TITLE TO WHICH IS SOUGHT TO BE ACQUIRED IN THIS PROCEEDING, AND TO ALL OTHERS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, TO WIT:

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, November 6, 1897, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 19th day of November, 1897, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III., in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 5, 1897.
JOHN N. LEWIS, THOMAS E. O'DELL, THOMAS F. DONNELLY, Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to ascertain the loss and damage and compensation for the lands and premises laid out, taken, set apart and appropriated for a public field, place or park, including interest thereon, pursuant to the provisions of an act, entitled "An Act in relation to St. James place in the City of New York," being chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASE MADE AND PROVIDED, AND PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 626 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT TO BE HELD AT PART III THEREOF, IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK ON THE 13TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1897, 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, INCLUDING INTEREST THEREON, FOR THE LANDS AND PREMISES TAKEN FOR A PUBLIC FIELD, PLACE OR PARK, PURSUANT TO SAID CHAPTER 626 OF THE LAWS OF 1897. THE SAID LANDS AND PREMISES ARE BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Jerome avenue where the northerly boundary line of the premises now owned, used and occupied by the Episcopal Church of Saint James intersects the same, about two hundred and ninety-six and twenty-five hundredths feet northerly of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street, as laid out; thence running northerly along the easterly side of Jerome avenue to a point on the easterly side thereof, which is four hundred and twenty-five feet north of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, as laid out; thence running easterly and parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street to the westerly side of Creston avenue as laid out; thence southerly along the westerly side of Creston avenue to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, as laid out; thence westerly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street to the westerly side of Kingside or Morris avenue as laid out; thence southerly along the westerly side of Kingside or Morris avenue to the northerly boundary-line of premises owned and occupied by the Episcopal Church of Saint James, and thence westerly along said last-mentioned boundary line to the easterly side of Jerome avenue to the point of beginning.

And as shown on three similar maps entitled "Map or plan of Saint James place, in the Twenty-fourth Ward

of the City of New York, authorized and laid out in pursuance of chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897," and filed, one in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on the 4th day of September, 1897; one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 8th day of September, 1897, and one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 13th day of September, 1897.

Dated New York, October 20, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York, N. Y.

In the matter of the application 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, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WATTS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sullivan street to West Broadway, at Broome street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Eighth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, WERE APPOINTED BY AN ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT, BEARING DATE THE 12TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1897, COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT OF THE LOSS AND DAMAGE, IF ANY, OR OF THE BENEFIT AND ADVANTAGE, IF ANY, AS THE CASE MAY BE, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES REQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE BY AND IN CONSEQUENCE OF OPENING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED STREET OR AVENUE, THE SAME BEING PARTICULARLY SET FORTH AND DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALITY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND ALSO IN THE NOTICE OF THE APPLICATION FOR THE SAID ORDER THERETO ATTACHED, FILED HEREIN IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ON THE 18TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1897, AND A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT OF THE VALUE OF THE BENEFIT AND ADVANTAGE OF SAID STREET OR AVENUE, SO TO BE OPENED OR LAID OUT AND FORMED, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE SAID RESPECTIVE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES NOT REQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPENING, LAYING OUT AND FORMING THE SAME, BUT BENEFITED THEREBY, AND OF ASCERTAINING AND DEFINING THE EXTENT AND BOUNDARIES OF THE RESPECTIVE TRACTS OR PARCELS OF LAND TO BE TAKEN OR TO BE ASSESSED THEREOF, AND OF PERFORMING THE TRUSTS AND DUTIES REQUIRED OF US BY CHAPTER 16, TITLE 5, OF THE ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE INTO ONE ACT AND TO DECLARE THE SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAWS AFFECTING PUBLIC INTERESTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK," PASSED JULY 1, 1882, AND THE ACTS OR PARTS OF ACTS IN ADDITION THERETO OR AMENDATORY THEREOF.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of November, 1897, 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 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, October 28, 1897.
THEODORE E. SMITH, FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, CHARLES P. PUTZEL, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PROSPECT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, WERE APPOINTED BY AN ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT, BEARING DATE THE 12TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1897, COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT OF THE LOSS AND DAMAGE, IF ANY, OR OF THE BENEFIT AND ADVANTAGE, IF ANY, AS THE CASE MAY BE, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES REQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE BY AND IN CONSEQUENCE OF OPENING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED STREET OR AVENUE, THE SAME BEING PARTICULARLY SET FORTH AND DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALITY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND ALSO IN THE NOTICE OF THE APPLICATION FOR THE SAID ORDER THERETO ATTACHED, FILED HEREIN IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ON THE 18TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1897, AND A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT OF THE VALUE OF THE BENEFIT AND ADVANTAGE OF SAID STREET OR AVENUE, SO TO BE OPENED OR LAID OUT AND FORMED, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE SAID RESPECTIVE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES NOT REQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPENING, LAYING OUT AND FORMING THE SAME, BUT BENEFITED THEREBY, AND OF ASCERTAINING AND DEFINING THE EXTENT AND BOUNDARIES OF THE RESPECTIVE TRACTS OR PARCELS OF LAND TO BE TAKEN OR TO BE ASSESSED THEREOF, AND OF PERFORMING THE TRUSTS AND DUTIES REQUIRED OF US BY CHAPTER 16, TITLE 5, OF THE ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE INTO ONE ACT AND TO DECLARE THE SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAWS AFFECTING PUBLIC INTERESTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK," PASSED JULY 1, 1882, AND THE ACTS OR PARTS OF ACTS IN ADDITION THERETO OR AMENDATORY THEREOF.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of November, 1897, 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 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, October 28, 1897.
THEODORE E. SMITH, JOHN J. QUINLAN, AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Marion avenue, and also to STEPHENS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, as the same

have been heretofore laid out and designated as first-class streets or roads, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, WERE APPOINTED BY AN ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT, BEARING DATE THE 29TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1897, COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT OF THE LOSS AND DAMAGE, IF ANY, OR OF THE BENEFIT AND ADVANTAGE, IF ANY, AS THE CASE MAY BE, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES REQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE BY AND IN CONSEQUENCE OF OPENING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED STREET OR AVENUE, THE SAME BEING PARTICULARLY SET FORTH AND DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALITY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND ALSO IN THE NOTICE OF THE APPLICATION FOR THE SAID ORDER THERETO ATTACHED, FILED HEREIN IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ON THE 18TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1897, AND A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT OF THE VALUE OF THE BENEFIT AND ADVANTAGE OF SAID STREET OR AVENUE, SO TO BE OPENED OR LAID OUT AND FORMED, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED UNTO OR INTERESTED IN THE SAID RESPECTIVE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES NOT REQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPENING, LAYING OUT AND FORMING THE SAME, BUT BENEFITED THEREBY, AND OF ASCERTAINING AND DEFINING THE EXTENT AND BOUNDARIES OF THE RESPECTIVE TRACTS OR PARCELS OF LAND TO BE TAKEN OR TO BE ASSESSED THEREOF, AND OF PERFORMING THE TRUSTS AND DUTIES REQUIRED OF US BY CHAPTER 16, TITLE 5, OF THE ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE INTO ONE ACT AND TO DECLARE THE SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAWS AFFECTING PUBLIC INTERESTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK," PASSED JULY 1, 1882, AND THE ACTS OR PARTS OF ACTS IN ADDITION THERETO OR AMENDATORY THEREOF.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of November, 1897, 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 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, October 28, 1897.
CLIFFORD W. HARTBRIDGE, DANIEL F. SHEEHAN, JOHN M. DELMOUR, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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 EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, under chapter 211 of the Laws of 1897 (although not yet named by proper authority), as the same has been laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

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 PART III THEREOF, IN THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 12TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1897, 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 BY 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, FROM WEBSTER AVENUE TO THIRD AVENUE, IN THE TWENTY-FOURTH WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING-DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES OR PARCELS OF LAND:

PARCEL A.
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster avenue distant 373.14 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Webster avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.
1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Webster avenue for 80.3 feet.
2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 85 degrees 13 minutes 19 seconds to the right for 231.59 feet to the western line of Park avenue (legally opened as Vanderbilt avenue, West).
3d. Thence southwesterly along the western line of said Park avenue for 80.18 feet.
4th. Thence northwesterly for 242.56 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.
Beginning at a point in the western line of Park avenue (legally opened as Vanderbilt avenue, East), distant 348.65 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of said Park avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.
1st. Thence northeasterly along the western line of said Park avenue for 80.18 feet.
2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 86 degrees 9 minutes 41 seconds to the left for 66.15 feet to the eastern line of Park avenue (legally opened as Vanderbilt avenue, West).
3d. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of said Park avenue for 80.18 feet.
4th. Thence southeasterly for 66.15 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL C.
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Park avenue (legally opened as Vanderbilt avenue, East), distant 357.61 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of said Park avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.
1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of said Park avenue for 80.18 feet.
2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 93 degrees 50 minutes 19 seconds to the right for 165.86 feet to the western line of Third avenue.
3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Third avenue for 95.62 feet.
4th. Thence northwesterly for 212.87 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on certain maps, entitled "Map or Plan and Profile showing amendment of sections 13 and 17 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, by extending East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, authorized and directed by chapter 211 of the Laws of 1897," filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on June 16, 1897; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on July 13, 1897, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on July 14, 1897.

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